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In September 1981 (AGS Quarterly XXII:3, pp. 125-27) we published lists of men and women who belonged to Presbyterian and Episcopal congregations in early-day Texas. These names were drawn from Historic Churches of Texas: The Land and the People by Frank A. Driskill and Noel Grisham (reviewed in above-mentioned issue).

To entice the reader into consulting the book, we omit people's titles (even the ministers'), years, and names of specific churches. Many interesting details are to be found in Historic Churches, and it is a special pleasure to note how many women are mentioned, women who possibly may not be found in other records.

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'Miracle' uncovers old family Bible

By JULIE FERNANDEZ

American-Statesman Staff

Bob and Ada Reed believe in miracles.

It's the only way they can explain their decision to stop at a garage sale on their way to vote at Zilker Elementary School last May.

The couple, who live at 801 Jessie St. in South Austin, couldn't have known they would find what Ada describes as "my Easter, birthday and Christmas gifts all in one" — her family Bible.

"I didn't even know there was a family Bible. I don't remember ever seeing one," said Ada, a former substitute teacher at the state School for the Deaf.

A collector of old books, Ada began chatting with seller Doris Forrester about a very old, undoubtedly antique Bible. Before Ada could even open the Bible, Forrester mentioned the family name — "Pannell" — and the couple gasped.

"We lit up when we heard the name. We couldn't believe it," said Bob, a genealogy enthusiast who is retired.

"At first I couldn't help but have tears in my eyes," Ada recalled about opening the Bible. The book, entitled "The References and Marginal Readings of the Polyglot Bible," contains the Old and New Testament. It was printed in 1861 by the American Tract Society in New York.

Between the pages were a crocheted cross, just like the ones Ada's late mother made as bookmarks; photographs and newspaper clippings, including an



Staff Photo by Julie Fernandez

Bob and Ada Reed look through Ada's family Bible.

American-Statesman photograph of Ada and her four sisters dated July, 28, 1935; and the family tree which began with registration of the 1843 birth of Ada's grandfather, John S. Pannell.

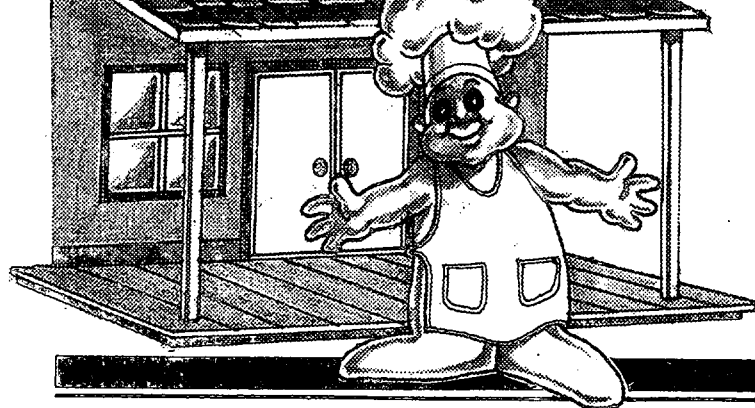
Pannell was a native of Newton County, Miss., a member of the Confederate Army and the first dairyman in Travis County. Located in the vicinity of Manor Road and East 19th Street, the Pannell dairy spawned many others in the area which were owned and operated by some of the seven Pannell children or their spouses.

Descendants of the Pannell family viewed the 11¼-pound, 1,504-page Bible at a recent family reunion and tried

to piece together the story of its disappearance. They speculate that a cousin, Jonnie Powell Struhall, owned the book at the time of her death in 1976. She left her estate to a nurse who may have sold the Bible for \$30 to a woman who lived across the street. That woman was Forrester, who put the Bible in the garage sale at her Dexter Street home.

Ada and Bob still marvel at the coincidence. "I can't help but thank God every day for this," said Ada.

"Finding your family Bible would be enough to make you believe in garage sales," said Bob. "I guess you could say it was a miracle."



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Editor's Note: It was my intention to abstract only the names of 19th-Century members, but some lists come up to the present without indicating where that period ended. If a name cannot be found in the Index of the book, look for the denomination and town in the Table of Contents starting on page ix.

Other denominations will be abstracted in a future issue.

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DENOMINATIONS OF TRAVIS COUNTY MINISTERS . . . Do you know that there are 14 pages in Lucie Clift Price's Travis County, Texas, Marriage Records 1840-1882 which list ministers and other officiants? And a good key to abbreviations found in marriage records? [But I must challenge the listing of D.V.M. as a title: D.V.M. is the abbreviation of Deo Volente, a Latin phrase meaning "God willing"; as a title the letters stand for Doctor of Veterinary Medicine. The initials may have been mistakenly used in place of V.D.M. which stand for the Latin words Verbi Dei Minister--Minister of the Word of God.]

The denomination of the minister usually is a good clue to the religious affiliation of the bride and/or groom, but in early days they often had no choice of available ministers.

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If all the men who are said to have "fought beside William the Conqueror" were aligned shoulder to shoulder, the battle line might be wider than England itself.

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TEXAS VOLUNTEER UNITS IN THE MEXICAN WAR 1846-48

Part 13

[Continued from November 1981 (XXII:4, pp. 173-78). Thanks again to Mrs. W.H. Ligon for so carefully copying the microfilmed data.]

In March 1847, Mexican guerrilla operations inspired rumors of disaster which nearly panicked Col. Samuel R. Curtis of the Ohio Volunteers, commander of the garrison at Camargo. Supposing the Army to be in peril, he initiated calls for more troops, including 2,000 mounted men from Texas to be mobilized for six months. They were directed to rendezvous at San Antonio; the soonest-organized unit set out for Mexico about the end of April.

But about the 20th of May Gen. Zachary Taylor deemed Colonel Curtis' emergency "notoriously long since passed away," and ordered the troops back to San Antonio in hopes that they would re-enlist in twelve-month companies.

Part of one company (Hill's), en route to Mexico, did not receive General Taylor's order to return to San Antonio for discharge. Mustered in on 14 April, it was the only company to be assigned a letter (Co. A), and was mustered out at Monterrey 16 June 1847.

Captain Snell's company existed only 23 days--the shortest term of any. The men of this regiment were enrolled between 10 March and 14 May. The respective dates of mustering out in San Antonio were: 2 June 1847 (companies commanded by Captains Gillet and Long), 4 June (Gillaspie, Muckleroy and Smith), 5 June (Clark, Crump, Sims, Snell).

1st TEXAS MOUNTED VOLUNTEERS (6 Months)

Col. John C. Hays, Commanding

| <u>Captain</u> | <u>Place of Recruitment</u> | <u>No. of Men</u> |
|------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Clark, Thomas W. | Harrison Co | 79 |
| Crump, Wm. G. | San Antonio? | |
| Gillaspie, James | Montgomery Co | 84 |
| Gillet, James S. | North Texas | |
| Hill, Ben F. | San Antonio ("Co. A") | 85 |
| Long, John | North Texas | |
| Muckleroy, David | | 79 |
| Sims, Samuel W. | Red River Co | 90 |
| Smith, James | Rusk Co | 83 |
| Snell, Martin K. | Galveston? | 43 |

See previous issues of AGS Quarterly for explanation of the format of this feature. An asterisk preceding a soldier's name indicates that on the 1850 Census of Texas a name identical or similar to his has been found (or possibly that of his widow or a relative). Census data follows the service record table.



| NAME | RANK | COMPANY
of Capt. | ENROLLED AT (or) ON
MUSTER-IN ROLL AT | REMARKS |
|--|--|---------------------|--|--------------|
| Dadley, W.B. | 1 Lt | Long | San Antonio TX | Age 36. Died |
| [ALL enrolled at " 12 May 1847 at San Antonio. | | | | |
| *Dagley, W.B.-- | cards filed with Dadley. [But Barton's <u>Texas Volunteers In the Mexican War</u> (pp. 65, 94) calls him William B. Dagley. In 1846 he had commanded a mounted company formed in Fannin & Lamar counties.] | | | |
| *Dahlmain, Carl | Pvt | Hill | San Antonio TX | Age 26. |
| Dale, Daniel M. | Pvt | Hill | | Age 21. |
| Dalton, Osborne | Pvt | Clark | | Age 19. |
| Daniels, David | Pvt | Long | | Age 19. |
| *Davis, Abner | Pvt | Gillet | Mustered in 26 Apr 1847;
out 2 June 1847, San Antonio | Age 34. |
| Davis, Hardin | Pvt | Sims | | Age 42. |
| Davis, Matthew | Pvt | Gillet | Joined 23 Apr 1847;
mustered out 2 June, San Antonio | Age 18. |
| Day, John | Pvt | Sims | | Age 21. |
| *Day, Samuel | Cpl- | Gillet | | Age 25. |
| | 1 Cpl | | | |
| *Dean, Spears | Pvt | Sims | | Age 18. |
| Denham, Alfred | Pvt | Clark | | Age 37. |
| Dennis, John H. | Pvt | Gillet | | Age 20. |
| *Dewberry/Dewbery,
Thomas | Pvt | Gillaspie | | Age 22. |
| Dickson, James D. | Pvt | Muckleroy | | Age 31. |
| Dickey, D.H. | Pvt | Crump | | Age 24. |
| *Dillaha, John | Pvt | Smith | | Age 23. |
| *Dillard, George W. | Pvt | Gillet | | Age 40. |
| *Dillard, William | Pvt | Snell | | Age 20. |
| Dilliha, John-- | cards filed with Dillaha. | | | |
| Dobbs, J.H./I.H. | Pvt | Muckleroy | | Age 23. |
| Doherty, James M. | Pvt | Muckleroy | | Age 24. |
| Doherty, P.D. | Pvt | Muckleroy | | Age 18. |
| Dolton, Osborne-- | cards filed with Dalton. | | | |
| *Dorsett, John | Sgt | Smith | | Age 21. |
| *Downing/Dowing, John V. | Pvt | Long | | Age 27. |
| *Driggs/Driggers,
William | Pvt | Gillet | | Age 30. |
| *Duckworth, Samuel | Pvt | Gillaspie | | Age 24. |

Duncan, James Pvt Gillet Age 33.
 *Dupree, William Pvt Clark Age 22.
 Durgan, J.B. Pvt Hill
 Eakin, W.D. Pvt Muckleroy Age 22.
 East, Joseph R. Pvt Muckleroy Age 23.
 Edmond/Edmonds, Charles Pvt Crump Age 27.
 *Edmonson/Edmondson, Pvt Sims Age 21.
 Thomas B.
 Edwards, A. Pvt Snell Age 28.
 *Emberson, Eldridge Pvt Gillet Age 19.
 Emery, Jesse--cards filed with Emrey.
 Emmens/Emmans, A. Pvt Snell Age 25.
 Emrey, Jesse Pvt Smith Age 19.
 *English, George 2 Lt Long Age 35.
 *English, John Pvt- Long Age 26.
 3 Sgt
 English, Whorton Pvt Long Age 18.
 *Epperson, Thomas Pvt Clark Age 25.
 Etheridge, John Pvt Clark Age 29.
 *Evans, Edward D. Pvt Long Age 23.
 *Evans, James C. Pvt Gillaspie Age 25.
 Evans, L. or Q. Pvt Snell Age 18.
 Evans, William C. Pvt Gillaspie Age 20.
 Evans, William M.I. or Pvt Gillaspie Age 22.
 M.J. [There are 11 William Evanses in Index to 1850 Census of Texas.]
 *Ewing, T.J. Pvt- Snell Age 37.
 Musician
 Fahl, George Pvt Gillet Age 39.
 *Fannin, William Pvt Gillet Age 25.
 Fatherrer, Benj. B. Sgt Gillet Age 21.
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 [too many in Index to hazard a guess]
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of Capt. | ENROLLED AT (or) ON
MUSTER-IN ROLL AT | REMARKS |
|---|------|---------------------|--|------------|
| *Frazier, A.L. | Cpl | Hill | San Antonio TX | Age 26. |
| *Frazier, G.M. | Sgt | Hill | | Age 19. |
| Freeman, William Y. | Pvt | Gillet | | Age 25. |
| Fulbright, Daniel | Pvt | Sims | | Age 33. |
| Gabriel/Gabril, Aron | Pvt | Crump | | Age 19. |
| Gaines, Jack | | Co. A [Hill] | Mustered in 14 May 1847,
at San Antonio; out 16 June at Monterey. | |
| Gaines, John | Pvt | Snell | | Age 36. |
| Gallaspy, John | Cpl | Gillaspie | | Age 21. |
| Gardner, Alfred S. | Pvt | Gillaspie | | Age 33. |
| Garrett, Charles N. | Pvt | Muckleroy | | Age 32. |
| Garrett, Wm. E. | Pvt | Muckleroy | | Age 23. |
| Gibbens, Edmund | Pvt | Gillet | | Age 26. |
| Gibson, William [5] | 2 Lt | Hill | | Age 28. |
| Gilbert, Richard S. | Pvt | Gillet | | Age 35. |
| Gilbert, Robert M. | Pvt | Long | | Age 18. |
| *Gillaspie, James | Capt | Gillaspie | | Age 33. |
| *Gillaspie, John--cards filed with Gallaspy. | | | | |
| Gillet, James S. | Capt | Gillet | | Age 30. |
| [He and many other soldiers and officers in this 6-month unit are noted as
"Due Sutler M. Travis \$____" or "Due U.S. \$____" for equipment; some are "due
Sutler Soutrel and Dick."] | | | | |
| Gilliland, James | Pvt | Muckleroy | | Age 30. |
| *Glasco, Jesse M. | Pvt | Clark | | Age 29. |
| *Glascock/Glasscock,
James A. | 2 Lt | Hill | | Age 24. |
| Glascock/Glasscock,
Stephen | Cpl | Hill | | Age 18. |
| Glascock/Glasscock,
Thomas | 1 Lt | Hill | "Discharged by Capt. M[arshall] S. Howe at San Antonio 3 June 1847" | Age 28. |
| Goad, William C. | Pvt | Gillet | | Age 31. |
| *Godsey, Blackburn J. | Pvt | Long | [Cards vary.] | Age 31/21. |
| *Godwin, H.W. | Pvt | Snell | | Age 23. |
| Goldsbury, Marrion | Pvt | Clark | | Age 22. |
| Goldsbury, Thomas | Pvt | Clark | | Age 21. |
| *Good/Goode, Edward M. | Pvt | Sims | | Age 24. |
| Goodwin, H.W.--cards filed with Godwin. | | | | |
| Goosander, Cartherena | Pvt | Crump | | Age 20. |

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| *Gordon, J.L. | Pvt- | Snell/ | Age 32. |
| | 2 Lt | Hill | "Due sutler Elam & Hargrove \$___" |
| Gordon/Gordan, Jacob | Pvt | Crump | Age 26. |
| (Most men in this unit were "Due U.S" for equipment; Gordon's list: 1 rifle,
1 canteen & strap, 1 haversack, 1 S[crew?] driver, 1 wiper, 1 spring vice [vise],
1 ball screw, 1 pr. bullet moulds, 1 rifle pouch & belt, 1 gunsling, 1 ___ [per?
for percussion?] cap packet, 1 cane and pick.") | | | |
| Graham, Eli F. | Lt- | Smith | Age 26. |
| | 2 Lt | | |
| *Graham, J.J. | Pvt | Hill | Discharged by Capt. Howe 3 June 1847. |
| Gray, James | Pvt | Clark | Age 20. |
| Gray, Michael | 2 Lt | Gillaspie | Age 20. |
| Green, Alvin | Bugler | Gillet | Age 36. |
| Green, C.M. | Pvt | Hill | |
| Green, E.M. | Pvt | Snell | Age 23. |
| Green, H.R. | Pvt | Long | Age 21. |
| *Griffin, Williamson | Pvt | Hill | Age 22. |
| *Groupe, Samuel | Pvt | Smith | [Cards vary.] Age 26/37. |
| *Gwyn, Wm. W. | Pvt | Muckleroy | Age 23. |



Sequence of Data from 1850 Census of Texas: NAME; COUNTY AND ORIGINAL PAGE NO.;
NUMBER OF FAMILY VISITED; AGE; f or m (if sex is not obvious from name); OCCUPATION;
VALUE OF REAL PROPERTY; PLACE OF BIRTH; OTHER INFORMATION. Having found page on the
census in Accelerated Index, the numbering of the visitations leads one to the entry
in Mrs. Carpenter's transcription, to which I am indebted in some instances (where
the microfilm is illegible), but which often may be interpreted differently.

DAGLEY, Susanna [probably widow of Wm. B.]; Fannin 182 #488; 28f; \$5484; IL; Thomas M. or Wm. 5m TX; Mary L. 3f TX.

DAHLMAN, Elizabeth [possibly sister of Carl Dahlmain] 32 PA; in dwelling of Joseph McCOMBER Bexar 241 #424; 33; carpenter; PA; Francis WHITEMAN 13m IL; Josephine 9 MO.

DAVIS, Abner; Red River 197 #22; 37m [asterisk only in Occupation column & birthplace column blank, possibly in lieu of ditto marks]; b. TN?; Elizabeth 34; Gree[n]bury 13m; Amos 10; Mary Anne 7; William 4; Edward 1--first 4 attended school.

DAVIS, Abner; Lamar 285 #258; 37! farmer; \$200; KY; Sarah H. 35 TN; George 12 AR; James 11 AR; Margaret 7 AR; Lucinda 6m MO; John 5 & William 2 TX.

DAY, Samuel; 28; farmer; \$4750; TN; Nancy J. 20 TN; under Elbert EARLY, Lamar 280 #193; 38; farmer; \$4150; KY; Mary A. 26 TN; Emaline C. 10 TN; Matthias J.P. 6 TX; Selden Y. 4m TX; Samuel C. 2 TX; Elbert M. 1 TX.

DEAN, Spere; Red River 219 #340; 22m; farmer; \$5500; KY; Thomas 3/12 ---; James SHARP 35 mechanic KY; 5 Sharp children [no female adult].

DUBERRY, Thomas; Walker 251 #10; 28 farmer AL; Mary 22 TN; Maranda 3f & Mary 1/12 TX.

DILLAHA, John G.; 29; saddler; AL; under C.B. POWELL; San Augustine 350 #264; 32m wagon maker \$700 NC; Eliza C. 27 AL; Nedora 3f & Julia Ann 1f TX; G.W. DUGGERS 26 SC.

DILLARD, G.W. [son of the soldier?]; Panola 147 #44; 22m; farmer; GA?; Mary 21 [TX?] or GA; William 9/12 [MO?] Carpenter interpreted it Texas; Robert LEWIS 21 lab MO.

DILLARD, Wm. M.; Walker 267 #250; 24/34; cabinet maker; \$380; NC; Jane 22 IL; Henry H. 27 cabinet maker NC.

DORSET, John K.; Rusk 259 #332; 55; farmer; \$2000; GA; Theodore 27 farmer MS; John 23 farmer LA; A.W. 21m farmer TX; Nancy 18, Charles 20, Sarah 16, William 13, Amanda 10--all TX.

DOWNING, John; Hunt 207 #242; 30; \$200; IL; Nancy 32 VA/PA; Elizabeth 6/12 TX.

DRIGGINS, Wm.; Fannin 154 #140; 33; farmer; \$500; SC; F. 23f TN; Thos. 8m TX.

DUCKWORTH, Saml; 30; farmer; \$160; AL; Mary A. 25 IL; 7 children; under William EVANS; Leon 329 #132; 41 fammer \$2,120 SC; 2 Graves children; other men/boys.

DUPREE, William E.F.; Houston 188 #659; 25; farmer; TN; Mary A. 18 TN; James A. 9/12 Houston Co, TX.

EDMUNSON, T.B.; Red River 206 #166 (line 29); 23m; AR--student at McKenzie Institute, "Young Men's Methodist" headed by J.W.P. McKenzie, "Methodist Teacher."

EMBERSON, Eldridge; Lamar 292 #347; 22m; farmer; \$600; TX [lived alone].

ENGLISH, Mary [possibly widow of George]; Houston 181 #563; 37f LA; Elizabeth 16 TX; Thomas 14 b. Shelby Co, TX; Nancy 12 same; Hannah 10, Mahalah 9f, Sarah 8 and George 6, all born LA.

ENGLISH, Archey H.; Houston 181 #564; 36 farmer \$300 b. Unknown; Mary J. 23 TN; George 4 Houston Co, TX, as were Susan 3, Elizabeth 1; Ellen SHIRMAN 12 Houston Co, TX; George ENGLISH 40 Unknown.

INGLIS, John; Medina 401 #8; 28 Pvt Volunteer Ranging Co b. Scotland; in Texas Volunteer Company stationed on the Medina River.

ENGLISH, John; Shelby 012 #159; 30; farmer; TX; Marthy 22 NC; Evaline/Emeline 8f TX;
William 6, Sary 4, James 9/12 TX; Rob GOODWIN 3 TX.

EPPERSON, T.L.; Polk 193 #260; 33; carpenter; KY; Emily 24 TN; Mary 2 TX.

EVANS, Edward D.; Bexar 275 #714 San Antonio; 26; wagoner QM Depot; TN; under Henry POUGE/
ROUGE 20 MO & others in a "Company examining the Rio Grande River" whose residence
was San Antonio normally.

EVANS, James C.; Leon 333 #186; 28; farmer; \$4,540; AL; Charlotte 58 TN; William McJ. or
McI. 25 farmer \$320 AL.

EWING, Thos. J.; Harris 011 Houston #199; 39; magistrate; \$4,000; GA; Cinthe Anne 32f GA;
Sarah R. 15 & John G.M. 13 AL; Frances E. 10f, Thos. J. 8, Cinthe Anne 3 and
Harriet M. 1, all TX.

FANNING, William [possibly father]; Hopkins 142 #110; 60; farmer; \$2400; VA; Elizabeth M.
48f NC.

FANNING, William; Hunt 201 #153; 25; farmer; \$300; MO; Mary 23 TN; Martha 5/12 TX.

FLEMMING, Berry; Titus 122 #408; 25m; farmer; \$300; TN; Lydia 22 TN; William 3/12 TX;
James DENNY 21 grocer \$90 TN.

FLEMMING, Thomas; Titus 119 #363; 22; farmer; \$300; TN; Celia 18 PA; Amanda 6/12 TX.

[FLETCHER, James] - J.B. CHESSURE; Montgomery 46 #253; 60m; farmer; VA; Louisa A. 47 TN;
Benson B. 16 TN; B. Simpson/F. Sampson 14f TB; Sarah GALES 11 TX; James FLETCHER
[son?] 7 TX; John FLETCHER [brother?] 25 TN.

FLETCHER, James; Milam 005; 27; farmer; AR; Robert F. 19 AR; under #304 Robert MARSHALL
30 MO; Nancy 8 & Jane 6 AR.

FLETCHER, James; Navarro 103 #2 [numbering starts over every 6/8 listings]; 40; farmer;
\$300 KY; Elizabeth 31 KY; John R. 14, Mary J. 12, William 10, Jasper 8 & George W.
6, all MO; Sarah A. 4 & James B. 10/12 TX.

FORD, J.G.; Harrison 094 #734; 35m; farmer; \$450; SC; C./E. 26f AL; W.C. 7m, S.C./E.
4m AL; J.J. 2m TX; William DAVIS 40 TN; M.A. 10f & M.C./E. 8? AL.

[FORSYTH] - James JENNINGS; Rusk 243 #94; 45m; house painter; KY; Gilla 25f TN; Thomas
4m, James 2m & Charles 8/12, all TX; James B. FORSYTH [son of soldier?] 15m TN
mail carrier.

FRAZIER, A.W.; Harrison 091; 23m; overseer; TN; under #686 L.H. SNOWDEN 29m farmer NC;
M. 25f MS; E.V. THOMAS 14f or 11 AR.

FRAZUR [FRAZIER], G.W.; Harris 025 #435; 25m; farmer; \$500; TN; T.F. [his mother] 60f
KY; J.T. BROWN* 34f \$600 KY; Joseph 8 TN; Sarah F. 6 TX; John --- 14m Germany.
*This was his sister, nee Jane Stewart Frazier, widow of Joseph Porter Brown.

GILLASPEY, James - See AGS Quarterly XX:1 p. 19 for census data. In the 1st Regiment,
Texas Mounted Rifles, he had been captain of Company G, organized 16 May 1846 at
Huntsville, Walker Co, TX.

GILLASPEY, James; Walker 282 #471; 45; farmer; \$320; TN; Sarah 33, Jacob 12 & James 10,
all TN; Salena 4f & John 2m TX; Ephraim McCALEB 64 farmer NC.

GILLASPIE, J.L.; Jasper 230 #154; 24m; farmer; OH; Ursula 21 VA; Nancy 3, Elizabeth 2, General Anderson 6/12, all TX; Felix H. THORNSBURG 10 TX.
 GLASCO, J.M.; Upshur 192 #180; 32m; surveyor; \$200; TN; S.M. 26f AL; M.C. 3f TX; S.M. 1m TX.
 GLASCOCK, James; Bexar 273 San Antonio; 28; printer; IL; Solomon CHILDS 33 printer NJ; under #697 William SWINSON/SWIMM 43 druggist KY, etc.
 GLASCOCK, James; Bexar 216 San Antonio; 30; printer; VA; under #188 Jesusa RODRIGUEZ, boarding house.
 GODSEY, B.G.; Fannin 166 #284; 34m; stone mason; \$300; TN; Martha/Marchia 36f IL; Ellen 13f, Mary 11, Richard 9, Sarah 7 & Wm. 5, all MO.
 GODWIN, H.W.; Titus 119; 27m; laborer; \$30; KY; under #362 John HIGHTOWER 39 farmer SC; Nancy 28 TN; six children 16 to 9/12; B.M. CAMPBELL 23m carpenter \$30 AL.
 GOOD, Edward V./N.; Milam 002; 27m; farmer; VA; under #263 William MILLER/MILLS 34 farmer KY; Jane(1?) 30f KY; Nancy J. 5 MO/MS; Martha R. 3 TX.
 GORDON, J.L.; Harris 002 Houston; 35m; clerk; MA; under #22 Mary W. WILSON 45f MD; Wm. FULTON 30m hotel-keeper PA; Virginia 19 MD; etc.
 GRAHAM, John J.; Rusk 299 #906; 30m; fammer; \$300; SC; Delila 24, Martha 7, Margaret 4, and John 2, all GA.
 GRIFFIN, Williamson; Milam 028 #637; 26m; farmer; AL; Louisiana 21f IL; Caldora 1/12 TX. [GROUPE--only one in Index] under Frederick SCHULTZE; Guadalupe 291 #65; 22m farmer; Germany; Fredericka 16f Germany; Faredrick GROUPE 44m Germany; Harriett 34 same.
 GWINN, Wm. W.; Anderson 041 #264; 25m; farmer; TN; Louisa M. 21f TN; Susan M. 1 TX.

LEWIS-MERIWETHER BOOK IS SOUGHT . . . A familiar sad tale has been brought to the attention of your editor: "Back when I first learned of the book, I did not think I could afford it; now that I can, I can't find a copy to buy." The book in question is Lewis, Meriwethers, and Their Kin by Sarah (Scott) Anderson, published by Dietz Press of Richmond VA. If you have a copy in good condition and you would be willing to sell it, please quote your price to Mrs. Edward Clark, # 47 Woodstone Square, Austin TX 78703. [If you will mention that you saw this notice, Austin Genealogical Society will be glad to be informed that we have been of service.]

Mrs. Clark herself is listed in the book, and she naturally wants to hand it down to her posterity.



BIBLE RECORDS OF THOMAS BURWELL SMITH

These records of Thomas B. Smith and descendants (kindly furnished by Jean Halden Walker) were copied from The Holy Bible with a Perpetual Genealogical Family Register, published in 1859 by The Southern Methodist Publishing House [at Nashville TN?]. Photocopies are now in the possession of Mrs. Eli P. (Ruth DeWitt) Cox, 820 Greenwood Drive, Denton TX 76201.

It is believed that a Smith cousin must now have the Bible. Photocopies of the original are to be placed in the University Archives (Barker Texas History Center at Austin) and of the pictures, in Texas State Library, Mrs. Walker notes.

A sketch of Thomas Slater Smith in The Handbook of Texas gives the wrong day and county of his birth, according to these Bible records. In 1883 he settled at Hillsboro TX; ten years later he represented Hill County in the Texas House of Representatives. In 1898 and in 1900 he was elected attorney general of Texas.

He died in Austin in 1901.

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THOMAS SLATER SMITH

T.B. SMITH - OWNER OF PICTURE



THOMAS BURWELL SMITH
SARAH ANN SLATER

BIBLE RECORDS OF THOMAS BURWELL SMITH

BIRTHS

Thomas B. Smith, son of C. R. and Elizabeth Smith, was born Pittsylvania County, Va., 16 Oct. 1824.

Sarah A. Slater, daughter of Chas. & Sally Slater, was born Rockingham Co., N. C. 7 Nov. 1830.

Charlie R. Smith, son of Th. B. & S. A. Smith, was born in Tuscaloosa, Ala. 30 July 1849.

Thomas Slater Smith, son of T. B. and S. A. Smith, was born in Monroe Co., Miss., 7 July 1856.

Carrie Lee Smith, daughter of T. B. and S. A. Smith, was born in Chickasaw Co., Miss., 6 June 1868.

Reubin Smith was born in Va. in 1758.

Elizabeth Smith was born in Va. in 1760.

Briswell (?) Law was born in Va. in 1760.

Elizabeth Law, daughter of S. Woods, was born in Franklin city, Va., in 1762.

Charles R. Smith, son of Reubin and Elizabeth Smith was born 9 Feb. 1801 in Pittsylvania, Va.

Elizabeth Law, daughter of Briswell Law, was born in Franklin City, Va., 10 -----1804.

Sarah A. Smith, Daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith was born in Franklin City, Va., 20 May 1823.

Harriet Newton Smith, daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith, born Franklin Co., Va. in March 1829.

Mariah Virginia Smith, daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith, was born in Franklin Co., Va., on 12 Nov. 1830.

Gillie (?) Colmen (?) Smith, daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith, was born 10 March 1832.

Elizabeth Childs Smith, daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith was born in Rockingham Co., N. C. in June 1835.

Births continued

Nannie Winlon (?) Smith, daughter of C. R. and E. S. Smith, born Rockingham, N. C. on 10 May 1838.

Charles A. Hawkins, son of Dr. A. Hawkins and Sarah Hawkins, was born in Georgia _____ A. D.

Charles Thomas Hawkins, son of Charles A. and Harriet N. Hawkins, was born 6 March 1857.

Alice Garland Markham, daughter of Jno. G. Aleth (?) M. Markham, was born in Paulding, Jasper Co., on 10 May 1861.

Garland Slater Smith, son of Thos. S. and Alice G. Smith, was born in Tupelo, Lee Co., Miss., 16 June 1881.

Bobbie Ellis, Daughter of Clisby Walker and Mary E. Ellis, was born in Peoria, Hill Co., Texas 13 Nov. 1881.

Alice Elizabeth Smith, daughter of Garland and Lobbie Smith, was born 17 July 1902.

Mary Ellen Smith, daughter of Garland and Bobbie Smith, was born in Hillsboro, Hill Co., Texas on 18 April 1905.

Mary Bob Walters, daughter of Ellen and John Walters, was born in Overton, Rusk Co., Texas 18 Jan. 1938.

Jno. Garland Markham, son of Geo. and Fannie Markham, was born in Virginia in Nov. 1819.

Altheun Matildah Markham, daughter of Wm & Eliza Hines, was born in 1832.

Clisby Walker Ellis, son of Pleasant and Nancy Ellis, born

Mary Elizabeth Williams, daughter of James & Sarah Jane Williams, was born in Gilmer, Texas, 27 Sept. 1857.

MARRIAGES

Thos. S. Smith, son of Thos. B. Smith and Sarah H. Smith, and Alice Garland Markham, daughter of Jno. G. and Aleth (?) M. Markham, were married in Tupelo, Lee Co., Miss., 1 Sept. 1880.

John T. Walters, son of Arma Kirkendal and Mary Ellen

MARRIAGES continued

Smith, daughter of Bobbie and Garland Smith, were married in Overton, Rusk Co., Texas 22 Dec. 1935.

Thomas B. Smith, son of Chas. and Elizabeth Smith, and Sarah A. Slater, daughter of Chas. & Sally Slater, were married in Rockingham City, N. C., on 14 Sept. 1847.

Charlie R. Smith, son of Thos. B. and Sarah A. Smith, and Anna M. Trice, daughter of John and A. E. Trice, were married Monroe Co., Miss., 18 Oct. A. D. 1870.

Charles R. Smith, son of Reuben and Elizabeth Smith, and Elizabeth S. Law, daughter of Brisswell and Elizabeth law, were married in Franklin Co., Va. in 1822.

Jonathan S. Bosnick, son of Abraham and S. Bosnick, and Sarah A. Smith, daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith, were married in Rockingham City, N. C. in Oct 1840.

Charles A. Hawkins, son of Dr. A. Hawkins, and Harriet N. Smith, daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith, were married in Rockingham, N. C. in Nov. 1854.

Nathan M. Winchester, son of _____ & _____, and Mariah Virginia Smith, daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith, were married in Rockingham City, N. C. in Nov. or Dec. 1847.

Wm. Harris, son of _____, and Gillie C. Smith, daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith, were married in Rockingham Co., N. C. in 1854.

Robert C. Baily, son of _____, and Elizabeth Childs Smith, daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith, were married in Rockingham City, N. C. _____.

Jacob F. Dubon, son of Wm. Dubon, and Nannie Winlon (?) Smith, daughter of C. R. & E. S. Smith, were married in Tunica Co., Miss. in Feb. 1859.

Garland S. Smith, son of Thomas S. & Alice G. Smith, and Bobbie Ellis, daughter of Clisby Walker Ellis and E. E. Ellis, were married in Hillsboro, Hill Co., Texas 9 Jan 1901.

Wesley N. Dean, M. D., son of W. H. and Sarah Dean, and Alice Elizabeth Smith, daughter of Garland and Bobbie Smith, were married in Overton, Texas, Rusk Co., 25 July 1942.

MARRIAGES continued

Dave Seely and Mary Ellen Walters (a widow), daughter of Garland and Bobbie Smith, were married in Waurika, Okla., 4 March 1943.

DEATHS

Charlie R. Smith died in New Orleans, La., (under surgical operation) on 3 March 1887.

Thomas Slater Smith died in Austin, Texas, 15 March 1901.

Reubin Smith died in Pittsylvania Co., Va. Oct. 1829.

Elizabeth Smith died in Rockingham, N. C. in Dec. 1858.

Briswell Law died in Franklin City, Va., in 1844.

Elizabeth Law died in Franklin City, Va. in 1848.

Sarah A. Smith died in Henry Co., Tenn., in 1862.

Harriet Newton Smith died in Tunica, Miss., 4 July 1860.

Charles A. Hawkins died in the Confederate S. A. Service at Richmond, Va., May 1862.

Alice Garland Markham, daughter of J. G. & A. L. Markham, died 25 December 1899.

Garland Slater Smith, son of Thos. and Alice G. Smith, died in Bowie, Texas 21 October 1952.

Bobbie Ellis Smith, daughter of C. W. and Mary E. Ellis, died in Bowie, Texas, 16 May 1972.

Mary Ellen Smith Walters (Seely) died 21 July 1960.

Mary Bob Walters died in Bowie, Texas, 8 Jan 1943.

Alice Elizabeth Smith Dean died in Decatur, Wise Co., Texas 23 December 1981.

SIGNIFICANT INITIALS AND NICKNAMES

If your ancestor was born soon after the American Revolution and his initials were G.W., can there be any doubt in your mind that his name was George Washington?

Since we tend to honor our heroes by naming children for them, the names of our grandparents often show what factors had the most influence on their parents: religion, admiration of military leaders (or patriotism), family tradition, love of literature, music, adventure, bravery, science, or whatever. . . .

When religion prevailed, the parents' denomination may be clearly revealed: Roman Catholic by V.P. (Vincent de Paul), Francis X. (Xavier), or, with a French background, J.B. for Jean Baptiste. Perhaps because the nickname Ignatz was sometimes ridiculed, a man named Ignatius Loyola for the founder of the Jesuit Order might choose to use only his initials, I.L.

I.W. may be found to refer to Isaac Watts, the English dissenting minister and hymn writer, while Charles W. and John W. often honor the Wesley brothers, hymn writers and founders of Methodism. Indicative of that denomination also are Francis A[sbury, first Methodist bishop in America], and L.D. [Lorenzo Dow, prominent preacher of the 19th Century].

Jeremy T. reveals that the parents were admirers of the English bishop and devotional writer, Jeremy Taylor (1613-67). Clues to a New England background are the names Increase M. and Cotton M. for early American clergymen surnamed Mather.

If you find a Caleb I. in your family tree, you can presume that he was named for the first missionary sent by the Episcopal Church to Texas, the Rev. Caleb Semper Ives who established the church in Matagorda. And Samuel S. among Episcopalians honors an early bishop, Samuel Seabury.

Namesakes of Presbyterian founding fathers may be John C[alvin] and John K[nox], while F.E. (probably) and Finis Ewing (certainly) prove ancestry in the Cumberland Presbyterian denomination.

Alexander C. and Thomas C. may hark back to the Campbell brothers who (along with Barton W. Stone and Walter Scott) founded the denomination now known as the Christian Church. However, around Nashville TN Thomas C. is more likely to pay homage to Thomas Craighead, the first Presbyterian minister in that area.

It is not difficult to guess the middle name of a Lutheran who bears the name Martin L. Smith. And so it goes. [Sorry, I don't know names of early, outstanding clergymen of other "faiths."]

Military Heroes

A. Jackson or Andrew J. - War of 1812 and president

Albert S[idney Johnston] - Civil War, CSA

Francis M[arion] - American Revolution; the "Swamp Fox" of SC

John Paul [Jones] - American Revolution

Jubal A. or E[arly] - Civil War, CSA

L.F. or Lafe - Marquis de Lafayette, American Revolution [One man changed this name to Mark L. Brown!]

N.B. or Nappy - Napoleon Bonaparte (1769-1821)

Nathan B[edford Forrest] - Civil War, CSA
Oliver H. or P. - Oliver Hazard Perry, War of 1812
Robert E. or L. - Robert Edward Lee, Civil War, CSA
Sterling P[rice] - Civil War, CSA
U.S. or Lissy - Ulysses Simpson Grant, Civil War, USA
Wade H[ampton] - Civil War, CSA
William T. or Cump - William Tecumseh Sherman, Civil War, USA
Winfield S[cott] - War of 1812 and Mexican War
Zack T. - Zachary Taylor, Mexican War

Names like these are good clues for identifying the commanding officer under whom the child's father served. I'll let you have the fun of finding out what the following were famous for!

Texas Heroes

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| Anson J[ones] | James S. or F[annin] |
| David or Davy C[rockett] | Sam H[ouston] |
| David G[ouverneur Burnet] | Stephen F[uller Austin] |
| James B[owie] | William B[arret Travis] |

Statesmen

| | |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| Abraham L[incoln] | D.C. [DeWitt Clinton; in Texas] |
| Albert G[allatin] | DeWitt C. Green] |
| Alexander H[amilton] | Jefferson D[avis] |
| Benjamin F[ranklin] | Thomas J[efferson] |

Scientists

| | |
|----------------|---------------------|
| Isaac N[ewton] | Samuel F.B. M[orse] |
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Literary

| | |
|---|-------------------------------|
| Elizabeth B[arrett Browning] | Walter S[cott] |
| F. Scott [Key] | William M[akepeace Thackeray] |
| John M[ilton] - One John M. refused to divulge his middle name because he "had no use for poetry and such foolishness." | |
| Ralph W[aldo Emerson] | William S[hakespeare] |

Miscellaneous

Amelia B[loomer] - suffragette (women's rights)
C.C. or Lum - Christopher Columbus, discoverer
Eli W[hitney] - inventor
Florence N[ightingale] - nurse
Green B. - Greenberry or Greenbury
Leonard V. - Leonardo da Vinci, artist
Little B. - Littleberry/bury
P. Henry - Patrick Henry, patriot
Simon B. - Simon Bolivar, South American revolutionist
Zeb - Zebulon M. Pike, explorer

This of course is just a random sampling to alert you to infinite possibilities. Perhaps the parents were followers of some cult leader whom you can learn about in early histories, or possibly had studied art in Italy. . . . Were any of them imaginative enough to honor both explorers by naming a son Lewis N. Clark?

RAISE IN DUES--and Happier Announcements

Since 1975, dues for membership in Austin Genealogical Society have remained at \$6 and \$9. What other price has held steady for the past eight years? But rising costs of printing and postage have at last forced the Board and membership to vote to raise the dues.

During discussion of the subject it was brought out that family memberships had been disproportionately higher than individual, inasmuch as the only advantage the extra \$3 bought was the privilege of submitting two additional pages for the June Ancestor Listing Issue of our publication. Hence it was agreed to set the fees for membership at \$9 for an individual and \$10 for two at the same address. (This means four issues of AGS Quarterly per year -- "subscription" and single "membership dues" are the same.)

Therefore, a Long Overdue Raise in Dues Is Due 1 January 1983. It is hoped that giving warning this far in advance will ease the inflation-inflicted pain!

Two Soothing Salves: 1) Those who pay 1983 dues before the end of 1982 may do so at the present rate; and 2) Newcomers are permitted to join the Society at the Annual Workshop at half the current rate, but they will receive only the September and November quarterlies of that year. Thus, canny new members were enabled to enjoy the rest of 1982 and all of 1983 for $\$3+\$6=\$9$ single; $\$4.50+\$9=\$13.50$ double. Those of you who missed the Workshop missed this bargain.

It is calculated that this modest increase in dues will cover the cost of having our quarterlies mailed professionally. Jerry and Barbara Goudreau have borne this burden almost alone (but many thanks to all who have helped) for over six years, and no volunteers have responded to requests for someone(s) to take over the responsibility and hard work involved.

A reasonable offer for mailing the quarterlies was made by Aus-Tex Duplicators, Inc. (the firm that prints them), and the Society voted to accept it. As they will charge by the number of address labels that have to be typed, PLEASE let Barbara know right away if by next March your address will be different from the one now on your mailing label. In our next issue we will tell you when to expect your 1983 quarterlies and how to report non-delivery (which we trust will be a non-occurrence!).

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IS THE JUNE ANCESTOR-LISTING SECTION of your AGS Quarterly worth while? One of our new members thinks it is -- he spotted one of his female ancestors on another member's double-page spread. Contact with that member netted him about 67 "new" ancestors, including the first governor of Martha's Vineyard, Governor Mayhew.

So the next time you think it's too much trouble to examine that section, or to work up an entry for it, think again. It might catch the eye of someone who can take you back to 16th-Century England or to one of the Pilgrim Fathers.

BLACKBURN BOGGS NEEPER PATTERSON ROBERTSON/ROBINSON. Joseph Neeper Sr. & wife Hannah moved from Cumberland Co, PA to Miami Co, OH by 1820, with 8 children, one of whom was Joseph Jr. b. 1818 PA. On 1830 census, Miami Co, OH, Joseph Neeper Sr. & family were in household of son-in-law John Patterson. Where was Joseph Sr. in 1840? Where & when did he die?

Joseph Neeper Jr. m. Margaret Boggs 1 Sep 1842, Shelby Co, OH; in Apr-May 1843 they sold his 3/5 share of 40 acres Miami Co to Thomas Blackburn; Joseph named guardian of Robert Robertson/Robinson age 13, son of William (dec'd, of Darke Co, OH). In 1850 Joseph Jr. & family were living between Ezekiel Boggs Jr. & Sr. in Shelby Co, OH. When & where did Joseph Jr. die?--Mrs. Loudie S. Moffatt, 5708 Trailridge Dr., Austin TX 78731.

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BRADLEY (Dancy, Nancy, Samuel Parsons, Martha Maureen, Letitia, Mary Apperson, 1771) NANCE (Zachariah, James, John, Elizabeth, William, Susannah, 1805). If interested in FREE first page of will of underlined names in Charles City Co, VA, send long SASE to Mrs. H.H. Rugeley, 2202 W. 10, Austin TX 78703. Will type for \$1 each.

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"PERSONAL MENTION" [100 Years Ago]

Some interesting items copied from the column so headed in The Austin Daily Statesman of 13 May 1882 by Mrs. H.R. Gentry:

Mrs. M.J. Durst returned from a two-week visit to her sister, up the International, yesterday. [In 1872 she lived on Brazos between Hickory (now 8th) and Ash (9th) streets. ... International & Great Northern Railroad had 772 miles of line in Texas by 1880.]

John M. Swisher, Jr. of Corpus Christi, and brother-in-law of Colonel W.A. Saylor, is in the city. [Probably son of John Milton Swisher, so prominent in public affairs in Texas, who had moved to Austin in 1868 to organize a company to build the street railway.]

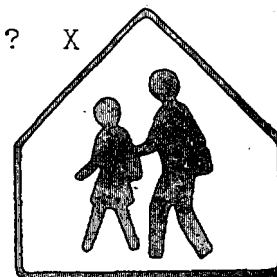
Miss Emma Burnam, a very charming young lady from Salado, is in the city visiting the family of Col. N.L. Norton.

Mrs. C.J. Jones who has been visiting her son, Mr. Tom B. Jones, of this city, has returned to her home at Athens, Texas, much improved by the visit and highly pleased with Austin.

Judge A[lexander] W[atkins] Terrell returned last evening from Burnet where he had been to defend Ed. Bomar, charged with the murder of Joe Warren nearly 8 years ago. This case attracted intense interest in that section. Bomar was acquitted.

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Have you noticed the label "PED XING" that accompanies this street sign? Ped means foot, but neither figure has a foot. The usual symbol for the word cross is +, not x. Will the anti-religionists change the title of the famous painting to "Washington exxing the Delaware"?



HAPPY HUNTING GROUND

Send queries to Mrs. H.H. Rugeley, 2202 W. 10, Austin TX 78703. Include at least one date, place & first name with each one. Use names or abbreviations of months, not figures. Proofread your copy carefully for clarity; it may be edited to our format. Queries are free.

ACREE_ADAMS_BROOKS_BROWN_KESLER_MARTIN_MASON_POOLE_WINN. Would like more information on the following:

William Acree/Acre moved from VA to Bertie Co, NC, soon after Revolutionary War, then to Wilkes Co, GA, where he died in April 1796. His son Wylie had son Allen, residing in Banks Co, GA in 1877.

Zachariah Martin (son of John) moved to Craven Co, SC, in 1763; married Rachel ---.

William A. Poole (b. 22 June 1738) died in Banks Co, GA. His son William Abijah Poole b. 10 Oct 1769.

Henry Kesler/Keasler/Keisler/Kiesler died in Newberry Dist. SC.

William Brooks Sr. b. 1710; d. 1788 in Spottsylvania Co, VA. He had sons Thomas & William Wilson Brooks; grandson Wilson Walker Brooks b. 1765; d. 14 Sep 1846, Oglethorpe Co, GA.

John Winn lived in Pickens District SC in 1800. His daughter Elizabeth m. Daniel Mason 1798-1800. His son Benjamin Winn lived in Elbert Co, GA.

Andrew Brown moved from Albemarle Co, VA to Elbert Co, GA; m. Margaret Adams. I would be grateful for any information and would reply.--C. Elmer Mason, 304 E. Walker St., Douglas GA 31533.

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BOYKIN. Leonard C. Boykin, Rte #1, Box 127, Camden SC 29020, desires to correspond and share information with descendants of Edward Boykin who settled in Isle of Wight Co, VA, in the 1600s.

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BOYD_SPRUCE. Seeking anything on Walter Eugene Boyd, b. 19 Dec 1861 in Texas. His parents: Walter Boyd (born in Louisiana) and Mary Spruce (born in Texas). His known sister was Mary Jane Boyd. --Mary Boyd Sola, Box 443, Albion CA 95410.

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ARNOLD_DRAKE_HARWOOD_LEVERTON. Seeking data on the real father of Thomas Jefferson Leverton--thought to be --- DRAKE. His mother remarried when T.J. was very young, so he went by his step-father's name. Was it legally changed? No exact place or date known, but he married Zula (?) Arnold, called "Mimi" by grandchildren. Their daughter Clair was born 9 Feb 1890 at Houston (?) TX and married Miller Harwood of Gonzales on 24 Nov 1909. In 1919, T.J. Leverton had some connection with the G. H. & S.A. local freight office in San Antonio. Earnestly desire information about his mother and her two marriages. --Mrs. H.H. Rugeley, 2202 W. 10, Austin TX 78703.

TEXAS STATE GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
TO HOLD ANNUAL CONFERENCE IN AUSTIN

The Annual Conference of Texas State Genealogical Society will be held in Austin at the Bradford Hotel 28-30 October 1982, it has been announced by Mrs. J.B. Golden, State President. Registration begins at 5 p.m. on Thursday the 28th, with exhibits on display, followed by a Friendship Reception 7 to 8:30, then Board Meeting.

On Friday the sessions will be opened at 8:30 a.m. by Mrs. Golden, Mr. C.F. Niebuhr (TSGS Treasurer) and Mr. Gerard P. Goudreau (President of Austin Genealogical Society). Principal speakers will be Mrs. Mary Kay Snell (Amarillo Librarian, formerly at Texas State Library, Genealogy Section); Dr. Louis S. Marks (Genealogy Specialist from Philadelphia) on "Scotch-Irish Records"; Mr. Michael R. Green (Historian and Archivist in Texas State Library) who will discuss "The Lamar Papers" at the luncheon; Dr. Douglas Inglis (here from Seville, Spain) talking about his translating of the "Nacogdoches Archives"; and Mr. Michael Dabrishus (Archivist for Texas State Library) on "Texas State Archives." The final event of the day will be the 7 o'clock banquet during which Dr. Marks will address the topic "English Records."

At intervals there will be presentations by Ms. Jean Kennedy (Book Awards) and by Mrs. Mary N. Speakman (Honor Awards).

On Saturday (after the 8:30 opening), the first visiting speaker will be Mr. D.C. Ellis (former US government agent) who will discuss applying investigative techniques and procedures to genealogical research in a talk entitled "Genealogy Is More Than a Statistical Record." Next, Dr. Marks will take up the subject of "Pennsylvania Germans," after which Dr. Inglis will address the group at lunch.

The concluding business meeting, chaired by Mrs. Ralph A. Bickler, will discuss the revision of by-laws and other matters.

While in Austin, conferees may wish to visit the State Library, which is open 8 to 5 Mondays through Saturdays (Genealogy Section is the only part open on Saturdays).

REGISTRATION FORM

NAME: _____ PHONE: () _____

ADDRESS: _____

REGISTRATION FEE: \$15 (includes Thursday evening Reception)
\$20 after October 15th

[I do (), do not () plan to attend the Reception.]

MEALS:

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| Friday Luncheon | \$10 | For those who can attend on |
| Friday Banquet | 15 | <u>Saturday Only:</u> \$10 plus \$10 |
| Saturday Luncheon | <u>=10=</u> | for Luncheon = \$20. |

TOTAL due for full program \$50

Send checks payable to TSGS to Treasurer, Mr. C.F. Niebuhr,
1717 Fawn Drive, Austin TX 78741

ROBERTSON COUNTY, TEXAS CENSUS 1844

When recently reading the microfilm at the Genealogy Library of the tax records of Robertson County, Texas for the year 1844, it was discovered that in addition to the usual tax information, the census taker had recorded census data.

The poll tax column was marked for those men between the ages of 21 and 45, other columns recorded those over 45, from 17 to 21, under 21, and females in the household. Another VERY interesting column records those "Revolutionists 36-7".

The columns in order are:

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| No. | Metal Clocks |
| Names of Persons (Head of house only) | Wood Clocks |
| Lands Held by Owners & Deeded | Gold Watches |
| Lands Held by Owners & Surveyed | Silver Watches |
| Valuation | Spirits Distilled |
| Town Lots | Playing Cards |
| Valuation | Poll Tax |
| Merchandise Sold | Males Over 45 |
| Money at Interest | Males Over 17 and under 21 |
| Pleasure Carriages | Males Under 17 |
| Valuation | Females |
| Negroes Over ten | Acres in Cultivation |
| Under Ten | Revolutionists of 36-7 |
| Meat Cattle | Amount of Specific (Advalorem) |
| Work Horses | Tax |
| Saddle Horses | Amount of 1/10 of Ad valorem |
| Race Horses | Amount of 1/5 of Ad valorem |
| Studs & Jacks | Total Amount of Tax |
| Price of Season | |

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| SUMMARY | Males Over 45 | 45 |
| | Males 21 under 45 | 288 |
| | Males Over 17 under 21 | 39 |
| | Males under 17 | 288 |
| | Females | 473 |
| | TOTAL | 1,133 |
| | Negroes | 547 |
| | Acres in Cultivation | 3,808 |
| | Revolutionists | 43 |

"Total amount of white population in the County of Robertson with the exception of what there is in the Colony and along between there on the Trinity River so sparsely settled & out of reach that it was (impossible?) to get them tho there is at least one hundred & fifty in all."

--Contributed by Tommy Miles

RECORDS RESEARCH CHAIRMEN

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PURPOSE: Austin Genealogical Society was organized in 1960 as a non-profit corporation chartered by the State of Texas. Its purposes are to collect and preserve genealogical and historical information about the people of Texas, particularly pertaining to the City of Austin and to Travis and surrounding counties; to instruct and assist members in genealogical research; and to publish public and private records of genealogical interest. Gifts and bequests to AGS are tax-deductible.

MEMBERSHIP is open to all upon payment of annual dues: \$6. Or, Family Memberships \$9 for two in same household, entitling them to one copy of each Quarterly, and two pages apiece (total of four) in the annual Ancestor Listings issue (June). . . . DUES FOR ENSUING YEAR ARE PAYABLE on or before the FIRST DAY OF JANUARY each year. The March Quarterly will not be mailed to those whose dues have not reached the Treasurer by MARCH FIRST. Send dues to AGS at Box 774, Austin TX 78767-0774. (Membership dues = Subscription)

MEETINGS are held in the 4th-floor auditorium of Central Public Library, 800 Guadalupe, at 7:00 p.m. [Board meets at 6:30] on the 4th Tuesday of each month except December and sometimes August. Visitors are welcome. On meeting nights, members and guests may park free across the street east of the library in the parking lot of the restored Hirshfeld House, after 5:30.

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