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Abstracts of Deed Book A
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- P. 245 - 26 Mar. 1847, Wade H. Stroud to Thom. Hash of Lawrence, \$40.00, lt 5, blk. 8, Mt. Vernon. Acknowledged by Wade H. Stroud, Commissioner, 26 Mar. 1847, before Thos. Hash, Clerk of Circuit Court (Lawrence County).
- P. 247 - 30 Mar. 1846, John Taylor of Lawrence to William S? Taylor of Lawrence, \$100.00, SE NW 15-27-28, 40 acres, sg. John Taylor. Wit: Joseph Schooling, Lucinda (X) Schooling. Acknowledged by John Taylor before Joseph Schooling, Justice of Lawrence County Court, 26 Sept. 1846.
- P. 249 - 9 Apr. 1847, Thomas May and Lidda his wife to Robert Nance, all of Lawrence, \$50.00, SW NE 36-28-27, 40 acres, sg. Thom (X) May, Lydia May. Acknowledged by Thom. May and Lydia May his wife before Thos. Hash, Clerk of Circuit Court 9 Apr. 1847.
- P. 251 - 26 Apr. 1846, Solomon Shatterly and Susan his wife, to Robert Kimmins, all of Lawrence. Kimmins agrees to dismiss suit in Chancery (as to said Shatterly) Dade Circuit Court in which said Kimmins as Administrator of estate of Elizabeth McMurry is plaintiff and said Solomon Shatterly and others were defendants, for \$100, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW 9-29-25, 80 acres, and SE SE 8-29-25, 40 acres. Sg. Soloman (X) Shatterly, Susan (X) Shatterly. Wit: Robt. W. Crawford, William C. Price. Acknowledged by Soloman Shatterly and Susan his wife before Henry Fare, J. P., Lawrence Co; Wit: J. L. Fare, 26 Sept. 1840.
- P. 254 - 12 Jan. 1847, Richard M. Boswell and Clarisa M. his wife to James Bill, all of Lawrence, \$150.00, NW NE 12-27-29, 40 acres, Sg. Richard M. Boswell, Clarisa M. Boswell. Wit: John L. Schooling, Joseph Schooling. Acknowledged by Richard M. Boswell and Clarisa M. Boswell his wife before Joseph Schooling, Justice Lawrence County Court 12 Jan. 1847.
- P. 256 - 7 Apr. 1847, Thomas S. Terry and Wineford H., his wife of Lawrence, to James M. Moore of Lawrence, \$39.37 $\frac{1}{2}$, beg. SW corner Sect. 34, T. 27, R. 25, east 105 poles, north 48 poles, west 105 poles, south to place of beginning, 31.50 ac. Sg. Thomas S. Terry, Wineford H. Terry. Wit: Carr S. McNatt, Abner P. Wilks. Acknowledged by Thomas S. Terry and Wineford H. Terry his wife before Carver Gunn, J. P., Green Co. (acknowledged in Lawrence Co.).
- P. 258 - 7 Apr. 1847, Thomas S. Terry and Wineford H., his wife of Lawrence to Amos Wilks, Sen., of Lawrence, \$140.00, SW 34-27-25, except that conveyed to James M. Moore of same date containing 128.5 acres. Sg. Thomas S. Terry, Wineford H. Terry. Wit: Carr S. McNatt, Abner P. Wilks, acknowledged by Thomas S. Terry and Wineford H. Terry his wife before Carver Gunn, J. P., Green Co. (in Lawrence Co.) 1 May 1847.
- P. 261 - 6 May 1847, Wade H. Stroud, Commissioner, to George White of Lawrence, \$15.00, lt 12, blk 3, Mt. Vernon. Sg. Wade H. Stroud, Commissioner. Acknowledged by Wade H. Stroud, 6 May 1847, before Thos. Hash, Clerk of Circuit Court, Lawrence County.
- P. 263 - John Hash and Milly Hash his wife to James Elkins, all of Lawrence, \$200.00, S $\frac{1}{2}$ lt 1 in SW fl qt 8-28-26, 40 acres, and pt NW lt 2 NW fl qt 19-28-26, 19.91 acres. Sg. John (X) Hash, Milly Hash, 11 May 1847. Acknowledged by John Hash and Milly Hash before Robert B. Taylor, Acting Justice Lawrence County Court, 11 May 1847.
- P. 265 - 21 May 1847, Matilda G. Jenkins of Green, to Robert W. Crawford of Lawrence, \$200.00, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW 6-27-26. Sg. Matilda (X) G. Jenkins. Acknowledged by Matilda G. Jenkins 21 May 1847, before John I? Kimbrough, J. P. Green County.

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- P. 267 - 19 Nov. 1845, John Wilson and Ann R. Wilson his wife of the State of Missouri to Daniel A. Baldwin of the City of New York, \$78,000.00, undivided one-half part in land in Arkansas and Missouri on waters of the White River [30 townships and 10 sections] being part of lands mentioned in a grant from the Government of Spain, dated 11 June 1793 to one Don Joseph Valliere, reference to Spanish archives on file in the city of New Orleans...power of attorney executed by heirs of said original grantee, dated 5 June 1841 to one Creed Taylor...etc. Sg. John Wilson, Ann R. Wilson. Wit: Mary A. Potter, ? Maurie?. Acknowledged by John Wilson and Ann R. Wilson his wife before William Brent, Clerk of Circuit Court, District of Columbia, County of Washington, 19 Nov. 1845.
- P. 272 - 12 June 1847, Wade H. Stroud, Commissioner, to David E. Gibson, Lawrence, \$31.00, lt 4 blk 7, Mt. Vernon. Sg. Wade H. Stroud, Commissioner. Acknowledged by Wade H. Stroud 12 June 1847, before Thos. Hash, Clerk of Circuit Court, Lawrence County.
- P. 274 - 12 June 1847, Wade H. Stroud, Commissioner, to John B. Woods, Lawrence, \$31.00, lt 1, blk 4, Mt. Vernon. Sg. Wade H. Stroud, Commissioner. Acknowledged by Wade H. Stroud before Thos. Hash, Clerk Lawrence County Circuit Court 12 June 1847.
- P. 276 - 30 Oct. 1846, Thomas Marsh and Elizabeth his wife to Elijah R. Hurley, \$1371.50, one lot, SW SE 35-28-27, 40 acres. Sg. Thomas Marsh, Elizabeth (X) Marsh. Acknowledged by Thomas Marsh and Elizabeth Marsh 30 Oct. 1846, before William Robinson, J. P., Lawrence County, Missouri.
- P. 278 - 18 June 1847, Alfred Moore and Elizabeth Moore to Robert Jinnings, all of Lawrence, \$220.00, SW 26-28-27. Sg. Alfred Moore, Elizabeth Moore. Acknowledged 18 June 1847, by Alfred Moore and Elizabeth Moore his wife before G. B. Kerby, J. P., J. P. Wit: G. B. Kerby, A. Cameron.
- P. 280 - 26 Sept. 1843, David Thompson, his wife Mary of Dade to John Gullett of Dade, \$165.00, W $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE 14-28-28. Sg: David (X) Thompson and Mary (X) Thompson. Wit: Thomas Mosley, Jr?, Hiram Duncan. Acknowledged by David Thompson and Mary his both before John W. Boyd, J. P., Dade County, 26 Sept. 1843.
- P. 282 - 1 Mar. 1845, Ephraim Hoshaw, Lawrence, to John Gullett, Lawrence, \$151.00, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE & NW 40 SE 14-28-28, 120 acres. Sg: Ephraim Hoshaw. Wit: Peter M. Swatszel, Jacob Hoshaw. Acknowledged by Ephraim Hoshaw 1 Mar. 1845, before Peter M. Swatszel, J. P., Lawrence County.
- P. 283 - 23 June 1847, Henderson W. Wright and Mary Writht his wife to Thomas May, all of Lawrence, \$75.00, SE NE 36-28-27, 40 acres. Sg. H. W. Wright, Mary Wright, Acknowledged by Henderson W. Wright and Mary Wright, his wife, before Tho. Hash, Clerk, Ephraim Gaither, Dept., 23 June 1847.
- P. 286 - 7 Apr. 1847, Amos Wilks and Elizabeth Wilks, his wife, of Lawrence, to Lucy C. Wilks, wife of Jesse Wilks, of Greene, \$10.00, SW 34-27-25, except that portion conveyed by Thomas S. Terry to James M. Moore 7 Apr. 1847; 128.5 acres more or less. Sg: Amos Wilks, Elizabeth Wilks. Wit: Abner P. Wilks, Carr S. McNatt. Acknowledged 1 May 1847, by Amos Wilks and Elizabeth Wilks, before Carver Gunn, J. P., Lawrence County.
- P. 288 - 3 July 1847, Thomas Hash and Virginia his wife to Jones J. (or I.) Hendricks, all of Lawrence, \$50.00, lt 5, blk 8, Mt. Vernon. Acknowledged 3 July 1847, by Thos. Hash and Virginia Hash his wife, before William Matthews, J. P., Lawrence County.

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P. 290, 3 July 1847, Jones J. Hendricks, Lawrence Co. and William B. Bourland of Lawrence; said Hendrick owes Van S. Young note dated 3 July 1847, of \$56.25 (Trust Deed) lt 5, blk 8, Mt. Vernon. Sg. Jones J. Hendricks; acknowledged by Jones J. Hendricks before Thos. Hash, Clerk of Circuit Court, 13 July 1847.

P. 295, 19 Jan. 1842, William McMeekin and Nancy McMeekin his wife of Dade, and Larkin H. Blake of Dade, \$650.00, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE 4-29-25, 80 acres; W $\frac{1}{2}$ Ne 9-29-25, 80 acres; Sg. Wm. McMeekin, Nancy McMeekin; Wit: Erastus (X) Garrett, Mary (X) Garrett. Acknowledged 19 Jan. 1842, by William McMeekin and Nancy McMeekin his wife, before Daniel Wann, Justice of Peace, Dade Co.

P. 297, John Hash of Lawrence to Robert W. Crawford, James Elkins, Phillip Hash and Thos. Hash, for \$1.00, S $\frac{1}{2}$ lt 1 SW fl qu Sect. 18, T. 28 R. 26, 40 acres and pt N end lot 2 NW fl qt Sect. 19-28-26, 19.91 acres; deed of Trust. Sg. John (X) Hash Acknowledged 5 July 1847, by John Hash before Thos. Hash, Clerk.

P. 299, 5 July 1847, James Elkins to John Hash, \$200.00, S $\frac{1}{2}$ lt 1 SW fl qt 18-28-26, 40 acres and Pt. N end lot 2 NW fl qt 19-28-26, 19.91 acres; Sg. James Elkins. Acknowledged by James Elkins 5 July 1847 before Thos. Hash, Clerk of Lawrence Co. Court.

P. 301, 16 Sept. 1846, Samuel H. Hashbarger and Elizabeth his wife of Dade to Joseph Williams of Lawrence, \$300.00, W $\frac{1}{2}$ lt 4 NW fl qt Sect. 2-29-25; 39.74 acres and E $\frac{1}{2}$ lt 6 NE fl qt 2-29-25; 39.58 acres; also W $\frac{1}{2}$ lt 6 NW fl qt 1-29-25; 38.79 acres. Sg. Samuel A. Hashbarger, Elizabeth Hashbarger; Wit: J. C. Richardson. Acknowledged by Sameul A. Hashbarger and Elizabeth his wife 16 Sept. 1846, before J. C. Richardson, J. P. Lawrence County.

P. 304, 1 Feb. 1847, Alfred Moore and Elizabeth Moore his wife of Lawrence to Wm. Capps of Lawrence, 13 acres and 135 poles on-Honey Creek; Sg. Alfred Moore and Elizabeth Moore; Acknowledged by Alfred Moore and Elizabeth Moore his wife 1 Feb, 1847, before Wm. Matthews, J. P., Lawrence County.

P. 306, 30 July 1847, Stacy Taylor and Elizabeth his wife of Lawrence, to John Chambers of Lawrence, \$55.00, 45 acres in NW 33-29-26; Sg. Stacy Taylor, Elizabeth Taylor. Acknowledged 30 July 1847, by Stacy Taylor and Elizabeth his wife before George T. Toney, J. P. Lawrence County.

P. 308, 5 Aug. 1847, Robert W. Crawford and his wife Jane Ann Crawford of Lawrence to James F. Fowler of Newton, E $\frac{1}{2}$ lt 9, blk 8, Mt. Vernon. Sg. Robt. W. Crawford, Jane Ann Crawford; Wit: T. R. Whalty, P. M. Wear. Acknowledged by Robert W. Crawford and Jane Ann Crawford his wife 5 Aug. 1847, before George T. Toney, J. P. of Lawrence County.

P. 310, 28 Aug. 1847, Wade H. Stroud, Commissioner, to Mary Ann Gibson, Anna White, Elizabeth Duggar, David E. Gibson, G. N. Gibson, Eli Gibson, Margaret Wasson, J. K. Gibson, Mary Jane Gibson and W. M. Gibson heirs at law of George M. Gibson deceased of Lawrence, lt 1, blk 6, in Mt. Vernon. Sg. Wade H. Stroud, Commissioner. Acknowledged by Wade H. Stroud 27 Aug. 1847, before P. M. Wear, Clerk, Lawrence County Court.

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ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA
GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Tombstone of Child Found Under House

The tombstone of a child who died 92 years ago, was discovered in mid-June during demolition of the old Kirby house, 4 miles east of Mt. Vernon. Wrecking crews found the tombstone under the front porch.

The inscription reads: Infant son of Fillmore and Lucretia Kirby, Died Aug. 6, 1886. Crews worked around the stone until it could be determined whether this was the actual grave site.

News of the find was relayed to the Lawrence County Historical Society with an appeal for help. Kirby family records, filed with the Society by family historian Mrs. Elsie Kirby Allen, of Pierce City, listed the infant. Mrs. Allen confirmed the child died as a baby, but is buried in the old City Cemetery at Mt. Vernon. The grave is marked. Evidently, at some time, a new stone was set to replace the old one.

The infant is a brother of the late Dale Kirby who lived east of Mt. Vernon. "My father said he wanted to be buried by his little brother," Mrs. Allen said. One surviving sister, Miss Fama Kirby, now 84, lives in Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Allen said she did not know how old the house was, but the farm was purchased by her grandparents, Millard Fillmore and Lucretia (Gibson) Kirby about 1894, and they moved there about 1897.

The Kirby family has been in Lawrence County since 1840.

Some Powell Family Data

The following data, mailed to us years ago by Mrs. Joe Collins, of Dumas, Texas, was mis-placed, and recently came to light. It has data which may be of interest to someone:

My great-great-grandfather, Stephen G. Powell (13 Jan. 1817-17 Mar. 1909) arrived in Lawrence County from Tennessee, in 1839. He married Sarah Toliver (6 Nov. 1842-13 June 1889) in 1842. She was the daughter of Jackie Toliver. Their children were:

Thomas Hinton Powell, 14 May 1843-1 Sept. 1935
John Calhoun Powell, 21 Dec. 1844- Apr. 1905
Mary L. Powell, 2 Mar. 1848-24 Mar. 1883
Martha Elizabeth Powell, 27 July 1850-6 Jan. 1906
William B. Powell, 21 Sept. 1852-8 May 1921
Mira Jane Powell, 6 Jan. 1858-
James Lafayett Powell, 10 Dec. 1860-23 Apr. 1950

My great-greandfather Thomas H. Powell fought with the Confederates in the Civil War and came to Texas in 1870. He married Martha Ann Borah (24 Apr. 1847-31 Mar. 1931). She is said to have been a first cousin of Senator William Borah of Idaho.

State Genealogical Association Formed

The Missouri State Genealogical Association was established by a group of interested persons on May 5, 1979. The group intends to publish a newsletter shortly, and plans to begin a quarterly by the end of 1980. Individual charter memberships will be accepted until Dec. 31, 1980, at \$10.00 each.

For further information write: J. M. Menius, 4302 Barth Drive, St. Louis, Mo. 63125.