



COFFEY COUSINS' CLEARINGHOUSE



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PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Hello Cousins,

It was really good to see so many new faces at Fort Smith. The new people, and all of the "regulars" who have supported us over the years made the Fort Smith gathering a wonderful success. Bennie and Bob Loftin did a great job for us again! Next year we'll be in Indianapolis, and in 2006 year we have been invited to Nashville.

Fred Coffey made a great talk and slide presentation about DNA at the convention. There is apparently a lot of interest in the subject because it was well attended. Fred outlined precisely what we know so far about some of our Coffey/ y lines, and made recommendations for future testing. Readers can check Fred's presentation and conclusions by visiting his website at:

<http://members.aol.com/fredcoffey/DNAProject.pdf>
<<http://members.aol.com/fredcoffey/DNAProject.pdf%A0>>

You will need the free Adobe PDF reader in order to view the info.

Thanks to all who attended this years convention. Those who attend fairly regularly are the backbone of the organization. But, a primary reason for

holding the meeting in a new city each year is to attract new cousins to the family. This year we had many new cousins attend, and hopefully they will all be with us again next year.

Cheers!
Jack

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EDITOR'S LETTER

Dear Cousins,

Thanks to Bennie and Bob Loftin' hard work, we had a great convention at Ft. Smith, Arkansas. My only complaint is that it always ends too soon. We were so happy to see so many new researchers this year. I hope we get to visit with them again next year. The Cleveland Coffey (1810-1863) line was the best representation this year. (Includes, Juanita Daniel and the six people she brought with her, Irene Crumley, Juanita's parents, and sister, and Pam and Charles Web.)

Bennie Loftin has called to my attention, a problem with "THE GOODMAN CEMETERY." Be sure that you read about this Memorial Cemetery on page 14 of this issue. I don't understand how they can get these tombstones. I hope someone will explain it to me.

The Coffee/Coffey DNA project is moving along rather steadily. You can check the results at any time using the address that Fred Coffey has provided on page 15. I will try to print all of the results again in the September issue of C.C.C. The next one will take up a lot of space. We still do not have any volunteers from the Peter Coffee line, but the Edward and Hugh Coffey lines are being well represented.

Our library has almost doubled since the last issue with the addition of Kathryn Johnson's genealogy collection. I wish to thank her son, Dane and daughter-in-law, Denise Johnson for thinking of us when they had to decide what to do with Kathryn's books.

I've learned of a new tool for marking grave sites, to prevent loss, in the older cemeteries. The hand held G.P.S. (Global Positioning System) takes their signals from the government satellite system. If you know the G.P.S. co-ordinates, you can find a grave within a few feet. Our new car has a G.P.S. in it and I recorded the co-ordinates

for all the cemeteries that I visited over Memorial week.

Last but not least, we had an unusual number of obituaries in the newsletter this quarter. I wish to extend our sincere sympathy to their families and loved ones for myself and all the cousins.

Sincerely,

Bonnie Culley

P.S. Remember, helping another researcher will make a new friend for life.

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NEW NAMES**Ancestor**

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NEW COUSINS

* Pat Haddock is trying to find her ggg grandfather. Pat says, "My gg grandfather was Stephen Riley b abt 1824. His brother was Cleveland Coffee Riley b. 1818. So I'm looking for a nice Coffee (Coffey) girl born about 1800 or before who married a Riley. This ggg grandfather Riley was born in South Carolina according to census data given by sons. There also could have been a West Riley and Sarah Riley as siblings to Cleveland and Stephen. Stephen and Cleveland married Lovell/ Loveall girls and one of their mothers was Lucinda Walker who married Abraham Loveall. Stephen and Cleveland Riley named their children Abraham, Nancy, West, Mary, Luther Osgood, Arcadia, Theodocia, Cleveland, Lucinda, Stephen, James, Eunice, Marcellus (a boy) Camilas, (a boy) George. Do any of these names fit in with family history?" If you recognize Pat's family, write to her at her address in the new cousins list or e-mail <rhaddock@cox.net>

* Douglas and Beverly Coffey have researched Doug's line and found it as follows: Edward Coffey, John Coffey, William Coffey, Osborne Coffey, Richard Nightengale Coffey, William A. Coffey, Richard Nightengale & George McDowell Coffey. Douglas is at least a 9th generation Coffey.

On April 12th, Doug and Bev visited Essex County, VA. They saw the Vauters Church near Loretto and stopped by the Tappahannach, VA Library to seek more information about the

cemetery where Edward Coffey was buried. The librarian told them the cemetery no longer existed. I hope you will welcome them by dropping a line or an email. Their email; <dbCoffey@ectisp.net>

* Archie E. Dalton attended the Coffey Convention in Ft. Smith and is researching the Dalton family. You might question why "the Coffey Convention" but Mr. Dalton is related to many of us through our collateral lines of Dalton, Rucker, Wolf and McGinnis as these families were very intermarried in North Carolina and Tennessee. He would appreciate hearing from others working on these lines. Archie's e-mail address is <Adalton478@Hotmail.COM

* Jeannine (Coffee) Griffin is the cousin of Lorie Okel. They are researching the line of Collins Coffee who was born in North Carolina in 1807. Jeannine's address is in the New Cousins list.

* Bill and Beverly Hauerwas live in Dallas, TX. Bill is the brother of Jo Langwell who has been a long time researcher of the Peter Coffey line. Their address is in the New Cousins list above.

* Teri Stanek attended the convention in Ft. Smith this year. Teri is a descendant of Hugh and Mary (Roman) Coffey of Omaha, TX. She is trying to find Hugh's connection to Brinton, John "Gig", Langston, Milton, etc. She says that there is no proof of who are brothers and who were cousins, uncles, etc. or who their parents were. Hope you can help Teri at <teristanek@hotmail.com> or the address in the new cousins list.

* Patsy D. Burns is the daughter of Billie McKinney a very active Coffey family researcher. We met Patsy at the convention in Ft. Smith this year. It was really good to see several young people attend with their parents. This indicates that the research is being passed on. Patsy's address is in the New Cousins list.

CORRECTIONS & ANSWERS

* Last issue #94, p. 4 - I (Bonnie) made up a quick obit for Kathryn Johnson while I was still wintering in Florida. I made several mistakes and would like to correct them here.

Kathryn Johnson died Dec. 29, 2003 in New Bern NC. She was the daughter of Ernest and Irene Hayes. Her only son is Dane Johnson and her grandson is Shawn Johnson. Kathryn was an avid genealogist and long time Coffey Cousins.

* Janet McGill's address was printed incorrectly in the last issue. Her town should be STEARNS, Ky.

* Janice Hodgson's address was also incorrect. It is 559 Meadow Avenue NE.

* Reams Goodloe sends the following. It indicates that we are not using the index to it's fullest. He found:

The following is the Coffey Cousins Clearinghouse index listings of some of the people in your inquiry on P. 7 of the March Clearinghouse.

Numbers are issue and page.

WHEAT, EMELINA PARTHENA (COFFEY), w/o CYRUS CHRISTOPHER m.1877/8 KY d.IL, 20-7, 74-10, 92-7.

WHEAT, EMELINA PARTHENA (D(Cont.)), she wss a.k.a EMILY M. 93-3, 94-7.

COFFEY, CYRUS CHRISTOPHER (WHEAT), s/o ANDERSON h/o EMELINA PARTHENA b.1854 KY m.1877/8 KY,

COFFEY, CYRUS CHRISTOPHER (X(Cont.)), 20-7, 74-10, 92-7, 93-3, 94-7.

* Julie Duncan Wilbur reminded me that Hiram

Coffee always spelled his name with the "ee." I had it in my data base as Coffey. She also says that he and Arah Elizabeth Huffman had 7 children. Julie is at <gogogranny4@juno.com>

* Ellen Wagner says that she made a mistake in the spelling of the name of Don Coffey's new granddaughter. Her middle name is Rae (not Rea). Thanks Ellen. <RDECWagner@AOL.COM>

* Reams Goodloe <kaa5@earthlink.net > also answers another query.

Re: your inquiry in Coffey Cousins Clearinghouse March 2004 p.8.

The correct spelling for the Tennessee governor is Trousdale. I do not know about the Rev. title. but I do know that Joshua died a ward of the county, in debt in Warren county TN. This line has been in the Clearinghouse previously. See issue 22 p.12.

* Kenneth Coffee of Texas says; "I don't do too much research anymore, but I do read all you write. My CCC ancestor's correct name is Ebin Cleveland Coffee. I found this out a few years back but did not write.

I am considering a DNA test - If "The Coffeys of Wayne County", by Jacqueline Coffey Sexton is correct, Ref: page 48, (E.C. Coffey is listed T.C. Coffey), - then I are descended from Edward and Ann Powell Coffey.

I am trying to educate myself on the subject of DNA. Kenneth's e-mail address is: <krcoffee@delrio.com>

Flexible people never get bent
out of shape!

OBITUARIES**C. W. COFFEY**

C.W. Bill, Coffey, 57, died May 13, 2004. He who was born July 10, 1946 in New Orleans, Louisiana. He was the son of Kay and Clarence Coffey. He is survived by his wife Sandra, his son Brian and his daughter Kimberly Scoville and her husband Zebulon. Also, a sister Kathy Edgerton.

(Info: Houston Chronicle. From Sheri Kelly)

DONNA COFFEY

Donna Coffey, wife of Ray Coffey died on Feb 13, 2004 at St. John's Hospital in Springfield, Missouri. She is buried in Chapel Hill Cemetery, Kansas City, Kansas. We send our sincere sympathy to the family.

(Info:Ray Coffey <n0bzm@microcore.net>

B. PAULINE HAMM

B. Pauline Hamm, 72, of Springfield (IL), died early Sunday morning, March 28, 2004 at her residence. She was born June 1, 1931 in Ashland (IL), the daughter of Samuel and Mary Luzetta White Tinsley.

She married Haden Lee Coffey in 1948 in Jacksonville (IL). In 1959 she married Jay Bernie Hamm in Springfield (IL).

Besides her husband also surviving are five daughters, Karen S. (Coffey) Buck (husband Mike) of Philadelphia (IL), Kathy M. (Coffey) Long (husband Dan), Debra Hamm, and Jaylene K. (Hamm) Thicksten (husband Shawn) all of Springfield (IL), and Denise M. (Hamm) Burge (husband Ned) of Chatham (IL); one son, Kenneth W. Coffey of Virginia (IL); three sisters, Alma Lee Behl (husband Bob) of Meredosia (IL), two sisters, Linda Sanders (husband Joe) of Jacksonville (IL) and Judy Holland (husband Frank) of Wills Point, TX; one brother Samuel Tinsley (wife Patsy) of Prentice (IL) 17 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one son, Kevin Ray "Butch" Coffey; one infant

brother, Ruel Tinsley; and one sister Mary Velda. Mrs. Hamm was a lifelong member of the First Baptist Church of Ashland, which her fathers family founded in 1886. Burial in the Ashland (IL) City Cemetery. (Info: Jacksonville IL newspaper & Kenneth Wayne Coffey)

Richard Taylor Kirkes Jr.

Richard (Rick) Kirkes Jr., of Pauls Valley, died Saturday, May 1, 2004, in Pauls Valley. Services were held at Paoli Cemetery with the Rev. Bob Kanary officiating. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Wooster Funeral Home of Pauls Valley. He was 43. born June 8, 1960, he was the son of Richard Taylor and Pauline (Coffee) Kirkes. He grew up in Wilburton and graduated from Wilburton High School.

(Info: Bennie Loftin)

CYNTHIA COFFEY OSBORN

Cynthia Coffey Osborn, 58, died of a pulmonary aneurysm Feb. 19, 2004 at a hospital in Jacksonville, TX.

Ms. Osborn lived in Alexandria for nearly 30 years before moving to Jacksonville after retirement to be closer to her mother, Geneva Thompson.

Ms. Osborn was born in Harlingen, Tex., and raised in Brownsville, Tex.

She moved to the Washington area in 1962 and graduated with an associate degree from Northern Virginia Community College.

Her marriage to Kenneth Wakeman Osborn ended in divorce.

EVA A. BARNETT

Eva A. Barnett 99, of Pleasant Plains, Sangamon Co. IL, died Tuesday, Feb. 24, 2004 at Capitol Care Center, Springfield, IL.

She was born Feb 28, 1904 in Monticello, Wayne Co., Ky, the daughter of James Henry and Laura Belle Hall Powell. She married Roy Barnett in 1921 in Monticello, Ky. he died in 1986. A son Alfred also preceded her in death.

Mrs Barnett was a member of First Church of God. Survivors two daughters Juanita (husband Pat) McMillen of Pleasant Plains, and Lila Glick of Winter Haven FL, grandchildren.

(Illinois State Journal-Register Kenneth W. Coffey)

{Eva Anna Powell was the sister of Kenneth's grandmother Ethel Coco Powell Coffey. Her husband Roy Barnett was the brother of his great grandmother Lina May Barnett Coffey,}

MARCELLA A. COFFEY GOFORTH

Marcella A. Coffey Goforth, age 88 of Pittsburgh, TX (formerly of Plano, TX), passed away March 13, 2004, in Tyler TX. She is survived by her sons, Vernon Goforth and Jerry Goforth, both of Pittsburgh. She was preceded in death by her husband and one sister. Internment will be in the Fitzhugh Cemetery.

(The Dallas Morning News, March 15, 2004)

Dr. AMOS COFFEE

Dr. Coffee died Wed. Feb. 11, 2004 at Cox Medical Center South Springfield, Missouri. He was born Aug. 8, 1920, at Baxter Springs, Kan., the son of James and Mary Coffee.

On Mar. 7, 1942, he was married to Alice Bacon and to this union four children were born. On Dec. 22, 1991, he was married to Bonnie Acuff.

Dr. Coffee was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving in Italy. He first entered medicine as a registered nurse, then at the age of 32 began medical school at Loma Linda, CA School of Medicine Evangelism. In Dec. 1959, he opened a practice in Willow Springs, MO, retiring in 1996.

Survivors include wife Bonnie Coffee; sons, Mike Coffee, Conyers, GA; Martin Coffee, Long Lane, MO; Merlin Coffee, Marshfield, MO; daughter Mafalda Cruttenden, Macon, MO; stepson, James Lee Ward, Fayetteville, N.C.; stepdaughters, Helen Welch, Sikeston, MO and Dorothy McCutchen, Springfield, MO. He was preceded in death by his parents; first wife, Alice; one brother; and one granddaughter, Alica Coffee.

Burial is in the Howell Memorial Park Cemetery (Obit provided by Lori Okel)

MARY EVELYN (COFFEY) PADGETT

Jessie wrote that he had trouble reading the following scanned obit, so he typed it. This lady comes down from Marvel and Abigail (Jordan) Coffey. Marvel is from the Benjamin Coffey line.

Mary Evelyn Padgett, 80, of Eubank, Kentucky, died Friday, March 26, 2004 at her residence. Mrs. Padgett was born Jan. 2, 1924 at Hummel, the daughter of Elmer and Amy (Anderson) Coffey. She was the widow of Alva Padgett, a housewife and a member of the Cuba Community Church of God at Eubank.

Survivors include two sons, Clyde and Doug Padgett; five daughters, Linda Schiele, Debbie Barger, Nora Roberts and Jean Brown; one step-daughter, Margaret Jordan and a brother, Marvel "Buddy" Coffey.

Besides her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a son, Clayton Jones; a sister, Geneva Smith; a half-brother Ollis Fitzgerald and a grandson, Kenny Warner. Burial was in the Cuba Cemetery.

(Descendant of Marvel and Abigail (Jordan) Coffey

(Mt.Vernon, KY Signal - from Jeanne Bonham)

Help others get ahead. You will always stand taller with someone else on your shoulders.

BOB MOAWAD
Business leader

DEAD ENDS

* Ron & Chris Wallace are researching the following very interesting Coffey family. They are looking for their Irish roots and so far have had no luck finding the names of Jeremiah's parents. Here is what they do have:

Jeremiah Coffey was a shoemaker of 40 years when he died in 1907. He and his wife Anna Flynn settled in Galesburg, IL, raised a family of nine children, and both died there. Jeremiah Coffey and Anna Flynn immigrated from County Tipperary, Ireland.

Jeremiah Coffey, born May 22, 1844 in Newport, Tipperary, Ireland (tombstone inscription St. Joseph's Cemetery in Galesburg IL), died Dec. 3, 1907 in Galesburg after being hit by a train. One of the obituaries written for him states his birthday as May 22, 1839. He married Anna Flynn, circa 1867, who was born April 4, 1842 in County Tipperary, Ireland. She died Dec. 9, 1884 in Galesburg (tombstone inscription next to Jeremiah).

Jeremiah had three sisters mentioned in his 1907 obituary by their married names, all in Chicago: Mrs. Thomas Skahan, Mrs. Thomas McNichols, and Mrs. Guider (or Guyder).

Their nine children were: Mary E. Coffey (1867-1945), Thomas P. Coffey (1870-?), Daniel W. Coffey (1871-1947), Anna Coffey (1874-?), Katherine Coffey Wallace (1875-1928), Jane Agnes Coffey King (1878-1954), Teresa L. Coffey (1880-1961), John Edward Coffey (1883-1913), and Joseph W. Coffey (1875-?).

If you can help please contact Ron & Chris Wallace at Chris Wallace crspinner@earthlink.net and copy Judy Ramsay-Jensen at Scottishgal@centurytel.Net

* Bev Butler writes: "After contacting Jerry Coffee, found him on his web site about a month ago, I plugged into the Clearinghouse site. I am winding up an 9 month project of transcribing a wagon train manuscript of 1863. On that train were children of Joel Coffee and wife Martha Ellen Moore Coffee. Joel died in 1848, Martha

and the 8 children came to Illinois to be with her Moore relations and married George S. Wootten. Joel and my gggrandfather, Joshua David Coffee were brothers. I believe David Coffee and Sytha Meadows were the parents. All of TN. I am from the Joshua Coffee and Jerry Coffee is my half cousin. Joshua's 1st wife Delihla Conger were Jerry's line and the second wife, Sarah Hill is my line. Jerry's line went to Texas and the ones from Sarah Hill and Joshua came west. Wm Floyd Coffee, son of Joshua and Sarah, came to Modesto and that's where I enter. Blanche Eva Coffee (Rose) was my grandmother. That gives an idea of my Coffee line. " If you can help Bev, her address is 3410 Alpine View Ct., Carson City NV 89705, <bbbnv@charter.net>

* Sheri Kelly found the following query on a message board and passed it on to us. If someone has the answer to the query, we may get a new Cousin. Mail answer to: <oxdrover@mindspring.com>

Subject: [COFFEE] Coffee m Anderson in Montgomery Co TN ca 1800?

<http://boards.ancestry.com/mbexec/msg/rw/YNJ.2ACEB/408>

Message Board Post:

Am working on a theory that the Henry Anderson (b ca 1781 SC) of Bedford Co TN who married Jane Coffee is not the son of Capt. Henry Anderson, as alleged, but that he may be the son of Timothy Anderson of Montgomery Co TN. Would like to hear from anyone with information on the surname Coffee or Coffey in Montgomery Co TN around the year 1800. There were some by the name there around that time, as John Coffee is mentioned in the marriage record of Elizabeth Coff(ey) to Richard Cocke or Cocks on 25 Feb 1799.

* Gloria Jones contacted Lorie Okel by email about her Coffey family. She is the great granddaughter of B. F. and Martha Coffey. She still lives in what is known as McCearry Co. KY which was part of Wayne Co, KY in the early

days. Her father's mother was B. F. and Martha's daughter. Her grandmother had three children, a boy and two girls. Gloria says that she has a lot to share and would like to correspond with others working on the Coffey line. Gloria's e-mail is <GJ50@webtv.net>

* Bill DeGarmo sent me the query below on his Lavina Coffey line. He wants to inquire if anyone knows which Joel Coffey may be her father. The trouble is, there are 2 Nebuzaradens born 9 years apart and like many others named the same name, their exploits in life have been "co-mingled" with each other. One Neb may be the son of a Joel and the other the son of James. But the one born in 1780 and the one born in 1789 could be the same person, or two different people. Please send corrections to the newsletter.

Ancestors of Lavina Coffey

Generation No. 1

1. Lavina Coffey, born ABT 1805 in IL; died Aft. 1865 in Bourbon Co, KS, dau. of Joel Coffey and Jane "Jennie" Coffey. She married (1) Simeon Frost Coombs July 22, 1823 in Adair Co, KY. Born ABT 1802 in Jessamine Co, KY(Virginia?), and died Dec. 21, 1859 in McGee Co, KS(Now Cherokee Co). Son of Jesse Combs and Margaret "Peggy" Frost.

Generation No. 2

2. Joel Coffey, born ABT 1774 in NC; died ABT 1822 in KY, son of Nebuzaraden Coffey and Elizabeth Hayes. He married Jane "Jennie" Coffey Aug. 22, 1793 in Wilkes Co, NC. She was born ABT 1774 in Rowan Co, NC, dau. of Joel Coffey and Martha C. "Patsy" Stapp.

Children of Joel Coffey and Jane Coffey are:

- i. Allen Coffey
- ii. Joel Coffey
- iii. Lewis Coffey
- iv. Wilborn Coffey
- v. James A. Coffey, born ABT 1800 in Green Co, KY; died April 1857 in Russell County, Kentucky; married Mahala Coffey May 2, 1827 in Barren Co, KY; born ABT 1803 in KY.

- vi. Lavina Coffey, (See generation 1)
- vii. Celia "Celey" Coffey, born ABT 1810 in Adair Co, KY; died Sept. 24, 1857 in Russell Co, KY.
- viii. Cynthia Coffey, born ABT 1811 in Adair Co, KY; died June 10, 1857 in Russell Co, KY; married Silas Sutherland; born ABT 1814 in KY.

Generation No. 3

4. Nebuzaraden Coffey, born ABT 1757 in Wilkes Co, NC; died ABT 1797 in Madison Co, KY. Son of Chesley Joel Coffey and Jane Cleveland. He married 5. Elizabeth Hayes ABT 1773.

5. Elizabeth Hayes, born ABT 1760; died ABT 1830.

Children of Nebuzaraden Coffey and Elizabeth Hayes are:

- i. Elizabeth "Betsy" Coffey, married James Lester Dec.14, 1819.
 - ii. James Coffey
 - iii. Louis Coffey, married Cassey Coffey.
 - iv. Ruth Coffey, married Andrew Moody Jan. 15, 1800 in Madison Co, KY.
 - v. Joel Coffey,(See generaton 2 above)
 - vi. Ananias "Nias" Coffey, born May 12, 1775 in NC; died ABT 1828 in Kentucky; married Jane Hindman August 24, 1807 in Green Co, KY; born June 11, 1781 in Rockbridge, VA.
 - vii. Fielding Coffey, born ABT 1780; married Celia "Sealy" Coffey Mar. 3,1800 in Madison Co, KY; born ABT 1777 in NC.
 - viii. Sarah "Sary" Coffey, born ABT 1780.
 - ix. Mary "Polly" Coffey, born Aft. 1781; married Joe McDowell McMillan Mar.14, 1801 in Green Co, KY.
 - x. Salathiel Coffey, born ABT 1782 in Wilkes Co, NC; married (1) Mary "Polly" Blair Oct. 25, 1808 in Adair Co, KY; born ABT 1790 in KY; married (2) Anna "Annie" Lynch Aug. 19, 1813 in Pulaski Co, KY.
 - xi. John "Hayes" Coffey, born ABT 1793; died ABT 1860; married Mary "Polly" Burkett.
6. Joel Coffey, born ABT 1740 in Amherst Co, VA; died ABT July 27, 1789 in Wilkes Co, NC. He was the son of Chesley Joel Coffey and Jane

Cleveland. He married 7. Martha C. "Patsy" Stapp. 7. Martha C. "Patsy" Stapp, born ABT 1750 in Virginia; died Sept. 25, 1816. She was the dau. of Joseph Stapp and Katherine Weatherspoon.

Children of Joel Coffey and Martha Stapp are:

- i. Joseph Coffey
- ii. Katherine "Katie" Coffey
- iii. Cleveland Coffey, born ABT 1765; died May 1, 1815 in Green Co, KY; married Jane Witherspoon Feb 11, 1794 in Wilkes Co, NC; born ABT 1783 in VA; died in Adair Co, KY.
 - iv. Jane "Jennie" Coffey, born ABT 1774 in Rowan Co, NC; married Joel Coffey Aug. 22, 1793 in Wilkes Co, NC.
 - v. James Coffey, born March 13, 1774; died May 15, 1826 in Jackson Co, AL; married Elizabeth "Betsy" Coffey ABT 1806; born May 12, 1781 in Wilkes Co, NC; died 1837.
 - vi. Joel Coffey Jr., born ABT 1775 in Wilkes Co, NC; married Martha Patricia Cobb ABT 1815.
 - vii. Celia "Sealy" Coffey, born ABT 1777 in NC; married Fielding Coffey March 3, 1800 in Madison Co, KY; born ABT 1780.
 - viii. Nathaniel "Nathan" Coffey, born Jan. 10, 1788 in Wilkes Co, NC; died Sept. 19, 1834; married Sarah M. "Sally" Meredith Nov. 13, 1806 in Adair Co, KY; born Oct. 26, 1789 in NC.
 - ix. Nebuzaraden "Zarah" Coffey, born Aug. 29, 1789; died Jan. 20, 1867; married (1) Diana "Dicey" Ballew; married (2) Elizabeth Easley, Sept. 11, 1810 in Cumberland Co, KY.

* Bryan Hopkins, <Bryan.K.Hopkins@saint-gobain.com> wrote;

"I noticed that you help people sort out the Coffee name. My gggrandfather's brother married a Luvina Coffey (Coffee) at the age of 16 on Aug.14, 1894 in Ohio (Belmont/Monroe Co.s). His name was Jasper Sherden Hopkins. Luvina Coffey (Coffee) was born Aug.14, 1878 in what appears to be Monroe Co, Ohio. She died on Dec. 6, 1913 and is buried at the Stafford Cemetery in Stafford Ohio. She had a sister that lived in Shadyside

Ohio.

I can not find any record of her parents names. It is thought (family story) that some of Luvina's relatives were from Michigan. (Maybe Wayne County, Michigan){more likely KY Bonnie}. For some reason that I can not remember, I have Seareina as a middle name or first name for Luvina. Any help would be appreciated."

* Camay Achtemichuk is researching the line of Elizabeth Stapp/Stepp who married William Morris. She says that she knows a great deal about Elizabeth in West Virginia - at least about her family. She has found 10 children for William and Elizabeth and has identified some of their grandchildren and beyond. Camay would like to correspond with others working on the Stapp/Stepp family. Her e-mail is <northstar@imagerwireless.ca. Ground mail is 31-207 Bradbrooke Dr., Yorkton, SK, S3N-2K4, Canada.

* Billy A. England needs help with information on his great great grandfather, John D. Coffey. He is looking for parents of John D. Coffey. John D. Coffey b. 1821 in Barren Co. KY, m. 30 Nov. 1852 to Sarepta Chambers. Sarepta Chambers Coffey married a Coomer after having 3 Coffey children; Loydd, John W and Julia Ann.

John W. Coffey was born Sept. 12, 1853 and died Aug 1, 1935. He married Millie Hurt, daughter of James Hurt and Kittie Shaw. Billie also would like to know who James and Kittie's parents were. He says that he is not a computer person so needs us to correspond by mail. He is also hard of hearing so using the phone is also a problem. Billy's address is, 1291 W. 375 N., Anderson, IN 46011

CURRENTS IN THE STREAM

*Jo Langwell is responsible for having a Confederate Grave Marker placed on the grave of her great grandfather, NIMROD THOMAS COFFEE, Sergeant of the 27th Alabama Regiment Infantry Company I. The dedication was held on May 22, 2004 in the Big Springs Cemetery, Garland, TX. If you are interested in how to get a marker placed on a Confederate grave, contact Jo at 3729 English, Garland, TX 75043 or honeyjo2@comcast.net

* Bonnie Bellamy wrote: "Bonnie, you must be getting my e-mails I sent to my second cousin Mary Isom, It's alright with for you to print my familys history. I really don't see a connection to Holland Coffey, but if some one does thats o.k. with me if it is proven, We are searching for Joel William (William on census) Coffee's (our Great Grandfather's) parents, and siblings, and I have been for many years, so any information we get would be appreciated. Mary had a story supposed to be from my Aunt, and her Grandmother, where she stated that Holland was Uncle to my Aunt and of course, it would be my mothers Uncle. But my records show that Holland had his trading post in the 1830's 40's, and he was killed in 1846. My Aunt, according to her age she gave, would have arrived in Texas in 1886, and my G. Grand parents according to the records show they arrived in the early 80's, and my Grandfather in about 1885/86. They had sons born in Ala. in 1883 and 1885. So I really don't have a proven record that Holland was related. But as I have already said we would like to hear if there is some one that has any info. on this." Bonnie's address' 1714 Lancaster Circle, Norman OK 73069 <Bbellamy76@AOL.COM>

* Extracted from LLOYD BOCKSTRUCK / The Dallas Morning News *

When the only copy of a record is lost, such as a veteran's discharge papers, it can impact the family historian. Do you have personal papers that have been handed down for generations? What steps have you taken to prevent losing such heirlooms?

Fires, floods and tornadoes can eliminate genealogical records. Some years ago, the National Genealogical Society instituted a project to collect copies of family records entered in Bibles, ledgers and journals to ensure their survival and availability to descendants. Technology has taken us to a higher plane.

The NGS Family Papers Collection has inaugurated a nationwide project of scanning and digitizing historic photos, Bible pages, letters, church records and other original records.

The NGS has selected the Dallas area as the first to participate in the project. The society will place your unpublished genealogical documents on a CD and give you a copy to be stored in a safe-deposit box.

Carla and Dennis Ridenour, NGS experts in digital imaging, will scan the documents and give you a CD containing the images, free of charge. The NGS will ask permission to include selected images in its on line Family Papers Collection so that researchers can view them at no charge. The digital imaging will be offered Mondays through Thursdays from noon to 8 p.m., Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Sundays from 1 to 4 p.m. The service is available through March 20 in the McDermott Room in the Genealogy Library at the J. Erik Jonson Central Library, 1515 Young St. in downtown Dallas.

If you have more than 150 pages to be digitized or scanned, make an appointment with John Wylie at john@johnwylie.com or call 972-2062723.

Whether you have a Revolutionary War ancestor's family Bible, a great-great-grandfather's confirmation certificate from Germany, two letters from Civil War ancestors, or the passport a great-great-uncle used when he left Europe, you have something worthy of preservation.

Lloyd Bockstruck is the supervisor of the genealogy section of the J. Erik Jonson Central Library. Address questions to Family Tree, Texas Living section, The Dallas Morning News, P.O. Box 655237, Dallas, TX 75265.

* John Taylor offers the following valuable

information:

“At the office, we had a representative from Polk Directories call on us. It is my understanding that Polk purchased Hill Directories a few years back. He checked for me with his office and he was informed that there is a repository of _all available_ Hill Directories in Fort Wayne, IN. Contact Dana Williamson at 1-260-421-1224. As far as he knows, this is the most complete collection. Thought the Coffeys might be interested.

Many times city libraries carry as many of the old directories for their city as they can find, but you may not be able to visit Palo Alto if you live in Virginia.

I'm sure there were years for which the directories were not published, but they do go back in Richmond as far as 1817. As you may know, city directories have been around for a long time, and can yield some very useful ancestral information, such as occupation, in the old days. More recently, they list persons alphabetically and also by street address, then also by telephone number. So, if you have an old address book with a phone number, and a general area, you can establish who and where they lived in past times. Might help define some friends or remote family. Its easier now on the net, of course, but that only works for current phone numbers. Listing by street address also tells you who the neighbors were and whether there was a local bar on the corner or whatever.

Sometimes you can find a future spouse 3 doors down!

These directories can be extremely valuable in tracking down ancestors. Unfortunately, there are few if any directories for rural areas.

Hope this information helps someone with their research. Thanks, John Taylor

* I Bonnie Culley have not tried this yet but it sounds very promising and I plan to try “after I find my desk”.

CENSUS RECORDS FREE

To view census yourself on line for FREE!!!!!!.....

Go to Delta County Colorado Public Library web page by clicking on url below (or copy and paste): <http://www.dcpd.org/>

Once on that page click on WEB PICKS on left hand side of page.

Once on the next page click on PEOPLE in center of page.

Once on that page click on Heritage Quest.

Keep in mind each time you want to use this site you must go through this same route each time.

* Spencer Coffey <elzorroblando@juno.com> corrected me on his lineage. I had it wrong when we were trying to get the DNA project reported. My (Spencer's) lineage is as follows, in descending order:

- 1) John Coffey, Rev.War soldier
- 2) John Coffey 1773-1843
- 3) Jonathan Norman Coffey 1819-1896
- 4) Robert Exum Coffey 1858-1939
- 5) Carl Ernest Coffey 1904-1990
- 6) me (Spencer Coffey)

If there is PROOF as to which of the many John Coffeys my Rev.War soldier was, I have yet to see it.

* John Taylor says that they still have their place in Coffeytown but have built on 10 acres closer to Richmond. He is working on an article about 3 Coffeys for the Amherst County Heritage Book, second edition. (Be sure we get to order one for the Coffey Library John!)

He says; “Our primary source of Coffey information, and the inspiration as to why we are so interested - Elsie Coffey Coffey - died this year at an old age. She lived her whole life in Coffeytown, born, schooled, married, reared her children, and went to Macedonia Church, then settled down and died in her home of more than 50 years. Such a simple woman, in a simple setting, and yet she, and so many like her, should be recipients of something like the Congressional Medal of Honor - just for being wonderful people. She, and the two bachelors Hersey and Embree - all dead now- were our connection to the Coffey

family. So, I guess it goes without saying, yes, we still love the mountains.

Mark will graduate from GW Law School this May. He wants to practice law

Take care and say "Hi" to all for us. We miss that crazy Coffey bunch!." John's e-mail <jtaylor923@aol.com>

The game of life is the game of boomerangs.
Our thoughts, deeds and words return to us
sooner or later, with astounding accuracy.

FLORENCE SHINN (1871-1940)
Writer

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DOCUMENTS GALORE

Susan Coffey Wooten posted the following on the Genealogy.Com web site: "According to a copy of "The Coffey Family Bible" sent to me (Susan) by Sandy Warde, the following may clear up a few things.

1. Benjamin Coffey's wife Exea Saphronia Stepp.
2. One of Benjamin's sons Lawson H. Coffey's marriages. In a hand written ledger, it says: 1st wife Matilda Adeline Litten, b. 25 Oct. 1827 m. Missouri, 2/1/1851. 2nd wife, Mary A. Litten. (Couldn't be mother of Columbus as he was born 1845.) 3rd wife Elizabeth Ann Campbell b. 18 Jan. 1836, m. Missouri, 1856. (Mother of 8 children) and d. 6. Mar. 1915.
3. Another brother of Lawson H. - William Wiley Coffey m. Malinda Emaline Litten. (Matilda Adeline Litten's twin sister b. 25 Oct. 1827 d. 25 May 1915.
4. Sarah (Sally Ann Coffey m. William Kinston Litten.

Matilda Adeline Litten- Lawson Howard Coffey's 1st wife.

Malinda Emaline Litten- William Wiley Coffey's wife

William Kinston Litten- Sarah (Sally) Ann Coffey's husband all had the same parents, Joel and Sarah M. Litten

According to Lawson's Obituary, it says he married Polly Adoline Litton in 1850, had two boys, she died 1857. He then married Eliza Ann Campbell on Aug. 15 11858. Susan thinks the Mary A. Litten (2nd wife) was nicknamed or went by Mary or just (Polly) Adeline Litten. She thinks wife 1 & 2 are the same. (I do not have an address for Susan Wooten - go to Genealogy.Com)

LT. WILLIAM COFFEY

Aug. 24, 1864 — Major Howell and Samuel Morrow killed Lt. William Coffey. (Story from The Columbia Herald, Apr 13, 1970.) Lt. Coffey, a Confederate Officer, returned home, took the oath, and was quietly staying at home, when Morrow came along through Mt. Pleasant and made Major

Howell deliberately shoot Coffey while he was setting on a rail. It was a cold-blooded, dastardly, unprovoked murder of an innocent, unoffending man, and a number of the best citizens of Mt. Pleasant witnessed it. Peace came and one night Morrow was killed. Was it strange? Would it have been otherwise in any of the Northern States? (From The Columbia Herald, Apr 22, 1870) Samuel Morrow of Maury Co. was a Federal soldier, and belonged to one of the Tennessee regiments; was honorably discharged from the U.S. Service; was an old man, 60 years of age was murdered in his own house by a band of masked men, on the night of the 4th of Aug 1869. In order to save the lives of his children, into whose bed those outlaws were firing, after breaking down the front door of his dwelling, Morrow rushed out in the midst of these men and was riddled with bullets.

Aug.24, 1864 - (From the Diary of J.W. Matthews) Lt. Bill Coffey was Lt. Of Capt. C. Fletcher Barnes' Company Biffle's Regt. 9Th Tenn. Cavalry, CSA. He conscripted a lot of men in the west part of Maury Co. and in the edge of Lewis; took them to Ft. Donelson while the fight was going on, left them in the trenches without food or guns. They were captured (next day) and sent to a frozed Island (Johnson's Island, Lake Erie). Their clothing was very scanty. One of these men joined the Yankee army and came to Maury Co. with them, acting as a pilot for the Yankees in the west part of the county. Yankees came suddenly into Mt. Pleasant with this pilot (Major Howell). Bill Coffey was sitting on the edge of the pavement in front of the Lt. O. Cross' Hotel - Pilot asked if his name was Bill Coffey, "Yes," Coffey replied. "Sir, your life is mine." Pilot drew his pistol and fired. At first shot Coffey fell out of chair and was shot again after he hit the pavement. Coffey had resigned or "just quit" or maybe didn't know the Yankees were near.

(From the book "History of Maury Co.") Coffey, William, 1st Lt.; killed by Sam Morrow and others "home-made Yankees" in Mt. Pleasant;

uncle of Hugh B. Douglass; Douglass says Coffey had insulted Mrs. Sam Morrow, and then "got the drop" on Morrow and made Morrow "Apologize"!!! Morrow got Major Howell to shoot Coffey.

(From lhowell@wk.net)

* Sheri Kelly <bluemoonrotts@yahoo.com> says; "I've ~~been looking around for some family~~ association for Alice's Nellson Coffey. It does appear that some of James Coffey's children (from early NC), at least Eli, along with the Marvel who married Rachel Boon(e) were in or near McMinn Co., TN about 1844."

Sheri also found:

"Heirs of Israel Boon to Sarah Boon, land on Middle Creek where old Eli Coffey lived, signed John, Allen, Jacob, and Daniel Boon, David Moss, John Cansler and Hiram Medaris. Proven 7/1/1846."

Also, the entry just above this one had given the Boon boys the land and they apparently sold/gave it to Sarah.

She also found where a Nancy Gray, wife of M.U. Gray, daughter of Daniel Coffey, died 5/29/1874 in Riceville which is just a few short miles outside of modern today, Cleveland, Bradley Co., TN. Riceville is on the north side of the Hiawassie River from Bradley Co., TN.

Also found a Wyatt and Jeremiah Coffey in Monroe Co., TN (Athens, TN area) in 1850, both old enough to have kids. Hope this will help someone.

HOLLAND COFFEE FAMILY

Jerry Coffee says that he keeps finding historical trivia that has connections to the Coffee family, such as the following:

Charlotte Love(1825-1882) married James Tyson in 1840. James Tyson died in 1857, and Charlotte remarried Nathan Coffee in 1858. Nathan Coffee died in 1859.

James and Charlotte Tyson started a large

plantation on the opposite side of the Red River from Holland Coffee's Trading Post at Coffee's Bend. The Tysons established and operated a ferry at the Rock Bluff Crossing on the Red River, the Shawnee Cattle Trail crossing, which was a half mile downstream from Coffee's Trading Post.

They had many negro slaves and one of the slaves named Aunt Minerva composed several spirituals including "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot". Aunt Minerva was given over to Pleasant and Harriett (Moore) Mosby. Harriett was Charlotte Love's niece.

Nathan and America Coffee was Holland Coffee's nephew and niece who came to live at Coffee's Trading Post after Sophia Coffee remarried Maj. George Butts, a Confederate army conscript officer from Sherman, Texas.

Maj. Butts was killed in 1862 by George Todd, one of Capt. William Quantrill's men.

Holland Coffee was killed in 1846, twelve years before Nathan Coffee married Charlotte (Love) Tyson.

The Love family intermarried with the Colbert family, one of which established Colbert's Ferry on the Butterfield Overland Mail and Stage Line (Texas Road) north of Sherman, Texas.

FLAT TOP CEMETERY **COFFEY CEMETERY**

(North of Junction, TX) by Jerry Coffee
The Flat Top Cemetery or Coffey Cemetery has at least 16 graves and maybe as many as 23 graves. The graves identified as "people killed by Indians," they are:
A.B. Brown, b. 1832 - d. 1870
Dan Arnold, d. 1871
Lapoleon Lemmons, d. 1871
_____ Beddo, d. 1870, nephew of Rich Coffey
Unknown Texas Ranger, d. 1870, killed by Indians near Colorado

River, died at the Coffey Ranch.

GOODMAN CEMETERY

Please note that the Goodman Cemetery is a memorial --BUT--with real military tombstones, it appears that these soldiers are actually buried here and could be misleading to researchers in the future who might believe that this is a real cemetery. How can one get a military marker when the actual grave is some where else?? (My input - Bonnie Culley)

The following is what Bennie Loftin wrote about this cemetery:

Goodman Cemetery, Whiteway Community, Gibson County, Tennessee, located on the Cades-Atwood Road, is not used for burials any more, it only has one old stone left, but it has 35 new Military Markers -- just markers. These stones are not marking any graves.

There are seven Military Markers for Coffey men. None of these Coffey men ever lived in Gibson County, TN. Six of them, Perry, Calvin, Marvel, Ira, William W. and Simeon Coffey, served in Company "D" 26th Tennessee Infantry for the Confederate States of America.

There are several errors on these seven stones. I am going to list the dates as they should be on the stones, not the wrong dates. Too many errors continue to be perpetuated by internet research. The dates I list are documented by two pages of family death records that survived flood waters in McIntosh County, OK in 1923. Those two pages are in my possession in 2004, given to me by Grace (Coffey) Gill in 1982. Pvt. Perry Coffey, born 1844, died 5 Dec 1864, son of Benjamin and Nancy (Hayes) Coffey; Sgt. Calvin Coffey, born 16 June 1839, died 15 Mar 1863, the birth date comes from his twin Calton Coffey's family records, sons of Benjamin and Nancy (Hayes) Coffey.

fe; Marvel Coffey, born 17 March 1841, died 25 March 1917, son of (Benjamin and Nancy (Hayes) Coffey, ancestor of Scott Bloodworth, who placed the stones; Pvt. Ira Coffey (son of Thomas and Mary (Hipsher) Coffey, grandson of George and Margaret (Rucker) Coffey; Corp. William W. Coffey, born 1834, died 11 July 1864, buried in CSA Cemetery in Covington, GA (son of Cleveland and Susan (Hayes) Coffey, grandson of Jessie and Margaret (Edminston) Coffey, great-grandson of Reuben and Sally (Scott) Coffey); Pvt. Simeon Coffey, son of Thomas and Mary (Hipsher) Coffey, grandson of George and Margaret (Rucker) Coffey. The seventh marker is for Benjamin Coffey, born

1747, died 4 January 1834 in Hawkins County, TN. He served as a Private in the North Carolina Militia in the Revolutionary War. Benjamin stated in his Revolutionary Pension File S-1655 that he was born 1747 in Spotsylvania County, VA. Those same papers gave his death date as 4 January 1834 in Hawkins County, TN. Benjamin is believed to be buried in an unmarked grave in what is now Hancock County, TN. Hancock was formed from that part of Hawkins County where Benjamin lived in 1830 Federal Census.

DNA REPORT

Hello all,

It was great finally getting to meet all the people I've been exchanging notes with on the DNA project and on the Coffee/ey family!

I've updated my web page to include the new results on Luther, and also to correct a couple of typos that were pointed out to me. You can go there through the Coffey Cousins Web Page (click on "Results"), or go directly to:

<[http://members.aol.com/Fred-Coffey CousinsDNA.htm](http://members.aol.com/Fred-CoffeyCousinsDNA.htm)>

I've also updated (and shortened a bit) the report I presented, and have posted a PDF (Portable Document Format) file on the web page that can be downloaded and printed if you all haven't yet had enough. Just scroll down my page, and you'll find the menu item.

I was also looking at and updating our data on "YSearch", the DNA data forum that covers data sources other than FTDNA. I see that at least four of our group have now uploaded data. Their user ID's are DDMRQ (Fred), WYKNF (Luther), SX43D (Virgil) and BZHNZ (Paul). I did a search, and there were no other

close matches than the ones we have been involved with.

Once again, Carol and I enjoyed the convention and enjoyed meeting you.

Fred Coffey



Lori Okel and Fred Coffey
DNA Chairmen

COFFEY CONVENTION 2004, FT. SMITH, AR

Jim and I arrived on Wednesday, May 28th in Ft. Smith. Dana Taylor of the Holiday Inn, welcomed us and her staff helped us move the library books in. It wasn't long before other cousins began to arrive. We set up our meeting room and the books were in use almost before we could get them out of the boxes. There were several boxes of new books that were from Kathryn Hayes Johnson's collection so we had new material to work with. Several people brought items to be auctioned and Jo Langwell, Bob Loftin, Nelda Coffee and Tracy McIntosh set up a hospitality room with lots of good things to eat and drink.

On Friday we took a trolley to "Miss Laura's", the only former bordello listed on the National Historical Places (now the Ft Smith Visitor's Center). We learned much about the history of Ft. Smith and "Hanging Judge" Parker who's scaffold still is exhibited.

Saturday morning we were treated to a program by Fred Coffey on DNA and slides of our progress so far. Several more now have or plan to take the test so as to move the program forward. We are all so interested that we kept Fred talking longer than he expected.

We met for the annual banquet/meeting in the evening. Jack Coffee, President, called the meeting to order and introduced Harold Butts who led us in prayer. Jim and Polly Ray entertained us with patriotic music before the banquet and other music after dinner. Bennie Loftin welcomed us to Ft. Smith and said we had 62 in attendance.

Major business was the decision to elect a Vice President/Treasurer. Darlene Clark was chosen for this position. Jack Coffee and Jo Langwell were unanimously re-elected to President and Secretary for another year.

Jack announced that Pat Christensen of Indianapolis, Indiana is actively working on the convention for 2005 and plans for Nashville, TN for 2006 are in the works.

Names of winners of the auction were read before we reluctantly left the banquet and another successful convention.

Those who attended were:

Charles & Betty Jo Arnold, Darlene Clark & Harold Butz, Al & Sue Carhart, Jack & Nelda Coffee, Edwin & Phyllis Coffee, Virgil O. Coffee, Dale & Nola Coffee, James C. Coffey, Christopher Coffey, Fred & Carol Coffey, Jeff & Glenna Coffey, Larry & Fran Garrett, James & Barbara Coffey, Jim & Bonnie Culley, Susan Lacefield, Juanita (Coffey) Daniel, Nannie Taylor, Ashley Taylor, Neal Darty & Neeleigh Darty, Celie Gunn, Tracy McIntosh, Irene Grant, Kay Hatten, Walton & Wanda Crumley, Marvin & Jeannine (Coffee) Griffin, Dean & LaVonne Hoel, Loren & Christina Jenkins, Sheri P. Kelly, Jo Langwell, Bob & Bennie Loftin, J.B. McCarley, Billie Coffee McKinney, Patsy Burns, Brad Heflin, James & Lorie Okel, Jim & Sarah Poff, Jim & Polly Ray, Julius & Maggie Smith, Don & Teri Stanek, Charles D. & Pamela Webb, Marguerite Jobes-Yates, Archie & Mary Kay Dalton, Susan Lacefield.



COMPUTER NEWS

Reams Goodloe

<goodloev@bellsouth.net> sends the following good news about the index.

“May 2004 be a great year for all the Coffey Cousins.”

Besides on 1.5 Mb floppys, the index through # 94 is now available on CDR. Of course there will be about 99% free space on the CD-R.

NOTE: Our researchers are not using the index to Coffey Cousins' Clearinghouse to answer their questions. Reams Goodloe has answered numerous questions asked in the Query section by using the index. I suggest that all who can, visit the index regularly. Go to:

<http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~coffeycousins/coffeycousins.html>

and click on the INDEX button in the middle of the page. You will be amazed at all the information found in that index alone.

OR purchase a CD of the index from Reams Goodloe.

Bonnie