

deceased persons, administers the investment program of the county.

Fund Ledgers Monthly record of receipts and expenditures of county accounts. Majority of older records have been destroyed; duplicates of recent records in auditor's files. No index. Arranged chronologically by month.

END

Q U E R I E S

KNIGHT, Henry M. and GUEST, Hannah --- Request information on Henry Knight born 16 March 1828, Guilford County, N.C. in Greensborough Township. He was a Civil War veteran, a judge in Indiana and Missouri, and a Master Mason who married (1) Hannah Guest, and (2) Elizabeth Lambert. Henry was the son of Hartwell Knight born 12 Feb 1779 in Sussex County, Virginia, a veteran of the War 1812. Hartwell's father was Henry Knight, who served in the army of George Washington in the Revolution.

Will correspond with all who write with information, or who need information: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knight, 1775 Hendrix, Thousand Oaks, CA 91360.

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HART, John and CAMPBELL, Hannah --- Would like to correspond with descendants or anyone with knowledge of a John Hart who married Hannah Campbell in Greene County, IND on 9 July 1863. Need deaths, where buried, children.

Glad to share Campbell data: Mrs. G.J. Bailey, P.O. Box 772, Santa Paula, CA 93060.

Please submit your queries in care of the Quarterly Editor, Ventura County Genealogical Society, P.O. Box DN, Ventura, CA 93002. Society members may submit up to four queries per issue; non-members queries will be published at \$1 per each query.

## THE THOMAS A. TUCKER FAMILY OF ALBIA,

MONROE COUNTY, IOWA

by Lynda Combe

Thomas A. Tucker, the second child, and eldest son of Levi and Sarah Tucker, was born in Hampshire County, Virginia October 24, 1823. His infancy appears to have been spent in Virginia in that part of the state which later was admitted to the Union as the state of West Virginia in 1863. By 1829 his family had moved to Illinois where his parents raised a family of twelve children: six boys and six girls.

On May 13, 1847, Thomas A. Tucker married Elisabeth Hilyard in Springfield, Sangamon County, Illinois. Elisabeth was born July 22, 1830 in Illinois, the daughter of John Hilyard and Mary Knight. During the early years of their marriage, Thomas farmed, and they became the parents of three children born to them in Illinois: Sarah C. Tucker, born April 4, 1848; George Levi Tucker, born February 18, 1850; and Franklin P. Tucker, born November 7, 1852.

Thomas and Elisabeth moved to Monroe County, Iowa and settled in the town of Albia. Four more children were born, two boys and two girls: Squire E. Tucker, born March 18, 1856; Martha A. Tucker, born August 10, 1857; Thomas H. Tucker, born June 1, 1861; and Emma Bell Tucker, born May 24, 1863. Thomas and Elisabeth lost their daughter, Martha, who died from unknown causes May 9, 1859.

As the town of Albia grew, residents there pushed for its incorporation. A petition for "Incorporation of the City of Albia" was circulated. By March 26, 1859, about 150 people had signed it, including T.A. Tucker, and the new city of Albia was organized.

Thomas A. Tucker worked as a butcher in Albia. When the Civil War began, he remained at home until 1864. Then on May 18, 1864, Thomas enrolled at Albia in Company 'G', 46th Regiment of the Iowa Infantry Volunteers for a period of 100 days. Thomas served as a private under Captain Edward Merich, and military records describe Thomas as "five feet, seven and one half inches; light complexion; blue eyes; dark hair". He was mustered in on June 10, 1864 at Davenport, Iowa and detailed as the chief butcher of his regiment on July 16, 1864.

During his service, Thomas became very ill with an apparent liver disease which made him weak, caused a loss of weight, and gave his skin a very yellowed appearance. A comrade, Josiah Kellogg, described his condition in an affidavit in U.S. military pension records:

"Thomas A. Tucker was a sound and able bodied man free from disease and while in the military service of the United States . . . about August 1864, at Colliersville in the state of Tennessee became disabled by biliousness and affection of liver and kidneys. He was as yellow as he could be. He was in a shanty of his own near the colonels headquarters. I was head nurse and second Steward in the field hospital at that time.

When the surjion examined and prescribed for Thomas A. Tucker I gave the medicines. He was the leading butcher to do the butchering for the Regiment. I think he was off duty for at least three weeks certain. He never fully recovered but was allowed another man to help him so that the work was very light. He was unwell and complained of his kidneys and liver up to date of his discharge."

Thomas A. Tucker was mustered out September 23, 1864 at Davenport, Iowa. He returned home and was unable to work for several months. Over the next two or three years he worked off and on butchering for John Landsberger in his meat shop, only about two days per week. He continued to suffer from his liver ailment, having severe spells from time to time, and never fully recovered. He died February 20, 1882 in Albia and was buried in the old part of Oak View Cemetery at Albia, Iowa.

A year after her husband's death, Elisabeth Tucker applied for a pension as the widow of veteran Thomas A. Tucker on March 14, 1883. After completing the paperwork consisting of proof of her marriage to Thomas A. Tucker and proof of his death, as well as sworn affidavits from attending physicians, friends, and comrades in the service with her husband, Elisabeth received approval for pension benefits on February 24, 1887. She received retroactive payments of \$8 per month from March 1883 to March 1886, and \$12 per month thereafter until her death.

Elisabeth Hilyard Tucker died December 30, 1907 at Albia. Her obituary appeared January 2, 1908 titled "Peacefully Goes to Sleep" and stated that "She lived a quiet and unassuming life and had done much where she saw it. Her life passed out as she had lived, quietly and peacefully."

Thomas and Elisabeth Tucker's daughter, Sarah C. Tucker, married Almon E. Crosby December 24, 1871 at Albia, Iowa. They had five children: Maude E., May L., Fred T., Ethel E., and Jennie B. Almon Crosby died December 1, 1886 and was buried at Oak View Cemetery, Albia. Sarah C. Tucker Crosby died on May 16, 1912 and was buried next to her husband.

The second child of Thomas A. and Elisabeth Tucker, George Levi Tucker, was married October 30, 1873 in Monroe County, Iowa to Matilda Jane Wright. She was born December 19, 1854 at Utica, Fulton County, Illinois, the daughter of James D. Wright and Christiann Bredwell. George Levi and his wife were parents of at least seven children: Frank, Freddie, Charles L., Rose Alice, Carrie May, George E., and Thomas. An eighth child may have caused Matilda to die at an early age following complications of childbirth. She died on August 1, 1893 at Albia. George Levi Tucker worked as a printer, or type-setter, in Albia. At one time he took over the publishing of a "Greenback" newspaper, the Industrial Era in August 1879, and ran it for four months. For a time, George Levi worked for the interests of the Greenback Party, a post-Civil War political party which opposed the reduction of paper currency in circulation in the U.S. George Levi Tucker died at Mason City, Iowa December 22, 1918.

Thomas A. and Elisabeth Tucker's third child, Franklin P. Tucker, died at the age of nineteen on March 19, 1872.

Their fourth child, Squire E., also known as Edward E., became a plasterer. He married Mary Ann Matthews on December 17, 1879 in Albia. She was born

in 1860 in Pomeroy, Meggs County, Ohio. Squire E. and Mary Ann Tucker had eight children: Arthur Edna, Alfred Ellis, Vera Blanche, Sadie Leo, Theodore E., Laura E., Bonnie Marie, and Doris E. Squire E. and Mary Ann were members of the Albia First Christian Church along with four of their children, Sadie, Laura, Bonnie, and Doris. Squire E. Tucker died January 8, 1912 and was buried at Oak View Cemetery. His wife, Mary Ann, died on June 16, 1927 and is also buried at Oak View Cemetery.

The sixth child of Thomas A. and Elisabeth Tucker, Thomas H. Tucker, was a mechanic. He married Maggie E. Stewart on June 26, 1886. She was born on July 6, 1866, the daughter of William S. Stewart and Mary Henderson, in Albia. Thomas H. and Maggie had four sons: Bert F. Tucker, Roy Ellis Tucker, Ward Edward Tucker, and Harold Tucker. Thomas H. Tucker died on June 8, 1896. His widow, Maggie, married her second husband, William Funk, on March 9, 1916. Maggie Stewart Tucker Funk died April 26, 1963 at age 97.

Thomas A. and Elisabeth Tucker's seventh child, Emma Bell Tucker, married William H. Beltzley on December 22, 1881. They had seven children, three daughters, and four sons: Clarence, Glen, Edwin, and Earl. Following her husband's death, she married her second husband, Dan De Young, on April 22, 1914. Emma Bell was an active member of the Methodist church. She died at age 74 and was buried at Bussey, Iowa.

Thomas A. and Elisabeth Tucker have six generations of descendents, some of which still live in Albia, Iowa, and many who are known living across the U.S.

#### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

1. Tucker Family Bible, in the possession of Lynda Combe, Ventura, Calif.
2. U.S. Census, Sangamon County, Illinois, 1850 microfilm
3. Marriage Records, Sangamon County, Illinois, by correspondence
4. Birth, Marriage, Death Records, Monroe County, Iowa, by correspondence with Sarah Hindman, Monroe County Genealogical Society
5. U.S. Census, Monroe County, Iowa, 1860 microfilm
6. Historical Sketch Book of Albia and Monroe County 1859-1959, on loan from Dallas Tucker, Sr., Albia, Iowa
7. U.S. National Archives Veterans and Widows Pension Records, copies of documents courtesy of Evelyn Tucker, Folsom, California
8. Miscellaneous Tucker Family records in the possession of Evelyn Tucker, Folsom, California
9. Miscellaneous Tucker Family records in the possession of Esther Townsend, Ventura, California
10. Miscellaneous Tucker Family records in the possession of Dallas Tucker, Sr., Albia, Iowa
11. First Christian Church records of Albia, Iowa, courtesy of Mrs. Edith Hackett, Albia Iowa

INDEX TO MARRIAGES OF VENTURA COUNTY (1873-1913)  
(continued from Vol. VI, No. 4)

Submitted by Betty Turk, 76 Santa Cruz Way, Camarillo, CA 93010

Marriages of people whose names begin with 'P', listed in chronological order:

<u>GROOM'S NAME</u>	<u>BRIDE'S NAME</u>	<u>DATE</u>
POLILLO, Thomas	Manuella ROMO	1 Jun 1874
PETERSON, Frank	Ida M. CALDWELL	30 Jul 1874
PFIUD, Charles	Teresa CUELLAR	24 Apr 1875
PARTYMAN, Stephen	Martha E. HOWARD	19 Dec 1875
PICO, Simplicio	Petra (Indian)	20 Dec 1875
PFEILER, Luis	Carolyn KAUFMAN	18 Jun 1876
PERRY, Warren	Josephine MURRY	8 Aug 1876
POWER, John M	Sarah E. SEBASTIAN	29 Oct 1876
PACKARD, Albert G.	Merced R. AYALA	20 Nov 1876
PORCELLA, Giacomo	Magdalena ROSARA	28 Jan 1879
PICO, Juan Estavan	Maria Ramona RODRIGUEZ	14 Jul 1879
PREBLE, George S.	H. L. CEPRY	25 Apr 1880
PITCHER, Charles F.	Emma I. ARNOLD	19 May 1880
PETERS, Antone S.	Sarah OLIVAS	16 Apr 1883
PIETRA, Leopoldo Schiappa	Arenas ANPARA	26 May 1884
PETTIT, Justine	Fannie KAUFMAN	27 Apr 1884
PETERSON, Jens	Josephina TURNER (FURRER)	8 Nov 1884
POLLEY, Charles Henry	Wren CUNNINGHAM	12 Feb 1885
PRESSEY, Benjamin Louis	Rachal Virginia COOPER	3 Jan 1886
PITTS, Bartley F.	Ella C. BACON	26 Jan 1886
PREFARE, Louis	Mary GEISLER	11 Oct 1886
PARKER, S. R.	Jennie McFADDEN	20 Jan 1887
PHILBROOK, W. F.	Luna GILBERT	16 Apr 1887
PEYTON, Harry E.	Haidie B. AIMORE	13 Apr 1888
PARKER, John A.	Rosa ABADIE	23 Jun 1888
PAXTON, William Fisher	Maggie SHIELDS	14 Sep 1888
PHILBROOK, A. E.	Adelaide P. HORTON	24 Dec 1888
PETERS Antonio S.	Carlotta CONSTANTIA	21 Jan 1889
PEPPEY, Oliver M.	Isabella P. GLASS	4 Jul 1888
PENRY, H. T.	Lottie T. COOPER	26 Nov 1888
PATTIE, Solomon	Malinda SHARP	4 Aug 1888
POPLIN, Thomas	Celia KIMBALL	16 Nov 1889
PYLE, William	Lena COBB	31 Jan 1889
PECK, C. A.	Daisy B. GROWALL	28 Nov 1889
PETERSON, E. D.	Hattie I. JAMISON	18 May 1890
PATTON, J. M.	Julia A. MATTERN	11 Jan 1890
PRUDEN, Seth D.	Fannie EVANS	8 Sep 1890
PYLE, Everett A.	Flora J. WHITE	13 May 1891
PITTINGER, John	Lois O. H. KERR	2 Jul 1891
PETERS, Luard A.	Edith Belle ANDREWS	24 Nov 1891
PITTS, G. C.	Mabel McFAPLAND	5 Mar 1892
PIT, John F.	Mary E. ATKINSON	4 Jan 1893
PICKERING, James A.	Georgie C. BALCOM	21 Oct. 93
PRATT, J. W.	Mabel OVERMIRE	28 Apr 1894
PRATT, Jno. Frederick	Marth TAYLOR	19 Jul 1894

GROOM'S NAME (cont.)BRIDE'S NAMEDATE

PHILBROOK, Ralph	Jessie DUNN	10 Aug. 1895
POYER, David J.	Hellen D. HALL	18 Oct 1894
PRATHER Frank H.	Alice WILLARD	15 Jan 1894
PARISH, Charles	Laura FIELDS	10 Feb 1894
PORTER, James H.	Mrs. Edith A. MERRICK	17 Aug 1894
PORTIER, C. A.	Alice L. HOLT	26 Sep 1894
PRATT, Ed	May GARRISON	24 Sep 1894
PUTNEY, Edwin	Annie MORTON	24 Sep 1894
PICKETT, Edwd.	Louisa EASTWOOD	28 Nov 1894
PATTERSON, E. H.	Dela STONE	22 Jul 1895
POPLIN, Robert L.	Mattie A. STEWARD	2 Oct 1895
PARVIN, Theodore R.	Lula S. McLURE	14 Apr 1896
PERIA, Guadalupe	Sara DOMINGUEZ	9 Oct 1896
PERROTT, James E.	Maud E. PACKARD	14 Oct 1896
POPEJOY, W. S.	Betsie P. REDDING	26 Oct 1896
PEIRANO, Nicola	Clara Catherine RAFFETTO	2 Mar 1896
PFADENHAUER, Andrew	Birdie YARNELL	17 May 1896
PURVIS, C. H.	Ida M. ROSENBERG	29 Aug 1897
POESSLER, S. J.	Jennie SALIMARSH	11 Aug 1897
Petit, William J.	Loretta NORRIS	4 Dec 1897
PARSONS, S. B.	Eliza C. CUMMINGS	16 Mar 1899
PATTERSON, Wm. A.	Deete DULEY	12 Apr 1899
PASCHALL, Duplin A.	Mary L. SCHUMACKER	14 Aug 1899
POTTER, Louis A.	Lizzie Mary MESSINGER	6 Feb 1900
PHILLIPS, George H. A.	Adela Marie SOLAPI	20 Jun 1900
PATRICK, Frank M.	Clara Alberta SOPER	26 Jun 1900
PERRY, Arthur R.	Helen CARVER	16 Sep 1899
PERALTA, Manuel	Luce Ortega	3 May 1900
PRATT, Augustus R.	Clara WHITE	12 May 1900
PORTER, Vertie H. Jr.	Harriet M. TUCKER	26 Dec 1900
PLAUGHER, John E.	Emma J. NEW	1 Aug 1901
PERKINS, Chas. Cranz	Lucy Anna KELLY	16 Jul 1901
PUCKETT, Charles	Edna Pearl TODD	27 Jun 1901
PORTER, Augustus T.	Dora C. PATTERSON	22 Sep 1901
PAYNE, H. B.	Mrs. M. HAMILTON	4 Oct 1901
PAUL, David E.	Pauline HARRIS	21 Dec 1901
PARKER, Walter F.	Nora SARLSON	13 Apr 1901
POTTER, Edward C.	Nettie CUMMINGS	21 Apr 1901
PEDEFOROQ, Jean Btc	Threse MAGOUP	1 Apr 1902
PACKER, Francis George	Natalie deBRULER	15 Jul 1902
PARKER, George	Josephine SALADO	10 Sep 1902
PHILLIPS, Jarvis C.	Louise May TISDALE	18 Mar 1903
PIDDUCK, Fred W.	Jessie B. COOK	10 Jun 1903
PHARISS, Oscar W.	Lena May CAMPBELL	16 Aug 1903
PEACOCK, Raymond L.	Blanche Ellen DOUGHERTY	@L Jan 1904
PARDEE, Harry Edward	Mary Elizabeth MADISON	26 Nov 1903
PLUMB, Max Alaric	Harriet Arm HOOKER	30 Dec 1903
POWELL, Arthur M.	Grace Kuler	11 Jul 1904
PHEILER, Albert L.	Lydia FRICKER	8 Sep 1904
PERES, Cosmo	Victoria GARCIA	19 Oct 1904
PURCELL, William L.	Mahala A. DAVIS	20 Sep 1904
PERCY, Hugh	Jane LEWIS	1 Nov 1904

GROOM'S NAME (cont.)BRIDE'S NAMEDATE

POOLE Arthur F.	Maryline BARNARD	26 Oct 1904
POST, Ezra J.	Mary Maud OLNEY	14 Nov 1904
PRATHER, E. W.	Mabel MAGEE	23 Apr 1905
PERCY, Stephen H.	Grace FOSTER	18 Sep 1905
PENLAND, Clyde Merton	Alice May CHURCHILL	18 Nov 1905
POGGI, Isaac Martin	Estelle Elizabeth COOPER	16 Oct 1905
PITTS, James T.	Luetta HOWELL	7 Feb 1906
PIDDUCK, Stanley ROBERTS	Elizabeth Mary GILL	6 Jun 1906
PETERS, Joseph A.	Clara HOBSON	20 Jun 1906
PERALTA, Michael	Belle GARCIA	8 Sep 1906
POTTER, Lewis A.	Cora STEPHENS	19 Sep 1906
PEREZ, Lucio	Josefa Marine	20 Jun 1907
POTTER, Robert F.	Emma D. FLYNN	6 Jul 1907
POWELL, Frances M.	Reath V. PRALL	14 Aug 1907
PERROTT, John Edward	Clara Agnes HUCHES	19 Jan 1907
PHILLIPS, Lee Alexander	Loleta Maude HORRELL	5 Nov 1907
PACHECO, Jose	Lorenza MORALES	21 Mar 1908
PERALTA, Julius Lenard	Mary G. SILVA	20 Apr 1908
POLLARD, Frederick Fernando	Mary Alice KILER	4 Sep 1908
PAQUETTE, Wilmer Elmer	Ethel Pearl MARSHALL	12 Aug 1908
PANDEK, Paul (John)	Teresa TOPIE	1 Oct 1908
POINIER, William Edward	Catharine Annie LYNCH	16 Nov 1908
PINA, Maximo	Nellie ANYONE	28 Nov 1908
PHILLBRICK, William L. J.	Kathryn Dredrich MILLER	21 Mar 1909
PRIMMER, Samuel Torrence	Mae Ellen STUART	23 Mar 1909
PRICE, Frank Clair	Stella VELARDE	6 Jul 1909
PETERSON, LeRoy Franklin	Elizabeth Catharine SORENSON	27 Aug 1909
PUINAM, Leo S.	Myrtle F. MAAG	3 Dec 1909
POLLOCK, William Harry	Anna Marie RETTENHAUS	4 Dec 1909
PETTIT, Charles Wesley	Elizabeth Cecilia ARNEILL	21 Dec 1909
PENDLETON, Frank Dean	Harriet Bonner STEPHENSON	9 Feb 1910
PREGLADO, Leon	Esther HUERTA	11 Sep 1910
PRIETRO, Ramon	Luz BELA	17 Nov 1910
PHILLIPS, Harry Raymond	Frances A. DELANO	23 Nov 1910
FLOETZ, Frank	Kathi HOEKMAIR	5 Dec 1910
PALMER, Lucius L.	Ella Hannah PALMER	16 Dec 1910
PETRIE, Archibald John	Anna Augusta MAULHARDT	18 Jan 1911
PURMAN, Thomas Harvey T.	Jessie GIGUETTE	25 Feb 1911
FERRELET, Arnold Alphonse	Minnie Louisa SCHORN	16 May 1911
PARET, Louis	Marie Louise DEHANEY	6 May 1911
PAYNE, Fred	Lizzie DOMINGUEZ	17 Jun 1911
PETTIT, Albert Clayton	Elvita SNOW	14 Jun 1911
PINIER, Joseph	Josefa MAKK	28 Jun 1911
PULLEY, William Clarence	Ivy May FITCH	28 Oct 1911
PFETLER, Rudolph Ernest	Mary Elizabeth SECKINGER	29 Nov 1911
PAINÉ, Lyman Harden	Augusta Amelia SCHILT	2 Feb 1912
PROCTOR, James Norris	Hope HARDISON	7 Feb 1912
PETERSON, Hans P.	Lorna D. COY	9 Mar 1912
PRINCE, George W.	Daisy Merry GREENWELL	3 Jun 1912
PONTIGA, Manuel	Clara Mary JUAREZ	25 May 1912
NETT, William	Gertrude M. OVERSTREET	15 Jun 1912

BRIDE'S NAMEGROOM'S NAMEDATE

PERROT, Jellie	Peter KOHR	15 Sep 1879
PUEINIENER, Marie	Emanuel FRANZ	2 Jan 1880
PLATT, Hattie	Christian LOFSEN	21 Jun 1880
PLANK, Minnie	M. L. HANSON	22 Jun 1880
PETERS, Arnie	Joseph R. SILVA	18 Sep 1880
PERALTA, Mary	Nicholas HEARNE	20 Nov 1880
PFASST, Eliza Rozelman	Columbus Baxter GRAINGER	15 Jan 1883
POTTER, Ida M.	James HATCHER	20 Apr 1883
PERALTA, Sarah L.	Francisca de OLIVAS	9 Feb 1885
PHILBROOK, Gussie	Chester WILSON	18 Aug 1886
PERROTT, Emma	Jasper M. MIDDLESWORTH	22 Nov 1886
PERROT, Gussie	Edward GONZALES	4 May 1887
PITTS, Jane E.	Sim MEYERS	9 Sep 1888
PUENIER, Teresa	Solomon L. GISLER	13 Nov 1888
PARKER, Hattie	J. W. RICH	23 Feb 1889
PHILLIPS, Sadie F.	Sherman W. BARTEAU	11 Mar 1889
POTTER, Carrie	J. W. RANDOLPH	6 Sep 1890
PARKER, Lydia T.	Samuel O. WOOD	24 Jul 1891
PHILBROCK, Ida F.	William E. GOODYEAR	18 Aug 1891
PERALTA, Clotilda V.	Jose M. FERNANDEZ	5 Jul 1892
PLAUCER, Rosa	Samuel GISLER	7 Oct 1892
PLANZAR, Annie	Robert GISLER	8 Oct 1892
PARKER, Emma B.	Homer L. WELLS	5 Nov 1892
PELHAM, Bernice	J. W. LECNARD	3 Jan 1893
PERKINS, Minnie T.	R. B. SIMPSON	21 Oct 1893
PACKARD, Hattie	M. C. HARVEY	9 Dec 1893
PEARSON, Anna L.	O. N. YEAKLE	18 Dec 1893
PACKARD, Maud E.	Henry S. CARPENTER	19 Mar 1894
PERKINS, Emmaline	Ed DULEY	8 May 1894
PORANTIAN, Carrie E.	W. A. DORN	31 Jul 1894
PELAYA, Modesta	Gabriel RUIZ	4 Oct 1894
PATTON, Mary E.	Willard F. BUTTS	15 Nov 1895
PHELPS, Stella L.	Andrew K RCE	25 Jan 1896
PECAL, Teresa	Antonio RUBIALES	9 Mar 1896
PACKARD, Maud E.	James E. PERROT	14 Oct 1896
PERIZ, Rosa	Antonio CARDONA	17 Oct 1896
POSA, Rosemary del	Antonio RUIZ	20 Oct 1896
POSSOLD, Eglevana	J. D. MCCARTHY	16 Nov 1896
PRATT, Kittie	Anariaga COGNACCI	20 May 1897
PERALTA, Rosa	Andres A. ORTEGA	15 Jul 1897
PECK, Ellen	Bohn Clair BRISTOL	21 Aug 1897
PRICE, Miss Stella	J. M. NELK-	14 Oct 1897
PARKINSON, Belle	F. P. ROBINSON	15 Nov 1897
POPLIN, Dilea Ophel	Frank Bard GILGER	19 Jan 1898
PERROTT, Dora	Edward BIRD	4 Jun 1898
PENNEY, Lillian May	William P. BOOK	8 Jun 1898
PEAK, Mattie A.	George W. HALE	27 Aug 189:
PIERSON, Mrs. Emma	Samuel SWEITZER	24 Dec 189
POGGI, Libbie	Harry S. WOLF	29 Apr 189
PERKINS, May B.	Harry E. FULLER	29 Jul 18
PACHECO, Felisidad	John ORTEGA	14 Aug 1



<u>BRIDE'S NAME</u> (cont.)	<u>GROOM'S NAME</u>	<u>DATE</u>
PHILLIPS, Ruth	George M. CHRONICLE	11 Dec 1899
PARROTT, Carrie A.	Anson L. RUSSELL	12 Dec 1899
PROCTOR, Susan Harriet	J. Calvin OWEN	25 Jun 1900
PREFORR, Mrs. Mary	Alfred Biggs RODAWAY	26 Jun 1900
PIERCE, Lucy	James BECK	1 Aug 1900
PIERIE, Tina	Joe JEMINES	24 Jan 1901
PHILLIPS, Elizabeth	Armin SCHELLING	4 Jun 1901
PITCHER, Fannie	Joe THOMPSON	8 Jun 1901
PRUNELL, Sarah J.	Rufus Henry BINNS	5 Sep 1901
PATTERSON, Dora C.	Augustus T. PORTER	22 Sep 1901
PUEHNENER, Josephina A.	John GERMAN	14 Oct 1901
PERSHING, Mrs. Anna	William HACH	27 Jan 1902
PEASE, , Abbie S.	Michael E. DUNN	30 Apr 1902
PETTY, Edith Pearl	John S. SLEPPY	16 Jun 1902
PRESIADO, Maria	Everisto AYALA	27 Jun 1902
PERIZ, Josefa	Juan JIMENO	28 Jun 1902
PIDDUCK, Alice K.	William A. HALL	8 Nov 1902
FLAMER, Mabel H.	A. M. McFARLANE	6 Dec 1902
PETTIT, Mayme A.	Earl W. HART	26 Mar 1903
PALASIAS, Marina	Joaquin ROBLERO	8 Jun 1903
POWER, Lettie	Frank Albert HUFFACKER	24 Jul 1903
PURDEE, Charlotte	Albert DARLING	16 Nov 1903
POTTS, Mec	B. O. SPRAGUE	28 Dec 1903
PARKER, Mrs. L. A.	A. D. THATCHER	12 Jan 1904
PARKER, Jermer M.	J. L. WOODRUFF	12 May 1904
PARKER, Alice G.	J. C. HOWARD	7 Jul 1904
PATTERSON, Bertha A.	Frank G. SAXBY	20 Sep 1904
PECK, S. Elizabeth	Walter E. MORRIS	1 Oct 1904
POITS, Evalyn Douglass	John Harris MASTERTON	5 Dec 1904
PHILLIPS, Addie	Albert GUIHRIE	7 Apr 1905
PASOLA, Bertha	Harry E. MOE	29 Apr 1905
PENA, Carmelita	A. R. AYALA	1 Jul 1905
PENCE, Ella	Samuel KEIFFER	11 Dec 1905
PETERSON, Gertrude	Hugh QUEEN	29 Nov 1905
PHILLIPS, Amy	Oscar WELCH	15 Dec 1905
PRIESTLEY, Ada May	Thomas Albert ALLEN	29 Nov 1906
PARKER, Rossie	Starling Alfred BAKER	31 Dec 1906
PERKINE, Margaret Holdene	William Albert COLLEY	10 Nov 1906
PETTIT, Mary E.	Henry A. HAAK	8 Sep 1906
PACKARD, Mary D.	William L. MUNCY	20 Jun 1906
PEDERSON, Ida	Alfred T. SEBASTIAN	11 Jun 1906
PORTILLO, Delifina	Lester James GETMAN	29 Jun 1907
PURVIS, Ida	Oliver G. KENNEY	12 Jan 1907
PRALL, Reath V.	Francis M. POWELL	14 Aug 1907
PREFORE, Josephine	Charles E. RODAWAY	23 Dec 1907
PRATT, Ahita	Carl James BOTES	30 May 1908
PARR, Nellie	Frederick J. FITZGERALD	5 Jun 1908
PICO, Maggie Agnes	Arthur FLINT	4 Mar 1908
PETERSON, Edna	Ernest Milton FRANKLIN	17 Feb 1908
REARSALL, Elsie May V.	Robert Ray HARROW	15 Jun 1908

## Tucker Family

OCCGS REFERENCE ONLY

<u>BRIDE'S NAME (cont.)</u>	<u>GROOM'S NAME</u>	<u>DATE</u>
POLLOCK, Nancy Belle	Leslie Earl LINCOLN	31 Aug 1908
PILBROUGH, Elsie May	George Wm. RUDOLPH	8 May 1908
PHOENIX, Clare Elizabeth	Elijah J. STANDIFER	26 Oct 1908
PHILBROOK, Cecilia Myrtle	Thomas Franklin ARUNDELL	28 Sep 1909
PHILLIPS, Nellie Ada	Clarence Dale BYERS	30 Oct 1909
PERHAM, Alice Gertrude	James Kimball FLANDERS	22 Jan 1909
PHILBRICK, Maude Pearl	Lawrence Newton FREIWELL	3 Jul 1909
PORTER, Blanche Down	Leroy Howard HUGHES	23 Mar 1909
PERCY, Zora Claire	John Lloyd SELBY	6 Nov 1909
POOL, Ellen J.	Clarence O. SORENSON	22 Nov 1909
POWER, Helen	Milan James WRIGHT	5 Jan 1909
PAXTON, Frances Louise	Guy Ernest CRUIKSHANK	15 Sep 1910
PETTIT, Annie Claire	Thomas Weller DONLON	25 Apr 1910
POWER, Cassie Emma	Henry Irving HARWOOD	20 Apr 1910
PATTERSON, Flora	Guy MASTERSON	27 Dec 1910
PETERSON, Kirstine	Soren NIELSEN	11 Oct 1910
PAYZER, Sarah Edna	Charles Edward OWEN	2 Sep 1910
PARSONS, Alice Maude	George Henry SUMMERS	18 Jun 1910
PITTS, Lola Edith	Troy WATTS	11 Jun 1910
PETRE, Dorothy Isabelle	George Allen BACKUS, Jr.	24 Apr 1911
PETTIE, Carrie Nelline	Joel FRANKLIN	5 Sep 1911
PRALL, Mary Almira	Thomas E. HARRISON	11 Sep 1911
PETERS, Mertha	Wm. Ervin MYLEP	16 Dec 1911
PATINO, Elena	Cruz RIOS	14 Feb 1911
PHILLIP, Maud Irene	James Evert TIMMONS	13 Feb 1911
PERSON, Elma Alvina	Silas Clarence FINLEY	28 Dec 1912
PAPE, May Anna	Edwin HAAS	29 Jun 1912
PENLEN, Elizabeth Delbonville	Andre ROUSEYPAL	16 May 1912
PHILBRICK, Gladis Esther	Edward Covington TRIPP	13 Jun 1912
PAQUETTE, Ethel Pearl	James Thomas WHITE	29 Apr 1912
PENDOLA, Nettie Marie	Sanford Darling BUTTS	27 Sep 1913
PALMER, Nellie Beatrice	Owen A. CLICKENGER	28 Apr 1913
PETERSON, Edna Isabelle	George Mott WELCH	19 Jul 1913
PARR, Nettie Merced	Jess CONTINKO	5 Oct 1914

<u>GROOM'S NAME (cont.)</u>	<u>BRIDE'S NAME</u>	<u>DATE</u>
PIERCE, George William	Dorsey Mary GREENWELL	3 Jun 1912
PARK, William Sir Leighton	Mary Ina LITTLELL	29 Jul 1912
PORTER, Crystal Wells	Rachel Rosetta BUTTERFIELD	7 Dec 1912
PERRON, Alexander Serevertern	Kaia Sophia RASCH	23 Dec 1912
PACHECO, George	Jennie CAPCIA	17 Aug 1913
PIERPONT, George Thomas	Evelyn Leora SWINNEY	30 Sep 1913
PERRITT, Madison Floyd	Clara Grantine IVERSON	5 Nov 1913
PERRANO, August	Angela TACK	17 Nov 1912



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PEYTON TUCKER, PIONEER  
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Early county records contain frequent references to Peyton Tucker, and the Historical Society welcomes the following article which is a valuable addition to local history of territorial period. R. W. Tucker was a practicing attorney in Batesville until the early 1950s.

The name Tucker was a derivative from the "OLD ENGLISH", meaning "To Tuck", "To Fill". It usually meant courage. It is referred to as a tucker, one who cleaned and thickened cloth.

Tucker has been used as a synonym for "O Tougher", an Irish sect located in North Tipperary, well known throughout Ireland.

In the Battle Rolls of Sussex the name appeared in the 1236. A "Hugo Le' Tukker" was in the Minister's Accounts of the Earl of Cornwall in the year 1297, evidencing the early appearance of the name in England.

Four grants of arms were made to the name in England. Two of these were granted in Devonshire, one in Kent, and one in Dorset. In these coats of arms three sea horses appear.

The Tuckers were particularly successful in America and are noted for their great contribution to the social and political life of the country.

Daniel Tucker was the first arrival from Plymouth, England. He was treasurer or "Keeper of the Store" or "Cape Merchant" of the Colony of Virginia and later served on the Council in 1619. He died in Bermuda in 1624-25.

William Tucker sailed from Plymouth, England, and was on the Council of the Colony of Virginia in 1623. He also served as a member of the House Of Burgesses in 1619 and in 1623-24. Robert Tucker arrived in Milton, Massachusetts in 1621.

St. George Tucker, 1752-1827, was a late arrival from Bermuda. He came in his late 'teens and entered the college of William and Mary. He graduated and later was on the staff of General George Washington, later President of the United States.

Thomas Tudor Tucker, who was a brother of St. George Tucker, came over to America about the same time and settled in South Carolina at Charleston.

Devonshire was the chief location of the most famous Tuckers in England. They were involved with Sir Francis Drake, Captain Hawkins, and Sir Walter Raleigh. They also took part in the attack on the Spanish Armada.

#### Salado (Saluda)

Salado came from the word Saluda which is the name of a county, town and river in Northwestern South Carolina near Spartanburg. "SALUDA" is an Indian word meaning "The River of Corn" in the musical language of the Cherokee Indians whose homes and happy hunting grounds were up and down the Saluda River.

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unning nearby and traversing the County of Saluda is the old Cherokee Road, formerly an Indian trail, leading from the up county to the low country.

Essex Capshaw, a white man whose father came from Wales, leaving his home inutherford County, North Carolina, went to an Indian village on the Saluda River in South Carolina and there met the daughter of an Indian chief, a Cherokee, and married her. This all happened about the close of the Revolutionary War. He appears on the U.S. Census Records for 1790.

Essex Capshaw next appears on the U.S. Census Records for 1800 at Smithland, Livingston County, Kentucky, and lived there until 1810 when he again appears on the census records and is listed as a tavern keeper along with Peyton Tucker, who had met his daughter, Sarah Capshaw. Just prior to that time, Peyton Tucker had married Sarah Capshaw, who was a beautiful girl. This took place on the 22nd of August, 1800.

Peyton Tucker arrived in the Missouri Territory and established a trading post near the mouth of Salado (Saluda) Creek where it empties into White River (White Run). He also established a post office at White Run and was appointed magistrate. Essex Capshaw and family came with Peyton Tucker and lived nearby for a number of years. This all happened about the year 1814. ("WHITE RUN" was the first name for White River.)

On the 12th day of December, 1823, Peyton Tucker was granted his pre-emption rights to eighty acres of land at the mouth of Salado Creek, described as follows:

The west half of the Northwest Quarter of Section Eight, Township Twelve North of Range Five West in the District of Lawrence in the Territory of Arkansas, containing eighty acres (being his pre-emption rights).

The pre-emption was signed by J. Monroe, President, and George Graham, Commissioner of the General Land Office. This land was where the post office was established about the year 1814 and was the beginning of the plantation which he and his son, Gideon Tucker, and his grandson, William Peyton Tucker, owned for a number of years, finally passing to William Peyton Tucker's daughter, Sallie Tucker, who married Commodore Wood, hence the name "Wood Farm". Gideon Tucker and his wife are buried in the cemetery about one mile northwest of Rosie, Arkansas, along with William Peyton Tucker, but his daughter, Sally (Tucker) Wood, is buried at Pleasant Plains, Arkansas, and a large monument is erected to her.

There are some springs near Rosie, Arkansas, named "Capshaw Springs" and nearby are a number of graves where the Capshaws are buried. There are also some graves on the top of the ridge, known as "Tucker's Ridge", overlooking White River. It is not known whether Sarah (Capshaw) Tucker, who died on June 4, 1832, is buried on the top of this ridge, but it is believed she was, as this is the most likely place. This is the place of the White Run post office, which was discontinued about this time and moved to Sulphur Rock, Territory of Arkansas. There are some graves near Cruthfield's place on Tucker's Ridge near where the old trading post and post office were located.

The Old Rock Bridge which was built of native stone, is now fallen into decay, but it is still remembered. It was built a year or so after William Peyton Tucker passed away, January 2, 1864, and his daughter, Sallie Peyton Tucker, had fallen heir to the Plantation. The Capshaw graves are on the road leading from Rosie to the bridge.

#### Ancestry of Peyton Tucker

Having procured all of the wills and some of the deeds made by the Tuckers in Virginia, and taking into consideration the fact that the Jacksons, who came to Arkansas and Independence County, were related to Hannah Tucker, who married Reuben Jackson and left wills dated 1827 and 1836, and the further fact that all the birth and marriage records were destroyed from ca. 1780 to

1823 in Dinwiddie County, Virginia, one is forced to believe that the following is a correct version of ancestry of the Peyton Tucker family:

Colonel John Stith married Mary (Randolph) Stith in Charles City, Virginia, and who had a daughter, Anne Stith, who was born ca. 1659 and who married Robert Bolling (1645-1709). (Robert Bolling was married before to Jane Rolfe ca. 1675 at Kippax, Virginia, and she was descendant of Pocahontas.)

Robert Bolling 1645-1709, m. Anne Stith 1659-1710, issue; Stith Bolling, Anne Bolling, and others.

Anne Bolling 1690-ca. 1750, m. Robert Wynne 1685-1754, issue; Anne Wynne, Lucretia Wynne, and others.

Lucretia Wynne 1712-ca. 1770, m. Joseph Tucker ca. 1710-1780, issue; Lucretia Tucker, Robert Tucker, and others.

Robert Tucker, 8 September 1739-1810, m. first Mary Green; second Miss Coleman; third Mary Gilliam, and by his third marriage, issue; Stith Tucker, Peyton Tucker, and others.

#### DESCENDANTS OF PEYTON TUCKER

Peyton Tucker 1785-1845 m. Sarah Capshaw 1790-1832 (m. August 22, 1809) issue:

1. Jackson Tucker b. ca. 1810 m. Joannah Peel 1 July 1830 ch. 9 lived at Jamestown, Arkansas.
2. Stith Tucker b. ca. 1811 m. Minerva Steel ca. 1839 ch. 3 lived at Grand Glaize, Arkansas.
3. Gideon Tucker b. ca. 1814 m. Sarah A. (Lady) Counts 1833 ch. 1 lived at White Run, Arkansas.
4. Sarah Tucker b. ca. 1816 m. Cooper Landers ca. 1834 ch. minor, William Landers signed receipt for minor heirs 1851, lived at Newport, Arkansas.
5. Virginia Tucker b. ca. 1818 m. Abner Hendricks 1836 ch. minors, Abner Hendricks signed receipt for minors 1851.
6. Henry C. (Capshaw) Tucker b. 1824 m. Nancy J. Flemming 1849 ch. 3 lived at Fairview, Arkansas, or Rock Point.
7. Martha Anne Tucker b. ca. 1821 m. first Captain William C. Reaves, second Taylor Garrett, third William Hooper 26 December 1844, ch. 1st m. 1; ch. 2nd m. 1; sh. 3rd m. 1st lived at Salado, Arkansas.
8. Parmelia Winniford Tucker b. ca. 1830 m. Andrew Jackson Waggoner 1847 ch. 1 lived at Rock Point, Arkansas or Fairview, Arkansas.

1. Jackson Tucker had nine children as follows:

- Sarah Joannah Tucker
- Thomas Peyton Tucker
- Elizabeth Anne Tucker
- Parmelia Winniford Tucker
- Caroline Tucker
- Sarepta Tucker
- William Tucker
- Robert Tucker
- Mary Adline Tucker

2. Stith Tucker had three children as follows:
  - Sarah Tucker
  - Rush Lott Tucker
  - Chester A. Tucker
3. Gideon Tucker had one child as follows:
  - William Peyton Tucker
4. Sarah (Tucker) Landers had minor children 1851.
5. Virginia (Tucker) Hendricks had minor children 1851.
6. Henry C. (Capshaw) Tucker had three children as follows:
  - Francis Peyton Tucker
  - Jesse William Tucker
  - Minerva Anne Tucker
7. Martha Anne (Tucker) Reaves had one child as follows:
  - Edna Reaves

Martha Anne (Tucker) Garrett had one child as follows:

  - James Garrett

Martha Anne (Tucker) Hooper had one child as follows:

  - George Hooper
8. Pamelia Winniford (Tucker) Waggoner had one child as follows:
  - Sarah Waggoner

Henry C. (Capshaw) Tucker was the grandfather of the writer of this sketch and Francis Peyton Tucker was his father and he is one-sixteenth Cherokee Indian. My grandfather, Peyton Tucker, and my great grandmother, Sarah (Capshaw) Tucker, lived together for 23 years and had a family of these eight children.

#### CONCLUSION

Peyton Tucker and Sarah (Capshaw) Tucker were greatly honored by their friends and neighbors during this period of time and among these friends and neighbors were George Ruddell and John Saffold who signed the bond for Peyton Tucker as postmaster at White Run, Missouri Territory. He was an elder in the Presbyterian Church along with John B. Craig and others. He and his wife often attended church at the home of John B. Craig just south of what was Elmo, Arkansas.

When the 1830 U.S. Census was taken, Peyton Tucker led the list for the Township of Christian, Independence County, Territory of Arkansas. There were three townships in the County at that time, Ruddell, Black River, and Christian. Ruddell embraced the northwestern part of the County, Black River embraced the northeastern part, and Christian embraced practically all of the county, south of White River.

Among those in addition to those mentioned above, were Charles Kelly, Walter Vardin, Abraham Ruddell, John B. Craig, Benjamin Hardin, Reuben Wyatt, Elisha Fortenberry, Abraham Wyatt, George C. Gibbs, John Poster, and others, including approximately 63.

It is also noted that Peyton Tucker had no slaves, because he did not believe in an inferior race. He believed as St. George Tucker that all slaves should be freed when they were born. In other words, he wrote a dissertation on slavery about 1785 in which he advocated that each child should be free when it was born. The Civil War could have been avoided with all of its horrors



and death and destruction if the people had listened.

The Tucker House in Williamsburg, Virginia, facing the public square, was built by St. George Tucker who, at the time, was married to Frances (Bland) Randolph, 1788.

Peyton Tucker was the first member of the Legislative Council from Independence County, Arkansas Territory, in 1821, and Robert Bean was in the House of Representatives. Peyton Tucker served on the jury at Davidsonville as early as 1815 while it was the Missouri Territory. He also served on the Jury at Batesville, Arkansas Territory, several times. He was a justice of the peace in Independence County and performed numerous marriages. In 1833, he and Morgan Magness were elected and served as members of the Legislature of Arkansas Territory just before it was made a state.

Peyton Tucker, after his wife, Sarah (Capshaw) Tucker, passed away June 4, 1832, married Mary Magness and died in Caldwell Parish, Louisiana, without issue.

This writer is compiling a book about the Peyton Tucker family, ancestors, and descendants and would like to have comments from interested parties.

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