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CHEROKEE COUNTY ALABAMA
SOME SOUTHERN CLAIMS COMMISSION CASE FILES
(PART VII)

GEORGE WESTER - Claim #7257 (Report 6, Office 95 Year - 1876)

Claim of \$895.00 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1876, Vol. II, pg 141. Claim of George Wester of Centre, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is near sixty years of age. He swears to loyal sympathies, but to no loyal conduct whatever. He had a son-in-law and nephews volunteer in the rebel army. His witnesses testify to nothing definite or material. There are four of them. The first says he was timid; said nothing except in the most subdued and secret way, and had no public reputation as to loyalty. The third witness gives him the character of a fearless, outspoken, influential, active Union man, as everybody knew. The fourth witness testifies that he spoke on the Union side and he is confident his acts were on the same side; and yet he admits he knows of no acts of loyalty. His witnesses seem partial and unreliable and contradict each other. The commissioner says that some of the Union men in the vicinity doubt his having been a loyal man during the war. We are constrained to concur with those neighbors, and we are not satisfied with the sufficiency of the evidence in support of loyalty. We therefore reject the claim. Te additional evidence filed since the writing of the above report fails to satisfy the commissioners of the loyalty of claimant.

BENJAMIN I. WILSON - Claim #7389 (Report 6, Office 97 Year - 1876)

Claim of \$868.20 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

(Also identified as Susan Wilson, Executrix of the Estate of Benjamin I. Wilson)

Per Summary Reports of 1876, Vol. II, pg 141. Claim of Benjamin I. Wilson of Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is an old man; swears to loyal sentiments and that he voted for Union candidates to secessionist conventions. He had a son in the rebel army. Two witnesses - one of whom lived fifteen miles away and the other who lived over twenty miles away after the first year of the war - are called in support of claimant's loyalty, and they testify to his loyal conversation and reputation. One of them testifies that claimant was solicited to subscribe for confederate bonds and said he would if he thought the new government would be as good as the old. We fail to discover any satisfactory evidence that claimant did anything or suffered anything to distinguish him from his secessionist neighbors, and it seems somewhat remarkable that he went so far from home for his witnesses. We are not satisfied with the sufficiency of the evidence in support of loyalty, and therefore reject the claim.

JOSHUA L. BELOTE - Claim #5398 (Report 7, Office 10 Year - 1877)

Claim of \$1,165.50 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1877, Vol. III, pg 8. Claim of Joshua L. Belote of Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. Mr. Belote had a farm of five hundred acres near Gaylesville, in Cherokee County, Alabama. He joined a home guard in 1862, and served in it for almost a year. He says they had no arms. They "had meetings about but never done anything hardly, and never went into camp." He does not pretend that he did not join the home guard voluntarily. The rebels paid him when they took his cattle and some other property. He had a son-in-law in the rebel army. He says he voted against and opposed secession - voted for Union delegates. "When I found out I could do no more I had to go with my country. I had to do that to get to stay here. I did not do anything for the confederacy. I staid at home and kept my mouth shut." He does not appear to have been seriously threatened or molested. His witness Campbell tells of disputes which he continually had with others quite in contradiction of the idea that "he kept his mouth shut." But the evidence but his witnesses is in part not credible, and in other respects not atisfactory. Upon his own evidence, chiefly, we feel obliged to say that loyalty is not proven. Claim disallowed.

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ROBERT P. BIGGERS - Claim #13,824 (Report 7, Office 12 Year - 1877)

Claim of \$1,227.00 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1877, Vol. III, pg 8. Claim of Robert P. Biggers of Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. Claimant swears to loyal sympathies, but not to any loyal conduct. He had two sons in the confederate army. Two witnesses testify to his loyal conversation in general, but do not remember any particular occasion or special language. There is no evidence or persecution by his neighbors. A witness examined by Special Agent Richmond testifies that claimant was an original secessionist and a rebel during the war. We are not satisfied with the sufficiency of the evidence in support of loyalty, and therefore reject the claim.

LEMUEL BOWERS - Claim #8088 (Report 7, Office 18 Year - 1877)

Claim of \$3,475.00 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1877, Vol. III, pgs 9 & 10. Claim of Lemuel Bowers of Cedar Bluff, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. Mr. Bowers was a Methodist minister, and so kept out of the war. He claims to have been loyal, and George W. Lawrence, a physician, and William Fleming both testify to his loyalty. He does not appear to have been seriously molested by the rebels till just before Sherman came, when the forces under Hood appear to have taken a large amount - "to prevent the Federal forces from getting it." There is one thing that seems to us to discredit the claim, viz His farm was worth, he says \$15 per acre; say in all \$2,500. Hood's forces took heavily of his property "to prevent the Yankees getting it;" and yet he now claims that within three or four days after Hood was there Sherman's troops took property to the value of \$3,475 from such a farm! We directed Mr. Richmond, special agent, to examine and report, and he sends us the depositions of Jesse Tucker, B.I. Wilson, and Isaiah Rudd, from which it appears that though in the outset he was against secession, yet afterward came fully to sympathize with the confederacy, conversed in their favor, and prayed for their success. We must reject the claim.

B. TOLBERT HAYNES - Claim #14,477 (Report 7, Office 56, Year 1877)

Claim of \$310 - Disallowed.

Petition dated 17-July-1871 for losses in October 1864 from General SHERMAN's Army. Witnessed by JOHN L. McCONNELL & JAS. H. SAVAGE before S. H. LEDBERY, J.P. Witnesses who will be called to testify: P.J. CHISHOLM, SAMUEL C. WARD, JAMES EDWARDS, JOHN W. RAMSEY, L.N. ECHOLS, MARY HAYNES, A. HAYWORTH & Dr. A. M. PRATT.

Testimony: Taken 2-June-1874 at Centre before John W. RAMSEY, Special Commissioner.

B. TOLBERT HAYNES states he is age 23, resides at Rome GA and is a salesman. I resided at Cherokee Co AL during war. My mother was a widow. My father died in 1854. My only brother died in 1859. Myself and 3 sisters resided with mother on her lot in Centre. My mother sewed and 2 sisters taught school. I had a nephew in TN in Rebel Army. I was born at Centre, Cherokee Co, AL. I got the mules in 1863 from my brother-in-law, L.N. ECHOLS, who got them from old man EBENEZAR PITTS.

ABSAOM HAYWORTH, age 53, farmer and shoemaker, resides at Centre, Cherokee Co. Not related to Claimant.

JOHN L. McCONNELL, age 41, lawyer, resides at Centre. Not related to Claimant. The family consisted of Mrs. MARY HAYNES, her 3 daughters and son, B. T. HAYNES.

Mrs. MARY HAYNES, age 62, reside Centre Cherokee Co. AL. Mother of Claimant & widow of

CHRISTOPHER HAYNES who died in this place in 1854. Lived in Centre in 1862 to present and out in country for several years prior.

ADELIA HAYNES, age 24 years. Sister of Claimant. Reside with my mother.

L. N. ECHOLS (Testimony taken 10-Aug-1877 in Dekalb Co AL by SOLON D. MOORE, Special

GEORGE H. SHIELDS - Claim #6,842 (Report 7, Office 111 Year - 1877)

Claim of \$567.33 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1877, Vol. III, pg 24. Claim of George H. Shields of Spring Garden, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. Claimant is an old man, and swears to loyal sympathies. Witnesses testify to loyal conversation and reputation; but he had three sons in the army and gave one of them a horse to ride in the service. Claimant's attorney noticed, but decline to take further testimony. We are not satisfied with the sufficiency of the evidence in support of loyalty, and therefore reject the claim.

MORDECAI TIPTON - Claim #14,497 (Report 7, Office 124 Year - 1877)

Claim of \$404.50 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1877, Vol. III, pg 27. Claim of Mordecai Tipton of Centre, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. Claimant swears to loyal sympathies, but nether swears to nor proves any loyal acts. His witnesses testify to his loyal reputation, but it does not appear that he was threatened or molested by his neighbors, for the very good reason, no doubt, that his sons were in the confederate army and it was taken for granted that he sympathized with them in behalf of the cause for which they were fighting. They visited him during their service and he supplied them with shoes, etc. We are not satisfied that claimant did anything for the Union or manifested any desire for the suppression of the rebellion. We therefore reject the claim.

WILLIAM HICKMAN - Claim #6822 (Report 7, Office 261, Year 1877)

Claim of \$584.50 - Disallowed

Petition dated 25-July-1871 for losses incurred in October 1864 from General SHERMAN's Army. Resided at Spring Garden, Cherokee County Alabama. Witnesses to be called to testify: JACOB W. WHORTON, JOHN C. SCROGGINS, MARTHA C. HICKMAN, MARY HICKMAN.

Testimony: Taken 18-May-1874 at NANCY WHORTON's in Cherokee County Alabama.

WILLIAM HICKMAN states that he is age 56, resides in Cherokee County AL and is a farmer. I resided on a rented farm during the war. 160 acres, about 75 acres in cultivation. Took amnesty oath at Centre in the summer of 1865. I was conscripted by being arrested in 1864 by CALVIN H. LEWIS & HARD SIMMS and put in a company of Capt. H. WHITMIRE which was called "*BUTTERMILK CAVALRY*". I was with them 6 or 7 days till I escaped and lay out about home. I had 2 nephews, JAMES O'NEAL & JOS. O'NEAL, in Rebel Army. JAMES is dead. JO lives in Cherokee County. I was born in Hall County Georgia.

GREEN M. WHORTON - Age 49, reside in Polk County GA. I am a cousin of the Claimant.

JACOB W. WHORTON - Age 30 years, reside in Cherokee County AL. Cousin of Claimant.

NANCY WHORTON - Age 75 years, reside in Cherokee County AL. Claimant was a nephew of my deceased husband.

MARY ANDERSON - Age 36 years, reside in Cherokee County AL. Cousin of Claimant.

MARTHA HICKMAN - Wife of Claimant.

Additional Testimony given before JOHN W. RAMSEY, Special Commissioner in Cherokee County on 1-Mar-1877:

ROBINSON ASHLEY - Age 57, reside in Cherokee County AL, not related to Claimant. He had a young nephew, JAMES O'NEAL, who had been forced in Rebel Army. A man named HENRY STRICKLAND threatened me for voting for Dr. GEORGE W. LAWRENCE for the State Legislature and Claimant defended me. Another of Claimants nephews, JOS. O'NEAL got out of the Rebel Army and Claimant got him in Capt. HORATIO WHITMIRE's Home Guards (a company of Union Men).

ANDREW J. WADDELL - Age 47 years, reside in Cherokee County AL, I am a blacksmith and not related to Claimant.

Archive Office:

Book 3 Letters Sent, page 313: Claimant was paid \$85.00 for trance chains and mule shoes furnished to Confederates in March 1864. See receipt to Capt. WM. B. DAVISON, Asst. Quartermaster of the C.S. Army, dated at Augusta 19-March-1864.

M. G. J. CAMPBELL - Claim # 14,460 (Report 8, Office 16, Year 1878)

Claim of \$407.50 - Disallowed

Petition dated May 1871; witnessed by JOSEPH BLAKEMORE P.M. & RICHARD C. BAIN. Petitioner resided at Kirks Grove AL. Losses from troops under Major General Frank BLAIR of General SHERMAN's Army. Witnesses to be called: JOHN B. HARDEMAN & WILLIAM FLEMMING, JOSEPH BLAKEMORE, HENRY BLAKEMORE, PARKS J. JOHNSON, ELIZABETH A. CAMPBELL..

Testimony: Taken 01-Aug-1877 at Rome, Floyd County GA before THOMAS J. PERRY, Special Commissioner.

MAJOR G. J. CAMPBELL, age about 45 years resides now in Floyd County GA for about 3 years. Born Chester District SC. During war was a farmer in Cherokee County AL except when I went with Union Army in Rome GA and Chattanooga TN. Had a brother-in-law, JOHN DUGAN(?), in Union Army. Leading Unionist in my area were: JOHN HARDIMAN, JOSEPH BLAKEMORE, P.J. JOHNSON, HENRY JOHNSON, JOHN STR____. Had 2 brothers in Rebel Army - WILLIAM CAMPBELL age 26/27 and JAMES CAMPBELL age 21. Owned 80 acres farm, 40 acres in cultivation.

JOSEPH BLAKEMORE - age 57, reside Grantville, Cherokee County. Farmer & Postmaster. Not related to Claimant. My brother-in-law, A. J. SPEACKLES(?), saw him in Rome working for the Union Army. Heard R. C. BANE say the same thing. Union men in the area were: JOHN B. HARDEMAN, PARKS JOHNSON, RICHARD BANE, JOHN STRENGTH, RICHARD SHOCKLY, HENRY JOHNSON.

PARKS J. JOHNSON - soon to be 63 years old, reside Cherokee County AL about 22 years. A farmer and no relation to Claimant. Refers to Claimant as JACKSON CAMPBELL. Union men in area: EDWIN JOHNSON, JOHN HARDEMAN, JOHN P. GOULD, JOSEPH BLAKEMARE, HENRY JOHNSON.

ELIZABETH A. CAMPBELL - 44 years old, reside in Floyd Co GA for about 3 years this fall. Wife of Claimant.

HENRY J. BLAKEMORE - 46 years old, reside in Cherokee County. Occupation is merchandising.

JOHN A. COTHRAN - Claim # 7208 (Report 8, Office 23, Year 1878)

Claim of \$192.75 - Disallowed

Petition dated 29-Apr-1871 for losses in October 1864 by General SHERMAN's Army. Claimant resided at Howells Cross Roads. Witnessed by JOSIAH E. PRIDGEN & WILLIAM J. CHANDLER. Witnesses to be called: R. W. SHAW, CALVIN STORY, JACKSON WADDLE.

Testimony: Taken 14-Feb-1878 at Spring Creek, Cherokee County AL.

Claimant states he is age 56 and lives on Spring Creek in Cherokee County. Lived here 30 years. Occupation is farming. I was born in Greenville District SC. I fed many Union soldiers during war. Had a cousin, MEMORY C. REYNOLDS, who went off into the Union Army; he has been allowed by Commission \$845. I attended a Union Meeting at GEORGE JORDAN's on Tarpin Creek in this county. We had 35 men and rode in the Stars & Stripes to Centre. ROBINSON ASHLEY, JACKSON WADDLE, GEORGE W. HOWELL, MATHIAS FIRESTONE (were Union men): some of them will attest to my loyalty. I had 1 brother conscripted into the Rebel Army in 1862.

ROBINSON ASHLY - Age 59, live on Spring Creek Cherokee County. Lived here 20 years. Occupation is Farmer. Not related to Claimant. Known Claimant and his wife FRANCES COTHRAN for 18 years. GEORGE W. HOWELL, JOHN A. COTHRAN, MARZA SEGO, JACKSON WADDELL & myself were prominent Union men in our area.

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JACKSON WADDELL - Age 50, live on Spring Creek in Cherokee County. Not related to Claimant or his wife, FRANCES COTHRAN. Known him for 25 years.

FRANCES COTHRAN - 53 years old. Live on Spring Creek with my husband. Lived there over 30 years. Occupation is farming. Wife of Claimant.

STEPHEN HURLEY - Claim #6,793 (Report 8, Office 42 Year - 1878)

Claim of \$1,171.25 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1878, Vol. III, pg 172. Claim of Stephen Hurley of Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant, Stephen Hurley, died in 1874, leaving a widow and eleven children, and the widow enters to prosecute the claim. The widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Hurley, testifies to her own loyalty, and says that her husband was loyal. Two witnesses are also called to prove his loyalty. On the other hand our agent, Mr. Richmond, who was in that vicinity in January, 1874, when Hurley was alive, took depositions of Benjamin I. Wilson, who says that Stephen Hurley was a rebel during the war, that he talked in favor of the rebels and the southern confederacy and did not pretend to be loyal during the war, and that his public reputation was that of a rebel. With contradictory evidence before us we cannot say that we are satisfied that he was a loyal man. Claim rejected.

NANCY JOHNSON - Claim # 7221 (Report 8, Office 45, Year 1878)

Claim of \$369 - Disallowed.

Petition signed near Howells Cross Roads on __-Aug-1871. Witnessed by JOSIAH PRIDGEN & SARAH OWENS. Witnesses to be called: GEORGE JORDAN, ELI COMPTON, JACKSON WADDLE & NICEY RUUS(?).

Testimony: Taken on 5-Mar-1878 at Centre before SOLON D. MOORE, Special Commissioner.

NANCY JOHNSON, Claimant, age 35, live in Cherokee County AL near Howells Cross Roads, a farmer. Born in this county. Union men in this area were: G.W. HOWELL, JOHN VANDIVER(?), JOHN GRIFFIN, JOHN A COTHRAN, HOWELL WILLIAMS, WILLEY OWENS. I had no relatives in the Rebel Army.

HARRIETT OWENS - age 57, reside Cherokee County for 43 years, a farmer. Not related to Claimant. Union men in our area: B.W. OWENS, G.W. HOWELL, JOHN GRIFFIN, GEORGE JORDAN.

B. W. OWENS - age 36, farmer, reside in Cherokee County. Not related to Claimant. Union men in our area: B.W. OWENS, HARRIETT OWENS, GEORGE HOWELL, JOHN GRIFFIN, GEORGE JORDAN.

PHALLY CHANDLER - age 50 years, reside at Howells Cross Roads. Not related to Claimant. Lived in Cherokee County for about 30 years.

HARRIET KEATON - Claim # 7222 (Report 8, Office 47, Year 1878)

Claim of \$175.00 - Disallowed

Petition dated 6-May-1871 at Howells Cross Roads for losses in October 1864 from General SHERMAN's army. Petition witnessed by JOSIAH E. PRIDGEN & CALVIN STORY before MOSES BENNETT, J.P. Witnesses to be called: JOHN COTHRAN, JACK WADDELL, JOSIAH PRIDGEN.

Testimony: Taken 2-Feb-1878 at Centre before SOLON D. MOORE, Special Commissioner.

HARRIET KEATON, states she is age 35 years old and a farmer. I was raised here from a child on Cowans Creek about 8 miles from Centre. I was born in NC and brought here as just a child. I was residing on Sandy Creek about 5 miles from where I now live when the losses occurred. I was living with my father. GEORGE, JAMES MACKOLY, my father, ROBINSON ASHLEY, JACKSON WADDELL & HOWELL WILLIAMS could testify to my loyalty. Never had any relations in the Rebel Army. I was single at the time the property was taken.

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ROBINSON ASHLEY - age 59, resides on Spring Creek in Cherokee County. Lived here for 20 years. Not related to Claimant. Known her for 18-19 years. Union men in the area were: JACKSON WADDELL, G.W. HOWELL, JAMES SMITH, LAFAYETTE PRITCHETT, MATHIAS FIRESTONE and myself.

JACKSON WADDELL - age 50 years, reside on Spring Creek in Cherokee County AL. Lived here __ years. Farmer. Not related to Claimant. Known her for 25 years. Her father voted for the Union ticket. He died I think in 1862. Union men in our area were: MATHIAS FIRESTONE, ROBINSON ASHLEY, HOWELL WILLIAMS and myself.

WILLAIMINTH(?) STUDDARD - age 43, reside on Cowan Creek in Cherokee County. Lived here for 30 years. Not related to claimant.

SAREPTA C. LITTLE - Claim #18,888 (Report 8, Office 52 Year - 1878)

Claim of \$439.50 - Disallowed **Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims**

Per Summary Reports of 1878, Vol. III, pg 174. Claim of Sarepta C. Little of Broomtown, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimants husband was in the rebel army and died in the service. She says he was a Union man and was conscripted. The evidence in favor of claimant's loyalty is meager and faint. We are not satisfied with its sufficiency, and therefore reject the claim.

ELIZABETH MILLIGAN - Claim # 7222 (Report 8, Office 60, Year 1878)

Claim of \$906.00 - Disallowed

Petition dated 28-July-1871 at Spring Garden AL before JOHN P. SCROGGINS, J.P., for losses 24-Oct-1864 from General Sherman's Army. Witnesses to be called: ROBERT A. MILLICAN, THOS. A. TALLIS, JULIA F. LEWIS, REBECCA C. MILLICAN.

Testimony: Taken 7-Jan-1878 at her home before SOLON D. MOORE, Special Commissioner.

Claimant, states she is 61 years old, resides at Spring Garden. Occupation is Farming. I was born in Jackson County GA. I was living in Chattooga County GA during most of the war. My husband, ROBERT MILLICAN, died in 1865. He was not in Confederate Army or in civil service. He left 6 children: W.H. JOHNSON (my child by my first husband), ALLEN MILLICAN, ROBERT MILLICAN (age 34 years), JEFFERSON MILLICAN (age 31 years), BENN H. MILLICAN (age 29 years), EDLY MILLICAN (age 27 years), JANE FALL (age 24 years).

T. A. FALLS - age 40, reside in Chattooga Co GA. Son-in-law of Claimant. JACKSON MOON & JOSEPH _____ could testify to ROBERT MILLICAN's loyalty.

J.M. MILLICAN - age 41, live in Chattooga Co GA. Step-son of Claimant. I have known her 27 years.

EDLY F. MILLICAN - age 27 years, reside in Cherokee Co AL. Son of the Claimant.

BENN H. MILLICAN - age 29 years, reside in Cherokee Co AL. Son of Claimant.

NOTE IN FILE: JEFFERSON MILLICAN is a lunatic.

JAMES PINKSTON - Claim #6,789 (Report 8, Office 67, Year - 1878)

Claim of \$753.35 - Disallowed **Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims**

Per Summary Reports of 1878, Vol. III, pg 176. Claim of James Pinkston of Broomtown, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is an old man. He swears to loyal sympathies, and that he voted for Union candidates to convention, but did nothing. Was not molested or threatened. Had two sons-in-law in the confederate army, and did what he could for them. Two witnesses testify in usual manner to loyal reputation and conversation. A witness examined on behalf of the Government testifies that claimant was disloyal; that he was an original secessionist and advocate of it all the time, and did not claim to be loyal during the war. We reject the claim.

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JOHN C. SCROGGINS - Claim #7,211 (Report 8, Office 70, Year - 1878)

Claim of \$1,169.75 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1878, Vol. III, pg 176 & 177. Claim of John C. Scroggins of Howel's Cross Roads, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. Claimant was within the conscript age, but fails to tell how he kept out of the army. His own statement is meager, and the best indication of loyalty it furnishes occurred after the war in his appointment as justice of the peace by the provisional government. His son was in the home guards. Five witnesses testify to loyal conversation and reputation, but as three of them testify quite as earnestly to their own loyalty, we are not very decidedly impressed with the weight of their testimony in his favor. He was a man in the prime of life, and it is inconceivable that such a person could have kept out of the army and pursued his ordinary avocation without molestation, or threats, or other unmistakable indications of the opposition and hostility felt by his secessionist neighbors to a Union man. Since the claim was filed the claimant has died, and no one has been substituted to prosecute the claim. That, however, is not essential, as we are not satisfied with the sufficiency of the evidence in support of the loyalty of the original claimant. We therefore reject the claim.

WILLIAM I. SMITH - Claim # 7247 (Report 8, Office 72, Year 1878)

Claim of \$254.75 - Disallowed.

Petition dated 30-June-1871 for losses at the hands of General SHERMAN's Army. Witnessed by T. M. SMITH & WILLIAM J. CHANDLER. Witnesses to be called: J.T. SMITH, WILLIAM CHANDLER, HARRIET BUSBIN & T.J. SMITH..

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Book 3 Letters Sent, page 334: In December 1862 one W. IRBY SMITH was Chief Clerk for Major R. V. BONNEAU, Commissary of Subsistence at Selma AL.

Book 3 Letters Sent, page 343: W.I. SMITH of Cherokee County AL billed and collected from the CSA for various items.

Testimony: Taken 21-Feb-1878 at Centre before S.D. MOORE, Special Commissioner.

Claimant states he is 74 years of age, resides on Spring Creek in Cherokee County. Lived here 25 years. Occupation is farming. I was born in Hancock County GA. I gave provisions to WILLIAM J. CHANDLER & J. C. DOYAL who were laying out in the woods to avoid conscription. Have no relations in Union Army. JOSEPH C. DOYAL, WILLIAM J. CHANDLER, HOWELL WILLIAMS, JOHN A. COTHRAN, JACKSON WADDELL, ROBINSON ASHLEY, G. W. HOWELL could testify for my loyalty. I know of no near relatives in the Rebel Army.

WILLIAM J. CHANDLER - age 45, live on Spring Creek. Lived here for 32 years. Occupation is Farming. Son-in-law of Claimant. Known him for about 25 years.

JOSEPH C. DOYAL - age 56 years, live on Spring Creek. Lived here for 25 years. Occupation is farming. Not related to Claimant. Known him for 25 years.

MARY CHANDLER - age 35 years, reside in Cherokee County on Spring Creek for 25 years. Daughter of Claimant.

MARY M. SPARKS - Claim #6,840 (Report 8, Office 74, Year - 1878)

Claim of \$302.00 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims



Other's Mentioned in Case:

W.W. WHITESIDE, Chancellor

Margaret E. DUNLAP, Reg'str

R.F. CONNER, Complainant's Solicitor

Miscellaneous Information:

Couple m/ 14 Nov 1911 in Etowah Co., AL; Lived together until 4 Jan 1912; Defendants last known residence was Lindale, GA.

This concludes the divorce cases which have been abstracted from the Etowah County Chancery Court Records to date. We are finding some other cases as we prepare these records for microfilming by the State Department of Archives and History. Unfortunately we do not have the manpower to work at abstracting these records and to work at preparing them for microfilming both. So the abstracting will have to be put on hold until we are finished with the enormous task of getting these and the Probate Court Case Files ready for microfilming. We are in desperate need of people willing to work in this records preservation project. If you would like to assist in this work, please contact Lorna Hibbs 547-8758.

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Per Summary Reports of 1878, Vol. III, pg 177. Claim of Mary M. Sparks of Spring Garden, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is a widow, and swears to Union sympathies. She had a son in the confederate army. Her witnesses to loyalty are her two sons-in-law, who were secessionist, and testify to loyal conversation and reputation, but to no loyal conduct or other manifest and unmistakable indications of loyalty. We are not satisfied with the sufficiency of the evidence in support of loyalty; and therefore we reject the claim. If she had really been loyal, it seems a little strange that her son and son-in-laws should have been disloyal, and that she called no other witnesses to prove loyalty.

NANCY STARLING - Claim #6,246 (Report 8, Office 76, Year - 1878)

Claim of \$1,933.00 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1878, Vol. III, pg 178. Claim of Nancy Strange of Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is seventy three years of age and a widow. Her husband died in January 1864. They were residents of Cherokee County, Alabama. The property taken is alleged to have been taken after his death. They had two sons in the confederate army. The claimant swears to loyal sympathies, and calls her daughter and son who sustain her statements in that regard. No other witnesses to loyalty are called. It was indispensable to a favorable report that reasonable proof should be made that she remained a loyal adherent to the Union cause during the war. If she was such adherent, her neighbors must have known it, and some of them ought to have been called. The proof is not satisfactory, and the claim is disallowed.

MATILDA UNDERWOOD - Claim # 6849 (Report 8, Office 83, Year 1878)

Claim of \$200.00 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1878, Vol. III, pg 179. Claim of Matilda Underwood of Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is a widow. Her maiden name was Wood. She lived in Cherokee County Alabama, on the farm belonging to her father. She swears that she was willing to support the Union; was for the Union but could do nothing more than to express herself that way; prevailed with her husband to keep out of the confederate service until 1863, when he was conscripted. Her brother and mother are the only witnesses to loyalty, who testify in very general terms that she talked in favor of the Union cause. No facts are proved. She was never threatened by the confederates, and nothing to show that her neighbors looked upon her as hostile to the confederacy. Her husband died in the confederate service in 1864; whether before or after the property was taken does not appear. She had one brother in the Union Army and three brothers in the confederate army. She alleges that the property was given to her by her father during the war to be held separately from her husband. The father is also a witness, but says nothing about the ownership of the property. He does not say when he gave her the property. As it was taken from his own place, if he were present we should inquire very particularly about the gift of this property. We are not satisfied with the proof of claimant's loyalty; and the claim is disallowed.

DANIEL H. WILSON - Claim #8,481 (Report 8, Office 90, Year 1878)

Claim of \$549.00 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1878, Vol. III, pg 180. Claim of Daniel H. Wilson of Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. Claimant swears that he voted for a Union delegate to the secession convention; that he was forced to act as watchman in the rebel fortifications at Round Mountain for more than a year. After Sherman's arrival he deserted and went home. His witnesses swear to the same thing, but whether from actual knowledge or hearsay we cannot decide. The evidence is very meager and fails to impress us with the conviction of claimant's loyalty. We therefore reject the claim.

NANCY S. WITT - Claim #18,889 (Report 8, Office 91, Year 1878)

Claim of \$827.50 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1878, Vol. III, pg 180. Claim of Nancy S. Witt of Sterling, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is a maiden lady and one of three heirs of her father, who was the owner of the property when taken. Her two brothers, co-heirs with her of her father, who died since the war, served in the rebel army. There is no satisfactory evidence establishing the loyalty of claimant's father, from whom the property was taken; and even were we satisfied of his loyalty and of claimant's she would only be entitled to an allowance for one-third the value of the property taken: but failing satisfactory evidence of the loyalty of the original owner of the property in question, we decline to make any allowance to claimant.

HARRIETT A. BUSBIN - Claim #7,202 (Report 9, Office 18, Year 1879)

Claim of \$433.70 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 5. Claim of Harriett A. Busbin of Howell's Cross Roads, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant's husband died in October 1861, leaving her a widow with six children. Four of these children were soldiers in the confederate army. The three oldest went into the army the first year of the war, the younger one two years after. All her surroundings were disloyal - all the evidence on her behalf is very weak. We are not satisfied she was loyal. Claim disallowed.

WILLIAM L. CAIN - Claim #3,472 (Report 9, Office 20, Year 1879)

Claim of \$1,251.71 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 5. Claim of William L. Cain of Gadsden, Etowah County, State of Alabama

Remarks. After filing his petition the claimant died. He was a resident of Etowah County, Alabama. His widow and two witnesses testify on the question of his loyalty. The testimony is weak and unsatisfactory. Beyond the assertion of these witnesses, who admit they were confederates and know of no threats made against claimant, there is not the faintest trace of loyalty developed. With the papers is a deposition taken by our agent, Mr. Richmond, showing that Cain was an original secessionist and thoroughly disloyal to the Union. The claim is disallowed.

ELI A. CAMPBELL - Claim # 5515 (Report 9, Office 21, Year 1879)

Claim of \$1317 - Disallowed

Petition dated 15-June-1871 at Broomtown Valley, Cherokee County AL. Witnessed by JOHN H. DISQUE & FRANKLIN H. STANDIFER. Witnesses to be called to testify: LEMUEL J. STANDIFER, JOSHUA L. BELOAT, FRANKLIN H. STANDIFER, BEN. F. WILSON, WILLIAM J. CALLANS, RUDOLPHUS NORTON (of Beech Grove, Coffee Co TN).

Testimony: Taken 18-Feb-1878 at Gadsden, Etowah County. Alabama before JAMES T. BROOKS, Special Commissioner.

ELIZABETH A. CAMPBELL, age 48 years, reside near Aurora, Etowah County AL, a farmer. Widow of ELI A. CAMPBELL now deceased. Lived during war in Cherokee County AL. Born in Marion County TN. Moved once during war to gratify wishes of a sick sister. My father, husband & brothers were all Union men. Union men in our area were: my brother LEMUEL J. STANDIFER, BENJAMIN WILSON, JOHN CARRIER(?), JAMES McCULLOUGH, JOSHUA L. BELOTTE, ISAAC BORING. I had one brother, JOHN H. STANDIFER, who was conscripted into Rebel Army. He is age 35 and resides in TX. I am a widow. Married 6-June-1850. Husband died 16-October-1873. Children: SARAH A.C. (age 26), AMANDA J. (age 23), WILLIAM H. (age 20), ROBERT A. (age 18), JULIA E. (age 16), JEPE/JESE A. (age 12), GEORGE(?) F. (age 10). SARAH A.C. CAMPBELL - age 26, reside at Aurora, Etowah Co AL. Daughter of Claimant. SARAH F. STANDIFER - age 50, Housekeeper, reside in Gadsden. Sister-in-law of Claimant. Claimant lived on my husbands farm from Sept 1862 until December 1863. Known her since 1847.

Union men in our area : GEORGE AGNESS, JAMES McCULLOUGH, J.L. BELOTT, JAMES R. DORSEY.

LEMUEL J. STANDEFER - age 60, attorney, reside in Gadsden. Brother in law of original Claimant and brother of Widow.

SAMUEL McCULLOUGH - (Testimony taken 22-April-1879 at his residence at Davis Cross Road in Cherokee County AL) - Mentions JOSIAH MAPLES & WILLIAM STALLINGS as strong Union Men.

ELI COMPTON - Claim #7,209 (Report 9, Office 30, Year 1879)

Claim of \$242.50 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 7. Claim of Eli Compton of Howell's Cross Roads, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant was, as he says, conscripted into the confederate army in 1862 and again in 1864, and deserted in May, 1864. It would seem as if he was about two years in the rebel army. There is no proof that any force was used to make him enlist, except that he says he was forced, and no detail of facts whatever. So long a service (two years) in the confederate army before deserting and without any proof of force, and slight proof of Union sentiments, precludes us from finding him loyal. Loyalty not proved, and claim disallowed.

JAMES EDWARDS - Claim # 14,467 (Report 9, Office 41, Year 1879)

Claim of \$1,066.50 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 8. Claim of James Edwards of Centre, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. In 1874 testimony was taken on the part of the claimant. He was a farmer, and then sixty-eight years of age; is a resident of the county of Cherokee, Alabama. Subsequently, when called upon to explain some transactions between James Edwards and the confederate authorities appearing in the confederate archives, James Edwards, a grandson of the claimant, forwards his own affidavit in reply to the call from the commissioners. This affiant describes himself as a distributee of the claimant, and from this and other expressions in the affidavit we infer that the claimant is now dead. From all that appears in the testimony we have doubt whether the petitioner was in reality an adherent of the Union cause. He testifies in general terms to his sympathy for the Union cause, and his witnesses assert his loyalty in strong language. But he was never threatened or injured for his Unionism. His two sons were in the confederate army, and there is a notable absence of such incidents as marked the life of a Unionist in the South during the war. We think he is now dead, and there is no proof of the loyalty of his heirs and no proof of how many he left. If living, he ought to have replied personally to the call for information made upon him by the Commissioners. The claim is disallowed.

ELIHU FARROW - Claim #10,034 (Report 9, Office 45, Year 1879)

Claim of \$622.50 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 9. Claim of Elihu Farrow of Gaylesville, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is the only witness to prove loyalty. His son, who was in the rebel army, is a witness, but says nothing as to his father's loyalty. No other proof. Neither loyalty nor taking proved. Claim disallowed.

LEWIS M. FORCE - Claim # 10,367 (Report 9, Office 49, Year 1879)

Claim of \$2525 - Disallowed

Petition dated 31-Oct-1871. Petitioner states he resides now at or near Gaylesville AL. States his loss occurred in Sept 1863 from Major General A. D. McCOOK at or near Valley Head in Dekalb Co AL. Witnesses to be called will be HENRY H. SMITH and STEPHEN JONES. Petitioner later resided in Covington, Tipton Co., TN.

Testimony taken 13-Feb-1878 at Circuit Court Tipton Co TN.

JOHN HENRY MILLER - age 36, farmer, resides in Tipton Co TN. In 1862 I resided in Walker Co Ga. Known Petitioner for 3 years personally and by reputation for 20 years. I was in Co "B" 10th TN (US) Cavalry.

ELIJAH HILL - age 45, reside Tipton Co TN. Known Petitioner for 15-16 years. I resided then in Walker County GA. I was in Company "B" of 10th TN (US) Cavalry.

Mrs. MARY FORCE - age 41, wife of Claimant. Resided in 1863 on Lookout Mountain in Cherokee County near Valley Head AL.

Depositions - taken in Cherokee Co AL before ENOS RICHMOND.

JOSHUA L. BELOTE - of Cherokee Co AL, age 61 years.

BENJAMIN L. WILSON - age 72. Petitioner was a Rebel during the War, a dangerous man and widely feared.

War Department Archives - Letters Sent Book 2, page 455.

Petitioners name appears on a Muster Roll on July 7. 1861 of a Confederate troop of Captain MILSAP's "Cherokee Mountaineers" - Volunteer organization. (W.D. 2126 in file)

FRANCIS A. HARWELL - Claim #6,786 (Report 9, Office 56, Year 1879)

Claim of \$1,282.50 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 10. Claim of Francis A. Harwell of Blue Pond, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is a wagon maker by trade, and about forty-five years of age. He resided in Cherokee County Alabama. He had three brothers and four brothers-in-law in the confederate army. It is very certain he himself did not want to fight. He contrived many ways to keep from it, and declares it was because he was a Union man and would not fight against the United States Government. His story is somewhat rambling and disjointed, and we doubt whether he tells the whole story. Our commissioner, Mr. Ramsey, who took the testimony, certifies from personal knowledge to the claimant's continuous loyalty to the Union cause; and we might be disposed to allow the claim but for the testimony of Benjamin J. Wilson, taken by our agent, Mr. Richmond. Mr. Wilson swears that he is well acquainted with Mr. Harwell and is on very friendly terms with him. He says, Mr. Harwell was a rebel during the war; "talked and advocated it strong; it was his common talk." As the evidence stands loyalty is not satisfactorily proved, and the claim must be disallowed.

BENJAMIN F. HOOD - Claim # 6782 (Report 9, Office 59, Year 1879)

Claim of \$843 - Disallowed.

Petition dated 24-June-1871. States he resides at Cornwall Iron Works in Cherokee Co AL. Petition witnessed by WILLIAM FLEMING. Losses from SHERMAN & BLAIR. Witnesses to be called to testify: JOHNATHAN CHESTNUT, A.H. STARLING, JOHN HELMS.

War Department Archives:

Letters Sent Book 3, page 457 -- B. F. Hood sold 508 lbs of pork to CSA.

Letters Sent Book 3, page ____ -- 17-Nov-1762: A man of this name sold \$100 of beef to the CSA

Testimony taken before SOLON D. MOORE, Special Commissioner on 8-March-1879..

Petitioner states he is age 53, a farmer residing in Cherokee County. Lived here for 22 years. Born in Pickens District SC. JAMES WESTER, A.H. STARLING, WILLIAM SWANSEY, HARTWELL VAUGHN Sr., & HARTWELL VAUGHN Jr. Could testify to my loyalty. I had some distant relative in the Rebel Army. I had no sons to go to the war.

MARY F. HOOD, wife of Claimant. Lived in Cherokee County for 25 years. Husband was a cripple.

THOMAS LOW - Claim #5,520 (Report 9, Office 83, Year 1879)

Claim of \$100.00 - Disallowed

Petition dated 3-May-1871 at Gadsden, Etowah County, Alabama for losses incurred from General STUART as he went through Cherokee County AL. Witnessed by J.P. HOLLIS & E.T. H_____. Witnesses to be called: W.T. EWING, WM A. VANCENT, WM F. MEANS, RICHARD HILL, DAVID BOID(BOYD), THOMAS CURRY.

Testimony: Taken before SOLON D. MOORE, Special Commissioner.

Petitioner states he is age 82, is a farmer and resides in Etowah County. Lived here for over 20 years. Born in SC. W.T. EWING, CHARLES CLAYTON & JOHN S. MORANGE will be able to testify to my loyalty.

W.T. EWING, age 53 years. A Physician residing in Etowah County. Lived here for 15 years. Not related to Claimant. SAMUEL DILLARD, JOHN CHANEY & ALLEN GRAY could testify to Claimant's loyalty.

ELIZABETH PITTS - Claim #7,493 (Report 9, Office 112, Year 1879)

Claim of \$344.50 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 18. Claim of Elizabeth Pitts of Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. Claimant is a widow, whose husband died during the war. She swears that he was loyal, and that she sympathized with the Union. Her daughter also testifies to her loyalty; so also does a young man who was a lad during the war. That is all the evidence of loyalty; and in view of its feebleness and of the fact that two of claimant's sons were in the confederate army we regard it as insufficient, and we therefore reject the claim.

J. J. B. WILLIAM ROGERS - Claim #7,242 (Report 9, Office 117, Year 1879)

Claim of \$332.50 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 19. Claim of J. J. B. William Rogers of Howells Cross Roads, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is a widow, whose husband owned the property and filed the claim, and has since died. Claimant is the only witness in support of loyalty, and the only direct witness as to the ownership and taking of the property. She does not satisfactorily establish her right to recover this claim.

WILLIAM STALLINGS - Claim #8,091 (Report 9, Office 123, Year 1879)

Claim of \$6,018.75 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 19 & 20. Claim of William Stallings of Gaylesville, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. Mr. Stallings was a farmer, and lived on his plantation of about fifty acres in Cherokee County, Alabama, during the war. According to his own account he was a very strong Union man. But we could not place entire confidence in his story and sent Mr. Avery to investigate it. Mr. Avery examined the claimant and made many inquiries of the claimants neighbors. There are very marked differences between his original statement and his statement before Mr. Avery. His hesitating answers to several of the test questions are not such as we should expect from a Union man. He had two sons and one son-in-law, and they all voluntarily enlisted in the confederate army, and it does not appear that he made any real opposition to their enlistment. Mr. Avery reports that he was decidedly disloyal. We refer to his report and the depositions taken by him. The rebutting testimony does not change the aspect

of the case. Loyalty not proved and claim disallowed.

FRANKLIN H. STANDIFER - Claim #5522 (Report 9, Office 124, Year 1879)
Claim of \$143.00 - Disallowed

Petition signed at Gaylesville AL for losses on 11-Sept-1863 by Col. BROWNLOW while stationed at Alpine GA and under the command of General ROSENCRAZ. Petition witnessed by LEMUEL J. STANDIFER & JOHN H. DISQUE. Witnesses to be called: GEORGE W. LAWRENCE, WILLIAM J. HARALSON, LEMUEL J. STANDIFER, J.J.N. McCONNELL, SARAH STANDIFER, EMILY J. STANDIFER, MARY C. BROCK & ELI A. CAMPBELL.

Testimony: Taken 23-Dec-1878 on Lookout Mountain in DeKalb County AL before SOLON D. MOORE, Special Prosecutor.

Claimant states that he is Age 64 years old and resides in DeKalb County AL. Has resided there for 7 years and previously in Cherokee County AL. Born in Bledsaw (sic) County TN. Mentions having a conversation in 1862 with C.M. McCULLOUGH. JAMES WESTER, WILLIAM SWANSEY, JOHN CAVIN, LEMUEL J. STANDIFER & EBENEZAR CUNNINGHAM could testify in my behalf. Had 1 son, JOHN STANDIFER (age 23), in Confederate Army.

LEMUEL J. STANDIFER, age 62 years, reside in Etowah County. Lived there for about 9 years. Lived in Cherokee County AL during the war. I am brother of the Claimant. J.R. DORSEY, JOHN CAVIN, JOHN GIVENS, LEVI GARRISON, JOHN F. BAILEY, WILLIAM TALLENT & JOHN HAMILTON were Union were in the area.

JAMES WESTER, age 72, reside in Cherokee County for over 40 years. Farmer. Not related to Claimant; have known him for about 30 years. Union men in the area were: LEMUEL J. STANDIFER, WILLIAM SWANSEY, J.J.N. McCONNELL, GEORGE W. LAWRENCE & PATRICK J. CHISOLM.

SARAH C. VAUGHT, age 27 years, reside in DeKalb County AL for 7 years. Lived in Cherokee County in 1863. Daughter of Claimant.

MARY C. BROCK, age 31 years, reside in DeKalb County for 10 years. Farmer. Daughter of Claimant. I lived with my father all during the war. Union men in the area: LEMUEL K. HOGE, LEMUEL J. STANDIFER, JAMES WESTER, WM SWANSEY, F.H. STANDIFER.

A.M. PRATT, age 50 years, reside in Cherokee County for 22 years. Not related to Claimant. Known Claimant for 19 years.

HARTWELL VAUGHN, JR. - Claim #14,498 (Report 9, Office 133, Year 1879)
Claim of \$767.00 - Disallowed **Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims**

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 22. Claim of Hartwell Vaughn, jr. of Cedar Bluff, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The proof in this claim is far from satisfactory. The only proof of taking is by the nephew of the claimant. As to loyalty, the evidence of the claimant and of the witnesses might perhaps be deemed sufficient, if standing uncontradicted. But the deposition of B. J. Wilson, taken by Mr. Wilson, shows that the claimant was a rebel in the fore part of the war. Loyalty not proved. Claim disallowed.

NEWTON C. WARD - Claim #6,854 (Report 9, Office 137, Year 1879)
Claim of \$392.00 - Disallowed **Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims**

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 22. Claim of Newton C. Ward of Spring Garden, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The testimony as to loyalty is very weak. The alleged conversations are very general.

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except in one instance, and the testimony as to that seems rather doubtful. One witness is careful to qualify his evidence as to claimant's loyalty by confining it to "the time I know him in the latter part of the war." The story he tells that two rebel soldiers came to his house to arrest him and take him to the rebel camp at Ringgold, in Georgia, and that he drew his pistol upon them and told them they could not take him - and that was the last of it - seems improbable. The testimony to show loyalty is from two witnesses, and is in every respect insufficient and unsatisfactory. No acts shown and none of the ordinary circumstances to show loyalty; on the contrary, an entire absence of all loyal surroundings. Loyalty not proved. Claim disallowed.

CLABORN C. WATERS - Claim #6,672 (Report 9, Office 139, Year 1879)

Claim of \$791.00 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 22. Claim of Claborn C. Waters of Gaylesville, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is a farmer, about fifty-four years of age, and a resident of Cherokee County, Alabama, where he resided throughout the war. Mr. Waters swears that his sympathies were always with the Union cause and that he voted against secession. Four witnesses testify generally to his loyal conversation and reputation. He went to the iron-works and for a time chopped wood for the confederate army. There is no proof that efforts were made to conscript him. He says he fed many Union soldiers and "let them take a load of corn;" that General Woods gave him an order to get one of his horses, and he got it; that the Federals posted a guard around his house. While there is only the work performed by the claimant for the confederates which can be called a disloyal act proved and which may or may not have been involuntary, there is very little to indicate loyalty. There is not the slightest indication that the confederates looked upon him as a Union Man. He was never threatened or molested by them, or treated by them as a Unionist. The proof is of that general and pointless character that is always unsatisfactory. The claim is disallowed.

MARY WEAVER - Claim # 7506 (Report 9, Office 141, Year 1879)

Claim of \$638 - Disallowed.

Petition dated 3-Mar-1871 states that her loss occurred in August 1864 and October 1864. At that time she resided about 13 south of Summerville GA in Cherokee County AL. Petition witnessed by ELIJAH MATHEWS & T.S. JOHNSTON.

Testimony: Taken on 1-May-1873 at Chattoogaville, Chattooga County GA by F.A. KIRBY, Special Commissioner.

MARY WEAVER states that she is 42 years old and resides in Chattooga Co GA and is a farmer. She resided in Cherokee Co AL on the state line 2 miles from Chattoogaville. I lived on my own land given me verbally by my old Aunt PEGGY WEAVER who died during last ____ (?). The farm consist of 42 acres, 20 acres were in cultivation. I had 5 half brother in the Rebel Army. None lived with me except John. They all live near me: J. D. WEAVER age 36 years, C. H. WEAVER age 34 years, D. F. WEAVER age 32 years, A. N. WEAVER age 30 years, A. J. WEAVER age 28 years. I furnished J. D. WEAVER with some clothing only. I am single I was never married.

Additional Examination on 1-Dec-1874 by JOHN W. RAMSEY, Special Commissioner taken at the house of SCOTT JOHNSON at Chattoogaville. Claimant states she went to live with her Aunt MARGARET WEAVER in the year 1849 when my aunt was about 69 years old. I lived with her till her death about the year 1870 when she had reached the advanced age of ninety years. The half-brother JOHN D. WEAVER had lived with us several years. He volunteered under threat of conscription by Rebels. In the fall of 1862 when the rebel troops got back from Kentucky almost naked I furnished some clothes to him.

JOHN JOHNSTON on 1-May-1873 states that he is 84 years old, a farmer resides in Chattooga County

GA. Known Claimant 30 years.

Mrs. MARY E. WEAVER on 1-May-1873 states that my husband is her half brother. On 1-Dec-1874 she further states that she is 35 years and is the wife of JOHN D. WEAVER and the daughter of JOHN JOHNSTON. Known Claimant since I was 10 years old.

Mrs. LUCY WEAVER on 1-May-1873 states that she has known Claimant all he life. She and my husband are (brother &) Sisters. We are Cousins and Sisters in law.

JOHN D. WEAVER on 1-May-1873 states that he is Claimants half-brother. On 1-Dec-1874 he was 36 years and resided in Chattooga Co GA and was a farmer. Since I married in 1866 I lived about a fourth a mile from Claimant. Claimant now lives with me and my wife. I considered trying to reach the Union line in the spring of 1862. I went into a (Rebel) company at home rather than be conscripted and sent to Virginia. The old man JOHN JOHNSTON has died since she filed her claim. His claim has been allowed. He states that others who could testify have either died or moved west.

JAMES P. JOHNSTON on 1-May-1873 states that he is 32 years old a farmer resides in Chattooga Co GA. Known Claimant 25 years.

EXHIBIT

State of Alabama }
Cherokee County } In name of God Amen. I MARGARET WEAVER of Said State and County being of advance age but of sound and disposing mind and memory knowing that I must shortly depart this life deem it right and proper both as respect my relatives and myself that I should make a disposition of the property with which a kind Providence has blessed me I do therefore make this my last will and Testament.

Item 1st } I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent Christian manner suitable to my circumstances and condition in life

Item 2nd } I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid without delay by my Executor herein after named and appointed

Item 3rd } I give bequeath and devise to my beloved Neice MARY WEAVER Daughter of my beloved Brother DAVID WEAVER Lot land on which I now reside known as the North West part of the North West Fractional quarter of Section twenty two in Township Eight of Range Seven East in Cherokee County of Alabama containing Forty two Acres with all of the rights members and appurtenances of Said Lot of Land in any wise belonging to forever in fee Simple

Item 4th } I give bequeth and device to my beloved Neice MARY WEAVER all my interest in Lot of Land known as the East half of the North West quarter of Section Thirty in Township Eight of Range Eleven East in Cherokee County Alabama containing Eight Acres and thirteen hundredths of an Acre with all the rights members and appurtenances of Said Lot of Land in any wise belonging forever in fee Simple.

Item 5th } I give and bequeth to my Neice MARY WEAVER all my Cattle and Hogs and she must divide with JOHN D. WEAVER her half brother

Item 6th } I give and (sic) to my Neice MARY WEAVER all my Household and Kictchen furniture except the one bed and bed clothing all of which she must divide with JOHN D WEAVER her half brother all of which I give without any limitation or reservation

Item 7th } I give and bequeath to my beloved Nephew JOHN D. WEAVER The bed and bedclothing reserved in article Sixth all of without limitation or reserve

Item 8th } I hereby constitute and appoint my Nephew JOHN D. WEAVER and Neice MARY WEAVER Executor and Executrix of this my last will and Testament

This May 9th 1866

her
MARGARETT X WEAVER
mark

Signed Sealed declared and published by MARGARET WEAVER as her last Will and Testament in the presence of us the undersigned who Subscribed our names hereto in the presence of Said Testator at her Special instance and request and in the presence of each other

This May 9th 1866

A. T. WILLIAMS
F. S. JOHNSTON
J. P. JOHNSTON

It is hereby certified that this a copy of the Original Will of MARGARET WEAVER - that I carefully compared it with the original and that it is a correct copy. I attach it with additional examination of MARY WEAVER the Claimant. Witness my hand and p----- seal

This Dec 1st 1874

JOHN W. RAMSEY {seal}
Special Comm.

MILLY WELLS Estate - Claim #14,502 (Report 9, Office 143, Year 1879)

Claim of \$500.50 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 23. Claim of Milly Wells of Centre, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant is dead. She left three children, viz: John S. Wells, aged 52 years; James M. Wells, aged 45 years; Mary Ann Wells, aged 42 years. John S. Wells is examined as a witness, and admits that he was not loyal. There is no proof whatever of the loyalty of the other heirs. John S. Wells enlisted in 1861 in the confederate army. Loyalty not proved. Claim rejected.

JOHN P. WHITLOCK - Claim #4370 (Report 9, Office 144, Year 1879)

Claim of \$650.00 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1879, Vol. IV, pg 23. Claim of John P. Whitlock of Gadsden, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. After filing his petition, Mr. Whitlock died, and letters of administration have been granted on his estate to James H. Savage. It appears in the papers that Whitlock left a widow and five children. The widow refuses to testify. The proof of a decedent's loyalty is not such as our rules require. The witnesses say he was a Union man, and that is about all there is in their statements. Perhaps he was in the confederate army. If he was not, it should have been proved. The printed questions furnished by the Commissioners call for such proof. The claim is disallowed.

EBENEZER CUNNINGHAM - Claim #13,742 (Report 10, Office 7, Year 1880)

Claim of \$2,617.00 - Disallowed

Appealed to U.S. Court of Claims

Per Summary Reports of 1880, Vol. IV, pg 248. Claim of Ebenezer Cunningham, Cherokee County, State of Alabama

Remarks. The claimant, Cunningham, lived near Gaylesville, Cherokee County, during the war. He was a farmer and tanner. Says that the rebels took two horses from him without pay, and that the rebel scouts threatened to burn him out. These threats and molestations are not proven by anybody else. William James, a neighbor, testifies in a faint and general way to claimants loyalty. Never heard of his

being threatened or molested. George W. Lawrence also testifies in the same manner. Also, one James Wester, who lived about eight miles from him. The testimony to loyalty is so faint and unsatisfactory that we do not feel justified in allowing the claim. Loyalty not proven and claim disallowed.

MARY FLANAGAN - Claim # 14,470 (Report 10, Office 9, Year 1880)

Claim of \$1148 - Disallowed.

Petition Dated 28-April-1871 for losses sustained in October 1864. Petition witnessed by C.F. DANIEL & J.L. McCONNELL. Witnesses who would be called to testify: HENRY C. SANDFORD, G.W. LAWRENCE, J.J.N. McCONNEL, P.J. CHISOLM, FRANCES FLANAGAN, SUSAN DANIEL.

Testimony: Taken near Centre, Cherokee County Alabama before JOHN W. RAMSEY, Special Commissioner. MARY FLANAGAN, Petitioner, age 54 years old, resides in Cherokee County Alabama and is a housekeeper. Own my own farm about 3 miles from Cedar Bluff. About 97 acres of which about 45 acres is in cultivation. I took the Amnesty Oath just after the close of the war at Centre. I had 2 sons, JAMES E. FLANAGAN & WILLIAM M. FLANAGAN that were forced into the Rebel Army but layed out at the end of the war. I was born in Walton Co GA. I was never Bankrupt. I am a widow. I was married in 1833. My deceased husband was killed by the Desperado & Bushwhacker, JOHN GATEWOOD on 27-June-1864 about 2 miles from Centre. We had 3 children: JOHN A.(age 48 and was in the North), JAMES E (age 37) and WILLIAM M. (age 34).

LEONARD F. DANIEL - age 40, farmer resides in Cherokee County AL. Not related to Claimant. I was at home about last of June, JAMES E. FLANAGAN and I having deserted when the other son of the Deceased was arrested by the Guerilla & Desperado JOHN GATEWOOD & a citizen named JOHN COKER. They also arrested a young man JOHN DOYLE. FLANAGAN's son escaped and

GATEWOOD killed Mr. JAMES FLANAGAN & DOYLE. GATEWOOD would not allow the bodies to be removed for burial. Neighbors got my brother, JOSHUA M. DANIEL, Sheriff for the County to recover the bodies. WILLIAM M. FLANAGAN was also known as "LUM" FLANAGAN. JAMES WESTER - age 66, farmer, not related to Claimant or her sons. Known JAMES FLANAGAN, deceased, for 30 years.

EPHRAIM DOCKEY - age 64 years, farmer. Known Claimant about 15-16 years.

WILLIAM M. FLANAGAN - generally called LUM FLANAGAN - age 33 years, reside Floyd County GA. Farmer & Carpenter. Son of Claimant.

JOSEPH C. DOYLE - age 52, reside in Floyd Co GA, farmer. Not related to Claimant. JOHN DOYLE was my son. He was shot 3 times. After he was buried, I enlisted at Rome GA in Company "A" 1st Alabama (Fed) Cavalry under Capt. J. J. HINES in Col. SPENCER's Regiment.

ELIZA A. FLANAGAN - Wife of WILLIAM M. FLANAGAN and daughter-in-law of Claimant. I am a sister of JOHN DOYLE, deceased.

FRANCES E. FLANAGAN - age 35, wife of JAMES E. FLANAGAN and daughter-in-law of Claimant.

MARY & JAMES FLANAGAN's older son was in Kansas City Missouri.

JANE ASHLEY - Claim # 7,195 Claim of \$115 - Barred

JANE ASHLEY of Howell's Cross Roads petitioned on 20-Sept-1871 for losses on or about 25-Oct-1864. Petitioned witnessed by R.W. SHAW and JOHN D. VANDIVER. Witnesses who would be called to testify: AMBROSE VANDIVER, FREEMAN GODFREY, ROBERT W. SHAW.

MARGARET BENNETT - Claim # 7,199 Claim of \$75 - Barred

MARGARET BENNETT of Howells Cross Roads on 21-Aug-1871 petitioned for a claim. Witnesses to be called: G.W. HOWELL, FREEMAN GODFREY, MARGARET BENNETT & WM BENNETT.

NOTE IN FILE: SOLON D. MOORE. Special Commissioner states that Claimant said she cannot swear

for the Claim.

LAFAYETTE BISHOP - Claim # 14,455 Claim of \$200 - Barred

LAFAYETTE BISHOP of Centre AL on 25-Mar-1871 petitioned for Claim. Petition witnessed by JAS. H. SAVAGE & JOHN McCONNELL.

ISAAC BULLARD - Claim # 14,456 Claim of \$622 - Barred

ISAAC C. BULLARD of Howells Cross Road petition was witnessed by JAS. H. SAVAGE & JOHN L. McCONNELL. Witnesses to be called: Judge W. L. WHITLOCH & L.J. STANDIFER both of Gaylesville, MARY BULLARD & I.C. BULLARD of Howells Cross Road.

NOTE: I.C. BULLARD on list of names of Bankrupts.

Archives Office: Letter Sent Book 3 page 396. We have receipt of an J.C. or I.C. BULLARD, dated Cedar Bluff, Cherokee, AL 31-Dec-1863, for sum of \$50 in payment for feeding and care of 80 head of cattle for Confederate Commissary Department.

SWAN W. BURNETT - Claim # 6,784 Claim of \$345 - Barred

SWAN BURNETT of Blue Pond Alabama on 12-Sept-1871 petitioned a claim. Petition was witnessed by J. J. N. McCONNELL & F. H. STANDIFER. Witnesses to be called: STEPHEN HENLEY, MARGARET B ____ WELL, J. H. ____.

MILLY CAMRON - Claim # 6,783 Claim of \$245 - Barred

MILLY CAMRON, widow of JOHN CAMERON, of Kirk's Grove, petitioned in July 1871 for losses in Oct 1864. Petition was witnessed by JOHN A. CHANDLER & W. CAMRON. Witnesses to be called: JOSEPH BLACKMORE, NICHOLAS CHANDLER, HENRY J. BLACKMORE, FEBY ANN CAMERON.

NANCY J. FANT - Claim # 14,469 Claim of \$590 - Barred

NANCY J. FANT, of Centre petitioned for losses incurred by her husband, JAMES L. FANT, which occurred on 10-Aug-1864 near Summerville GA. Her husband was murdered by Confederates. Petition witnessed by JAS. H. SAVAGE & J.L. McCONNELL. Witnesses who would be called: N.B. LEATH, J.R. DORSEY, JOHN HAMILTON.

NANCY FROST - Claim # 7,215 Claim of \$54.80 - Barred

NANCY FROST of Pleasant Gap AL petitions for losses incurred near Gaylesville AL from General SHERMAN. Witnessed by E.P. MINSHEW & JAMES BELL. Witnesses to be called: JACK SCROGGIN of Cave Springs, NANCY FROST, E.P. MINSHEW.

War Department Archives: Letter Sent Book 3 page 313. "This Claimant furnished Corn, Fodder & Tar to the Quartermaster of the C.S. Army in the year 1864. Was paid for the same in Cherokee Co AL by Maj. W.H. MOORE, QuarterMaster of the C.S. Army on 10-Jan-1864. See receipt signed "NANCY FROST" for the sum of \$172 on file."

GIDEON GARREL - Claim # 7,216 Claim of \$50 - Barred

GIDEON GARREL of Howell's Cross Roads petitioned on 21-Apr-1871 for losses near Gaylesville AL. Petitioned witnesses by ____ SMITH. Witnesses to be called: ____ J. CHANDLER, JOHN GRIFFIN, HARRIET BUSBY, WILLIAM J. SMITH.

WILEY GRIFFIN - Claim # 14,473 Claim of \$968 - Barred

WILEY GRIFFIN, age 82, of Blue Pond AL petitioned for losses incurred in Oct 1864. Petition witnessed by ANDREW POORE & J. M. DANIEL. Witnesses to be called: G.W. LAWRENCE, BENJ. WILSON, JOSIAH M. DANIEL & BENJ. J. WILSON.

JOSEPH N. HALL - Claim # 14,474 Claim of \$560 - Barred

JOSEPH N. HALL of Kirks Grove AL petitioned for losses incurred in Oct 1864. Petition witnessed by JOSEPH BLAKEMORE & M.G.G. CAMPBELL. Witnesses to be called: {unreadable}.

O. D. McNEELY - Claim # 7,279 Claim of \$240 - Barred

O. D. McNEELY of Howells Cross Roads petitioned on 29-Apr-1871 for losses incurred in Oct 1864. Petition witnessed by WILLIAM BENNETT & W.J.C. CHANDLER. Witnesses to be called: W.J. SMITH, T.J. SMITH, ELIZABETH PRICE & FREEMAN GODFREY.

JOHN MAGILL (McGILL) - Claim # 7,732 Claim of \$98 - Barred

Petition dated 20-Aug-1871 and witnessed by JACKSON WADDEL & G.W. HOWELL. Witnesses to be called: GEORGE JORDEN (of 1st AL unit of Cav. Volunteers) of Centre, ELI COMPTON, J.E. PRIDGEN, JOHN MAGILL, SOPHIA WADDLE, REBECCA WADDLE.

Note in file: Petitioner sold \$300 in horses to the C.S.A.

PARTHENA MATHEWS - Claim # 14,483 Claim of \$974 - Barred

PARTHENA MATTHEWS of Centre AL petitioned in March 1871 for losses incurred in Oct 1864. Petition witnessed by J.G. McCONNELL & H.C. SANDFORD. Witnesses to be called: _____ MATTHEWS, JOHN L. McCONNELL, DAVID MATTHEWS & LARKIN MATTHEWS.

MARY MEDLOCK - Claim # 7,483 Claim of \$117 - Barred

Petition dated 3-July-1871 from MARY MEDLOCK of Gaylesville AL for losses in October 1864. Witnessed by JOHN JOHNSTON & THOS. S. JOHNSTON in Chattooga County GA. She gives her age as 78 years old and a citizen of the State of AL since 1845. Her Post Office is Chattoogaville, Chattooga County GA. Witness to be called: BENJAMIN T. MOODY, MARTHA J. STOUT, GURUSHA A. MOODY, ELIZABETH PARKS.

JAMES M. MOORE - Claim # 8,193 Claim of \$125 - Barred

JAMES M. MOORE of Howells Cross Roads petitioned on 6-May-1871 for losses incurred in Oct 1864. Petition witnessed by MELVIN B. CARR & SAM W. DEMPSEY. Witnesses to be called: MELVIN B. CARR, SAM. W. DEMPSEY, CALVIN CARR (a Private in Capt. JOHN J. JONES Company "M" of 8th Regiment of Indiana Vol. Cavalry; enrolled 10-Oct-1864, dis. 20-July-1865), B.S. DEMPSEY.

War Department Archive Office: Letter Sent Book 3 pg 2. Petitioner subscribed \$50.00 to Confederate Loan of 28-Feb-1861. See fr. 43 - Subscription to loans at Mobile Ala.

ELIZABETH RUSSELL - Claim #14,493 Claim of \$549 - Barred {COULD NOT LOCATE}

MARZY SEGO - Claim # 7,426 Claim of \$111 - Barred

MARZY SEGO of Howells Cross Roads and of near Cave Springs GA petitioned on 21-Apr-1871. Petition witnessed by JACOB W. WHORTON & JOSIAH E. PRIDGEN. Witnesses to be called: JAKE

WHORTON, JOHN C. SCROGGINS & JOHN WOOD.

CATHARINE & SARAH A. WALKER, heirs of ELETHAN WALKER, deceased

Claim # 7,483 Claim of \$996 - Barred

Petitioners state they are the maiden daughters and only surviving heirs of ELETHAN P. WALKER, deceased, late of Cherokee Co AL. Since 28-Sept-1867 they resided at Bergersville, Johnson County, IN and prior to then in Cherokee Co AL on the road from Centre AL to Cave Springs GA. Losses occurred Oct-1864 from troops of General SHERMAN. Witnesses to be called: JOSIAH E. PRIDGEN, LEMUEL SANDFORD, ANNA J. PRIDGEN, JACKSON WADDELL, ABRAM DOTY.

THOMAS WEBB - Claim # 6,232 Claim of \$67 - Barred

THOMAS WEBB of Davis Cross Roads, Cherokee County AL petitions for losses incurred on 23-Oct-1864. Petition witnessed by JOHN L. MILLER & JOSEPH B _____. Witnesses to be called: JOSEPH B _____, JOHN L. MILLER, WILLIAM B _____, JAMES COFFMAN & DARTHULA COFFMAN.

WILLIAM N. WHITE - Claim # 6,856 Claim of \$300 - Barred

WILLIAM N. WHITE of Spring Garden AL files petition dated 7-Aug-1871 for losses on 30-Oct-1864 from SHERMAN. Witnesses to be called: PERRY VANDEFORD, MARTHA WHITE, QUEEN WHITE.

ROBERT WOOD - Claim # 700 Claim of \$1352 - Barred

ROBERT WOOD of Cherokee Co AL files petition dated 6-April-1871 for losses that accrued in Floyd County GA in April 1864 about 3 miles west of Rome from Davis' Division of SHERMAN's Army. Witnesses to be called: A. R. WRIGHT, A.E. ROSS, SIVERE REYNOLDS, J.C. MOORE, JOHN MOORE.

GEORGE TUCKER, Special Agent

Report No 7 - G. P. BURNETT describes Claimant as Loyal Man & Old man.

Report No. 1-A - HARGREAVES describes Claimant as having reputation as a Union Man.

Report No. 6 - J. M. ELLIOTT of Rome states that he doesn't know Claimants politics now but he was a great Secession Democrat before the war.

This concludes this series submitted to the society by Michael Wren. The complete series is on file at the library. Mr. Wren will be out guest speaker at our October Meeting. Our many thanks to him for his contributions and hours spent in the compiling of this information.

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Editor's Note

WE NEED PEDIGREE CHARTS!!! BIBLE RECORDS!!! QUERIES!!! And other materials for the quarterly! This is your quarterly and will be available for generations to come! Please take a few minutes and send us some items of interest and let your family information be preserved for posterity!

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CONTRIBUTED BY JOHN AWBREY
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BOX 3-G -CONTINUED

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Godfry, Judith	1910	3/8
Golightly, H.O.	1883	3/9
Gowens, James D. S.	1886	3/10
Gossett, James	1884	3/11
H		
Hale, Burt C.	1905	3/12
Hale, D. P.	1912	3/13
Hale, David R.	1881	3/14
Hale, Ellis	1889	3/15
Hale, J. Fielding	1906	3/16
Hale, Margaret	1914	3/17
Hale, Norman L.	1884	3/18
Hale, Robert A. (folder 1)	1912	3/19
Hale, Robert A. (folder 2)	1912	3/20
Hall, Arthur V.	1905	3/21
Hall, Francis H.	1883	3/22
Hamilton, William	1887	3/23
Hanks, John	1883	3/24
Harbour, Jackson	1910	3/25
Hardin, John	1885	3/26
Hardman, John B.	1898	3/27
Hardwick, F. M.	1879	3/28
Hardwick, S. P.	1885	3/29
Harttin, Anna	1891	3/30
Harwell, Francis A.	1888	3/31
Helms, Evan	1882	3/32
Henderson, Carrie (Kington) (minor)	1902	3/33
Henderson, Exie	1901	3/34
Hendricks, M. J. and Laurette	1888	3/35
Hendrix, James	1884	3/36
Hester, Flora Connell	1906	3/37
Higgins, John	1881	3/38
Higgins, Tom	1904	3/39
High, B.	1884	3/40
High, J.C.	1905	3/41
High, P.W.	1885	3/42
Hill, W.C.	1915	3/43
Holcomb, Thomas	1886	3/44
Hollis, D.W.	1913	3/45
Holman, John C.	1886	3/46
Holtzclaw, D.R.	1910	3/47
Hood, C.W.	1910	3/48
Horton, A.M.	1910	3/49
Horton, Alexander J.	1891	3/50
Horton, John M.	1907	3/51

NAME	DATE	BOX/FOLDER
House, Belzora B. (Mrs)	1900	3/52
Howel, Permelia C.	1913	3/53
Howell, James H. (guardian)	1896	3/54
Howell, Alma (minor)	"	"
Howell Clayton (minor)	"	"
Howell, M. F. (folder 1)	1913	3/55
Howell M. F. (folder 2)	"	3/56
Howell, T. F.	1904	3/57
Hudgins, John	1885	3/58
Hudgins, W. J. (Mrs.)	1912	3/59
Hughes, Weldon P.	1886	3/60
Hurley, Henry	1882	3/61

I

There were no estate records with names beginnjng with the letter "I."

J

Jackson, Elias	1898	3/62
Jackson, James E.	1907	3/63
Johnson, Allace S.	1898	3/64
Johnson, Lucy (minor)	1903	3/65
Johnson, Forney (minor)	"	"
Johnson, Resey	1903	3/66
Johnson, Wilson L.	1901	3/67
Jones, D. W.	1907	3/68
Jones, John W. (folder 1)	1891	3/69
Jones, John W. (folder 2)	"	3/70
Jones, Parthia E. (guardian)	1884	3/71
Jones, Julia N. (minor)	"	"
Jones, John P (minor)	"	"
Jones, Parthia A. (minor)	"	"
Jones, Robert L. (minor)	"	"
Jones, Richard	1896	3/72
Jones, William R.	1896	3/73

K**Box 4**

Keedy, Margaret R.	1910	4/1
Kelley, David (col.) (minor)	1911	4/2
Kelley, Coth (col.) (minor)	"	"
Kelley, Sis (col.) (minor)	"	"
Kelley, Wott (col.) (minor)	"	"
Kelso, James	1909-1913	4/3
Kennedy, Bowden L.	1888	4/4
King, Fay (minor)	1908-1915	4/5
King, Felix (minor)	"	"
King, Miriam (minor)	"	"
Klapp, John F. (minor)	1884	4/6
Kuykendall, James	1892-1898	4/7
Kyle, Mary Elam	1909	4/8

NAME	DATE	BOX/FOLDER
<u>L</u>		
Lambert, J.E.	1906	4/9
Laney, Martha C.	1898	4/10
Lawrence, George W.	1883	4/11
Lawrence, James D. (minor)	1915	4/12
Lawrence, Mary P. (minor)	"	"
Lawrence, Z. T.	1910	4/13
Leath, Samuel L.	1882	4/14
Lee, Joe M.	1913	4/15
Lindsay, Charles	1898	4/16
Little, L. L. (division of land)	1902	4/17
Lockridge, James	1907	4/18
Lowe, Jefferson	1889	4/19
<u>M</u>		
Magee, B. M.	1887	4/20
Magee, Elizabeth	1887	4/21
Mallett, William M.	1908	4/22
Mallett, Charles S.	"	"
Maroney, Charlotte	1884	4/23
Marrow, Julia A.	1888	4/24
Marshall, John Q. (col.)	1903	4/25
Martin, Clem C. (minor)	1902	4/26
Matthews, John P.	1914	4/27
May, Martha F.	1907	4/28
McBee, W.J. (guardian)	1888	4/28
McBee, Martha P. (minor)	"	"
McBride, W.J.	1907	4/30
McCaw, William	1883	4/31
McClelland, Fannie S. (guardian)	1911	4/32
McClelland, Amos (minor)	"	"
McClelland, Lissie (minor)	"	"
McClelland, Madge (minor)	"	"
McClelland, Merryman (minor)	"	"
McClelland, Nadie (minor)	"	"
McClelland, Sarah (minor)	"	"
McCluney, Adam B.	1884	4/33
McConnell, John L.	1907	4/34
McCoy Estate	1902	4/35
McCoy, Samuel M.	1901	4/36
McCulloch, H.L.	1881	4/37
McElrath, Samuel	1883	4/38
McElrath, William	1889	4/39
McGhee, May (Mrs.) (guardian)	1906	4/40
McGhee, Jodie P.	"	"
McGhee, Susan (Mrs.)	1900	4/41
McGhee, William (guardian)	1888	4/42
McGhee, Joe D. (minor)	"	"
McGhee, Susan Y. (minor)	"	"
McGhee, William	1905	4 43
McGugin, John	1898	4 44

NAME	DATE	BOX/FOLDER
McKinney, S.L. (guardian)	1884	4/45
McKinney, Emma (minor)	"	"
White, B.P. (minor) and others	1884	4/45
McMurrey, L.V.	1908	4/46
McReynolds, W.H.	1905	4/47
McSpadden, S.K.	1896	4/48
Miller, Amanda S.	1887	4/49
Miller, Samuel	1889	4/50
Millican, Marvin R.	1903	4/51
Minshew, E.P.	1907	4/52
Minton, Nobia (minor)	1908	4/53
Minton, Claude (minor)	"	"
Mohon, William	1909	4/54
Moon, William	1904	4/55
Moore, Octavia	1886	4/56
Morgan, Charles	1902	4/57
Morris, Jim (guardian)	1911	4/58
Morris, Clifford (minor)	"	"
Morris, Mollie (minor)	"	"
Morris, Noroh (minor)	"	"
Morris, Willie (minor)	"	"
Morrison, Andrew	1889	4/59
Moseley, G.M.	1905	4/60
Moseley, George	1898	4/61
Moseley, Joel	1890	4/62
Moseley, W.J.	1899	4/63
Mountain, William E.	1885	4/64
Murphy, William and Sarah	1901	4/65
<u>N</u>		
Nance, Z.F.	1898	4/66
Naugher, R.D.	1914	4/67
Naugher, Robert	1900	4/68/A
Naugher, Sallie	1902	4/68/B
Neal, George W.	1891	4/69
Nelson, W.E.	1892	4/70
Newberry, B.F.	1911	4/71
Newman, James	1880	4/72/A
Neyman, Jacob T.	1903	4/72/B
Nibbit, William	1888	4/73
<u>O</u>		
Oakes, W. J. (guardian)	1901	4/74
Oakes, Lelar (minor)	"	"
O'Briant, D. L. (Mrs.)	1911	4/75
O'Neal, J. E.	1889	4/76
O'Neal, J. R.	1910	4/77
O'Neal, Josephine P. Lawrence	1884	4/78
O'Rourke, James	1885	4/79
Owens, Richard	1899	4/80

NAME	DATE	BOX/FOLDER
P		
Parker, Martha A.	1905	4/81
Parker, Richard	1905	4/82
Parker, Virgil E	1889	4/83
Parks, Sally Morrison	1915	4/84
Patterson, Mary H.	1886	4/85
Payne, Carrie M.	1885	4/86
Pentecost, John S.	1899	4/87
Pharr, Pleasant H. (minor)	1885	4/88
Phillips, John & Gertrude (minors)	1881	4/89
Phillips, Tully (guardian)	1884	4/90
Phillips, Nancy (minor)	"	"
Phillips, William (minor)	"	"
Pinkston, James	1886	4/91
Pollard, Caroline	1899	4/92
Poole, B.G.	1889	4/93
Pope, John C.	1904	4/94
Poss, Martha (guardian)	1885	4/95
Poss, Mollie (minor)	"	"
Prewett, S.R.	1909	4/96
Price, Lee	1903	4/97
Prickett, Joel A (guardian)	1897	4/98
Prickett, H. R., P. R. & W. W. (minors)	"	"
Pridgen, Josiah E.	1884	4/99
Pruett, James S. (homestead)	1895	4/100
Pruett, Thomas K. (homestead)	"	"
Puckett, John	1895	4/101
Pugh, Elizabeth	1885	4/102

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There were no estate records with names beginning with the letter "Q"

BOX 5**R**

Ragan, John W.	1888	5/1
Rankin, John M.	1899	5/2
Ray, Barney F.	1883	5/3
Ray, Sophronia	1908	5/4
Raynes, L.W.	1895	5/5
Reavis, William P.	1890	5/6
Redman, Julia (minor)	1888	5/7
Redman, Margaret (minor)	"	"
Reed, Sarah A.	1896	5/8
Reeves, James A.	1901	5/9
Reeves, John C.	1906	5/10
Reid, Reuben	1907	5/11
Reynolds, Hughes T. (sale of land)	1906	5/12
Rhea, Lewis L	1873	5/13

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CONTRIBUTED BY JOHN AWBREY

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Rice, James (minor)	1905	5/14
Rice, Annie (minor)	"	"
Richardson, A. P.	1897	5/15
Richardson, John T.	1912	5/16
Roberts, Abel	1885	5/17
Roberts, E.	1889	5/18
Roberts, E. S.	1887	5/19
Roberts, Lucy A.	1901	5/20
Roberts, Luke	1906	5/21
Roberts, Nannie A.	1915	5/22
Roberts, W. L.	1902	5/23
Robertson, John T.	1911	5/24
Robertson, William	1883	5/25
Robertson, Zeddie	1903	5/26
Rogers, John S.	1903	5/27
Rogers, L. W.	1885	5/28
Rogers, Neoma Ealnn	1906	5/29
Rollins, Robert A.	1898	5/30
Rudd, Isaiah	1895	5/31
Rush, Frederic	1884	5/32
Rush, Fred T.	1903	5/33
Russell, R. T.	1913	5/34
Russell, Samuel L.	1899	5/35

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Salmon, John H.	1883	5/36
Sandlin, Wm. N.	1898	5/37
Savage, F. M.	1902	5/37
Savage, James P.	1899	5/39
Savage, Lucy E.	1909	5/40
Savage, Robert R.	1906	5/41
Savage, W. B. {sale of land}	1895	5/42
Scroggin, J. J. (sale of property)	1902	5/43
Scroggins, J. C.	1899	5/44
Service, Mary	1878	5/45
Sewell, George W.	1909	5/46
Sewell, J.A.	1906	5/47
Sewell, John L.	1906	5/48/A
Sewell, Lina	1902	5/48/B
Sewell, Vestia C. (guardianship)	1900	5/49
Sewell, W. L.	1902	5/50
Shamblin, John L.	1907	5/51
Sharp, Christine H.	1911	5/52
Sheely, Lewis	1889	5/53

ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA
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NAME	DATE	BOX/FCLOER
Sheppard, Elias	1896	5/54
Sheppard, J. L. W.	1887	5/55
Sheppard, John	1891	5/56
Shoemaker, John	1885	5/57
Simmons, Fannie	1898	5/58
Sinclair, James	1904	5/59
Sistrunk, Thos. W.	1885	5/60
Smith, Easter E. (or Easten E.)	1909	5/61
Smith, J. E. (sale of land)	1903	5/62
Smith, James	1898	5/63
Smith, John	1894	5/64
Smith, John W.	1882	5/65
Smith, Kenneth	1908	5/66
Smith, Mary Jane	1915	5/67
Smith, Pace B. (minor)	1903	5/68
Smith, Allie May (minor)	"	"
Smith, Lola Alma (minor)	"	"
Smith, William	1883	5/69
Smith, William A. (folder 1)	1909	5/70
Smith, William A. (folder 2)	1909	5/71
Snead, James E.	1889	5/72
Snead, W.	1899	5/73
Snider, Amelia	1895	5/74
Snider, John	1883	5/75
Snider, Robert N.	1900	5/76
Snider, Mary L.	1906	5/77
Southerlin, James L.	1896	5/78
Sparks, B. C.	1909	5/79
Sparks, Mary A.	1895	5/80
Stallings, Samuel	1903	5/81
Starling, J. P.	1883	5/82
Starling, Wiley B.	1899	5/83
Steed, Jesse	1856	5/84
Steel, James A. (guardian)	1886	5/85
Steel, Mary F. (minor)	"	"
Steele, James M.	1889	5/86
Steel, Lorenzo D.	1886	5/87
Sterling, Ho A.	1896	5/88
Stewart, B. F.	1889	5/89
Stewart, B. M.	1906	5/90
Stewart, Ira	1885	5/91
Stewart, J.C.	1883	5/92
Stewart, John	1889	5/93

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Stewart, Joseph E. (minor)	1889	5/94
Stewart, Josie (minor)	1901	5/95
Stewart, Lena V. (sale of land)	1907	5/96
Stewart, Thomas F.	1911	5/97
Box 6		
Stimpson, Raliegh W	1891	6/1.
Stinson, John A.	1882	6/2
Stinson, Reuben Baker (minor)	1905	6/3
Stone, F. F.	1887	6/4
Stone, Henry	1911	6/5
Summerhill, T. W.	1900	6/6
Sutherlin, William L.	1898	6/7
Swan, Joseph N	1900	6/8
T		
Taff, John	1906	6/9
Taff, T. A.	1906	6/10
Tallent, C. R.	1900	6/11
Tallent, William	1898	6/12
Tankersley, Charles	1884	6/13
Tankersley, Nancy	1887	6/14
Tankersley, Sam	1907	6/15
Tate, Eliza Jane	1880	6/16
Taylor, Charles	1903	6/17
Taylor, Nancy Jane	1903	6/18
Terry, Israel N.	1911	6/19
Thomas, James A.	1885	6/20
Thomas, Pelly H. (minor)	1890	6/21
Thomas, William (minor)	"	"
Thomas, Luther (minor)	"	"
Thomas, James (minor)	"	"
Thomton, Benajah	1885	6/22
Tipton, Mordica	1899	6/23
Toles, J. E.	1905	6/24
Towers, Bertie M.	1914	6/25
Towers, George W.	1903	6/26
Tracy, G. R.	1889	6/27
Treadway, W. O.	1887	6/28
Trippe, H. W.	1883	6/29
Trippe, Wm.	1888	6/30
Tucker, Jesse	1889	6/31
Tumlin, Thomas	1904	6/32
Turner, Thomas	1898	6/33

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There were no estate records with names that begin with the letter "U"

<u>NAME</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>BOX/FOLDER</u>
V		
Vance, R. C.	1912	6/34
Vandiver, Ambrose F	1886	6/35
Vandiver, John E.	1882	6/36
Vaughan, S. E.	1912	6/37
Vinson, Mary	1895	6/38
Vinson, William	1902	6/39
W		
Waddell, A. J.	1902	6/40
Wade, John (minor)	1884	6/41
Wade, Minnie (minor)	1884	6/41
Walden, Joe. A.	1897	6/42
Walker, Wm. H.	1899	6/43
Wallthall, Thos. A.	1896	6/44
Walsh, Nannie A.	1909	6/45
Ward, E. W.	1895	6/46
Ward, Henrietta	1902	6/47
Ward, Samuel C.	1887	6/48
Ward, Samuel T.	1895	6/49
Warren, J. T.	1907	6/50
Warren, Sarah Ann (Mrs.)	1905	6/51
Watters, Clairbom C.	1902	6/52
Webb, E. J. (folder 1)	1908	6/53
Webb, E. J. (folder 2)	1908	6/54
Webb, Florence	1906	6/55
Webb, Ira (folder 1)	1889	6/56
Webb, Ira (folder 2)	1889	6/57
Webb, J. M.	1903	6/58
Webb, J. T.	1905	6/59
Webb, Jesse	1883	6/60
Webb, Joseph	1898	6/61
Webb, Thomas J.	1906	6/62
Webb, Wm.	1908	6/63
<u>BOX 7</u>		
Weems, Joel	1883	7/1
Wells, Fannie	1915	7/2
West, Felix	1909	7/3
West, John C.	1910	7/4
West, Minerva	1914	7/5
West, W. H.	1902	7/6
Westbrook, W. R.	1904	7/7
Wester , Axam	1891	7/8/A
Wester , Emma J .	1899	7/8/B
Wester, Homer H.	1911	7/9
Wester, William	1898	7/10
White, B.P. (Dr.)	1902	7/11

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Box 7 Folder 76

Behind the Civil War Pension Records

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BOX/FOLDER	APPRENTICE	AGE	APPRENTICED TO:	DATE
Box 7, Folder 76	Akin, Rutha	15 yrs.	Ragan, J. W.	9 Nov 1898
Box 7, Folder 76	Bedwell, Inus	13 yrs.	Lawrence, J. M.	26 Mar 1904
Box 7, Folder 76	Cooley, Emma	5 yrs.	Gossett, James	20 Jun 1889
Box 7, Folder 76	Covington, Arch	under 14	Henderson, Berry	2 Oct 1885
Box 7, Folder 76	Covington, Emma	under 14	Henderson, Berry	2 Oct 1885
Box 7, Folder 76	Covington, Harvey	under 14	Henderson, Berry	2 Oct 1885
Box 7, Folder 76	Covington, James	under 14	Henderson, Berry	2 Oct 1885
Box 7, Folder 76	Covington, Mattie	under 14	Henderson, Berry	2 Oct 1885
Box 7, Folder 76	Cranston, William Samuel	11 yrs.	Warren, Moses M.	30 Mar 1885
Box 7, Folder 76	Davis, Pace (Col.)	8 yrs.	McConnell, Ellie S. (Mrs.)	23 Aug 1900
Box 7, Folder 76	Edwards, Lillie	minor	Wood, Narcissus	25 Oct 1882
Box 7, Folder 76	Gilbert, James	under 13	Haynes, Julius	30 May 1885
Box 7, Folder 76	Green, William	12 yrs.	Fuque, Henry W.	25 Mar 1889
Box 7, Folder 76	Jackson, Fannie (Col.)	minor	Patterson, Benjamin	23 July 1884
Box 7, Folder 76	Jones, Frank	15 yrs.	Daniel, Joe. L.	20 Aug 1898
Box 7, Folder 76	Jones, Susie	13 yrs.	Daniel, Joe. L.	20 Aug 1898
Box 7, Folder 76	Jordan, Georgia	7 yrs.	Gresham, J. M. B.	16 Jan 1886
Box 7, Folder 76	Jordan, Sarah	10 yrs.	Holcomb, J. R.	30 Jan 1886
Box 7, Folder 76	Locklear, George W.	13 yrs.	Bishop, C. C.	30 Jul 1898
Box 7, Folder 76	Miller, Clara	1 yr.	Bailey, Wade H.	13 Oct 1886
Box 7, Folder 76	Miller, Clarence	2 yrs.	Bailey, Wade H.	13 Oct 1886
Box 7, Folder 76	Norral, Matie	12 yrs.	Cobb, W. A.	11 Jan 1886
Box 7, Folder 76	Norral, Sallie	8 yrs.	O'Neal, William B.	18 Jan 1886
Box 7, Folder 76	Oswalt, Howard	10 yrs.	Lockridge, A. J.	16 Jul 1906
Box 7, Folder 76	Oswalt, Louise	8 yrs.	Lockridge, A. J.	16 Jul 1906
Box 7, Folder 76	Pinson, Hugh (Col.)	10 yrs.	Snider, W. A.	13 Sep 1897
Box 7, Folder 76	Pinson, Tildy (Col.)	14 yrs.	Cordon, Lula (Mrs.)	13 Jan 1903
Box 7, Folder 76	Roe, Lovy	minor	Paton, J. W.	11 Aug 1884
Box 7, Folder 76	Roe, Mary	minor	Paton, J. W.	11 Aug 1884
Box 7, Folder 76	Smith, Winnie	minor	Weaver, Thomas F.	6 Jan 1898
Box 7, Folder 76	Sparks, Gertie	9 yrs.	Bomar, J. H.	3 Mar 1908
Box 7, Folder 76	Teague, Warren	12 yrs.	Herley, R. H.	6 Nov 1888
Box 7, Folder 76	Thomton, Samuel	6 yrs.	Emerson, E. H.	3 Nov 1885
Box 7, Folder 76	Underwood, Ella	8 mos.	Stephens, Thomas R.	13 Apr 1889
Box 7, Folder 76	Vaughn, William	3 yrs.	Ferguson, J. D.	4 May 1909

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Samuels Chapel	SW	named for the church at the site (Jolly)	Etowah
Sardis City	NW	founded in 1882, incorporated in 1963 (Harris)	Etowah
Schufler	26-SW	error for Schuler (Jolly)	Etowah
Schuler	26-SW	named for Schuler Mining Company in the 1890's (Jolly)	Etowah
Scrougeout	NE	country stores had sales during WWI to "scrougeout" competition (Jolly)	Etowah
Shady Grove	29-NW	named for a nearby church (Jolly)	Etowah
Shahan	98-SW	named for the first postmaster William P. Shahan, discontinued in 1888 (Jolly)	Etowah
Shiloh	99-SW	named for a church at the site (Jolly)	Etowah
Siberton	104-SW	named for Camp Sibert (Jolly)	Etowah
Siberts Mill	89-SE	established before Civil War, named for family who owned it (Jolly)	Etowah
Sloan Mill	NE	named for the family who owned and operated it (Jolly)	Etowah
Smith Institute	NW	John E. "Uncle Jack" Smith organized the school here (Jolly)	Etowah
Smiths Bridge	21-NE		Etowah
Smiths Chapel Crossroads	7-NW	variant for Smith Institute, named for nearby church (Jolly)	Etowah
Smiths Crossroads	SE	Homer Smith owned a large farm here in the 1920's (Jolly)	Etowah
Smoke Neck	111-SW	variant for Riverside, for frequent fogginess around the neck of land (Jolly)	Etowah
Sonoma	NE	a family name given by Dicey Beason who lived nearby (Jolly)	Etowah
Southside	SW	also known as Smoke Neck, Cedar Bend, & Brannon Springs, Inc. in 1957 (Foscue)	Etowah
Stanfield	35-SW	named for the first postmaster, James W. Stanfield (Jolly)	Etowah
Tabor	NE	settled by two families from S.C. headed by two men named John Tabor (Jolly)	Etowah
Tatums Mill	123-SE	named for one of the original mill workers (Jolly)	Etowah
The Bluff	125-SE	variant for Hokes Bluff (Jolly)	Etowah
The Junction	57-SW	variant for Attalla (Jolly)	Etowah
Thomas Crossroads	24-NW	variant for Walnut Grove, named for landowner Jordan D. Thomas (Jolly)	Etowah
Thorntons Bluff PO	67-NE	in operation 1868-1871 (Jolly)	Etowah
Thrashers Crossroads	12-NW	Elias Thrasher settled here before the Civil War (Jolly)	Etowah
Tulums Mill	140-SE		Etowah
Tumlin Gap Station	27-SW	flag stop on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad (Jolly)	Etowah
Turkeye	69-NE	variant for Turkeytown (Jolly)	Etowah
Turkeytown	NE	named for Chief Little Turkey, this was an important Cherokee town (Jolly)	Etowah
Union	NW		Etowah
Upton	4-NW	variant for Mountainboro, George Upton entered the land in 1855 (Jolly)	Etowah
Wagners Store	87-SE	error for Wagnon's Store (Jolly)	Etowah
Wagnons Ferry	84-NE	Peter Wagnon bought the ferry to accomodate his lumber business (Jolly)	Etowah
Walkers Ferry	78-SE	the first ferry on the Coosa in Gadsden, named for owner Wm. Walker (Jolly)	Etowah
Walkers Mill	31-NW	probably named for landowner William Walker (Jolly)	Etowah
Walnut Grove	NW	originally Thomas Crossrds. c. 1825, then Cornelius, Walnut Grove in 1849 (Foscue)	Etowah
Wesson Mills	50-SW	named for the family who built the mill (Jolly)	Etowah
White Springs	108-SW	named for the family who owned the nearby spring (Jolly)	Etowah
Whites Chapel	74-NE	named for the church at the site (Jolly)	Etowah
Whitesboro	NW	Steve White settled here in the late 1800's (Jolly)	Etowah
Williams	SW		Etowah
Wilsonia	NE	named for the family of Joseph Wilson (Jolly)	Etowah
Wilsons	70-NE		Etowah
Wilsons Mill	66-NE	named for local landowner Joseph Wilson (Jolly)	Etowah
Wisdom Ferry	78-SE	John Wisdom operated the ferry (Jolly)	Etowah
Wofford Mill	123-SE	T.J. Wofford built the mill after the Civil War (Jolly)	Etowah
Wykles Mill	52-SW		Etowah
Yancy	NE	W.Y. Yancy settled here in 1850, PO discontinued in 1905 (Jolly)	Etowah
Young	137-SE	variant for Reaves (Jolly)	Etowah

