

A Payne Family

**Youmbert Cecil Payne and Mary Alice Cornett, Their Descendants
and Some of Their Ancestors**

including

**Kidd, McGuire, Wilder, Rucker
Wisdom, Reynolds, Turner, Lewis, Creech, Bailey, and Wells**

APPENDIX F

Rucker

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Preface

This Appendix contains information on the surname Rucker. The data has been gathered from many sources, including several correspondents interested in the same lines. The following persons have made major contributions to the content of this document, and I express my deepest appreciation for their help and support. (I fear, however, that the errors contained herein were made by me, without assistance of any kind.)

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Nine generations of selected descendants of Peter Rucker, the immigrant, including the children of Youmbert C. Payne. Many of the listed "members" are placed in the family hierarchy based on assumptions, perceived probabilities, and/or recommendations of members with whom I correspond. I have attempted to note all those cases which have not been proven by me with generally accepted documentation, and the basis on which they are included. You may then judge those suitable for your use, or belief.

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FIRST GENERATION

1. **Peter Rucker.** Born About 1675¹⁴⁶ in Europe. Died Before 23 Feb 1743/1744 in St. Marks Parish, Orange Co., VA.

1. Peter Rucker's application for citizenship was accepted on 8 May 1704 by the Virginia House of Burgesses.²⁶⁴ The law regarding naturalization "on the books" at that time was:

"Act CXVIII

Concerning Denization

*Bee it alsoe further enacted and confirmed by the authoritie aforesaid, That all aliens and strangers who have inhabited the countrye the space of fower yeeres, and have a firme resolution to make this countrye their place of residence shall be free denisons of this collony, Provided they and everie of them take the oath of fidelite to be true to the government of this countrye, And the said oath is to be administered by the severall courts respectively in the counties where anie such aliens do dwell: And it is also further enacted that their children also shall be free denisons of this countrye they and everie of them, Also takeing the said oath of fidellity when they shall attain to lawfull age, which said oath is to be administered by the severall countie courts where they shall happen to live as aforesaid."*⁵²⁷

Based on this legal requirement for "fower yeeres" residence prior to naturalization, it is presumed that Peter immigrated to America from Europe about 1700; his place of birth is not known.¹⁴⁶

2. Naturalized by VA House of Burgesses 8 May 1704.²⁵⁶

3. On Essex County VA quit rent rolls in 1704 with 500 acres. (During the colonial period all land owners in Virginia paid an annual "Quit Rent" of one shilling per 50 acres to the King. The list of landowners and the quantity each owned was prepared by the sheriff of each county and delivered to the Receiver-General, who collected the Quit Rents and transmitted the lists, with his accounts, to the English government.)²⁵⁷

4. A land patent for 1044 acres in Essex County, VA, granted to William Lowry, dated 26 Apr 1704, was located on the south side of the Rappahannock River "beginning in line of Peter Rucker on the south side of the main branch of Occupation Creek."²⁵⁸

5. 28 Jan 1707, Frederick Coghill and Sarah, his wife, leased 56 acres to Peter and Elizabeth "for their lives . . . for the kind love and affection I owe to John Rucker, Peter Rucker and Thomas Rucker, sons of the within named Peter Rucker."²⁵⁹

6. Named on Orange County VA tax list in 1734.²⁶⁰

7. On 6 Feb 1733/4, "John Rucker of St. Mark's Parish, Spotsylvania County, to Peter Rucker, Elizabeth Rucker, Peter Rucker, Junior, and Ephraim Rucker. . . 420 acres for £20 sterling, the remainder of a patent granted said John Rucker, in St. Mark's Parish, Spotsylvania County . . . Peter and Elizabeth Rucker, during their natural lives, and afterwards to Peter Rucker, Junior, and Ephraim Rucker . . ."²⁶¹

8. Listed on Orange County Tithables list in 1736, 1737, and 1739.²⁶²

9. Bishop William Meade in his "Old Churches Ministers and Families of Virginia" stated, "The principal families connected with the Church in Orange [County] in Colonial times were the ..., Ruckers, ..." [Payn239]

10. Will dated 18 Jan 1743, proven 23 Feb 1743, Orange County, VA, Will Book 1, pg 299. Names wife Elizabeth, daughter Margaret Tinsley and husband Isaac, son Ephraim, daughter Ann Cook and husband Shem, and sons Thomas, William, and James, and daughters Elizabeth Pearce, and Mary Offott.²⁶³

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Peter married Elizabeth ___¹⁴⁶, About 1700¹⁴⁶ in Essex Co., VA. Died About 1752 in Culpeper Co., VA.

1. Named on Orange County VA tax list in 1734.²⁶⁰
2. Named in husband Peter's will.²⁶³

They had the following children:

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| 2 | i. | John Rucker |
| 3 | ii. | Peter Rucker |
| 4 | iii. | Thomas Rucker |
| 5 | iv. | Elizabeth Rucker |
| 6 | v. | Margaret Rucker |
| 7 | vi. | William Rucker |
| 8 | vii. | Mary Rucker |
| 9 | viii. | James Rucker |
| 10 | ix. | Ephraim Rucker |
| 11 | x. | Ann Rucker |

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SECOND GENERATION

2. **John Rucker.** Born About 1701²⁶⁴ in Essex Co., VA. Died Before 28 Jan 1742/1743 in Orange Co., VA.

1. Birth and marriage dates and locations estimated by Jean B. Robinson based on knowledge of residence locations and activities.
2. Granted a land patent of 977 acres in Spotsylvania County VA in St. George's Parish on 17 Aug 1727.²⁵⁸
3. Mentioned in a land patent of 1000 acres in Spotsylvania County on 28 Sep 1728; Ibid.
4. Mentioned in a land patent of 400 acres in Spotsylvania County on 25 Aug 1731; Ibid.
5. On 6 Feb 1733/4, "John Rucker of St. Mark's Parish, Spotsylvania County, to Peter Rucker, Elizabeth Rucker, Peter Rucker, Junior, and Ephraim Rucker. . . 420 acres for £20 sterling, the remainder of a patent granted said John Rucker, in St. Mark's Parish, Spotsylvania County . . . Peter and Elizabeth Rucker, during their natural lives, and afterwards to Peter Rucker, Junior, and Ephraim Rucker . . ."; "Spotsylvania County Records."²⁶¹
6. Suit against John for assault and battery dismissed in Orange County Court on 20 May, 1735.²⁶⁵
7. Lease of property to Isaac and Margaret Tinsley [John's sister and brother-in-law] recorded in Orange County Court on 15 Jun 1736; *ibid.*
8. John was a Captain in the Orange County Militia.⁴³⁷
9. Will dated 11 Jan 1742/3, proven 28 Jan 1742/3 in Orange County, VA. His children, except Margaret, are listed in the same order as named in the will.²⁶⁷

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John married Susannah ___²⁶⁹, Circa 1721 in Essex Co., VA. Died 1790³⁰⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

1. On Orange County VA Tithables list in 1763, 1764, 1765, 1766, and 1767, with 5 tithes in 1763, and 6 in each of the other years.²⁶²

They had the following children:

12	i.	Margaret Rucker
13	ii.	Peter Rucker
14	iii.	John Rucker Jr.
15	iv.	Sarah Rucker
16	v.	Winifred Rucker
17	vi.	Ambrose Rucker
18	vii.	Benjamin Rucker
19	viii.	Reuben Rucker
20	ix.	Isaac Rucker
21	x.	Anthony Rucker
22	xi.	Mildred Rucker
23	xii.	Phoebe Rucker

3. **Peter Rucker**²⁵⁶. Born About 1703 in Essex Co., VA.

1. Peter was mentioned in a deed in 1707 by Frederick Coghill of Essex.²⁵⁶

4. **Thomas Rucker**. Born About 1705 in Essex Co., VA. Died Before 20 Oct 1763 in Bromfield Parish, Culpeper Co., VA.

1. Purchased 100 acres in St. George's Parish, Spotsylvania County, VA, on 27 May 1725 for 5 shillings.²⁶¹
2. Transferred 100 acres to Kendry Downs in Spotsylvania County on 4 Mar 1727; *Ibid*, pg 101.
3. Granted a land patent for 876 acres in Spotsylvania County VA, in St. George's Parish adjacent to Thomas Jackson and John Rucker on 16 Jun 1730. ⁴¹⁰
4. Transferred 476 acres in that county, part of a patent granted to Thomas, to John Rucker on 6 Feb 1732 for £20 sterling.²⁶¹
5. Sale of land on 5 Mar 1733, "703 a. - 150 a. thereof part of a patent granted said Rucker [Thomas] Aug 17, 1727, and 553 a. part of patent granted Thomas Rucker June 16, 1730 . . ." ²⁶¹
6. Thomas became a founding father of Caroline County as one of the first King's magistrates, when it was carved out of Essex, King and Queen, and King William Counties in 1728.⁵²⁶ The new county was located between Spotsylvania and the parent counties.⁵³⁰
7. Caroline County, VA, Order Book, 1732-1740, pg 3, indicates that Thomas was appointed surveyor of the road, instead of Charles Beasley, on 1 May 1733.⁴¹¹
8. Named on Orange County VA tax list in 1734.²⁶⁰
9. On Orange County VA tax list with 3 tithables in 1739.²⁶²
10. Thomas and his wife Elizabeth, along with James Rucker and his wife Margaret sold land in Caroline County to Charles Beasley in Sep 1739.⁵²⁹
11. Constable in Orange County VA in 1739.⁴¹² Replaced 25 Feb 1741.⁴¹³
12. Listed as a neighbor of John Watts in Culpeper County VA on 15 Nov 1750.⁴¹⁴
13. Acted as a witness to a land transaction in Culpeper County VA on 3 Jun 1751; *Ibid*, pp 393-395
14. Acquired 347 acres in Culpeper County VA on 20 Mar 1754.⁴¹⁵
15. Deeded 228 acres land to son, Peter, in 1758.
16. Owned neighboring property to Col. Thomas Chew in Orange County VA on 14 Jan 1761.⁴¹⁶

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17. Thomas's will was dated 11 Jun 1763 and proved 20 Oct 1763. Will named sons John, George, William, and Mauldin as heirs, followed by "I lend to my wife Elizabeth all and every of my estate that remaineth both real and personal for and during her natural life. . . . after the decease of my wife Elizabeth that all and every of my estate personnel and all every Negro shall be sold then the money arising thereby shall be equally divided between my children be hereafter named viz . . . Thomas, Peter, Mary, John, Elizabeth, Martha, William, Mauldin, Isaac, Easter, Frankey, George [son Cornelius was deceased.]" His sons Peter and John were appointed executors.⁴¹⁷

18. On page page 362 of the same Will Book, an entry dated 2 Jan 1764, states, "This day was sold at publick auction the estate of Thomas Rucker late of Culpeper, dec. Other property sold 6 Feb 1764. Peter Rucker John Rucker 15 Mar 1764. Returned and OR [Officially Recorded?]" Does this mean Thomas' wife Elizabeth had died, or was some other arrangement made?⁴¹⁷

Thomas married Elizabeth Reynolds, daughter of Cornelius Reynolds & Martha Margaret Beazley, 1731/1733 in Essex Co., VA. Born 1706⁴¹⁸. Died 1788 in Bromfield Parish, Culpeper Co., VA.

1. Culpeper County Court Booklet I lists a claim by Elizabeth Rucker for payment for 375 pounds of beef supplied to the Revolutionary troops in Oct 1781 (pg 36).

They had the following children:

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| 24 | i. | Thomas Rucker Jr. |
| 25 | ii. | Cornelius Rucker |
| 26 | iii. | Peter Rucker |
| 27 | iv. | Mary Rucker |
| 28 | v. | John Rucker |
| 29 | vi. | Elizabeth Rucker |
| 30 | vii. | Martha Rucker |
| 31 | viii. | William Rucker |
| 32 | ix. | Mauldin Rucker |
| 33 | x. | Isaac Rucker |
| 34 | xi. | Easter Rucker |
| 35 | xii. | Frankey Rucker |
| 36 | xiii. | George Rucker |

5. Elizabeth Rucker²⁶⁴. Born About 1708³⁸⁷ in Essex Co., VA. Died 1778.

She married James Pierce_(Pearce). Died 1778²⁶⁴. They had the following children:

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| 37 | i. | July Pearce |
| 38 | ii. | Edith Pearce |
| 39 | iii. | Jeremiah Pearce |
| 40 | iv. | Francis Pearce |
| 41 | v. | Peachy Pearce |
| 42 | vi. | Elizabeth Pearce |

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6. Margaret Rucker²⁶⁴. Born About 1710³⁸⁷ in Essex Co., VA.

1. Received inheritance from father on 21 Feb 1752.³⁸⁹
2. Moved with husband and brother William to Amelia Co. VA in 1758.³⁹⁰

She married Isaac Tinsley²⁶⁴, son of Thomas Tinsley III & Sarah Jackson, About 1728²⁶⁴ in Essex Co., VA. Born About 1704/1706 in Essex Co., VA. Died Before 22 Aug 1777.

1. Included on the Orange County VA tax list for 1734 in the precinct of James Pickett, Constable.²⁶⁰
2. An abstract of a reference to Peter Rucker's will stated, "There have been several legacies delivered out of the estate to the several legatees: To Isaac Tindsley [sic] a Negroe boy named Yorkshire,..."³⁸⁹
3. Isaac's will dated 13 Mar 1776 was probated in Amelia County, VA, 22 Aug 1777.³⁹¹

They had the following children:

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| 43 | i. | Thomas Tinsley V |
| 44 | ii. | ___ Tinsley (Female) |
| 45 | iii. | ___ Tinsley (Female) |
| 46 | iv. | William Tinsley |
| 47 | v. | Charles Tinsley |
| 48 | vi. | Isaac Tinsley Jr. |
| 49 | vii. | James Tinsley |
| 50 | viii. | Phillip Tinsley |
| 51 | ix. | David Tinsley |

7. William Rucker²⁶⁴. Born About 1713³⁸⁷ in Essex Co., VA. Died About 1794 in Amelia Co., VA.

1. On Orange County VA Tax List in 1734.²⁶⁰
2. On Orange County VA Tithables list in 1739.²⁶²
4. Sold property in Orange County VA on 27 Jul 1758 and moved to Amelia County VA.³⁹⁰

He married Hannah (Honar) ___³⁹⁰. They had the following children:

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| 52 | i. | Gideon Rucker |
| 53 | ii. | James Rucker |
| 54 | iii. | Sarah Rucker |
| 55 | iv. | William Rucker |
| 56 | v. | Joshua Rucker |
| 57 | vi. | Elisha Rucker |
| 58 | vii. | Joseph Rucker |
| 59 | viii. | Mordecai Rucker |

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8. **Mary Rucker**²⁶⁴. Born About 1720³⁸⁷ in Essex Co., VA.

1. "4 Nov 1755. William Offill and Mary Offill his wife of Brumfield Parish, Culpeper County, [VA] to John Offill of same. For £10 current money. 100 acres in Brumfield Parish, being part of a patent granted formerly to John Rucker . . ."396

She married William Offall/Offill, Before 6 Feb 1730²⁶⁴. They had the following children:

60	i.	William Offall/Offill Jr.
61	ii.	Margaret Offall/Offill
62	iii.	Elizabeth Offall/Offill

9. **James Rucker**²⁶⁴. Born About 1723³⁸⁷ in Essex Co., VA. Died About 1804 in Greenbrier Co., VA.

1. Served as an executor of the will of his father.³⁸⁹
2. Purchased 376 acres in Culpeper County Va for five shillings, current money on 19 Oct 1752.³⁹⁷
3. "Colonel Thomas Slaughter commanded Culpeper's militia of about 200 men. Known officers wereCaptainsJames Rucker, Ephraim Rucker,..." James was paid for one year of service as a Captain in April 1756 between 1171 and 2850 pounds of tobacco, valued at two cents per pound.³⁹⁸

He married Margaret ___²⁶⁴. They had the following children:

63	i.	James Rucker
64	ii.	Ephraim Rucker
65	iii.	Lemuel Rucker
66	iv.	Wyatt Rucker
67	v.	Elzaphan Rucker
68	vi.	Augustine Rucker
69	vii.	Mildred Rucker
70	viii.	___ Rucker (Male)

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10. Ephraim Rucker. Born About 1725³⁸⁷ in Essex Co., VA. Died Before 28 Dec 1797²⁸⁹ in Madison Co., VA.

1. On 6 Feb 1733/4, "John Rucker of St. Mark's Parish, Spotsylvania County, to Peter Rucker, Elizabeth Rucker, Peter Rucker, Junior, and Ephraim Rucker. . . 420 acres for £20 sterling, the remainder of a patent granted said John Rucker, in St. Mark's Parish, Spotsylvania County . . . Peter and Elizabeth Rucker, during their natural lives, and afterwards to Peter Rucker, Junior, and Ephraim Rucker . . ."261
2. Served as an executor of the will of his father, Peter, 21 Feb 1752.³⁸⁹
3. "Colonel Thomas Slaughter commanded Culpeper's militia of about 200 men. Known officers wereCaptainsJames Rucker, Ephraim Rucker,..." Ephraim was paid for one year of service as a Captain in April 1756 between 1171 and 2850 pounds of tobacco, valued at two cents per pound.³⁹⁸
4. Listed as a neighbor of William Offill in a Culpeper County VA land transaction 4 Nov 1755, along with nephews John and Peter.³⁹⁶
5. From Peter Rucker's will: "There have been several legacies delivered out of the estate to the several legatees: To ...to Ephraim Rucker a Negroe girl named Phillis."³⁸⁹
6. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Virginia Militia, 1777-1781.³⁹⁹
7. "Ephram" was on the Culpeper County Tax rolls in 1783 with 3 polls [probably males over 21] and 13 slaves.⁴⁰⁰
8. Ephraim was listed on the 1787 Culpeper County Tax List "C" with 8 Blacks over 16 years of age and 8 under 16, 7 horses, and 17 cattle.²⁹⁰
9. Ephraim's will was dated 24 Sep 1796, and probated 28 Dec 1797.⁴⁰¹

He married Margaret Vawter, daughter of John Vawter & Margaret Noel, Before 25 Mar 1738²⁸⁹ in Essex County, VA. Died 1756. They had the following children:

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| 71 | i. | Angus Rucker |
| 72 | ii. | Elliott Rucker |
| 73 | iii. | John Rucker |
| 74 | iv. | Tabitha Rucker |
| 75 | v. | Mary Rucker |
| 76 | vi. | Tomagen Rucker |
| 77 | vii. | Margaret Rucker |
| 78 | viii. | Julius Rucker |

11. Ann Rucker²⁶⁴. Born About 1727³⁸⁷ in Essex Co., VA.

1. Moved with husband, brother William, and sister Margaret to Amelia Co. VA in 1758.³⁹⁰

She married Shem Cook²⁶⁴. Died About 1796 in Granville Co., NC.

1. From Peter Rucker's will: "There have been several legacies delivered out of the estate to the several legatees: To, to Shem Cook a Negroe girl named Jenny,..."³⁸⁹
2. A Shem Cooke was listed in a schedule for Amelia County, attached to an act for the defense of the frontier during the French and Indian War, passed by the House of Burgesses and dated 14 Sep 1758. The list indicated Shem received five pounds, six shillings, for his service.⁴⁰⁸
3. Shem's given name and death year obtained from Leona L. Weaver letter to R. Payne, dated 14 June 1993.

They had several children, including:

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| 79 | i. | Philicia Cook |
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THIRD GENERATION

12. Margaret Rucker²⁶⁴. Born in King & Queen Co., VA. Died Before 1801.

1. Named in her father John's will.²⁶⁷
2. She was probably the oldest child.³⁰⁶

She married Isaac Smith²⁶⁴, Before 11 Jan 1742/1743²⁶⁴. Died About 1802 in Madison Co., VA. They had the following children:

80	i.	Elizabeth Smith
81	ii.	Henrietta Smith
82	iii.	Susannah Smith
83	iv.	Isaac Smith Jr.
84	v.	Malinda Smith
85	vi.	Mary Smith
86	vii.	William Smith
87	viii.	Winnifred Smith
88	ix.	Edwin Smith
89	x.	Downing Rucker Smith

13. Peter Rucker. Born About 1722³⁰⁶ in Essex Co., VA. Died 1794 in Orange Co., VA.

1. Peter was named in his father John's will.²⁶⁷
2. On 6 Feb 1733/4, "John Rucker of St. Mark's Parish, Spotsylvania County, to Peter Rucker, Elizabeth Rucker, Peter Rucker, Junior, and Ephraim Rucker. . . 420 acres for £20 sterling, the remainder of a patent granted said John Rucker, in St. Mark's Parish, Spotsylvania County . . . Peter and Elizabeth Rucker, during their natural lives, and afterwards to Peter Rucker, Junior, and Ephraim Rucker . . ." ²⁶¹
3. Peter was appointed a Constable on 26 Feb 1745, and sworn in on 26 Jun 1746.²⁷⁰
4. On 12 Mar 1745 Peter received a land grant of 5850 acres in Goochland County as executor of father John's will. John had made application for the grant in 1739.²⁶⁶
5. 27 Nov 1746 Peter was paid 416 pounds of tobacco for "viewing tobacco fields."²⁷¹
6. Peter was replaced as Constable on 28 May 1747.²⁷¹
7. There were several land transactions by Peter and wife Elizabeth on 10 and 11 Nov 1751 in Amherst County, VA, although they lived in Orange County at the time.²⁷²
8. 23 May 1752 reference is made to two slave boys owned by Peter.²⁷³
9. On Orange County VA Tithables list in 1753, 1754, 1757, two undefined years, 1764, 1765, 1766, 1767, and 1768.²⁶²
10. Peter and his wife Jemimah [sic] sold 245 acres in Orange County on 14 Apr 1787 for £100 "current money of Virginia."²⁷⁴
11. On 23 Apr 1789, they sold 417 acres in Orange County for £160 current money of Virginia.²⁷⁴
11. Will dated 4 May 1791 and proved 23 Jun 1794 in Orange County.²⁷⁵

He first married Elizabeth Terrell²⁵⁶, daughter of Robert Terrell & Mary Foster.

He second married Jemima Crawford, 3 Jan 1773²⁵⁶ in Orange Co., VA.

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14. **John Rucker Jr.** Born 1724³⁰⁶ in Essex Co., VA. Died Before 4 Sep 1780 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Named in father John's will.²⁶⁷
2. John's [Jr.] will was dated 1 Dec 1779 and probated 4 Sep 1780. Listed wife and all nine children by name.²⁷⁶

He married Eleanor Warren, daughter of James Warren & Elizabeth, 26 Oct 1747²⁷⁷ in Albemarle Co., VA. Born 1730 in Amherst Co., VA²⁷⁹. Died 1798 in Amherst Co., VA²⁷⁹. They had the following children:

90	i.	James Rucker
91	ii.	Sarah Rucker
92	iii.	John Rucker
93	iv.	Susan Rucker
94	v.	George Rucker
95	vi.	William Rucker
96	vii.	Eleanor (Nellie) Rucker
97	viii.	Elizabeth (Betty) Rucker
98	ix.	Isaac Rucker

15. **Sarah Rucker.** Born About 1728³⁰⁶ in King & Queen Co., VA.

1. Named in father John's will.²⁶⁷
2. An article, "Marriages as Recorded in Certain Fee Books in Orange County, Virginia," contributed by George H. S. King, in *The Virginia Genealogical Society Quarterly*, Volume IX, No. 2, pg 31, gives marriage date as 5 Jan 1761.

She married Alexander Marr, 5 Jan 1760²⁹³ in Orange Co., VA. They had the following children:

99	i.	John Marr
100	ii.	James Marr
101	iii.	Alexander Marr
102	iv.	Margaret Marr
103	v.	Elizabeth Marr

16. **Winifred Rucker.** Born About 1730³⁰⁶ in King & Queen Co., or Spotsylvania, VA.

1. Named in her father John's will.²⁶⁷

She married John Lea²⁵⁶, About 1760²⁵⁶ in NC. Died Before Apr 1803 in Caswell Co., NC.

1. Will dated 10 Mar 1803, proved Apr 1803, in Caswell County, NC.²⁹⁴

They had the following children:

104	i.	James Lea
105	ii.	John Lea
106	iii.	Benjamin J. Lea
107	iv.	Jeremiah Lea
108	v.	Nancy Lea
109	vi.	Sally Lea
110	vii.	Frances Lea
111	viii.	Elizabeth Lea

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17. Ambrose Rucker. Born Circa 1732³⁰⁶ in Spotsylvania Co., VA²⁶⁴. Died 14 Dec 1807 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Named in father John's will.²⁶⁷
2. First Revolutionary committee appointed in Amherst County VA in early 1775 included Ambrose. He was named an alternate to the deputies chosen to meet in one general district committee.²⁹⁵
3. Court held in Amherst County VA on 1 May 1780 appointed "Ambrose Rucker, Gent., Surveyor of the Road from Rutledges to his own meadow." *ibid*
4. On 4 June 1781, Ambrose was in the House of Delegates, as a member of the Legislative Body in Charlottesville, which dispersed "precipitately" when John Jouett, 'Paul Revere of the South', warned them of Col. Tarleton's approach. His life was saved by his horse, a powerful hunter, trained to jump fences which he did that June day, although his rider weighed over three hundred pounds. *ibid*
5. A member of the court "continued and held for Amherst County the 2nd day of April, 1782" which considered "claims for property impressed or taken for public service." Ambrose was also a claimant in that session. *ibid*
6. Ambrose was listed on the 1787 Amherst County *Tax List "B"* with 12 Blacks over 16 years of age and 11 under 16, 13 horses, and 48 cattle.²⁹⁰
7. Will dated 3 Dec 1803; codicil 21 Jan 1807; proven 21 Dec 1807, named wife Mary, sons Ambrose, Isaac, Benjamin, & Reuben (deceased), daughters Sophia Jennings, Caroline Hansford, Charlotte and Sally Marr.²⁹⁶

He first married Mary Headley²⁵⁶.

He second married Mary Tinsley, daughter of Edward Tinsley, 1755²⁸⁹ in Orange Co., VA. Born About 1738⁵⁵⁸ in Orange Co., VA. Died 26 Jul 1806.

1. Mary was noted as the wife of Ambrose in her father, Edward's, will.⁵⁶⁸

They had the following children:

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| 112 | i. | Reuben Rucker |
| 113 | ii. | Winifred Rucker |
| 114 | iii. | Margaret (Peggy) Rucker |
| 115 | iv. | Mary (Molly) Rucker |
| 116 | v. | Frances (Frankey) Rucker |
| 117 | vi. | Ambrose Rucker Jr. |
| 118 | vii. | Isaac Rucker |
| 119 | viii. | Sophia Rucker |
| 120 | ix. | Caroline Rucker |
| 121 | x. | Elizabeth (Betty) Rucker |
| 122 | xi. | Matilda Rucker |
| 123 | xii. | Sarah (Sally) Rucker |
| 124 | xiii. | Charlotte Rucker |
| 125 | xiv. | Benjamin Rucker |

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18. Benjamin Rucker²⁵⁶. Born About 1733³⁰⁶ in Spotsylvania Co., VA. Died Before 22 Feb 1810 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Named in his father John's will.²⁶⁷
2. Benjamin owned a large plantation in Amherst County, VA. He furnished supplies to Washington's Army during the Revolutionary War. He served in the capacity of a soldier and was a Patriot member of the Committee of Safety, and rendered material aid.²⁷⁹
3. Benjamin was recommended as a Captain of the Amherst County Militia at the February Court, 1780.²⁹⁵
4. Benjamin was a claimant "for property impressed or taken for public service" in the Amherst County Court 2 April 1782. *ibid*
5. Nominated as Magistrate in Amherst County VA in Apr 1790, but was ineligible because he was sheriff at the time.³⁰⁷
6. Benjamin's will was dated 25 Jun 1808, with a codicil dated 10 Nov 1809, proved 22 Feb 1810. Administrator Bonds for Gideon, Thomas, and James Rucker were dated 26 Sep 1810. Named in will were sons James, Thomas, Gideon, and Bennett, and daughters Lucy McDaniel, Milly Brown, and Sophia Burrus.³⁰⁸
7. Benjamin was a coinventor of the tobacco bateaux.³⁰⁶

He married Elizabeth (Betty) ___²⁸⁴, About 1756³¹⁷ in Culpeper Co., VA. Died About 1810. They had the following children:

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| 126 | i. | Rev. James Rucker |
| 127 | ii. | Thomas Rucker |
| 128 | iii. | Gideon Rucker |
| 129 | iv. | Lucy Rucker |
| 130 | v. | Mildred Rucker |
| 131 | vi. | Sophia Rucker |
| 132 | vii. | Bennett Rucker |

19. Reuben Rucker²⁵⁶. Born About 1735³⁰⁶ in Orange Co., VA.

1. Named in father John's will.²⁶⁷
2. Died young without marrying.³⁰⁶

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20. Isaac Rucker²⁵⁶. Born About 1737³⁰⁶ in Orange Co., VA. Died 1798/1799 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Named in father John's will.²⁶⁷
2. Mar 1762, Isaac was named guardian of Benjamin and Sarah Plunkett, orphans of John, and his step-children.⁴²⁴
3. Isaac was recommended as a First Lieutenant of the Amherst County Militia at the February Court, 1780.²⁹⁵
4. "Lieutenant, ordered into service June 21, 1781, by Col. Dandridge Gaines of Va. Militia, 279 non-commissioned officers and privates marched to join the army commanded by Hon. Maj. Marquis de LaFayette."²⁸⁹
5. Isaac was a claimant " for property impressed or taken for public service" in the Amherst County court 2 April 1782.²⁹⁵
6. Isaac was a Captain in the Virginia Militia in 1785 & 1786.²⁹²
7. Isaac was listed on the 1787 Amherst County Tax List "B" with 8 Blacks over 16 years of age and 9 under 16, 6 horses, and 14 cattle.²⁹⁰

He married Mildred Hawkins²⁵⁶, About 1761²⁶⁴ in Orange Co., VA. Born Circa 1737³⁰⁶. Died 1813 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. *National Society Daughters of the American Colonists Lineage Book Volume II* gives Mary's birth and death years as 1734 and 1812, respectively.

They had the following children:

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| 133 | i. | Isaac Rucker Jr. |
| 134 | ii. | John Rucker |
| 135 | iii. | Moses Rucker |
| 136 | iv. | Reuben Rucker |
| 137 | v. | Richard Rucker |
| 138 | vi. | Susana Rucker |
| 139 | vii. | Elizabeth Rucker |

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21. Anthony Rucker²⁵⁶. Born About 1740³⁰⁶ in Orange Co., VA. Died 27 Jan 1821⁵⁶⁹ in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Named in father John's will.²⁶⁷
2. Anthony lived in Amherst Co. VA where "men of ability came early to the county. The Warrens, the Crawfords, the Ruckers, then Charles Lynch, Benjamin Cocke, and Peter Jefferson. They were a mixed group, from sons of cultured Tidewater families to indentured servants. At about the time of an infamous flood (May 1771), Anthony invented the James River batteau. The advantages of the batteau over the dugout canoes commonly used for commercial transportation on the James River were that it could be built more quickly from boards sawed by water powered sawmill, and that it could carry more hogsheads of tobacco. There was a public launching on the James witnessed by Mr. Thomas Jefferson. Anthony's invention was not patented until 1820. It stirred up quite a storm, because there were those who thought others should have received the credit. Thomas Jefferson and the patent office settled the dispute in favor of Anthony.³⁷⁸
3. Captain in the Revolution.²⁵⁶
4. Anthony was a claimant " for property impressed or taken for public service" in the Amherst County court 2 April 1782.²⁹⁵
5. Anthony was listed on the 1787 Amherst County Tax List "B" with 6 Blacks over 16 years of age and 7 under 16, 6 horses, and 14 cattle.²⁹⁰
6. Will named wife Rebecca, sons Absalom, Abner, Armistead, and daughters Agnes Ogden, Ann [deceased], and Amelia [deceased]. "Capt. Jas. Ware to proceed per contract as to patent for invention for building a Batteaux; if successful, get one-half."³⁷⁹
7. The Rev. Bailey Fulton Davis, referring to page 309 in Amherst County *Deed Book P*, stated "Therein it is shown that Benj. Rucker was joint inventor (of the batteaux) with him {Anthony.} There is data showing the patent had been applied for and powers to various men in several states so that they could collect revenue due the inventors."³⁸⁰
8. Estate inventory recorded Mar 1821.³⁷⁹

He married Rebecca Burgess.

1. Named in her husband's will.³⁷⁹
2. Rebecca and her siblings were listed in Pittsylvania County, VA, Deed Book 11, pg 434, dated 1 Apr 1799.³⁰⁶

They had the following children:

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| 140 | i. | Abner Rucker |
| 141 | ii. | Armistead Rucker |
| 142 | iii. | Absolem Rucker |
| 143 | iv. | Agnes Rucker |
| 144 | v. | Ann Rucker |
| 145 | vi. | Amelia Rucker |

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22. Mildred Rucker²⁶⁴. Born About 1741³⁰⁶ in Orange Co., VA. Died About 1823 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Named in father John's will.²⁶⁷

She married Stephen Ham, Circa 1758/1759³⁸⁶ in Orange Co., VA. Born About 1734. Died Before 17 Feb 1812 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Stephen's will was dated 1 Sep 1810 and proved 17 Feb 1812.³⁸⁵

They had the following children:

146	i.	James Ham
147	ii.	John Ham
148	iii.	Ambrose Ham
149	iv.	Elizabeth Ham
150	v.	Frances Ham
151	vi.	Lucy Ham
152	vii.	William Ham
153	viii.	Bartlett Ham
154	ix.	Samuel Ham
155	x.	Sally Ham
156	xi.	Polly Ham
157	xii.	Susannah Ham

23. Phoebe Rucker. Born About 1742³⁰⁶ in Orange Co., VA.

1. Named in father John's will.²⁶⁷

2. Moved to Amherst County, VA, and then to Kentucky.²⁶⁴

She married James Morton, Before 1750²⁶⁴ in Madison Co., VA.

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24. Thomas Rucker Jr. Born About 1733 in Caroline Co., VA. Died 1808 in Madison Co., VA.

1. Culpeper County Court Booklet I lists a claim by Thomas Rucker for payment for 1075 pounds of beef supplied to the Revolutionary troops in Oct 1781 (pg 36).
2. They settled and lived in and around Orange County.
3. Thomas was on the Culpeper County tax rolls for 1783 with one poll and one slave.⁴⁰⁰
4. Thomas was listed on the 1787 Culpeper County *Tax List "C"* with 3 Blacks over 16 years of age and one under 16, 5 horses, and 23 cattle.²⁹⁰
5. Thomas's will was dated 7 Jan 1805 and proved 23 Jun 1808.⁴¹⁹

He married Elizabeth Wisdom⁵⁷², daughter of John Wisdom & Ann Collins. Died 1826/1827. They had the following children:

158	i.	Wisdom Rucker
159	ii.	Mary Rucker
160	iii.	Nancy Rucker
161	iv.	Sarah Rucker
162	v.	Tabitha Rucker
163	vi.	John Rucker
164	vii.	Frances Rucker
165	viii.	Catey Rucker
166	ix.	Ezekiel Rucker
167	x.	Elizabeth Rucker
168	xi.	Isabel Rucker
169	xii.	James Rucker

25. Cornelius Rucker. Born About 1734 in Caroline Co., VA. Died Before 16 Jul 1761 in Culpeper Co., VA.

1. Will dated 28 Mar 1761, and proved 16 Jul 1761, named wife Mary and three children, Joseph, Ann, and John. Appointed "my loving brothers John Rucker and Conyers White to be my sole executors." Thomas and Peter Rucker were witnesses.⁴²²

He married Mary White, daughter of John White & (Nancy) Ann Wisdom, in Orange Co., VA.

1. Mary was a first cousin to the wives of her husband Cornelius's brothers Peter and Thomas, Jr.⁵⁹⁰

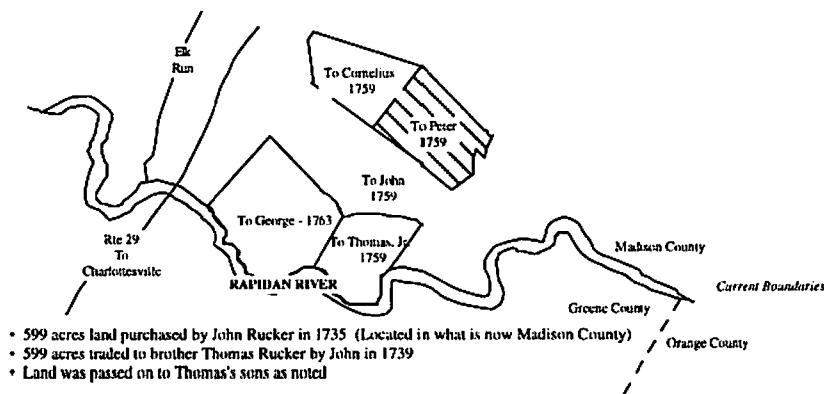
They had the following children:

170	i.	Joseph Rucker
171	ii.	John Rucker
172	iii.	Ann Rucker

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26. **Peter Rucker.** Born About 1735 in Caroline Co., VA. Died Jul 1775 in Natchez, Adams Co., British, W. Florida.

1. Listed as a neighbor of William Offill in a Culpeper County VA land transaction 4 Nov 1755, along with brother John and uncle Ephraim.³⁹⁶
2. Peter and brother William on the list of Culpeper Militia Without Arms on 26 Jun 1757.⁴⁰⁸
3. Peter received nine shillings pay in 1758 for Culpeper County Militia duty; *ibid.*
5. Peter was listed as a sergeant on the Cumberland County Militia roll in Sep 1758.⁴³³
6. 15 Mar 1759, Thomas Rucker deeded to son, Peter Rucker, of Culpeper County 122 acres in that county whereon Jacob (see note 8 below) is now living.⁴³⁴
7. 25 Jan 1773, Peter Rucker of Culpeper County mortgaged 185 acres to John Rucker of Orange County for 50 pounds to secure debt. The mortgage was paid the next year.
8. Peter sold 181 acres "whereupon Jacob Hubbard now lives" in Culpeper County VA 10 Feb 1775 [recorded 15 May] to Michael Ehart. He also sold the property where he lived, adjoining William Offills, Ephraim Rucker, and Isaac Tinsley.⁴³⁵



9. He then took his family to British West Florida (now MS) in the area of Natchez.
10. Mississippi Department of Archives and History, *English Provincial Archives, Record Group 25, Roll 30*, contains the following: "Read the petition of Sarah Rucker setting forth "That your petitioner arrived with her late husband and family in this province in May 1775, with the intent of settling. That in July following her husband died. . . ."

He married Sarah Wisdom⁵⁷², daughter of John Wisdom & Ann Collins, About 1759⁵⁵⁹. Died After Mar 1808 in MS Territory.

1. Warrant of Survey for 400 acres from the British Govt. to Sarah, Coleby, Jonathon, Susanna, Catherine, George and William Rucker, on south side of Bayou Pierre in the Province of West Florida to cover the improvements made by Sarah RUCKER. Pensacola, 11 Feb 1778, by Peter Chester. Warrant registered 21 May 1804.⁴³⁸
2. File. Sarah DAVIS and other claimants, 21 Mch. 1804. rejected 27 April 1807. Sarah Davis, formerly Sarah Rucker, Coleby, Jonathon, Susanna, Catherine, George and William Rucker claim 400 acres in Claiborne Co. on south side of Bayou Pierre above the mouth of a small cr. called the Widow's Cr., 10 mi. up Bayou Pierre from where it empties into the Miss. River, by virtue of a British order of survey granted to them, as above. Sarah Davis for herself and other claimants.⁴³⁶
3. "Read the petition of Sarah Rucker setting forth "That your petitioner arrived with her late husband and family in this province in May 1775, with the intent of settling. That in July following her husband died. That she settled upon a vacant plot of land. That her family consists of herself and six children as appears by her affidavit herewith. Therefore prays for a grant of such quantity of land as may be thought proper, situated upon the South Side of Bayou Piere (sic) to cover her improvements and your petitioner will ever pray, etc." "Postponed."⁵⁴²
4. On 11 Feb 1778, the Council granted 100 acres to Sarah and 50 acres to each of her children "when their names were known," to be situated on the south side of Bayou Pierre; *ibid.*

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5. With the end of the Revolutionary War, Spain was ceded the Floridas, ending the land speculation in those areas from a British standpoint. ". . . By treaty of peace between Great Britain and Spain, in 1783, the absolute time of 18 months was given to his Britannic Majesty's subjects to enable them to sell their estates and remove their effects, accompanied by a declaration that, should not that time be sufficient to answer those purposes, his Catholic Majesty would give a prolongation proportioned to that end. In 1785, a prolongation of four months was given by the King of Spain. [After that] the Spanish government considered the lands held under British patents which had not received . . . confirmation, as being vacant. . . . [these lands, then] were indiscriminately re-granted by the Spanish Government . . ."439

6. In a "Report of Claims founded on British and Spanish Warrants of Survey within the District west of Pearl River, disallowed by the Board of commissioners made in pursuance of the fourth section of an act, entitled 'An act concerning the sales of the lands of the United States, and for other purposes,' passed March 31, 1808," Sarah Davis, representing her "son Coleby & others" was disallowed a claim for 400 acres on Bayou Pierre, derived from British records dated Feb 21, 1778, because of "No evidence [of title]"440

7. Sarah was married twice following Peter Rucker's death. A family Bible in the possession of a descendant of Jonathon Rucker listed the birth of "Frederick Friley, half brother to the above about 1776," which implies a marriage to a Mr. Friley, possibly in 1775 ("the above" were Colby, Jonathon, Susannah, Catherine, and William Rucker.)

8. The following chronology compiled by Owen Roberts of Brookhaven, MS, and furnished by Mary Hannah, is a probable description of the Friley connection [the source(s) of much of the data were not provided.] It appears that Sarah Wisdom Rucker married Matthias Friley ca 1777/1778 and had a son Frederick soon thereafter.

- 1773 Matthias Friley arrived in British West Florida

- 19 Aug 1777 Matthias Friley signed a note to John Bloomart for six dollars and six reales.

- 11 Oct 1777 Matthias Freyley applied for land in British West Florida, and was granted 150 acres (the usual allowance for a single man) on Bayou Pierre.

- 21 Sep 1781 Matthias Friley was dead by this date when his note was listed with other notes held by John Bloomart's estate. (An annotation on Friley's note indicated that he was dead and his wife and property were in Natchez.)

- 25 Jan 1799 Frederick Friley and William Rucker, joint owners of certain property, sold the same to Robert Cochran. (See Adams County, MS, *Court Record Book B*, pp 220-221.)

- 8 Jan 1822 Frederick Friley had died, and his half-brother William Rucker, and his half-sister Catherine Rucker Turnbull relinquished their interest in his property, real and personal, to their brother Jonathon Rucker. (Claiborne County, MS, *Book G*, pg 72.)

- 11 Feb 1822 Susannah Rucker Bisland relinquished her interest in the property of Frederick Friley, her half-brother, to her brother Jonathon Rucker. ibid

9. An entry in the previously mentioned Natchez *Claims Book E*, dated 27 April 1807 refers to "Sarah Davis, formerly Sarah Rucker," which indicates her third marriage, prior to that date.

They had the following children:

173	i.	Colby Rucker
174	ii.	Jonathon Rucker
175	iii.	Susannah Rucker
176	iv.	Catherine Rucker
177	v.	George Rucker
178	vi.	William Rucker

27. Mary Rucker. Born in Caroline Co., VA.

1. Mary was named in her father Thomas's will.⁴¹⁷

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28. John Rucker. Born About 1740 in Caroline Co., VA. Died Before 23 Jun 1794 in Ruckersville, Orange Co., VA.

1. Listed as a neighbor of William Offill in a Culpeper County land transaction 4 Nov 1755, along with brother Peter and uncle Ephraim.³⁹⁶
2. John and his wife Mary sold 200 acres in Orange County for £100 current Virginia money.⁴²⁵
3. Will dated 12 Oct 1788, proved 23 Jun 1794.⁴²⁶

He married Mary Nancy Burton, daughter of Burton & May, About 1765⁴¹⁸. Born 1732. Died Before 24 Feb 1823 in Orange Co., VA. They had the following children:

179	i.	Joel Rucker
180	ii.	Frankey Rucker
181	iii.	Milly Rucker
182	iv.	William Rucker
183	v.	Jeremiah Rucker
184	vi.	James Rucker
185	vii.	John Rucker Jr.
186	viii.	Mary Rucker
187	ix.	Willis Rucker
188	x.	Nancy Rucker
189	xi.	Burton Rucker

29. Elizabeth Rucker.

(No further data available.)

30. Martha Rucker.

(No further data available.)

31. William Rucker. Born About 1745 in Orange Co., VA. Died 20 May 1819²⁹¹ in Madison Co., VA.

1. William was listed on the 1787 Culpeper County Tax List "C" with one Black over 16 years of age, 2 horses, and 7 cattle.²⁹⁰

He married Elizabeth Smith²⁶⁴, daughter of Isaac Smith & Margaret Rucker, About 1765³⁰⁶ in Culpeper Co., VA.

1. The order of the children's births is deduced from marriage and census records.³⁰⁶

They had the following children:

190	i.	Joel Rucker
191	ii.	Benjamin Rucker
192	iii.	Nancy Rucker
193	iv.	Sally Rucker
194	v.	Jarvis Rucker
195	vi.	Fanny Rucker
196	vii.	Eleanor (Nelly) Rucker

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32. Mauldin Rucker²⁶⁴. Born in Orange Co., VA.

1. Named after father's friend Richard Mauldin.³⁰⁶
2. Mauldin witnessed the sale of 11 acres in Culpeper County to his father Thomas.²⁵⁶
3. Died young.³⁰⁶

33. Isaac Rucker. Born Circa 1750³⁰⁶ in Culpeper Co., VA.

1. Isaac was named in his father Thomas's will.⁴¹⁷
2. Listed in the Amherst County VA Personal Property Tax List B for 1787, accountable for himself, 2 Blacks, and 1 horse.²⁹⁰

34. Easter Rucker. Born in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 2 Jun 1779²⁵⁶ in Culpeper Co., VA.

1. Will recorded in Culpeper County, listing her sister Frances as her heir.⁵⁶⁰

35. Frankey Rucker. Born in Culpeper Co., VA.

She married William Alexander, 21 Aug 1782²⁵⁶ in Culpeper Co., VA.

36. George Rucker. Born About 1753 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died About 1815 in Franklin Co., GA.

1. George was listed on the Augusta County, VA Militia roll on 10 Sep 1774 in Captain William Nalle's Company.⁴³³
2. Moved to Franklin County, GA; *ibid*.
3. Will filed in Franklin County.⁴³²

He married Catherine Ehart⁴³², daughter of Michael Ehart & Catherine, About 1780²⁶⁴.

1. Reference document Payn⁸⁵⁴, pg 47.

They had the following children:

197	i.	George Rucker Jr.
198	ii.	Susannah Rucker ²⁶⁴
199	iii.	Elizabeth Rucker
200	iv.	Mary Rucker
201	v.	Frances Rucker
202	vi.	Indy Rucker
203	vii.	Nancy Rucker
204	viii.	Simeon Bluford Rucker

37. July Pearce²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

38. Edith Pearce²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

39. Jeremiah Pearce²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

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40. Francis Pearce²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

41. Peachy Pearce²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

42. Elizabeth Pearce²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

43. Thomas Tinsley V. ²⁶⁴ Died 1778 in Prince Edward Co, VA.

44. ___ Tinsley²⁶⁴ (Female).

(No further data available.)

45. ___ Tinsley²⁶⁴ (Female).

(No further data available.)

46. William Tinsley²⁶⁴. Died 1806 in Clark Co., KY.

47. Charles Tinsley²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

48. Isaac Tinsley Jr. Born About 1740 in Orange Co., VA. Died Before Jan 1803 in Wilkes Co., NC.

1. On 14 Mar 1759, Isaac Tinsley of Amelia County, VA, deeded to Isaac Tinsley of Brumfield Parish in Culpeper County, "For love and affection to my son," 100 acres in Culpeper County on the Rapidan River.³⁹²
2. Isaac was compensated for providing foodstuffs to General Green in support of the revolutionary government in a court held in Amherst County on 2 Apr 1782.²⁸⁵
3. Isaac was on the Wilkes County, NC, list of Taxables for 1799 with 200 acres and 1 Tithable in Captain McGradie's Company.³⁹³
4. Isaac's will was dated 29 Aug 1802, proved in the Jan term of the Wilkes County Court. He named wife Sarah and sons Isaac, David, and Thomas.³⁹⁴

He married Sarah ____. They had the following children:

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| 205 | i. | Isaac Tinsley |
| 206 | ii. | David Tinsley |
| 207 | iii. | Thomas Tinsley |

49. James Tinsley²⁶⁴. Born in VA. Died 1783 in 96 Dist., SC.

50. Phillip Tinsley²⁶⁴. Died 1784 in 96 Dist., SC.

51. David Tinsley²⁶⁴. Born 1749 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died Oct 1801 in Augusta, GA.

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52. Gideon Rucker. Born 1737 in Orange Co., VA.

He married Elizabeth Cook, 9 Feb 1762²⁶⁴ in Amelia Co., VA.

53. James Rucker. Born Circa 1739 in Orange Co., VA.

54. Sarah Rucker.

1. Amelia County, VA, *Deed Book 21*, refers to Sarah Wingo as the daughter of William Rucker on page 59, per Rachel Seay of Gainesville, GA. (This find was previously published in *Rucker Ruckus*.)

She married John Wingo, Circa 1760 in Amelia Co., VA.

55. William Rucker. Born 28 Sep 1744 in Orange Co., VA. Died 22 Nov 1834 in Elbert Co., GA.

He married Elizabeth Alexander⁵⁶¹, daughter of James Alexander.

1. Named in her father's will.⁵⁶¹

56. Joshua Rucker²⁶⁴. Born Circa 1747 in Orange Co., VA. Died 10 Jan 1809 in Amelia Co., VA.

He married Sally ___²⁶⁴.

57. Elisha Rucker²⁶⁴. Born Circa 1750 in Culpeper Co., VA.

58. Joseph Rucker²⁶⁴. Born Circa 1752.

59. Mordecai Rucker²⁶⁴. Born 1755 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 1845.

He first married ___²⁶⁴.

He second married Susanna Allen, daughter of Charles Allen, Circa 1795²⁶⁴ in NC. Died After 18 Dec 1832 in Rutherford Co., NC.

1. Her will was dated 18 Dec 1832, Rutherford County, NC.²⁶⁴

They had the following child:

208 i. Sarah Rucker

60. William Offall/Offill²⁶⁴ Jr.

(No further data available.)

61. Margaret Offall/Offill²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

62. Elizabeth Offall/Offill²⁶⁴. Died 1797.

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63. James Rucker²⁶⁴.

He married Mary ___²⁶⁴.

64. Ephraim Rucker²⁶⁴. Born in Culpeper Co., VA.

He married Elizabeth Randall, 25 Jun 1775²⁶⁴.

65. Lemuel Rucker²⁶⁴. Born 15 Apr 1754 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 4 Mar 1842 in Summerville, OH.

1. His name is sometimes written as Samuel in his records.³⁰⁶

He married Ann Booten, 1783²⁶⁴. Born 11 Dec 1763. Died Mar 1845.

66. Wyatt Rucker²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

67. Elzaphan Rucker²⁶⁴. Born Circa 1760 in VA.

68. Augustine Rucker²⁵⁶.

He married Tomagen²⁵⁶ Rucker, [*see number 76 below*] daughter of Ephraim Rucker & Margaret Vawter.

69. Mildred Rucker²⁶⁴.

1. Greenbrier County, VA, records of land transactions between James Rucker and brothers of George Underwood are stated in such a manner as to indicate that George's wife Mildred is the daughter of James.⁵⁶²

She married George Underwood.

70. ___ Rucker²⁵⁶ (Male). Born in Culpeper Co., VA. Died in OH.

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71. Angus Rucker²⁶⁴. Born 1746 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 21 Sep 1836 in Madison Co., VA. Buried in Madison Co., VA, Near Wolfstown.

1. Captain Angus Rucker raised a company of men in Culpeper County to join the 1st Regiment, Virginia State Line, on 3 Jul 1779.⁴⁰²
2. On 21 Jan 1783, Angus was issued a *Military Land Bounty Warrant, No. 90*, for 4,000 acres "in consideration of his services as a Captain of the State Infantry for three years."⁴⁰³
3. "Indenture, July 24, 1813, Angus Rucker, and Susan Rucker, his wife, of Madison County, VA, to Robert A. Gatewood, merchant, of Lexington, KY, for \$1.00, a tract of land in Kentucky in the district set apart for the officers and soldiers of the Virginia Continental Line, on the Cumberland River, being the same tract patented in the name of Angus Rucker and containing 1,000 acres, for which patent was dated May 23, 1795." Recorded by Madison County VA, 29 July 1813, and by the Kentucky Court of Appeals, 30 Nov 1813.⁴⁰⁴
5. On 26 Feb 1830, Angus applied for a Revolutionary War pension while residing in Madison County, VA. [In September of that year, he stated that he was 77 years of age.] His file indicates that he enlisted in the Militia in 1775 and served in Captain William Champ's and Thornton's companies. In 1776 he was Commissary to Marines. In Jan 1777, he was appointed First Lieutenant in Captain John Nicholas's Company of Colonel George Gibson's 1st Virginia Regiment. Later that year he was appointed Captain in the same Regiment, a position he retained until the summer of 1780. In 1781, Angus became Superintendent of Hospital in Chesterfield County, where he served until after the siege of Yorktown.⁴⁰³
6. Angus was allowed a pension of 240 dollars per annum. Ibid.
7. Angus was listed on the 1787 Culpeper County *Tax List "C"* with 3 Blacks over 16 years of age and 7 under 16, 4 horses, and 8 cattle.²⁹⁰
8. Angus's will, dated 1 Aug 1832, was proved in Madison County, VA, 22 Sep 1836.⁴⁰⁵

He first married Jane Allen, Circa 1770²⁶⁴.

He second married Mary Susanna Graves, 24 Aug 1806³⁰⁶ in Madison Co., VA.

72. Elliott Rucker²⁵⁶. Born Circa 1748 in Orange Co., VA. Died 19 Mar 1832 in Shelby Co., KY.

1. "It appears from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim S46408 that Elliott Rucker enlisted in 1775 and served one year as a private in Capt. John Green's company from Culpeper County Virginia. In 1776 or 1777 he was commissioned Ensign of Colonel George Gibson's Virginia Regiment. In 1777 he was commissioned Lieutenant of said regiment. He was engaged in the storming of Stony Point and served until 1781 when he was appointed Major of a battalion of Virginia Troops; he was in the battles of Hot Water and Jamestown and at the siege of Yorktown and served during that year nine months. He was a resident of Madison County Virginia. He was allowed pension on his application executed Nov 1830 while a resident of Shelbyville, Shelby County, Kentucky where he died March 19, 1832, leaving a widow who survived him a few years, her name not stated. Soldier's son LeGrand F. Rucker was living in said Shelby County KY in 1830, and daughter Meriel A. wife of John E. Dencale, was the only living child in February 1844 and was then Residing in said county Shelby Co. Kentucky."⁴⁰⁶
2. Elliott was listed on the 1787 Culpeper County *Tax List "C"* with father Ephraim paying his taxes.²⁹⁰

He married Nancy Smith, 6 May 1789²⁵⁶ in Orange Co., VA.

73. John Rucker. Died 1811 in Woodford Co., KY.

He married Juliana Early, daughter of Joseph Early, in KY⁴⁰⁷. Born 1766. Died 29 Dec 1851. Buried in Bullitsburg Baptist Cem., Boone Co., KY.

74. Tabitha Rucker²⁵⁶. Died 1815.

She married Edmond Gaines²⁵⁶.

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75. Mary Rucker.

She married William Vawter, 19 Jun 1784²⁶⁴ in Orange Co., VA. Born 1758. Died 27 Nov 1823.

76. Tomagen Rucker²⁵⁶.

She first married Ambrose Booton²⁵⁶.

She second married Augustine Rucker²⁵⁶, son of James Rucker & Margaret ____.

77. Margaret Rucker.

She first married Armistead Minor²⁵⁶. Died Before 1791.

She second married Dr. William Morgan, 17 Oct 1795²⁶⁴.

78. Julius Rucker²⁵⁶.

1. Julius was listed on the 1787 Culpeper County *Tax List "C"* with his father Ephraim paying his taxes.²⁹⁰

79. Philicia Cook.

1. Data obtained from Leona L. Weaver letter to R. Payne, dated 14 June 1993.

She married Jonathon Stone, 1775.

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80. Elizabeth Smith²⁶⁴.

1. The order of the children's births is deduced from marriage and census records.³⁰⁶

She married William Rucker, son of Thomas Rucker & Elizabeth Reynolds, About 1765³⁰⁶ in Culpeper Co., VA. Born About 1745 in Orange Co., VA. Died 20 May 1819²⁹¹ in Madison Co., VA.

1. William was listed on the 1787 Culpeper County *Tax List "C"* with one Black over 16 years of age, 2 horses, and 7 cattle.²⁹⁰

They had the following children:

190	i.	Joel Rucker
191	ii.	Benjamin Rucker
192	iii.	Nancy Rucker
193	iv.	Sally Rucker
194	v.	Jarvis Rucker
195	vi.	Fanny Rucker
196	vii.	Eleanor (Nelly) Rucker

81. Henrietta Smith²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

82. Susannah Smith²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

83. Isaac Smith Jr. ²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

84. Malinda Smith²⁶⁴. Died 1802.

85. Mary Smith²⁶⁴. Died Before 1802.

86. William Smith²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

87. Winnifred Smith²⁶⁴. Died Before 1802.

88. Edwin Smith²⁶⁴. Died Before 1802.

89. Downing Rucker Smith²⁶⁴. Died After 26 Feb 1826 in Madison Co., VA.

1. Madison County, VA, will dated 26 Feb 1826.²⁶⁴

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90. James Rucker. Born 1 Dec 1747²⁸⁹ in Albemarle Co., VA. Died Before 20 Oct 1828⁴⁴⁹ in Caldwell Co., KY.

1. James was ordained as a Baptist preacher in 1781.⁵⁷⁰
2. Will Proved 20 Oct 1828.²⁸⁰

He first married Ann (Nancy)²⁸¹ Morton, daughter of John Morton & Sarah Browne.

He second married Susanna (Susan) ___²⁵⁶. Born Circa 1763. Died 15 Jul 1827⁴⁴⁹.

91. Sarah Rucker. Born 25 Jul 1750²⁶⁴ in Albemarle Co., VA. Died 16 Oct 1825.

She married James Pendleton, 1769²⁵⁶.

92. John Rucker. Born About 1752³⁰⁶ in Albemarle Co., VA. Died 24 Apr 1814 in Fayette Co., KY.

1. John Rucker was commissioned an Ensign in the Orange County, VA militia on 24 Mar 1780. John's father, John II was a soldier also and died in service.²⁸⁴
2. John was compensated for "driving publick beeves" in November in support of the revolutionary government in a court held in Amherst County on 2 Apr 1782.²⁸⁵
3. Will dated 18 Jun 1812, proved May 1814 in Fayette County, KY, named wife Patsy.⁵⁷¹

He first married Sarah (Sally) Plunkett, daughter of John Plunkett & Mildred Hawkins, 18 Nov 1770²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA. Born 1754 in Orange Co., VA. Died 14 Dec 1796 in Woodford Co., KY. They had the following children:

209	i.	Rachel Rucker
210	ii.	Ahmed Rucker
211	iii.	Mildred (Milley) Rucker
212	iv.	Barnett Rucker
213	v.	William Rucker
214	vi.	John Rucker
215	vii.	James Plunkett Rucker
216	viii.	Joshua Rucker
217	ix.	Isaac Rucker
218	x.	Benjamin Asbury Rucker
219	xi.	Lewis Rucker
220	xii.	Lewis Dawson Rucker

He second married Patsy ___²⁵⁶.

93. Susan Rucker²⁵⁶. Born About 1753 in Albemarle Co., VA. Died 1817²⁸² in Shelby Co., KY.

She married Reuben Cowherd.

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94. George Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1754²⁶⁴ in Albemarle Co., VA. Died 1818 in Bedford Co., VA.

1. Was an ordained Baptist minister in 1803.²⁵⁶

He married Martha Tucker²⁵⁶, daughter of Drury Tucker & Susanna Douglass. Died 26 Nov 1840²⁶⁴. They had the following children:

221	i.	Susan Rucker
222	ii.	Elizabeth Rucker
223	iii.	Daniel Rucker
224	iv.	Sarah Rucker
225	v.	Jonathon Rucker
226	vi.	James Rucker
227	vii.	William Ballenger Rucker

95. William Rucker. Born 1756²⁵⁶ in Albemarle Co., VA. Died Before 24 Jul 1826 in Murfreesboro, Rutherford Co., TN.

1. William's will was proved 24 Jul 1826 in Murfreesboro, TN.

He married Sarah North, daughter of Abraham North, 7 Mar 1782²⁶⁴ in Bedford Co., VA. Born 10 Jan 1762²⁶⁴ in Bedford Co., VA. Died 23 Aug 1845.

96. Eleanor (Nellie) Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1758²⁶⁴ in Albemarle Co., VA. Died 1818.

She married John Morton, 6 Feb 1786²⁵⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

97. Elizabeth (Betty) Rucker. Born 1759³⁰⁶ in Albemarle Co., VA.

She married David North, 6 Jan 1785²⁵⁶.

98. Isaac Rucker. Born Circa 1760²⁵⁶ in Albemarle Co., VA. Died 1835 in Versailles, Jessamine Co., KY.

1. Will proved in Versailles, KY.²⁶⁴

He married Minty Ogden, 25 Mar 1806²⁵⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

99. John Marr²⁶⁴.

He married Sarah (Sally) Rucker²⁶⁴, daughter of Ambrose Rucker & Mary Tinsley, 9 Aug 1802²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

100. James Marr²⁶⁴.

He married Elizabeth (Betty) Rucker, daughter of Ambrose Rucker & Mary Tinsley, 3 Jan 1791²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Born After 1770.

1. Isaac Rucker provided surety for marriage which was by consent of her father Ambrose Rucker.²⁸⁶

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101. Alexander Marr.

He married Matilda Rucker, daughter of Ambrose Rucker & Mary Tinsley, 27 Dec 1796²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Born After 1775.

1. Isaac Rucker provided surety for marriage which was by consent of father Ambrose Rucker.²⁸⁶

102. Margaret Marr²⁵⁶. Died 1817 in Amherst Co., VA.

She married Richard Rucker²⁵⁶, son of Isaac Rucker & Mildred Hawkins, 16 Jul 1798²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Joshua Hudson provided surety for first marriage, and Alexander Marr for the second.²⁸⁶
2. Served in the War of 1812.²⁵⁶

103. Elizabeth Marr²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

104. James Lea. Born About 1765²⁶⁴ in Orange or, Caswell Co., NC. Died Before Jul 1835 in Caswell Co., NC.

1. Lived on Country Line Creek near Leasburg, Caswell County, and was a justice of the peace in that county. Will proved July 1835 in Caswell County, NC.²⁶⁴

He married Frances (Frankey) Rucker, daughter of Ambrose Rucker & Mary Tinsley, 25 Jan 1786²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Born After 1765²⁶⁴. Died 1847 in Caswell Co., NC.

1. Ambrose Rucker, Jr. was surety for her marriage which was by consent of her father, Ambrose Rucker.²⁸⁶

105. John Lea²⁶⁴. Born About 1766 in Orange or, Caswell Co., NC. Died About 1839 in Caswell Co., NC.

1. Will dated 1839 in Caswell County, NC.²⁶⁴

106. Benjamin J. Lea²⁶⁴. Born About 1770 in Orange or, Caswell Co., NC. Died 1833.

107. Jeremiah Lea²⁶⁴. Died 1821.

108. Nancy Lea²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

109. Sally Lea²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

110. Frances Lea²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

111. Elizabeth Lea²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

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112. Reuben Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 26 Dec 1755 in Orange or, Albemarle Co., VA. Died 27 Jan 1782.

1. "Robert Cash acknowledged his deed to Reubin Rucker" in the Amherst County Court 1 May 1780.²⁹⁵
2. Reuben was killed in active service during Revolutionary War.²⁵⁶
3. Inventory of estate recorded on 4 May 1782.²⁹⁸

He married Margaret McDaniel²⁶⁴, 1776 in Amherst Co., VA. Born 16 Apr 1757. Died 26 Aug 1798. They had the following children:

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| 228 | i. | Ambrose Rucker |
| 229 | ii. | Rosamond Rucker |
| 230 | iii. | Lucy Rucker |

113. Winifred Rucker²⁶⁴. Died About 1791.

1. Winifred is noted as being deceased in her father Ambrose's will, dated 21 Jan 1807.²⁹⁶

She first married Benjamin Plunkett³⁰¹, son of John Plunkett & Mildred Hawkins.

1. Of Orange County VA.

They had the following children:

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| 231 | i. | Ambrose Plunkett |
| 232 | ii. | Sally Plunkett |

114. Margaret (Peggy) Rucker²⁶⁴. Died About 1785 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Peggy McDaniel noted as being deceased in Father Ambrose's will, dated 21 Jan 1807.²⁹⁶

She married John McDaniel²⁶⁴, 1769/1773.

115. Mary (Molly) Rucker²⁶⁴. Born 1757. Died 1785.

She married James Burford²⁹⁷, 1 Oct 1782²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

116. Frances (Frankey) Rucker. Born After 1765²⁶⁴. Died 1847 in Caswell Co., NC.

1. Ambrose Rucker, Jr. was surety for her marriage which was by consent of her father, Ambrose Rucker.²⁸⁶

She married James Lea, son of John Lea & Winifred Rucker, 25 Jan 1786²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Born About 1765²⁶⁴ in Orange or, Caswell Co., NC. Died Before Jul 1835 in Caswell Co., NC.

1. Lived on Country Line Creek near Leasburg, Caswell County, and was a justice of the peace in that county. Will proved July 1835 in Caswell County, NC.²⁶⁴

117. Ambrose Rucker Jr. Born 6 Dec 1763⁵⁶³ in Orange or, Amherst Co., VA. Died 19 Aug 1827 in Bedford Co., VA.

1. Ambrose, Jr., was listed on the 1787 Amherst County *Tax List "B"* with one Black over 16 years of age and 3 under 16, 3 horses, and one cow.²⁹⁰

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He married Elizabeth Lucas, 25 Jan 1786²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Born 6 May 1770⁵⁶³. Died Aug 1823.
118. Isaac Rucker. Born About 1770 in Amherst Co., VA. Died About 1838 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Surety for second marriage (Christian) provided by Thomas Woodroof.²⁸⁶

He first married Mary Higginbotham²⁶⁴, 28 Jan 1793²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

He second married Mary Ann Christian, daughter of Henry Christian, 12 Jan 1796²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Died 25 Jan 1812²⁶⁴.

1. Surety for marriage provided by Thomas Woodroof.²⁸⁶

He third married Mary Wingfield, 3 Feb 1812²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Marriage recorded in Amherst County, VA, Marriage Book, 19 Oct 1812 (date not stated) per "The Wingfields of Albemarle County, Virginia: A Correction," by Richard Wingfield Quarles, in the *Magazine of Virginia Genealogy*, Volume 26, pg 99.

119. Sophia Rucker.

1. Marriage bond signed by father, Ambrose.³⁰⁶

She married Robert Jennings²⁶⁴, 23 Dec 1797²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

120. Caroline Rucker.

She married John Hansford, 23 Nov 1793²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

121. Elizabeth (Betty) Rucker. Born After 1770.

1. Isaac Rucker provided surety for marriage which was by consent of her father Ambrose Rucker.²⁸⁶

She married James Marr²⁶⁴, son of Alexander Marr & Sarah Rucker, 3 Jan 1791²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

122. Matilda Rucker. Born After 1775.

1. Isaac Rucker provided surety for marriage which was by consent of father Ambrose Rucker.²⁸⁶

She married Alexander Marr, son of Alexander Marr & Sarah Rucker, 27 Dec 1796²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

123. Sarah (Sally) Rucker²⁶⁴.

She married John Marr²⁶⁴, son of Alexander Marr & Sarah Rucker, 9 Aug 1802²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

124. Charlotte Rucker³⁰⁶.

(No further data available.)

125. Benjamin Rucker. Born 1792³⁰⁶.

1. Served in War of 1812.²⁶⁴

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He married Sallie Harris, 22 Nov 1813²⁵⁶.

126. Rev. James Rucker³⁰⁹. Born 4 Sep 1758 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 10 Sep 1819 in Rutherford Co., TN. Buried in V. A. Grounds, Murfreesboro, TN.

1. James was buried in a single grave on the grounds of the Veteran's Administration in Murfreesboro, TN, under a government marker.³⁰⁹
2. Was a private in the Tennessee Volunteers in War of 1812.²⁹²
3. James was a Methodist minister, and an inspector of tobacco in Campbell Co., VA.²⁶⁴

He first married Euphan Tate²⁶⁴, daughter of Henry Tate, 31 May 1781²⁶⁴ in Bedford Co., VA. Died Dec 1786. They had the following children:

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| 233 | i. | Elizabeth Rucker |
| 234 | ii. | Lucinda Rucker |
| 235 | iii. | Jonathon Rucker |
| 236 | iv. | Henry Tate Rucker |

He second married Nancy Ann Reed³⁰⁹, daughter of William Reed & Johanna, 31 Jan 1788²⁶⁴ in Bedford Co., VA. Born 12 May 1765. Died 3 Nov 1845. They had the following children:

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| 237 | i. | James Rucker Jr. |
| 238 | ii. | Benjamin Rucker |
| 239 | iii. | William Reed Rucker |
| 240 | iv. | Samuel C. Rucker |
| 241 | v. | Joanna Rucker |
| 242 | vi. | Western Tennessee Rucker |
| 243 | vii. | Joice Rucker |
| 244 | viii. | John Wyatt Rucker |
| 245 | ix. | Joseph Rucker |
| 246 | x. | Robert Rucker |

127. Thomas Rucker. Born About 1759 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 1843 in Rutherford Co., TN.

1. Thomas acquired land on Stones River, in what is now Rutherford County, TN, in 1797. He established Cave Mill on that river in 1799. The first meeting of the Rutherford County Court was held in Jan 1804 at Thomas' home. Thomas was sworn in as one of the first members of that court.³¹⁴

He married Sallie Reed²⁶⁴, daughter of William Reed & Johanna, 3 Jan 1793²⁶⁴ in Bedford Co., VA. They had the following child:

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| 247 | i. | Edmund Rucker |
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128. Gideon Rucker. Born 1777. Died 1842 in Common Co., TN.

1. Named on a Wilson County, TN, "unpaid taxes for 1804" list published in *The Tennessee Gazette* on 31 Jul 1805.³¹⁶

He married Joyce Reed, daughter of William Reed & Johanna, 25 Dec 1793²⁶⁴ in Bedford Co., VA.

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129. Lucy Rucker²⁷⁹. Born 1763.

1. Named in her father Benjamin's will, dated 1809, as Lucy McDaniel.³⁰⁴

She first married Zackary Dawson, 18 Jan 1786²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA. Died Circa 1799 in Davidson Co., TN.

She second married John McDaniel²⁶⁴, 16 Nov 1799⁵⁶⁴ in Davidson Co., TN.

130. Mildred Rucker. Born 1766.

She married Brown²⁶⁴.

131. Sophia Rucker³¹⁷. Born 7 Jul 1775 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 26 Feb 1835 in Rutherford Co., TN.

She married Joseph Burrus³¹⁷, son of Joseph Burrus, 9 Jan 1792²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA. Born 26 Jul 1762 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 14 Jan 1821 in Rutherford Co., TN.

1. Joseph was named as Sophia's husband in her father's will dated 1809.³⁰⁸

132. Bennett Rucker²⁶⁴. Born 1770. Died in Rutherford Co., TN.

1. Named in his father Benjamin's will.³⁰⁸

He married Johanna Reed²⁶⁴, daughter of William Reed & Johanna. Born 6 Sep 1802.

133. Isaac Rucker²⁸⁹ Jr. Born About 1761³⁰⁶.

1. Isaac, Jr., was a claimant " for property impressed or taken for public service" in the Amherst County court 2 April 1782.²⁹⁵

2. Isaac, Jr., was listed on the 1787 Amherst County *Tax List "B"* with 2 Blacks under 16 years of age, and one horse.²⁹⁰

He married Mary (Polly) Wingfield, daughter of Nathan Wingfield & Ann Atkinson, 19 Oct 1812 in Amherst Co., VA. Born 1779.

1. Polly was identified as the wife of Isaac Rucker and an heir of Nathan Wingfield in a Buckingham County, VA, court action, dated 21 Apr 1836.³⁷⁶

134. John Rucker³⁷³. Born 12 Jan 1766²⁸⁹ in Amherst Co., VA²⁵⁶. Died 1812.

1. John Rucker was surety for the marriage. She received the consent of her father Richard.²⁸⁶

He married Nancy W. Shelton²⁵⁶, daughter of Richard Shelton, 14 Mar 1788²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Born 3 Jan 1767 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 12 Jan 1860.

1. Named in husband John's will.³⁷⁴

They had the following child:

248 i. Elizabeth Lee Rucker

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135. Moses Rucker²⁵⁶. Born After Dec 1765. Died Before 16 Mar 1835 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Consent for marriage was given by Ambrose Rucker (?) and widow Elizabeth Parks. Indicates that Moses was under 21. Surety provided by Benjamin Plunkett.²⁸⁶
2. Moses' estate was committed to the Sheriff on 16 Mar 1835 according to an entry in Amherst County, VA, Will Book 9, pg 60. [Payn579]

He married Elizabeth Thurmond²⁶⁴ Parks, 29 Dec 1786²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Born 1765. Died 1820 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Surety provided by Benjamin Plunkett.²⁸⁶
2. Elizabeth was the widow of John Parks.²⁵⁶

They had the following children:

249	i.	Elisha Rucker
250	ii.	Stapleton Rucker
251	iii.	Mildred Rucker
252	iv.	Reuben Rucker
253	v.	John D. Rucker
254	vi.	Nancy Rucker
255	vii.	Isaac Rucker
256	viii.	Peter Rucker

136. Reuben Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1772. Died 18 Aug 1844.

1. Consent of father Isaac for marriage to Dawson.²⁸⁶

He first married Elizabeth (Betsey) Carter Dawson²⁵⁶, 7 Aug 1792²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

He second married Nancy Hubbard²⁶⁴, 19 Jun 1827²⁵⁶ in Campbell Co., VA.

137. Richard Rucker²⁵⁶.

1. Joshua Hudson provided surety for first marriage, and Alexander Marr for the second.²⁸⁶
2. Served in the War of 1812.²⁵⁶

He first married Patsy Hudson²⁵⁶, 22 Mar 1795²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

He second married Margaret Marr²⁵⁶, daughter of Alexander Marr & Sarah Rucker, 16 Jul 1798²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Died 1817 in Amherst Co., VA.

138. Susana Rucker²⁵⁶.

She married James Tinsley²⁵⁶.

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139. Elizabeth Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 14 Oct 1777 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 3 Apr 1810.

She married Archelius Reynolds³⁷⁷, son of Charles Reynolds & Ann Taylor, 12 Sep 1797²⁶⁴. Born 27 Jul 1776. Died 4 Dec 1863. They had the following children:

257	i.	Willis M. Reynolds
258	ii.	Isaac Rucker Reynolds
259	iii.	Charles B. Reynolds
260	iv.	Obediah F. Reynolds
261	v.	Nancy Taylor Reynolds

140. Abner Rucker²⁸⁸. Born 1770 in Amherst Co., VA. Died Before 16 Mar 1840 in Fayette Co., KY.

1. Abner's will, dated 24 Jan 1837 and proved in the February 1839 court of Fayette County, KY, was recorded 16 Mar 1840 in Amherst County, VA. He left \$1.00 to wife Nancy "for unkindness to me; daughters Rebecca and Sally when of age; if they leave me and go to their mother after my kindness to them - - \$1.00 each.. Executor: Danl McPayne to divide estate among my children."³⁸¹

2. Abner served in the War of 1812. @²⁶⁴

He first married Nancy Morton²⁸⁷, daughter of Jeremiah Morton & Judith Coleman, Feb 1793²⁶⁴ in Woodford Co., KY. Died 1815. They had the following children:

262	i.	Betsy Rucker
263	ii.	Agnes Rucker
264	iii.	Anthony Rucker
265	iv.	Jeremiah Rucker Jr.
266	v.	Jefferson Rucker
267	vi.	Julius Rucker
268	vii.	Jonathon Morton Rucker

He second married Nancy ___²⁶⁴. They had the following children:

269	i.	Rebecca Rucker
270	ii.	Sally Rucker

141. Armistead Rucker. Died 1828.

1. Married by Rev. John Young.²⁸⁶

2. He moved to Pittsylvania County, VA; later paid personal tax in Henry County from 1820 to 1828.²⁶⁴

3. He died leaving widow and ten children according to obituary.³⁸²

He married Elizabeth Richerson, 28 Dec 1800²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Born 1781³⁸² in Amherst Co., VA. Died 6 Aug 1856³⁸² in St. Louis, MO.

1. After her husband died she and children moved to St. Louis, MO.⁵⁶⁵

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142. Absolem Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 19 Aug 1781. Died 12 Dec 1867 in Amherst Co., VA.

He married Nancy _____. Died 21 Dec 1856. They had the following children:

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| 271 | i. | Anthony Thomas Burgess Rucker |
| 272 | ii. | James Barber Rucker |
| 273 | iii. | Jackson Rucker |
| 274 | iv. | Agnes Rucker |
| 275 | v. | Rebecca Rucker |
| 276 | vi. | Amanda Rucker |
| 277 | vii. | Susan Rucker |
| 278 | viii. | Amelia Rucker |

143. Agnes Rucker. Died Before 11 Jan 1865 in Amherst Co., VA.

She married Benjamin Ogden²⁶⁴, 15 Oct 1807²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA. Born 1782. Died 1846.

144. Ann Rucker.

1. James Ballinger provided surety for marriage. By consent of her father, Anthony Rucker, and "Bartlett Eads made oath that Ann was 21 years of age."²⁸⁶

She married Bartlett Eads, 12 Apr 1795²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

145. Amelia Rucker.

She married Jesse Richeson Capt., 12 Jan 1801²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

146. James Ham²⁶⁴. Born About 1760 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 31 Aug 1834 in Madison Co., AL.

He first married Mourning Burford, 18 Dec 1787²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

He second married Nancy Crews, 20 Feb 1796²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

He third married Peggy Tinsley, 24 Jul 1802²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

He fourth married Elizabeth Goff Burford, 31 Jan 1809²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

147. John Ham²⁶⁴. Born 17 Oct 1763 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 29 Jul 1821 in Elberton, Elbert Co., GA.

He married Elizabeth Gatewood, 18 Dec 1787²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA. They had the following child:

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| 279 | i. | William Ham |
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148. Ambrose Ham. Born About 1764 in Amherst Co., VA. Died After 1799.

1. Ambrose moved to Elbert County, GA, after his marriage.²⁶⁴

He married Tabitha Gatewood, 5 Oct 1790²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

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149. Elizabeth Ham²⁶⁴. Born About 1767 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 25 Dec 1844 in Amherst Co., VA.

She married Austin Knight, 24 Feb 1789²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

150. Frances Ham³⁰⁶. Born Circa 1769 in Amherst Co., VA. Died Circa 1800 in Campbell Co., VA.

She married Benjamin Plunkett³⁰¹, son of John Plunkett & Mildred Hawkins, 16 Jul 1792 in Amherst Co., VA.

1. Of Orange County VA.

They had the following children:

280	i.	Jonathan Plunkett
281	ii.	Willis Rucker Plunkett
282	iii.	Nelly Rucker Plunkett
283	iv.	William Rucker Plunkett

151. Lucy Ham³⁸⁶. Born About 1773 in Amherst Co., VA.

She married James Turner Jr., 25 Nov 1795²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

152. William Ham³⁸⁶. Born About 1775 in Amherst Co., VA.

153. Bartlett Ham³⁸⁶. Born About 1776 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 18 Oct 1813.

He married Rebecca Melton, 1806/1808²⁶⁴.

154. Samuel Ham³⁸⁶. Born About 1777 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 29 Oct 1854 in Davidson Co., TN.

155. Sally Ham³⁸⁶. Born About 1780 in Amherst Co., VA.

She married Richard Turner, 29 Nov 1802²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

156. Polly Ham³⁸⁶. Born About 1782 in Amherst Co.

She married David Douglas, 25 Dec 1803/1805²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

157. Susannah Ham³⁸⁶. Born About 1784 in Amherst Co., VA.

She married Robert Douglas, 30 Sep 1806²⁶⁴ in Amherst Co., VA.

158. Wisdom Rucker²⁶⁴.

1. Wisdom's father witnessed the marriage.⁴²³

He married Rosanna Burrus, daughter of Edmund Burrus & Mary Wisdom, 29 Sep 1787²⁵⁶ in Orange Co., VA.

1. Rosanna's mother Mary was "d" at marriage.⁴²³

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159. Mary Rucker. Born 2 Mar 1767. Died 26 Feb 1835 in Greene Co., VA.

1. Family data obtained from Family Bible in husband's Revolutionary War pension file.⁴²⁰

She married William Herndon, son of Edward Herndon & Mary Gaines. Born 29 Feb 1764 in Albemarle Co., VA.

1. Family data obtained from Family Bible. According to Bible, birthdate is 29 Feb (Wood and Allen use 28 Feb.)⁴²⁰

They had the following children:

284	i.	Thomas Herndon
285	ii.	Edward Herndon
286	iii.	James Herndon
287	iv.	Ezekiel Herndon
288	v.	Elizabeth Herndon
289	vi.	Mary Pendleton Herndon
290	vii.	Abner Herndon
291	viii.	Rachel Herndon
292	ix.	William Herndon
293	x.	Henry Herndon
294	xi.	Manson Herndon
295	xii.	Joel Herndon
296	xiii.	Fanie S. Herndon

160. Nancy Rucker. Born 8 May 1768 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 11 Apr 1845 in Elbert Co., GA. Buried in Herndon Cem., Elbert Co., GA.

1. The family moved to Georgia in 1803.²⁶⁴

She married Edward Herndon, son of Edward Herndon & Mary Gaines, 18 Aug 1791²⁶⁴ in Culpeper Co., VA. Born 6 May 1768. Died 22 Sep 1827 in Elbert Co., GA. Buried in Herndon Cem., Elbert Co., GA. They had the following children:

297	i.	Mary Gaines Herndon
298	ii.	Elizabeth Rucker Herndon
299	iii.	Dillard Herndon
300	iv.	Catherine Digges Herndon
301	v.	Sarah Herndon
302	vi.	Frances Herndon
303	vii.	Nancy Herndon
304	viii.	Rachel Herndon
305	ix.	Lucy Herndon
306	x.	Thomas Rucker Herndon
307	xi.	William Herndon
308	xii.	Edward Herndon

161. Sarah Rucker²⁵⁶.

She married Thomas Furneyhough, 23 Feb 1806²⁵⁶.

162. Tabitha Rucker²⁵⁶.

She married Robert Lloyd, 17 Mar 1794²⁵⁶ in Madison Co., VA.

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163. John Rucker. Born in Culpeper Co., VA. Died Before 1827 in TN.

1. Consent and surety provided by Hannah's father, Conyers Phillips, for marriage.²⁸⁶

He married Hannah (Johanna) Phillips, daughter of Conyers Phillips, 3 Mar 1799²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

164. Frances Rucker²⁵⁶.

She married Winslow Rowzie, 22 Mar 1803²⁵⁶ in Orange Co., VA.

165. Catey Rucker²⁵⁶.

She married Samuel Burrus, 29 Oct 1788²⁶⁴ in Culpeper Co., VA.

166. Ezekiel Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

167. Elizabeth Rucker²⁵⁶.

She married Zacharia Phillips, 26 Feb 1797²⁶⁴.

168. Isabel Rucker²⁵⁶.

She married Jacob Anderson, 7 Mar 1794²⁶⁴.

169. James Rucker²⁵⁶. Died Before 15 Nov 1784 in Culpeper Co., VA.

1. Surety provided by Isaac Rucker for marriage.²⁸⁶

2. Will, dated 31 May 1784, and proven 15 Nov 1784, notes James is of Bromfield Parish. Named heirs as wife Milley, brother Wisdom, and father Thomas. Executors were father Thomas and John Tinsley.⁴²¹

He married Mildred Tinsley, 22 Oct 1782²⁶⁴ in Culpeper Co., VA.

1. Consent of Mildred's father John was given for marriage.²⁸⁶

170. Joseph Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1758 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died in Ruckersville, Elbert Co., GA.

1. Named in father's will.⁴²²

He married Agnes Tinsley²⁶⁴, daughter of John Tinsley & Sarah ____.

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171. John Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1759 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died in Ruckersville, GA.

1. Named in father's will.⁴²²
2. Served in the Revolutionary War from Culpeper County, VA. Moved to Wilkes County, GA, after the war.²⁵⁶

He first married ___ Fielding²⁶⁴.

He second married Elizabeth (Betty) Tinsley, daughter of John Tinsley & Sarah ___, 27 Apr 1780⁴²³ in Orange Co., VA. Born After Apr 1759.

1. John Tinsley gave consent for Betty's marriage.⁴²³

They had the following children:

309	i.	Fielding Rucker
310	ii.	Joseph Rucker
311	iii.	Martha Rucker
312	iv.	James Rucker
313	v.	John Rucker
314	vi.	William Rucker
315	vii.	Judith Rucker
316	viii.	Zachary Rucker
317	ix.	Elizabeth Rucker
318	x.	Mildred Rucker
319	xi.	Margaret Rucker
320	xii.	Polly Rucker

He third married ___ Garr²⁶⁴.

172. Ann Rucker²⁵⁶.

1. Named in father's will.⁴²²

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173. Colby Rucker. Born 10 Oct 1760 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 20 Jan 1852 in Thorn Hill, Grainger Co., TN.

1. For the period 25 October 1781 to 24 December 1781, Coleby Rucker and Henry Pumphrey are listed as privates on the muster roll of Captain Isaac Atwood's Company, of the King's American Regiment in Savannah, GA, with a notation by each name, "enlisted 31 Oct 1781." For the period 25 April 1782 to 24 June 1782, the same Company contains the names, Colly Rucker and Henry Pumphrey, with a notation beside "Colly's" name, "dead, 19 Mar 1782." (This Regiment was raised by Colonel Edmund Fanning in New York in 1776. After service in the north they were sent into Virginia and afterwards were transferred to Charleston and Savannah where they took part in many operations in the southern theater. In 1783 they went to Canada where they were disbanded.)⁴⁶⁰
2. A letter from an assistant administrator in the office of pensions found in Colby Rucker's Revolutionary War Pension File number R9061 states, "that while residing near Natchez on the Mississippi River, Colby Rucker enlisted about 1778 or 1779, and served for eighteen months under Captain Alston and Colonel Blunt and was engaged as a ranger up and down the Mississippi, and was in frequent skirmishes with the British and Indians; that after this service, in consequence of a disagreement with his stepfather, he started in company with Henry Pumphrey and some other men for the state of North Carolina, and while on the journey thither, they were captured by the British, [according to Henry Pumphrey's claim in his pension application, no. W8535, they were captured on the Ocone River in the state of Georgia by Captain Ingram, a Tory] carried to Savannah, Georgia and held in captivity for from four to six months, when he and Henry Pumphrey made their escape by disguising themselves in women's clothing, and went to Wilkes County, North Carolina; that they volunteered in said Wilkes County, and served two tours of three months each under Captain John Keys and Colonels Benjamin Harrahd and McDowell.' 'The claim was not allowed as proof of service of six months as required by the pension law was not furnished." Included in pension file is a statement from the State of North Carolina Comptroller's Office with the state seal affixed, "I, William J. Clarke, comptroller of public accounts in and for the State aforesaid do hereby certify that it appears of record in my office, among the payments made by said State to sundry persons for Military services in the Revolutionary War, as follows, to wit: Colby Rucker Indent for army certificate issued by the auditors of Morgan District No. 3587 April 1784, £13, 1 shilling specie. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal of office this 4th day of September A.D. 1854. William J. Clarke, Comptroller"
3. *North Carolina Revolutionary Army Accounts, Volume VIII, S. 115.57*, entry 1459, is for "C. Rucker - £13, 1 shilling, and 2 pence."
4. Declarations, included Colby's Revolutionary War pension file, made by William and Colbert Hayes, and Aaron McGinnis in Dec 1852 stated that "Colby Rucker often recounted that he lived near Natchez with his father on Bayou Pere, and was in service under Blount with Henry Pumphrey as a Mississippi ranger. That the British took the Fort at Natchez and it was afterwards retaken from them. That on account of his so served he had a difficulty with his father, and when his time expired he and Pumphrey started for N. Carolina and were captured by the British and were taken to Savannah ... Henry Pumphrey declared in Nov 1832 that he served two tours of 18 mos each as a ranger at and near Natchez; gives a full account of the service - the taking and retaking of Natchez - and of his return to the east, being taken prisoner by Capt. Ingraham of the British Col Campbell's rangers, and of his escape and subsequent service of 3 months. ... In 1839, after his death, his widow applied for a pension (he had been pensioned at \$80) which was refused for want of proof of service. In 1843 Rucker testified that he knew that Pumphrey served in and near Natchez as he had stated and gave an account of their return - capture - escape - and subsequent 3 mos. service. On appeal to the Secy of the Interior, he decided that a service such as described had been rendered on the Mississippi River and that the narrative agreed so well with Monetti's history, published after Pumphrey's declaration was made, that it substantiated his statements and the claim should be admitted. A letter written by Samuel Mitchell, Territorial Agent for the Choctaws, in Feby 1778, shows that at that time 3 companies of men were on duty on that station - thus corroborating Monetti and the narratives in these two cases. The strong probability that a man of the right spirit would have been in the service at the time if living near Natchez - the fact (though only traditionary) that Rucker quarreled with his father on account of his adhesion to and service in the American cause, taken in connection with the declaration made by Pumphrey when he supposed Rucker was dead, the fact that Rucker was 18 years of age in 1778 and that he was afterwards companion in arms and in perils with Pumphrey all conspire towards establishing the fact that Rucker was in service before he left Natchez. The witnesses concur in the statement that Rucker sturdily refused to apply for a pension although he always asserted he was entitled to one, on the ground that he did not need it and did not want to be a beggar. There remains the question of the duration of service at Natchez. It would not be reasonable to suppose that he was in that service less than six months. Pumphrey alleges that his tours were 18 mos. each in duration. Monetti shows that the service extended through the years 1777-8-9."

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5. Warrant of survey for 400 acres from the British Govt. to Sarah, Coleby, Jonathon, Susanna, Catherine, George and William Rucker, on south side of Bayou Pierre to cover the improvement made by Sarah Rucker. Pensacola, 11 Feb 1778, by Peter Chester. //File. Sarah Davis and other claimants, 21 Mch. 1804. rejected 27 April 1807. Sarah Davis, formerly Sarah Rucker, Coleby, Jonathon, Susanna, Catherine, George and William Rucker claim 400 acres in Claiborne Co. on south side of Bayou Pierre above the mouth of a small cr. called the Widow's Cr., 10 mi. up Bayou Pierre from where it empties into the Miss. River, by virtue of a British order of survey granted to them, as above. Sarah Davis for herself and other claimants."⁴³⁶
6. Colby was on the Wilkes County list of Taxables for 1784 with no property and 1 Tithable.⁴⁶¹
7. 24 Jan 1786 Colby administered oath for 100 acre land transfer from W. Harbin to Thomas Pickens in Wilkes County NC.⁴⁶²
8. Colby was on the Wilkes County list of Taxables for 1786 with no property and 1 Tithable in Captain Isbell's District.⁴⁶¹
9. The Wilkes County 1787 census listed Colby as head of household with himself and 2 females. (He was probably living in Capt. Isbell's District 11 at that time.) The females were presumably his wife and their daughter Elizabeth. [Payn738]
11. Colby was on the Wilkes County list of Taxables for 1788 with no property and 1 Tithable in Captain Witherspoon's District.⁴⁶³
12. Colby was on the Wilkes County list of Taxables for 1790 with no property and 1 Tithable in Captain Witherspoon's District. *ibid*
13. Colby bought 140 acres on Kings Creek for 75 pounds on 9 Nov 1790.⁴⁶⁴
14. Listed in 1790 Census in the Morgan District of Wilkes County, the Ninth Company. Colby was listed with two males over 16 years of age (Colby and who?) and 5 females (Sarah, Elizabeth, Margaret, plus 2 others?) [CEN065]
15. Listed as Bondsman in marriage of Joseph Roberts and Mary Robins, 7 Feb 1791 in Wilkes County NC.⁴⁶⁵
16. On 30 Oct 1792, Thomas Robins sold 396 acres to Walter Brown, "including house and plantation whereon Coleby Ruker now lives."⁴⁶⁶
17. Colby was on the Wilkes County list of Taxables for 1796 with 150 acres and 1 Tithable in Captain Cleveland's District.³⁹³
18. Colby bought 150 acres on the Yadkin River, called Rich Lands, 1 Sep 1797 from John L. Jones for 150 pounds. The transaction was witnessed by William, Thomas, and Milly Robins.⁴⁶⁷
19. Colby was on the Wilkes County list of Taxables again in 1799 [no list has been located for 1798] with 250 acres and 1 Tithable, in Captain Hulme's District.³⁹³
20. Joined Church of Christ on the head of the Yadkin River in Jan 1800 according to Minutes of the Church.⁴⁵⁹
21. Wilkes County NC 1800 census lists Colby as the head of household with two free white males under 10 years of age [William and John] and one between 24 and 45 [Colby], plus three free white females under ten [Sarah, Nancy, and Delphia], two between 10 and 16 [Elizabeth and Margaret], and one 24 to 45 [Sarah].
22. Colby bought 140 acres on Reeses Creek in Wilkes County from John Bradley for 95 pounds 18 Feb 1802.⁴⁶⁸
23. Colby sold 150 acres, Rich Lands, [see note 18] to James Giddins for \$150 on 25 Oct 1809.⁴⁶⁹
24. Grainger County TN 1810 census listed Colby as the head of household with one male between 10 and 16 years of age [John], one 16 to 26 [William] and one over 45 [Colby], plus one female under 10 [Jane], two between 10 and 16 [Sarah and Nancy] plus one over 45 [Sarah] {*Elizabeth was married in 1804, but Margaret was probably not married until after 1810, and where's Delphia?* }⁴⁵
25. Grainger County TN Polls and Taxable Property for 1810 in the bounds of Captain George Gifford's Company, with 70 acres of land and one "free poll." *ibid*
26. Tuesday, 17 Nov 1812 Colby claimed a stray heifer, which was picked up by the Grainger County Rainger [sic], to be his.⁴⁴
27. Grainger County TN Polls and Taxable Property for 1815 in the bounds of Captain Robert McGinnis Company, with 80 acres of land.²⁶
28. Tuesday, 21 Nov 1815, selected as juror for "next session of circuit court."⁴⁷⁰
29. On 21 August 1816, Colby was "appointed overseer of the road in the room and stead of Jeremiah Young and [had] the same bounds for hands that said Young had" by the County Court of Pleas.⁴⁴
30. Saturday, 24 August 1816, sale of 70 acres to Colby Rucker by Jacob Woolf registered and proven "in open court."⁴⁷¹
31. On 1821 Grainger County TN tax list in Capt. McGinnis' Company.²⁷

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32. On 13 April 1823, Colby and son William purchased 100 acres for \$400 on the north side of Clinch Mountain on the waters of Indian Creek, "including the place whereon the said William Rucker now lives."⁴⁷²
33. Grainger County, TN, 1830 census listed Colby as head of household with one free white male 20 to 30 years of age, and one 60 to 70 plus one free white female 20 to 30 and one 60 to 70 (he was living adjacent to his son John.)
34. Colby bought 400 acres on the "north side of Clinch Mountain and on the waters of Indian Creek" for \$50 on 18 June 1832.⁴⁷³
35. On 16 Jan 1833, Colby agreed "to let my son Wm. Rucker have my interest in the tract whereon the said Wm. now lives which him and myself jointly bought of Hugh Cain on the 19th day of April 1823 . . . containing one hundred acres . . . the one half of the said tract of said land which I here bequeath to him the said Wm. Rucker for the use of himself and his heirs forever from and after my death but not until that period."⁴⁷⁴
36. On 16 Jan 1833, Colby "bequeathed to my son John Rucker" 30 acres "including the building wherein the said John Rucker lives . . . from and after the period of my death;" *ibid.*
37. Colby was on the 1835 Grainger County *List of Voters*.⁴⁷
38. On 31 Jan 1839, Colby sold ten acres to son John for \$40. Colby made "his mark" and the indenture was witnessed by William Payne and C. F. Thomas.⁴⁷⁴
39. Grainger County TN 1840 census listed Colby with one free white male 70 to 80 years of age and one free white female in the same age range.
40. On 27 Mar 1841, Colby sold 2/3 acre to Delphay Dolton, widow of Meredith Dolton, for \$40.⁴⁷⁵
41. Colby was a charter member of Cedar Springs Baptist Church at Thorn Hill, TN. The church was founded 26 Jan 1846.⁴⁷⁹
42. Grainger County TN 1850 census lists Colby in son William's household.
43. "First Monday in April 1852" (recorded 12 Apr): Colby Dalton named administrator of all "goods, chattles, rights, and credits" of Colby Rucker who died intestate.⁴⁷⁶ [*Note that above mentioned Revolutionary War pension file states that William Hayes filed an application for a pension as the "administrator of the estate of Colby Rucker" on 27 December 1852.*]
44. Colby's estate was settled on 5 Oct 1852 with the sale of the other heirs' interests in his land to his son John for \$405.¹²⁷



Jeannie and Chuck Robinson
at dedication of memorial for
Colby Rucker, Apr 1995

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Colby married Sarah Roberts, About 1785/1786 in Wilkes Co., NC. Born 1764²⁸⁹ in Wilkes Co., NC. Died About 1844 in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Joined the Church of Christ on the head of the Yadkin River in Dec 1799,⁴⁵⁹

They had the following children:

321	i.	Elizabeth Rucker
322	ii.	Margaret Rucker
323	iii.	William Rucker
324	iv.	Sarah (Sally) Rucker
325	v.	Nancy Rucker
326	vi.	Delphia Rucker
327	vii.	John Rucker
328	viii.	Jane Rucker

174. **Jonathon Rucker**²⁶⁴. Born Apr 1765 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 16 Apr 1823⁴⁴⁴ in Natchez, MS⁴⁴⁶.

1. Jonathon was listed in the Spanish census of the Natchez District in 1792 with 3 white males and 5 white females in his household.

2. 1 Aug 1805, Jonathon made a land claim for 250 acres "on the waters of Cole's Creek," in right of his wife Ann. The grantee was Daniel Perry, Sr.⁴⁴²

3. Jonathan was on the Adams County, MS 1810 tax list.⁴⁴³

4. He was listed on a special census which included Adams County in 1816; *ibid*.

5. Jonathon was listed in the Adams County, MS, 1820 census with 2 males between the ages of 10 and 16, one 16-18, three 18-16, and one over 45, plus one female in the 16-18 age bracket, and one over 45.

6. The following is contained in separate documents recorded 29 Jun 1822 in the Chancery Clerk's Office, Claiborne County, MS, *Record Book G*, pg 72, as a single item.

a. "Know all men by these presents that whereas our half-brother Frederick Friley having departed this life and left some property to which we Catherine Turnbull and William Rucker are joint heirs with our brother Jonathon Rucker." dated 8 Jan 1822.

b. "... whereas my half brother Frederick Friley . . . left some property to which I am an heir with my brother Jonathon Rucker. I Susana Bisland relinquish. . ." dated 11 Feb 1822

7. Will dated 14 Apr 1823 was proved 29 May 1823. It mentioned "my beloved wife and children," but does not name them.⁴⁴⁵

8. A William B. Melvin testified that he wrote the will for Jonathan [sic], read it to him and received agreement on its content, but was unable to "put it in proper order for signing" prior to Jonathon's death. *ibid*

He married Ann Perry⁴⁴², daughter of Daniel Perry & Magdaline, 3 Dec 1795⁴⁴¹ in Natchez (MS). Born 6 Jan 1769. Died Jan 1832²⁶⁴. They had the following children:

329	i.	Sarah Rucker
330	ii.	Peter Rucker
331	iii.	Magdaline Rucker
332	iv.	Daniel Rucker
333	v.	Susannah Rucker
334	vi.	William Rucker
335	vii.	Jonathon Rucker

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175. **Susannah Rucker**²⁶⁴. Born 2 Feb 1767 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 12 Oct 1835 in Pine Ridge, Adams Co., MS. Buried in Bisland Cem., Adams Co., MS.

1. The following is contained in separate documents recorded 29 Jun 1822 in the Chancery Clerk's Office, Claiborne County, MS, *Record Book G*, pg 72, as a single item [document Payn1199.]

a. "Know all men by these presents that whereas our half-brother Frederick Friley having departed this life and left some property to which we Catherine Turnbull and William Rucker are joint heirs with our brother Jonathon Rucker." dated 8 Jan 1822

b. "... whereas my half brother Frederick Friley . . . left some property to which I am an heir with my brother Jonathon Rucker. I Susana Bisland relinquish. . ." dated 11 Feb 1822

She married **John Bisland**⁴⁵⁰, 10 Jul 1784⁴⁵⁰. Born Mar 1742 in Scotland. Died 17 Apr 1821 in Pine Ridge, MS. Buried in Bisland Cem., Adams Co., MS.

1. John was listed in the Spanish census of the Natchez District in 1792 with 6 white males and 3 white females in his household. [Payn1193/4]

2. John's will, dated 14 Oct 1819, named wife Susanna, sons James, Peter, and William, and daughters Catherine, Susannah, Elizabeth Dunbar, and Sarah. No probate date was shown.⁴⁵¹

They had the following children:

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| 336 | i. | Alexander Bisland |
| 337 | ii. | John Bisland |
| 338 | iii. | Peter Bisland |
| 339 | iv. | James Bisland |
| 340 | v. | Elizabeth Bisland |
| 341 | vi. | Sarah Bisland |
| 342 | vii. | Jane Patterson Bisland |
| 343 | viii. | William Bisland |
| 344 | ix. | Katherine Bisland |
| 345 | x. | Susannah Bisland |
| 346 | xi. | David Bisland |
| 347 | xii. | George Bisland |

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176. Catherine Rucker²⁶⁴. Born About 1769 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 1832 in W. Feliciana Par, LA.

1. The following is contained in separate documents recorded 29 Jun 1822 in the Chancery Clerk's Office, Claiborne County, MS, *Record Book G*, pg 72, as a single item [document Payn1199.] a. "Know all men by these presents that whereas our half-brother Frederick Friley having departed this life and left some property to which we Catherine Turnbull and William Rucker are joint heirs with our brother Jonathon Rucker." dated 8 Jan 1822 b. ". . . whereas my half brother Frederick Friley . . . left some property to which I am an heir with my brother Jonathon Rucker. I Susana Bisland relinquish. . ." dated 11 Feb 1822

2. An 1896 letter from R. Semple Young to Sarah Turnbull Stirling [daughter of Lewis Stirling and Sarah Turnbull] stated, "Grandma Semple's mother [Catherine Rucker Turnbull] married at the age of 16, AD 1784, and that she was a native of Culpeper Co., Virginia." [Payn1201]

She married John Turnbull, 1784.

1. John came from Scotland with his father, mother, brother, and sister, all of whom died of yellow fever the first summer after their arrival except him and his brother, William.

2. John is said to have returned to England to "sit out" the Revolutionary War rather than fight for either side per letter of 5 April 1993 from Kathryn Hayes-Johnson.

They had the following children:

348	i.	Isabella Turnbull
349	ii.	Sarah Turnbull

177. George Rucker.

1. George died young.

178. William Rucker²⁶⁴. Born About 1771 in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 19 Aug 1823 in MS.

1. William sold "one black harse, about 13 hands high" to Jonas Scoggins 17 Apr 1793.⁴⁵⁵

2. William bought lot no. 2, Square No. 31, in the town of Natchez for \$50 in Dec 1794.⁴⁵⁶

3. On 16 Feb 1797, William sold the above lot in Natchez with a house on it for \$350; *ibid*, pg 455.

4. Acting for himself and "attorney in fact for Frederick Friley," William sold property located "___ miles northeast of the River Mississippi . . ." for 220 Mexican dollars to Robert Cochran, a merchant in the city of New Orleans, 25 Nov 1800. The land had been granted to Rucker and Friley on 25 Jan 1799. The transaction was recorded in the Mississippi Territory Adams County Court on 9 Jun 1801.⁴⁵²

5. On 9 May 1803, William bought 500 acres in Jefferson County "about nine miles north east of the City of Natchez" for \$2,000.⁴⁵⁷

6. On 10 Jun he then sold the above 500 acres to John Bisland [his brother-in-law] for \$2,000.⁴⁵⁸

7. The following is contained in separate documents recorded 29 Jun 1822 in the Chancery Clerk's Office, Claiborne County, MS, *Record Book G*, pg 72, as a single item [document Payn1199.] a. "Know all men by these presents that whereas our half-brother Frederick Friley having departed this life and left some property to which we Catherine Turnbull and William Rucker are joint heirs with our brother Jonathon Rucker." dated 8 Jan 1822 b. ". . . whereas my half brother Frederick Friley . . . left some property to which I am an heir with my brother Jonathon Rucker. I Susana Bisland relinquish. . ." dated 11 Feb 1822.

He married Mary Bethany, daughter of Jacob Bethany & Heliky Dortsch, 4 Jan 1805⁴⁵⁴ in Baton Rouge, LA. Born in SC.

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179. Joel Rucker⁴¹⁸. Born 1767 in Orange Co., VA. Died 1833 in Orange Co., VA.

1. Marriage Bond was dated 15 Dec.

He married Nancy Oliver, daughter of Oliver & Tabitha, 20 Dec 1786⁴²³ in Orange Co., VA. Died 1823. They had the following child:

350 i. Minor Rucker

180. Frankey Rucker²⁶⁴. Died Before 1828.

1. By 1841, most of their children were living in Howard County, MO.²⁶⁴

She married Joel White, 28 Jul 1785⁴²³ in Orange Co., VA. Died Before 1828²⁶⁴ in KY.

181. Milly Rucker²⁶⁴.

She married George Marshall Head, 10 Nov 1789⁴²³ in Orange Co., VA.

182. William Rucker²⁶⁴. Born 26 Aug 1769 in Orange Co., VA.

1. Moved to Monroe County, MO, about 1827.²⁶⁴

He married Katy Taliaferro Thornton, 25 Dec 1794²⁶⁴ in Orange Co., VA. Born 18 Aug 1775. They had the following children:

351	i.	Rev. Thornton Rucker
352	ii.	William Taliaferro Rucker
353	iii.	Frances Rucker
354	iv.	John Rucker
355	v.	Lucy Rucker
356	vi.	Anthony G. Rucker
357	vii.	Kittie Rucker
358	viii.	Anne Rucker
359	ix.	James N. Rucker
360	x.	Margaret Rucker
361	xi.	George Rucker

183. Jeremiah Rucker. Died Before 1823 in Madison Co., KY.

1. Jeremiah placed an ad in *The Impartial Review and Cumberland Repsoitory*, a Tennessee newspaper, on 30 Aug 1806, for a journeyman baker. On 14 Feb 1807, he placed another ad in the same newspaper stating, "I will give \$4 per 100 pounds for a quantity of good flour delivered to my shop in Nashville."³¹⁶

2. An ad in the same paper on 17 Dec 1807 stated, "The copartnership of J. Rucker and Frederick Weuve is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. Frederick Weuve."; *ibid*

He married Henrietta Stanley, 9 Dec 1799²⁶⁴.

184. James Rucker. Born in Madison Co., VA. Died in Elbert Co., GA.

1. Will dated 28 Jun 1828, proved 7 Sep 1829, presumably in Elbert County, GA.²⁶⁴

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185. John Rucker Jr. ²⁶⁴. Died Before 1827 in Elbert Co., GA.

He married Milly ___²⁶⁴.

186. Mary Rucker²⁶⁴.

She married Waller Graves, 12 Jun 1805²⁶⁴ in Orange Co., VA.

187. Willis Rucker³⁰⁶. Died 1834.

He married Milly Alexander, 1809²⁶⁴ in Elbert Co., GA.

188. Nancy Rucker²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

189. Burton Rucker. Born in Orange Co., VA. Died Sep 1846 in Bibb Co., AL.

1. Moved to Elbert County, GA, ca 1785; was in Bibb County, AL, by 1824²⁶⁴

He first married Betsy Brown, 10 Nov 1809²⁶⁴.

He second married Elizabeth Sally Suttle, 1 Jan 1834²⁶⁴.

190. Joel Rucker.

He married Amy Young, 1791²⁶⁴ in Culpeper Co., VA.

191. Benjamin Rucker.

He married Nancy Herndon Carter Mrs., 10 Jul 1795²⁶⁴.

192. Nancy Rucker.

She married Thomas Carter, 26 Jun 1798²⁶⁴ in Madison Co., VA.

193. Sally Rucker.

She married James Warren, 20 Feb 1808²⁶⁴.

194. Jarvis Rucker. Born 1779²⁶⁴ in Culpeper Co., VA. Died 1837.

1. Was a private in the Virginia Militia in the War of 1812.²⁹²

He married Mildred Grayson, 10 Jun 1810²⁶⁴ in Madison Co., VA. Died 1862.

195. Fanny Rucker.

She married Henry Rose, 22 Oct 1815²⁶⁴ in Madison Co., VA.

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196. Eleanor (Nelly) Rucker.

She married Dewitt Rucker, 28 Feb 1817²⁶⁴.

197. George Rucker Jr.²⁶⁴. Born About 1781 in VA.

198. Susannah Rucker⁴³³. Born in VA.

She married Daniel R. Harrison⁴³². Born About 1780 in NC.

199. Elizabeth Rucker²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

200. Mary Rucker²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

201. Frances Rucker²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

202. Indy Rucker²⁶⁴.

(No further data available.)

203. Nancy Rucker²⁶⁴.

She married James Hamilton, 30 Jul 1812²⁶⁴.

204. Simeon Bluford Rucker²⁶⁴. Died 6 Aug 1881 in Milton Co., GA.

He married Jane Barnwell²⁶⁴.

205. Isaac Tinsley.

1. Named in his father's will.³⁹⁴

2. Isaac Tinsley was listed in an *Inventory of Judgements* in John Finley's store in Wilkesborough, NC, dated 3 Nov 1823.³⁹⁵

206. David Tinsley.

1. Named in father's will.³⁹⁴

207. Thomas Tinsley.

1. Named in father's will.³⁹⁴

208. Sarah Rucker.

1. Named in her mother's will.²⁶⁴

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209. Rachel Rucker. Born 18 Oct 1772²⁷⁹.

1. Surety at marriage was Isaac Rucker and consent for marriage was given by her father John.²⁸⁶

She married John Rucker, 12 Aug 1791²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

210. Ahmed Rucker. Born 17 Nov 1775²⁷⁹.

He married Ellen Rucker²⁷⁹.

211. Mildred (Milley) Rucker. Born 13 Feb 1777²⁷⁹.

1. Surety at marriage was Isaac Rucker.²⁸⁶

She married James Rucker, Sep 1792²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

212. Barnett Rucker. Born 25 May 1778²⁷⁹.

He married Julie Elizabeth Holloway²⁷⁹.

213. William Rucker. Born 15 Nov 1780²⁷⁹.

He married Sarah (Sallie) Morton²⁷⁹.

214. John Rucker. Born 22 Sep 1782²⁷⁹.

1. John was a Baptist minister.²⁸⁷

He married Elizabeth Burton²⁷⁹ (Benton²⁸⁹).

215. James Plunkett Rucker. Born 9 Feb 1784²⁷⁹.

He first married Polly McDaniel²⁷⁹.

1. Sister to Sally.²⁸⁹

He second married Sally McDaniel²⁷⁹.

1. Sister to Polly.²⁸⁹

216. Joshua Rucker. Born 23 May 1786²⁷⁹.

He first married Elizabeth Norvell Chambers²⁸⁹.

He second married Margaret (Elizabeth Reed²⁸⁹) Yost²⁷⁹.

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217. Isaac Rucker. Born 6 Dec 1788²⁷⁹. Died 1856.

He married Agnes Rucker²⁸⁷, daughter of Abner Rucker & Nancy Morton. Born 1804. Died 1845. They had the following children:

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| 362 | i. | Nancy Jane Rucker |
| 363 | ii. | Martha Rucker |
| 364 | iii. | Edwin Rucker |
| 365 | iv. | Susan Rucker |

218. Benjamin Asbury Rucker. Born 9 Jan 1790²⁷⁹.

He first married Melinda Rucker²⁷⁹.

He second married Eliza Waller²⁷⁹.

219. Lewis Rucker²⁸⁹. Born 1792.

1. Died in infancy.²⁸⁹

220. Lewis Dawson Rucker. Born 13 Sep 1794²⁷⁹. Died 1869²⁸⁷.

1. Married first, Margaret Goddard; second, Amelia Branchamp; and third, Hannah Krouse.²⁷⁹
2. Married first, Amelia Beauchamp; second, Margaret Godard; and third, Hannah Kruser.²⁸⁹ (*I have arbitrarily recorded the data from reference 279.*)
3. Reference 289 gives birth date as 1784.

He first married Margaret Goddard.

He second married Amelia Branchamp²⁸⁹.

He third married Hannah Krouse.

221. Susan Rucker²⁵⁶. Died Before Dec 1840 in Bedford Co., VA.

222. Elizabeth Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

223. Daniel Rucker²⁵⁶. Died 1833.

224. Sarah Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

225. Jonathon Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 25 Feb 1782. Died 1850.

226. James Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

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227. William Ballenger Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1791. Died 1862.

1. Will dated 27 Dec 1860 and codicils of Dec 1860 and 24 Dec 1861, named wife, sons Addison C., Daniel H., and William A., and daughter Susan M. Smith with her husband Henry E., as heirs.²⁸³

He married Mary Ann Dawson Rucker, [*number 370, below*] daughter of Ambrose Rucker & Elizabeth (Betsey) Parks, 1822. Born 1809. Died 1863.

1. Left the "mansion house tract" by husband William in his will.²⁸³

They had the following children:

366	i.	Daniel H. Rucker
367	ii.	Susan Margaret Rucker
368	iii.	William Ambrose Rucker
369	iv.	Addison Clay Rucker

228. Ambrose Rucker. Born 1777. Died 1839.

He married Elizabeth (Betsey) Parks, 29 Jul 1799²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA. Born 1776. Died 5 Jun 1857²⁹⁹. They had the following children:

370	i.	Mary Ann Dawson Rucker
371	ii.	George McDaniel Rucker

229. Rosamond Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 18 Jul 1779.

230. Lucy Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1781/1782.

231. Ambrose Plunkett³⁰¹. Born 21 Feb 1782. Died in Buckingham Co., VA.

He married Tabitha Hill³⁰¹. Born 28 Oct 1781.

232. Sally Plunkett³⁰¹.

(No further data available.)

233. Elizabeth Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

234. Lucinda Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

235. Jonathon Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

236. Henry Tate Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

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237. James Rucker Jr.²⁵⁶.

1. James was a Lieutenant on the roll of the 22nd Regiment of the Tennessee Militia, dated 2 April 1808, in Rutherford County.³¹⁰

He married Elizabeth G. Ferriss²⁵⁶, 16 Jan 1826 in Rutherford Co., TN.

238. Benjamin Rucker²⁶⁴.

He married Temperance W. Smith³¹¹, 6 Oct 1825³¹¹ in Rutherford Co., TN.

239. William Reed Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 20 May 1792. Died 8 Aug 1861.

He married Susan Childress²⁵⁶, daughter of Joel Childress & Elizabeth, 11 Nov 1819²⁵⁶ in Murfreesboro, TN.

1. Susan was the only sister of Sarah Childress, the wife of James K. Polk, 11th president of the United States, serving 1845-1849.²⁵⁶

They had the following children:

372	i.	Elizabeth Rucker
373	ii.	Sarah Polk Rucker
374	iii.	Joanna Rucker
375	iv.	Sarah Childress Rucker
376	v.	Joel Childress Rucker
377	vi.	William H. Rucker
378	vii.	William Reed Rucker

240. Samuel C. Rucker²⁵⁶.

He married Lucinda A. Alexander²⁵⁶, 13 Jul 1819³¹¹ in Rutherford Co., TN.

241. Joanna Rucker²⁵⁶.

1. Brother Samuel C. provided surety for marriage.³¹¹

She married John Price, 29 Dec 1814³¹¹ in Rutherford Co., TN.

242. Western Tennessee Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 17 Apr 1832. Died 1916 in Nashville, TN.

1. Wes was a Private in Company A of the 2nd Tennessee Volunteer Infantry Regiment in the Civil War.³¹²

243. Joice Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

244. John Wyatt Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 28 Mar 1802. Died 20 Apr 1871 in Yazoo Co., MS.

1. Obituary for Col. John W. Rucker in the 12 May 1871 issue of the semi-weekly *Clarion* of Jackson, MS, said he came to MS in 1839.³¹³

He married Mariah M. Keeble, 23 Mar 1829³¹¹ in Rutherford Co., TN.

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245. Joseph Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

246. Robert Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

247. Edmund Rucker³¹⁵. Born 1797. Died 1864.

He married Louise Winchester³¹⁵. Born 1808. Died 1888. They had the following child:

379 i. Alexander Campbell Rucker

248. Elizabeth Lee Rucker³⁷³. Born 1796. Died 1868.

1. Left 63 acres of land by her father John in his will.³⁷⁵

She married Andrew Moreland³⁷³. Born 1794. Died 1859.

249. Elisha Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

250. Stapleton Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

251. Mildred Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

252. Reuben Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 8 Aug 1805³¹⁸. Died 18 Jan 1865³¹⁸ in Clark Co., KY.

He married Margaret Ann Hardin³¹⁸, daughter of Charles Hardin & Mildred, 1821³¹⁹. Born 1801 in Clark Co., KY. Died 20 Mar 1883 in Clark Co., KY. They had the following children:

380	i.	Talitha Rucker
381	ii.	Mildred Rucker
382	iii.	Polly Ann Rucker
383	iv.	Eliza Jane Rucker
384	v.	Isaac Rucker
385	vi.	William Rucker
386	vii.	Sallie Ann Rucker

253. John D. Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1795 in VA. Died 1867 in Henry Co., KY.

254. Nancy Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

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255. Isaac Rucker²⁵⁶.

He married Mary Higginbotham²⁵⁶, 28 Jan 1793²⁸⁶ in Amherst Co., VA.

256. Peter Rucker²⁵⁶. Born About 1787. Died About 1859.

257. Willis M. Reynolds³⁷⁷. Born 5 Jun 1799.

258. Isaac Rucker Reynolds³⁷⁷. Born 14 Dec 1800.

259. Charles B. Reynolds³⁷⁷. Born 14 Sep 1802.

260. Obediah F. Reynolds³⁷⁷. Born 13 May 1804.

He married Lucy R. S. Bell³⁷⁷, 5 Dec 1825³⁷⁷.

261. Nancy Taylor Reynolds³⁷⁷. Born 20 Nov 1805.

262. Betsy Rucker²⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

263. Agnes Rucker²⁸⁷. Born 1804. Died 1845.

She married Isaac Rucker, son of John Rucker & Sarah (Sally) Plunkett. Born 6 Dec 1788²⁷⁹. Died 1856. They had the following children:

362	i.	Nancy Jane Rucker
363	ii.	Martha Rucker
364	iii.	Edwin Rucker
365	iv.	Susan Rucker

264. Anthony Rucker²⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

265. Jeremiah Rucker Jr.²⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

266. Jefferson Rucker²⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

267. Julius Rucker²⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

268. Jonathon Morton Rucker²⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

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269. Rebecca Rucker.

1. Named in father's will.³⁸¹

270. Sally Rucker.

1. Named in father's will.³⁸¹

271. Anthony Thomas Burgess Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 13 Mar 1806 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 3 Feb 1892 in Campbell Co., VA.

1. Anthony's first wife died in 1835. Dorothea and Anthony had 11 children.³⁸³
2. In 1875, Anthony filed a claim to the U. S. Government for \$200, the value of a mule he contended the Union Army confiscated from him during the Civil War. The claim was disallowed.³⁸⁴

He first married Elizabeth Wilson, 15 Aug 1832. Died 23 Jun 1835.

He second married Dorothea (Dolly) Perrow, daughter of Stephen Perrow & Dorothea Cox, 20 Jul 1841 in Campbell Co., VA. Born 6 Feb 1815. Died 15 Apr 1891.

272. James Barber Rucker

²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

273. Jackson Rucker

²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

274. Agnes Rucker

²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

275. Rebecca Rucker

²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

276. Amanda Rucker

²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

277. Susan Rucker

²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

278. Amelia Rucker

²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

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279. William Ham³⁸⁶.

He married Mary Harden Smith³⁸⁶. They had the following child:

387 i. Louisa A. Ham

280. Jonathan Plunkett.

(No further data available.)

281. Willis Rucker Plunkett.

(No further data available.)

282. Nelly Rucker Plunkett.

(No further data available.)

283. William Rucker Plunkett.

(No further data available.)

284. Thomas Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 28 Nov 1785.

285. Edward Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 13 May 1787.

286. James Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 23 Jan 1789.

287. Ezekiel Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 7 Dec 1790.

288. Elizabeth Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 6 Jun 1792.

289. Mary Pendleton Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 2 May 1794.

290. Abner Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 22 Jan 1796.

291. Rachel Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 27 Aug 1797.

292. William Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 29 Jan 1799.

293. Henry Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 9 Sep 1800.

294. Manson Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 29 Jun 1802.

295. Joel Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 29 Jul 1804.

296. Fanie S. Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 29 Jun 1807.

297. Mary Gaines Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 2 Jun 1792 in Orange Co., VA.

298. Elizabeth Rucker Herndon⁴²⁰. Born 1793.

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299. **Dillard Herndon**⁵⁸⁸. Born 22 Apr 1795 in Orange Co. Died 24 Jul 1873 in Elbert Co., GA.
300. **Catherine Digges Herndon**⁵⁸⁸. Born 28 Feb 1797 in Orange Co., VA. Died 1884 in Elbert Co., GA.
301. **Sarah Herndon**⁵⁸⁸. Born 29 Sep 1798 in Orange Co., VA. Died Oct 1853.
302. **Frances Herndon**⁵⁸⁸. Born 2 Nov 1800 in Orange Co., VA. Died 1841 in Jasper Co., GA.
303. **Nancy Herndon**⁵⁸⁸. Born 18 Jun 1802 in Orange Co., VA. Died 2 Mar 1820 in Elbert Co., GA.
304. **Rachel Herndon**⁵⁸⁸. Born 9 Feb 1804 in Elbert Co., GA. Died 1837.
305. **Lucy Herndon**⁵⁸⁸. Born 22 Apr 1805 in Elbert Co., GA. Died 27 Oct 1820.
306. **Thomas Rucker Herndon**⁵⁸⁸. Born 29 Mar 1807 in Elbert Co., GA. Died 16 Oct 1821.
307. **William Herndon**⁵⁸⁸. Born 1809. Died 1809.
1. Died within 24 hours of birth.
308. **Edward Herndon**⁵⁸⁸. Born 1809. Died 1809.
1. Died within 24 hours of birth.
309. **Fielding Rucker**²⁵⁶. Died 1813 in Muscogee Co., GA.

He married Nancy Beasley, in Benton Co., GA²⁵⁶. Born 1770. Died 7 Jul 1845. They had the following children:

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| 388 | i. | Arden Somers Rucker |
| 389 | ii. | Jane Beasley Rucker |
| 390 | iii. | Richard Beasley Rucker |
| 391 | iv. | Mary W. Rucker |

310. **Joseph Rucker**. Born 5 Jan 1788. Died 27 Aug 1864 in Cedar Grove, Ruckersville, GA.

He married Margaret W. Speer, 5 Mar 1812 in Cherokee Ford, Abbeville Dist., SC. Died 5 Sep 1864. They had the following child:

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| 392 | i. | Tinsley White Rucker |
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311. **Martha Rucker**²⁵⁶. Born 15 Jul 1815. Died 11 Oct 1847. Buried in Ruckersville, GA.

312. **James Rucker**²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

313. **John Rucker**²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

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314. William Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

315. Judith Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

316. Zachary Rucker²⁵⁶. Died 1835 in Elbert Co., GA.

317. Elizabeth Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

318. Mildred Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

319. Margaret Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

320. Polly Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

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321. Elizabeth Rucker. Born 6 Jan 1787⁴⁷⁸ in Wilkes Co., NC. Died 22 Mar 1855⁴⁸⁰ in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Named in will of her grandmother, Ann Wisdom, dated 25 Oct 1799.⁴⁷⁷
2. Elizabeth was a charter member of Cedar Spring Baptist Church, founded in Thorn Hill, TN 26 Jan 1846 per the church *Minutes*.⁴⁷⁹
3. Death date obtained from pages "tucked into a little book" that had belonged to Ausbon Coffey.⁴⁸⁰

She married John Coffey, 1 Mar 1804³⁰⁶ in Wilkes Co., NC. Born 15 Oct 1776⁴⁷⁸ in NC. Died 15 Mar 1845⁴⁸⁰ in Grainger Co., TN.

1. 8 Nov 1799 John was named, along with Thomas, Benjamin, Ely, Ambrose, and another John Coffey, and others as potential jurors to review a road in Wilkes County, NC.⁴⁸¹
2. "John Coffey was drafted for a six month term in the War of 1812. He entered the service January 1, 1814 and was discharged June 1, 1814. He served as a sergeant in a Tennessee Militia Company that was commanded by Captain Samuel Richardson and Colonel Samuel Bunch.⁴⁸⁰ [*His brother-in-law, Moses Payne, served as a corporal in the same Company from 10 Jan 1814 to 11 Apr 1814.*]
3. John Coffey of Hawkins County sold 135 acres to William Hayes for \$300 on 4 Feb 1824.⁴⁸²
4. Entered 50 acres on the waters of Indian Creek adjacent to his property on 16 Feb 1836.⁵⁵
5. On 22 December 1841, John bought a tract of land from his brother-in-law William Rucker.⁴⁸³
6. John purchased fifty acres "on the north side of Clinch Mountain and on the waters of Indian Creek" from Moses Payne, the indenture being "signed sealed and delivered by Moses on 22 December 1841."⁷²
7. John purchased two tracts, one of 150 acres and the other 50 acres, from Moses Payne for \$250 on 19 Aug 1842; *ibid*.
8. Death date obtained from pages "tucked into a little book" that had belonged to Ausbon Coffey.⁴⁸⁰

They had the following children:

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| 393 | i. | Ausbon Coffey |
| 394 | ii. | Colby Coffey |
| 395 | iii. | Benjamin Coffey |
| 396 | iv. | Nancy Coffey |
| 397 | v. | John Jackson Coffey |
| 398 | vi. | Elizabeth Coffey |
| 399 | vii. | Sarah "Lucinda" Coffey |
| 400 | viii. | Margaret Coffey |
| 401 | ix. | William M. Coffey |
| 402 | x. | Catherine Coffey |

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322. Margaret Rucker. Born About 1788⁴⁸⁶ in Wilkes Co., NC. Died After 1860⁴⁸⁶.

1. Margaret was a charter member of Cedar Springs Baptist Church at Thorn Hill, TN. The church was founded 26 Jan 1846.⁴⁷⁹

She married George Coffey⁴⁸⁶. Born About 1781 in NC. Died After 1860 in Grainger Co., TN.

1. George and his brother-in-law William Rucker "entered" a 50 acre parcel adjacent to Moses Payne on 8 Dec 1824.⁴⁸⁷
2. On 27 Sep 1837, George bought 50 acres for \$150 from William Hayes "lying . . . in the Broken Valley, north of Copper Ridge on the waters of Indian Creek."⁴⁸⁸
3. George was a charter member of Cedar Springs Baptist Church at Thorn Hill, TN. The church was founded 26 Jan 1846.⁴⁷⁹

They had the following children:

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| 403 | i. | Myra Coffey |
| 404 | ii. | Thomas Coffey |
| 405 | iii. | Mary Coffey |
| 406 | iv. | William Coffey |
| 407 | v. | Elijah Coffey |
| 408 | vi. | Matilda Coffey |
| 409 | vii. | Mahaley Coffey |
| 410 | viii. | Delphia Coffey |
| 411 | ix. | Emily Coffey |
| 412 | x. | Louise Coffey |
| 413 | xi. | Malinda Coffey |

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323. William Rucker. Born 1789 in Wilkes Co., NC. Died 1854 in Grainger Co., TN.

1. William was listed in the Grainger County, TN, *Polls and Taxable Property* for 1815 in the bounds of Captain Robert McGinnis Company, with 80 acres of land.²⁶
2. On 1821 Grainger County, TN, *Tax List* in Capt. McGinnis' Company.²⁷
3. On 13 April 1823, William and his father Colby purchased 100 acres for \$400 on the north side of Clinch Mountain on the waters of Indian Creek, "including the place whereon the said William Rucker now lives."⁴⁷²
4. William and his brother-in-law George Coffey "entered" a 50 acre parcel adjacent to Moses Payne on 8 Dec 1824.⁴⁸⁷
5. Entered 75 acres on 20 Jan 1826.⁴⁹⁰
6. On 14 July 1827, William purchased 102.5 acres on "the north side of Clinch Mountain and on the waters of Indian Creek" for \$100.⁴⁹¹
7. Grainger County, TN, 1830 census listed William as head of household with one free white male under 5 years of age, one 10 to 15, one 30 to 40, and one 40 to 50, plus two free white females 5 to 10, one 10 to 15, and one 30 to 40 (his next door neighbor was his brother-in-law Moses Payne)
8. On 30 November 1832, William purchased two tracts of land totalling 100 acres from Moses Payne for \$500, one tract being on the waters of Indian Creek and the other being on the Copper Ridge.⁶⁹
9. On 16 Jan 1833, Colby Rucker agreed "to let my son Wm. Rucker have my interest in the tract whereon the said Wm. now lives which him and myself jointly bought of Hugh Cain on the 19th day of April 1823 . . . containing one hundred acres . . . the one half of the said tract of said land which I here bequeath to him the said Wm. Rucker for the use of himself and his heirs forever from and after my death but not until that period."⁴⁹²
10. William bought a parcel of land on the north side of Clinch Mountain on the waters of Indian Creek, for one dollar to each of Moses McGinnis' heirs [eight McGinnis' signed the indenture] on 5 Oct 1834, which was witnessed by "Coalby Rucker Senior."⁴⁹³
11. Grainger County, TN, 1840 census listed William with three free white males 5 to 10 years of age, one 10 to 15, and one 40 to 50 plus one free white female 40 to 50.
12. On 22 December 1841, William sold the remainder of the tract, part of which was previously sold to Colbert Hipshear, to John Coffey.⁴⁸³
13. Grainger County, TN, 1850 census listed William as being 54 years old at the time [birth date - 1796] and Colby [his father] in his household.
14. William's will was probated in Grainger County in 1854.⁴⁷⁶
15. Order of children's births provided by Jean B. Robinson.

He married Rutha Dodson, 4 Nov 1815⁴⁸⁹ in Grainger Co., TN. Born About 1797 in TN.

1. Listed as Household # 248, Family #527, Grainger County 1860 census, next door to son Samuel.

They had the following children:

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| 414 | i. | Samuel Rucker |
| 415 | ii. | Margaret (Peggy) Rucker |
| 416 | iii. | Sarah Rucker |
| 417 | iv. | Mary (Pop) Rucker |
| 418 | v. | Simmeon Rucker |
| 419 | vi. | Claiborne Rucker |
| 420 | vii. | William Rucker |
| 421 | viii. | Abner Rucker |

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324. Sarah (Sally) Rucker. Born 1794 in Wilkes Co., NC. Died Before 1840 in Grainger Co., TN.

1. John Coffey was bondsman for the marriage.⁴⁶⁵
2. Named in will of her great-grandmother, Ann Wisdom.⁴⁷⁷
3. Sarah was a charter member of Cedar Spring Baptist Church, founded in Thorn Hill, TN 26 Jan 1846 per the church Minutes.⁴⁷⁹

She married Thomas Hayes Jr., 19 Sep 1807⁴⁶⁵ in Wilkes Co., NC.

1. Thomas and his young brother-in-law John Rucker "entered" a 50 acre parcel adjacent to Moses Payne on the waters of Indian Creek on 3 Jan 1825.⁵⁰⁸
2. Grainger County TN 1830 census listed Thomas as head of household with two free white males in the age range of 5 to 10, two 10 to 15, one 15 to 20, and one 40 to 50, plus one free white female under 5, one 10 to 15 and one 40 to 50. [CEN174]
3. Thomas was on the 1835 Grainger County List of Voters.⁴⁷
4. Thomas purchased 40 acres of land for \$50 on 19 Sep 1836. It was located on the north side of Clinch Mountain and on the waters of Indian Creek. The purchase was witnessed by Moses Payne and Thomas' sons George and Colbert.⁵⁰⁴

They had the following children:

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| 422 | i. | Martha (Matilda) Hayes |
| 423 | ii. | Colbirt Hayes |
| 424 | iii. | Jane Hayes |
| 425 | iv. | George W. Hayes |
| 426 | v. | Colby R. Hayes |
| 427 | vi. | Thomas Hayes Jr. |
| 428 | vii. | John Hayes |
| 429 | viii. | Elbert Hayes |

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325. Nancy Rucker. Born 28 Aug 1795⁶¹ in NC. Died 8 Oct 1877⁶¹ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Nancy was living with daughter Mary Hayes in Rockcastle Co. in 1870.⁷³
2. Nancy applied for a War of 1812 widow's pension on 1 Apr 1871.⁶⁵ (It is presumed that the application was rejected as no further record was found.)
3. Nehemiah Bloomer was named Administrator of Nancy's estate on 25 Mar 1878.⁷⁴
4. Settlement of Nancy's estate was recorded in the Rockcastle County Administrations Book 1, pg 1. The net estate was \$1.90 [Payn767]

She married Moses Payne, son of Isaac Payne & Mary ____, 28 May 1812⁶³ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 7 Jun 1787 in NC. Died 2 May 1865⁶¹ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Birth date obtained from Moses' family Bible.⁶¹
2. On Grainger County TN tax list in Captain George Gifford's Company in 1809, the only Payne listed in the county⁶²
3. On Grainger County TN list of Polls and Taxable property in 1810 in the bounds of Captain George Gifford's Company with no land and one "free Poll"⁴⁵
4. Received a pension for service in the War of 1812, from 10 Jan 1814 to 11 Apr 1814, in Captain Samuel Richardson's Company, Seventh Regiment ([*Grainger County*] commanded by Col. Samuel Bunch) of the Tennessee Militia as a Corporal⁶¹ [*Brother-in-law John Coffey served as a sergeant in the same Company from 1 Jan 1814 to 1 Jun 1814.*]
5. The Company records contain the notation by Moses's name, "Reduced to the rank of a Private 11 April 1814. Deserted 11 April 1814." [*at least 22 of the 63 enlisted men on the document are noted as having deserted on that date.*]⁶⁴
6. A Treasury Department auditor wrote on 28 May 1877 that Moses "entered service on the 10th Jan 1814 . . . and served till the 11th April 1814, when he was reduced to a private. He deserted on said 11th April 1814, but returned and furnished a substitute who served the remainder of his (*Moses Payne's*) term of service."⁶⁵
7. Moses was on the Grainger County, TN, list of *Polls and Taxable Property* for 1815 in the bounds of Captain Robert McGinnis Company, with 100 acres of land²⁶
8. Land transaction between Joseph Cobb and John Latham, recorded 12 May 1818, involving property north of Clinch Mountain on Clinch River "adj. Nathaniel Taylor including a field cleared by Moses Paine."⁶⁶
9. On 1821 Grainger County, TN, tax list in Capt. McGinnis' Company.²⁷
10. Moses received a land grant of 50 acres on the north side of Clinch Mountain and the south side of Copper Ridge adjacent to "William Hayses old survey," on 1 Feb 1826.⁶⁷
11. Moses received a land grant of 50 acres on the north side of Clinch Mountain adjacent to John Rucker's property on 29 Oct 1830.⁶⁸
12. On page 372, line 18, of the Grainger County, TN, 1830 census, Moses was listed as head of household with two free white males under 5 years of age, one 5 to 10, one 10 to 15, two 15 to 20, and one 40 to 50plus one free white female under 5, one 5 to 10, two 10 to 15 and one 30 to 40 (his next door neighbor was William Rucker.)
13. On 30 November 1832, Moses sold two tracts of land totalling 100 acres to William Rucker for \$500, one tract being on the waters of Indian Creek and the other being on the Copper Ridge.⁶⁹
14. Moses witnessed the will of brother-in-law Meredith Dalton on 29 Apr 1834 in Grainger County, TN.⁵⁶
15. Entered 50 acres "on the north side of Clinch Mountain on the waters of Indian Creek," on 20 Jan 1836.⁷⁰
16. Entered 157 acres "on the north side of Clinch Mountain on the waters of Indian Creek," on 27 Jan 1836, *ibid.*
17. Received a land grant of 150 acres on top of Clinch Mountain adjacent to Colbert Hipshire's property and on either side of Henderson Gap road, also on 27 Jan 1836⁷¹
18. In a *Claim of Minor Children for Bounty Land*, filed 2 Apr 1878, Moses's daughter Ruthy stated Moses was a resident of Grainger County, TN "up to 1838 then resident of Rockcastle County, KY, to his death. Children and Mother same."⁶⁵
19. Moses was listed on pg 4, line 17 of the Rockcastle County 1840 census with 1 male child, aged 5 to under 10, 2 aged 10 to under 15, and 1 aged 15 to under 20, plus Moses, aged 50 to under 60, plus 1 female child under 5, one 5 to under 10, one 10 to under 15, one 15 to under 20, and his wife 40 to under 50. His son John was listed on line 14 of the same page, Isaac on line 15, and Colbert Hayse (his son-in-law) on line 16.
20. Moses sold fifty acres "on the north side of Clinch Mountain and on the waters of Indian Creek" to his brother-in-law John Coffey, the indenture being "signed sealed and delivered by Moses on 22 December 1841."⁷²

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21. Moses sold two more tracts in Grainger County, one of 150 acres and the other 50 acres, to John Coffey for \$250 on 19 Aug 1842; *ibid*.
22. Moses, at age 63, and family were listed on page 167, Family No. 139, of the Rockcastle County, KY 1850 census. His son Isaac's family was number 140.
23. Moses was again listed in the Rockcastle County, KY 1860 census, household 292, family 289.
24. Inventory of Moses' property following his death was recorded in the Rockcastle County Court on 1 Jul 1865.⁵⁷⁹

They had the following children:

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| 430 | i. | William Payne |
| 431 | ii. | John Payne |
| 432 | iii. | Mary Nancy Payne |
| 433 | iv. | Isaac Payne |
| 434 | v. | Sarah Payne |
| 435 | vi. | Elizabeth Payne |
| 436 | vii. | Colby Payne |
| 437 | viii. | Isabel Matilda Payne |
| 438 | ix. | Andrew J. Payne |
| 439 | x. | George W. Payne |
| 440 | xi. | Jane Payne |
| 441 | xii. | Aquilla Payne |
| 442 | xiii. | Ruth M. Payne |

326. Delphia Rucker. Born About 1796⁴⁴⁶ in Wilkes Co., NC. Died Aug 1849 in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Bondsman for marriage was Reuben Dalton.⁵⁸
2. On 27 Mar 1841, Colby sold 2/3 acre to Delphey Dalton, widow of Meredith Dalton, for \$40.⁴⁷⁵
3. Died of "inflammation of throat," at age 49, per the Grainger County 1850 Mortality Schedule. [Payn962]

She married John Meredith Dalton, 3 Feb 1813⁵⁸ in Grainger Co., TN. Died Before 4 Nov 1834 in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Will dated 29 Apr 1834 and recorded 4 Nov 1834 in Grainger County, TN, named sons Colby and Reuben - wife and other children not named. Witnessed by Moses Payne.⁵⁷

They had the following children:

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| 443 | i. | Colby Dalton |
| 444 | ii. | Reuben Dalton |
| 445 | iii. | Thomas Dalton |
| 446 | iv. | Louisa Dalton |
| 447 | v. | Anderson Dalton |
| 448 | vi. | Sarah Dalton |
| 449 | vii. | Azariah Dalton |
| 450 | viii. | Elizabeth Dalton |
| 451 | ix. | Margaret Dalton |
| 452 | x. | John W. Dalton |
| 453 | xi. | Carter J. Dalton |

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327. **John Rucker**. Born 31 Mar 1800⁵¹⁶ in Wilkes Co., NC. Died 25 Sep 1861⁵¹⁶ in Grainger Co., TN. Buried in Rucker Cem., Thorn Hill, Grainger Co., TN.

1. John and his brother-in-law Thomas Hayes "entered" a 50 acre parcel adjacent to Moses Payne on the waters of Indian Creek on 3 Jan 1825.⁵⁰⁸
2. Received a land grant of 75 acres adjacent to Charles McAnally, John Hipshear, and McGinnis, on 20 Jan 1826.⁵⁰⁹
3. Received land grant of 50 acres adjacent to his property on the waters of Indian Creek, 22 Dec 1827.⁵¹⁰
4. Ambrose Johnson was Bondsman for second marriage.⁵¹¹
5. Grainger County, TN, 1830 census listed John as head of household with one free white male under 5 years of age and one 30 to 40, plus one free white female 5 to 10 and one 10 to 15 (he was living adjacent to his father Colby.)
6. On 16 Jan 1833, Colby Rucker "bequeathed to my son John Rucker" 30 acres "including the building wherein the said John Rucker lives . . . from and after the period of my death."⁵¹²
7. John was on the 1835 Grainger County *List of Voters*.⁴⁷
8. Entered 20 acres "on the north side of Clinch Mountain about 2 miles above the Kentucky Road" on 15 Aug 1836.⁵¹³
9. On 5 Mar 1837, John purchased 25 acres adjacent to his property for \$140 from Colbert Hipsher.⁵¹⁴
10. On 31 Jan 1839, Colby Rucker sold ten acres to son John for \$40. Colby made "his mark" and the indenture was witnessed by William Payne and C. F. Thomas.⁵¹⁵
11. Grainger County, TN, 1840 census listed John with two free white males under five years of age, one 5 to 10, one 10 to 15, and one 40 to 50, plus one free white female under five, one 15 to 20 and one 20 to 30.
12. Listed as a purchaser at an estate sale in Grainger County, TN, 8 Nov 1842.⁵⁶
13. Listed in an account of sale for the estate of Charles Mcanally in Grainger County, TN, recorded 8 Feb 1850. *ibid*
14. Grainger County, TN, 1850 census listed John as 50 years of age (birth date - 1800.)
15. Grainger County, TN, 1860 TN census listed John and family including Martha, aged 14, and listed John as being 60 years old.
16. Middle name provided in account of John's daughter-in-law, Lizzie Branch.⁵¹⁷

He first married Deliley Lyles, 15 Jan 1821⁹² in Grainger Co., TN. They had the following children:

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| 454 | i. | Malinda Rucker |
| 455 | ii. | Mary Rucker |
| 456 | iii. | Perry W. Rucker |

He second married Mahala Thomas, 23 Dec 1831⁵¹⁶ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 25 Mar 1815 in TN. Died 2 Jan 1888 in TX. They had the following children:

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| 457 | i. | Learoy A. Rucker |
| 458 | ii. | John LaFayette Rucker |
| 459 | iii. | Emily A. Rucker |
| 460 | iv. | Nelson J. Rucker |
| 461 | v. | Cornelia (Carry) (Connie) Rucker J. |
| 462 | vi. | Sarah H. Rucker |
| 463 | vii. | Martha E. Rucker |
| 464 | viii. | Francis (Frank) P. Rucker |
| 465 | ix. | James Roland Rucker |
| 466 | x. | Rutha Mary Rucker |
| 467 | xi. | Thomas Robbins Rucker |

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328. Jane Rucker. Born 23 Oct 1802⁴⁸⁴ in Wilkes Co., NC. Died 28 Jul 1867⁴⁸⁴. Buried in Ramsey Hiatt Cem, Renfro Valley, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. *Early East Tennessee Marriages*, by Byron and Barbara Sistler (85,) pg 317, lists a marriage between Jane and Andrew Philips on 19 Feb 1816 in Grainger County. [*Was this a first of two marriages?*]

She married William P. Hayes, son of George Hayes & Mary Judah Mills. Born 1791 in NC. Died 17 May 1875 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Renfro Valley, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY 1870 census listed William in his grandson, James H.'s household.
2. Colby Rucker's Revolutionary War Pension File, number R 9061 states: On December 27, 1852, William Hayes, administrator of the estate of Colby Rucker, deceased, and also a son-in-law, a resident of Rockcastle County, Kentucky, aged sixty-two years, made application in behalf of the above named children [*all eight of Colby's children*] for the pension that might have been due on account of the services of Colby Rucker in the Revolutionary War."
3. John Coffey, husband of William's sister-in-law Elizabeth, sold 135 acres to William for \$300 on 4 Feb 1824.⁴⁸²
4. William fought in the War of 1812 [*a private in the 5th East Tennessee Militia*] and was wounded in the knee by an Indian tomahawk, for which he drew a pension and a land grant.⁵¹⁹
5. William sold 50 acres to George Coffey, the husband of his sister-in-law Margaret, for \$150 on 27 Sep 1837.⁵²⁰
6. Cause of death was inflammation of the bladder and old age.²²⁷

They had the following children:

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| 468 | i. | Mary Hayes |
| 469 | ii. | John A. Hayes |
| 470 | iii. | James M. Hayes |
| 471 | iv. | William Hayes Jr. |
| 472 | v. | Nancy Hayes |
| 473 | vi. | Colby Hayes |

329. Sarah Rucker⁴⁴⁴. Born 9 Jul 1796. Died 15 Oct 1813.

330. Peter Rucker⁴⁴⁴. Born 12 Apr 1798. Died After 17 Nov 1844.

1. Will dated 17 Nov 1844 was probated in the Nov 1844 Court term. It mentioned brothers Daniel, William, and Jonathon, and others.⁴⁴⁷

331. Magdaline Rucker⁴⁴⁴. Born 8 Mar 1800. Died 19 Jul 1827.

332. Daniel Rucker⁴⁴⁴. Born 17 Nov 1802.

He married Delila Hail, 28 Apr 1833⁴⁴⁸ in Adams Co., MS.

333. Susannah Rucker⁴⁴⁴. Born 25 Dec 1804. Died 18 Oct 1805.

334. William Rucker⁴⁴⁴. Born 2 Nov 1806.

335. Jonathon Rucker⁴⁴⁴. Born 3 Apr 1809.

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336. Alexander Bisland⁴⁵⁰. Died 2 Feb 1811.

1. John's twin.

337. John Bisland⁴⁵⁰. Born About 1787. Died 2 Nov 1814⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Bisland Cem., Pine Ridge, Adams Co., MS.

1. Alexander's twin.

338. Peter Bisland⁴⁵⁰. Born 17 Mar 1789⁴⁴⁹. Died 31 Aug 1829⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Bisland Cem., Pine Ridge, Adams Co., MS.

1. Father, John's will, dated 14 Oct 1819, Named wife Susanna, sons James, Peter, and William, and daughters Catherine, Susannah, Elizabeth Dunbar, and Sarah. No probate date was shown.⁴⁵¹

2. Peter's will, dated 28 Aug 1829, named wife and requested that his property "be kept together until his children become of age at which time to be divided equally among them." No probate date given.⁴⁵³

He married Barbara Foster, 24 Dec 1807⁴⁵⁰.

339. James Bisland⁴⁵⁰. Born 23 Sep 1790. Died Jun 1842.

1. Father, John's will, dated 14 Oct 1819, Named wife Susanna, sons James, Peter, and William, and daughters Catherine, Susannah, Elizabeth Dunbar, and Sarah. No probate date was shown.⁴⁵¹

He first married Mary Abigail Ross, 1 Mar 1817⁴⁵⁰. They had the following children:

474	i.	Jane P. Bisland
475	ii.	C. Elizabeth Bisland

He second married Mary King, 8 Mar 1821⁴⁵⁰. They had the following child:

476	i.	Susannah Bisland
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340. Elizabeth Bisland⁴⁵⁰. Born 4 Apr 1792. Died 14 Aug 1822.

1. Father, John's will, dated 14 Oct 1819, Named wife Susanna, sons James, Peter, and William, and daughters Catherine, Susannah, Elizabeth Dunbar, and Sarah. No probate date was shown.⁴⁵¹

She married James Dunbar, 18 Feb 1808⁴⁵⁰.

341. Sarah Bisland. Born 17 Sep 1793. Died 12 Oct 1823.

1. Reference document Payn⁴⁸⁵, pg 260. 2. Father, John's will, dated 14 Oct 1819, Named wife Susanna, sons James, Peter, and William, and daughters Catherine, Susannah, Elizabeth Dunbar, and Sarah. No probate date was shown.⁴⁵¹

She married Rev. J. Smylic, 2 Feb 1815⁴⁵⁰.

342. Jane Patterson Bisland⁴⁵⁰. Born 20 Jul 1795⁴⁴⁹ in Adams Co., MS Territory. Died 31 Jul 1816⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Beech Hill Cem., Denisville, Jefferson Co., MS.

She married John Isaac Wayne Ross, 7 Mar 1816⁴⁵⁰. Born Mar 1786⁴⁴⁹. Died 5 Nov 1832⁴⁴⁹.

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343. William Bisland⁴⁵⁰. Born 7 Jan 1797. Died 20 Aug 1847.

1. Father, John's will, dated 14 Oct 1819, Named wife Susanna, sons James, Peter, and William, and daughters Catherine, Susannah, Elizabeth Dunbar, and Sarah. No probate date was shown.⁴⁵¹

He married Mary Louisa Lavinia Witherspoon, 19 Oct 1820⁴⁵⁰.

344. Katherine Bisland⁴⁵⁰. Born 10 Sep 1798. Died 23 Dec 1823.

1. Father, John's will, dated 14 Oct 1819, Named wife Susanna, sons James, Peter, and William, and daughters Catherine, Susannah, Elizabeth Dunbar, and Sarah. No probate date was shown.⁴⁵¹

She married John Patterson⁴⁵⁰ Rev..

345. Susannah Bisland⁴⁵⁰. Born 12 Feb 1802. Died 29 Sep 1825. Buried in Bisland Cem., Adams Co., MS.

1. Father, John's will, dated 14 Oct 1819, Named wife Susanna, sons James, Peter, and William, and daughters Catherine, Susannah, Elizabeth Dunbar, and Sarah. No probate date was shown.⁴⁵¹

She married Rev. Samuel Hunter, 11 May 1824⁴⁵⁰. They had the following child:

477 i. Catherine Ann Hunter

346. David Bisland⁴⁵⁰.

1. Died young.⁴⁵⁰

347. George Bisland⁴⁵⁰.

(No further data available.)

348. Isabella Turnbull. Born 1 Mar 1785.

349. Sarah Turnbull⁴⁵⁰.

1. An 1896 letter from R. Semple Young to Sarah Turnbull Stirling [daughter of Lewis Stirling and Sarah Turnbull] stated, "Grandma Semple's mother [*Catherine Rucker Turnbull, number 176, above*] married at the age of 16, AD 1784, and that she was a native of Culpeper Co., Virginia."

She married Lewis Sterling⁴⁵⁰.

350. Minor Rucker⁴¹⁸. Born 1793. Died 1866.

He married Harriet Head, 25 Nov 1822⁴²³ in Orange Co., VA. Born 1799. Died 1845. They had the following child:

478 i. Joel Waller Tazewell Rucker

351. Rev. Thornton Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 22 Sep 1797.

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352. William Taliaferro Rucker. Born 20 Mar 1809.

1. William and his new wife moved to Monroe County, MO, in 1831.²⁵⁶

He married Verenda S. Taylor, 4 Jan 1831²⁵⁶ in VA. They had the following child:

479 i. Joseph Edmundson Rucker

353. Frances Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

354. John Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

355. Lucy Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

356. Anthony G. Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

357. Kittie Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

358. Anne Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

359. James N. Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

360. Margaret Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

361. George Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

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362. Nancy Jane Rucker²⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

363. Martha Rucker²⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

364. Edwin Rucker²⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

365. Susan Rucker²⁸⁸. Born 1825. Died 1903.

She married James Hudson²⁸⁸, 1861. Born 1825. Died 1883. They had the following child:

480 i. William Henry Hudson

366. Daniel H. Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 14 Dec 1835. Died 25 Aug 1908.

367. Susan Margaret Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1 Jun 1838. Died 1920.

!1. Reference "The Rucker Family Genealogy," by Sudie Rucker Wood, pg 52.

368. William Ambrose Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 20 Aug 1840 in Amherst Co., VA. Died 7 Nov 1922 in Richmond, VA.

1. Named in his father William's will.²⁸³

2. William was a sergeant in Company E of the 2nd Virginia Cavalry during the Civil War. He participated in both battles of Manassas and in the Valley Campaign under Stonewall Jackson.²⁵⁶

He married Annie Chapplear²⁵⁶, 1862. Born 7 Jun 1838 in Rappahannock Co., VA. Died 16 May 1922 in Richmond, VA. They had the following child:

481 i. Sudie S. Rucker

369. Addison Clay Rucker. ²⁵⁶ Born 19 Feb 1843. Died 10 Oct 1905.

1. He served under Colonel John S. Mosley for four years of the Civil War. ²⁵⁶

370. Mary Ann Dawson Rucker. Born 1809. Died 1863.

She married William Ballenger Rucker²⁵⁶, [*number 227 above*] son of George Rucker & Martha Tucker, 1822. Born 1791. Died 1862.

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371. George McDaniel Rucker³⁰⁰. Born 1817. Died 1884.

He married Catharine Mundy Pettyjohn³⁰⁰, 1846. Born 1823. Died 1863. They had the following child:

482 i. Nancy Pettyjohn Rucker

372. Elizabeth Rucker²⁵⁶.

373. Sarah Polk Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 7 Sep 1825. Died 18 Jun 1850.

374. Joanna Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 19 Sep 1822. Died 15 Oct 1856.

1. Joanna spent a great deal of time at the White House with her aunt, Mrs. James K. Polk.²⁵⁶
2. Several letters written by Joanna to family members in Tennessee from Washington are in the Tennessee State Archives in Nashville.

375. Sarah Childress Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

376. Joel Childress Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

377. William H. Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

378. William Reed Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

379. Alexander Campbell Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1842.

He married Anna M. Stults, 1877³¹⁵. Born 1857. Died 1942. They had the following child:

483 i. Maud Winchester Rucker

380. Talitha Rucker³¹⁸. Born 27 Aug 1825 in Clark Co., KY. Died 2 Aug 1892.

381. Mildred Rucker³¹⁸. Born 5 Aug 1827 in Clark Co., KY. Died 25 Oct 1896.

382. Polly Ann Rucker³¹⁸. Born in Clark Co., KY.

383. Eliza Jane Rucker³¹⁸. Born 7 Sep 1834 in Clark Co., KY.

384. Isaac Rucker³¹⁸. Born in Clark Co., KY. Died 1865.

385. William Rucker³¹⁸. Born in Clark Co., KY.

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386. Sallie Ann Rucker³¹⁸. Born 1 Jan 1842 in Clark Co., KY. Died 25 Feb 1924 in Lexington, KY.

She married James Henry Baker³¹⁹, 1858. Born 1835. Died 1912. They had the following child:

484 i. Henry Jackson Baker

387. Louisa A. Ham³⁸⁶.

She married Dr. Joseph Franklin Wright³⁸⁶. They had the following child:

485 i. Joseph Franklin Wright Jr.

388. Arden Somers Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 26 Feb 1795 in Wilkes Co., GA. Died 1895 in Taylor Co., GA.

389. Jane Beasley Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 1797. Died 6 Feb 1862.

390. Richard Beasley Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 4 Jun 1799 in Wilkes Co., GA. Died 5 Jan 1861 in Taylor Co., GA.

He married Cerena Williamson, 20 Sep 1820²⁵⁶. Born 2 Jan 1806. Died 15 Feb 1885 in Atlanta, GA. They had the following children:

486 i. Mary Jane Rucker
487 ii. William Rucker
488 iii. James Arden Rucker
489 iv. Rebecca Ann Rucker
490 v. Lucinda Elizabeth Rucker
491 vi. Louisa Matilda Rucker
492 vii. Fielding Saunders Rucker
493 viii. Virginia Frances Rucker
494 ix. George Granberry Rucker
495 x. Richard J. Rucker
496 xi. Zachariah Gordon Rucker
497 xii. Julia M. Rucker
498 xiii. Ella Cerena Rucker
499 xiv. Ambrose Beasley Rucker

391. Mary W. Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 7 Feb 1802. Died 14 Jan 1865.

392. Tinsley White Rucker. Born 25 May 1813. Died 8 Jan 1864 in Savannah, GA.

393. Ausbon Coffey. Born 14 Jan 1805⁴⁷⁸ in Wilkes Co., NC. Died 18 Dec 1876⁴⁴⁹ in Grainger Co., TN. Buried in Rucker Cem., Thorn Hill, Grainger Co., TN.

He married Matilda Dalton⁴⁸⁰, About 1822. Born 30 Jan 1805. Died 30 Jan 1899 in Rockcastle Co., KY. They had the following child:

500 i. Nancy Coffey

394. Colby Coffey³⁰⁶. Born 23 Aug 1806 in Wilkes Co., NC. Died 17 Jun 1888 in Estill Co., KY.

He married Mary Ann Adams, 22 May 1830⁴⁸⁰. Born 6 Oct 1807. Died 26 Sep 1887 in Estill Co., KY.

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395. Benjamin Coffey⁴⁸⁰. Born 8 Feb 1808 in Wilkes Co., NC. Died 8 May 1867 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Death date obtained from pages "tucked into a little book" that had belonged to Ausbon Coffey.⁴⁸⁰

He married Nancy Hayes, Before 1830⁴⁸⁰. Born 23 Jul 1802 in NC. Died 14 Feb 1874 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Cause of death was dropsy.²²⁷

396. Nancy Coffey⁴⁸⁰. Born 12 Jan 1811⁴⁸⁴ in Grainger Co., TN. Died 20 Nov 1896⁴⁸⁴ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Coffey-Hiatt Cem, Rockcastle Co., KY.

397. John Jackson Coffey⁴⁸⁰. Born 12 Jan 1812 in TN. Died 12 Oct 1877 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Cause of death unknown.²²⁷

He married Elsie Nash, 7 Jul 1839⁴⁸⁰ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 1810. Died 7 Jan 1867 in Grainger Co., TN. They had the following child:

501 i. John Coffey

398. Elizabeth Coffey⁴⁸⁰. Born About 1821 in TN. Died After 1880 in Cass Co., MO.

She first married Nathan P. Whitsett, 30 Nov 1839⁴⁸⁰ in Grainger Co., TN. Died 22 Jan 1842.

She second married her cousin George W. Hayes⁴⁴⁶, [number 425 below] son of Thomas Hayes Jr. & Sarah (Sally) Rucker, 20 Feb 1845⁴⁴⁶ in Grainger Co., TN. Born About 1817 in Burke Co., NC. Died in Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO. They had the following child:

502 i. William Daniel Hayes

399. Sarah "Lucinda" Coffey⁴⁸⁰. Born About 1822 in TN. Died 4 Nov 1895.

She married her cousin William Coffey⁴⁸⁶, [number 406 below] son of George Coffey & Margaret Rucker, 21 Mar 1840⁴⁸⁶. Born 20 Jan 1817 in TN. Died 15 Jun 1879 in West Plains, MO.

400. Margaret Coffey. Born 28 Feb 1823⁴⁸⁴ in TN. Died in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Coffey-Hiatt Cem, Rockcastle Co., KY.

She married Isaac Bullen⁴⁸⁴. Born 23 Apr 1802. Died 28 Nov 1896. Buried in Coffey-Hiatt Cem, Rockcastle Co., KY.

401. William M. Coffey⁴⁸⁰. Born 31 Oct 1828 in TN. Died 9 Aug 1893⁴⁷⁸ in Grainger Co., TN.

He married Ellen Nash, 12 Jun 1849⁴⁸⁰ in Grainger Co., TN. Born About 1824. Died 19 Jan 1884.

402. Catherine Coffey⁴⁸⁰. Born 10 Aug 1834 in TN.

She married ___ Sweet⁴⁸⁰. Died Before 1880.

403. Myra Coffey³⁰⁶. Born 10 Apr 1812 in TN.

404. Thomas Coffey³⁰⁶. Born About 1813.

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405. Mary Coffey³⁰⁶. Born About 1815.

406. William Coffey⁴⁸⁶. Born 20 Jan 1817 in TN. Died 15 Jun 1879 in West Plains, MO.

He married Sarah "Lucinda" Coffey⁴⁸⁰, [number 399, above] daughter of John Coffey & Elizabeth Rucker, 21 Mar 1840⁴⁸⁶. Born About 1822 in TN. Died 4 Nov 1895.

407. Elijah Coffey³⁰⁶. Born 23 Feb 1819. Died 13 Jul 1890⁴⁸⁶ in Grainger Co., TN.

408. Matilda Coffey³⁰⁶. Born 13 Mar 1821. Died 1 Dec 1909⁴⁸⁶.

409. Mahaley Coffey³⁰⁶. Born 20 Oct 1827.

410. Delphia Coffey³⁰⁶. Born 29 Oct 1828.

411. Emily Coffey³⁰⁶. Born About 1832.

412. Louise Coffey³⁰⁶. Born 27 Jul 1833.

413. Malinda Coffey. Born About 1834.

414. Samuel Rucker⁹². Born 23 Sep 1816 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 10 Oct 1870. Buried in Dotson Cem., Grainger Co., TN.

1. Birth and death data obtained from tombstone. Double headstone with Manerva Rucker indicates another marriage.⁴⁴⁹
2. Samuel received a land grant of 100 acres in Grainger County on 24 Nov 1824.⁴⁹⁴
3. Samuel was on the 1835 Grainger County List of Voters.⁴⁷
4. On 26 Sep 1838, Samuel purchased two tracts of land from Claborn Dotson containing 175 acres for \$500. A 100-acre tract lies "on the north side of Clinch Mountain on the waters of ____ on Camp Creek including a part of plantation where the said Claborn Dotson now lives." A second parcel containing 75 acres "near the head of Lick holler."⁴⁹⁵
5. License for second marriage issued on 18 April and executed on the 20th.⁴⁹⁷
6. Settlement of Samuel's guardianship of his youngest brother Abner Rucker, was recorded on 8 May 1856.⁴⁹⁸
7. Samuel was listed in the Grainger County, TN, 1860 census at age 42.

He first married Elizabeth Acuff, 4 Dec 1837⁴⁹⁶ in Grainger Co., TN. They had the following child:

503 i. Simeon Rucker

He second married Minerva Jordan, 20 Apr 1856⁴⁹⁷ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 30 Oct 1835⁴⁴⁹ in TN. Died 22 Jan 1908⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Dotson Cem., Grainger Co., TN.

1. Manerva was listed in the Grainger County, TN, 1860 census at age 24.

They had the following children:

504 i. Claiborne Rucker
505 ii. George W. Rucker

415. Margaret (Peggy) Rucker⁹². Born About 1817.

She married Charles McGinnis, 4 Feb 1834⁸⁵ in Grainger Co., TN.

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416. Sarah Rucker⁹². Born 1824 in TN.

She married Reuben Dalton, son of John Meredith Dalton & Delphia Rucker, 9 Jan 1838⁸⁵ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 19 Feb 1815 in TN.

1. Named in his father Meredith's will 29 Apr 1834, witnessed by Moses Payne, and probated in Grainger County, TN on 4 Nov 1834.⁵⁰⁰
2. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1199, lists Reuben at age 34, occupation farmer.

They had the following children:

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| 506 | i. | William Dalton |
| 507 | ii. | Delphia Dalton |
| 508 | iii. | Rutha Dalton |
| 509 | iv. | Elizabeth Dalton |
| 510 | v. | Samil Dalton |
| 511 | vi. | John Dalton |

417. Mary (Pop) Rucker⁹². Born 1826.

She married Edward McGinnis, 11 May 1839⁵⁰¹ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 20 Nov 1812⁴⁴⁹. Died 9 Nov 1888⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Dotson Cem., Grainger Co., TN. They had the following child:

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| 512 | i. | James McGinnis |
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418. Simmeon Rucker⁹². Born About 1830.

Child:

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| 513 | i. | Simeon Rucker |
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419. Claiborne Rucker. Born 1831 in TN.

1. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1198, lists Claborn at age 19, occupation farmer.

He married Elizabeth Dalton, 21 Oct 1848⁵⁰² in Grainger Co., TN. Born 1826 in TN.

1. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1198, lists Elizabeth at age 24.

They had the following children:

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| 514 | i. | Sarah Rucker |
| 515 | ii. | William Rucker |

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420. William Rucker⁹². Born About 1834 in TN.

1. William was listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census at age 26

He married Elizabeth A. Mallicoat, 24 Jan 1855⁵⁰³ in Grainger Co., TN. Born About 1839 in TN.

1. Elizabeth A. was listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census at age 21

They had the following children:

516	i.	John S. Rucker
517	ii.	Rutha E. Rucker
518	iii.	Claiborn L. Rucker

421. Abner Rucker. Born About 1838 in TN.

1. Settlement of older brother Samuel's guardianship of brother Abner, was recorded 8 May 1856. The settlement included accounting for payment to Abner's grandfather Colby for a horse and other items paid out for his ward. [*This is confusing because Colby died in 1852, Abner's father died in 1854, so how long was Samuel the guardian?*] ⁴⁹⁸

2. Abner was listed at age 22, in the Grainger County, TN, 1860 census with 3 children. Two Acuff children were also listed in his household, possibly relatives of his brother Samuel's first wife, Elizabeth Acuff.

He married Matilda Bullen, 30 Jul 1855⁵⁰² in Grainger Co., TN. Born About 1838.

1. Matilda was listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census at age 22.

They had the following children:

519	i.	Mary E. Rucker
520	ii.	Emely A. Rucker
521	iii.	Frances C. Rucker

422. Martha (Matilda) Hayes. Born About 1810.

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423. Colbirt Hayes. Born 1811 in NC. Died 7 Oct 1853 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Colbirt resided in the Colby Rucker household for two years, when aged 13 to 15.⁸⁴
2. Colbirt and Mary were first cousins - their mothers Jane and Nancy Rucker, were sisters, and daughters of Colby Rucker.
3. Colbirt was on the 1835 Grainger County List of Voters⁴⁷
4. Colbirt bought 100 acres in Grainger County for \$500 on 13 Aug 1835⁸⁶
5. On 15 August 1835 Colbirt bought three parcels of land on the waters of Clinch River totalling 290 acres for \$500, *ibid.*
6. Colbert Hayse was listed on pg 4, line 16 of the Rockcastle County, KY, 1840 census, with one male child under 5, one 5 to under 10, he was 20 to under 30, plus two female children under 5, one 5 to under 10, and wife Mary Nancy between 20 and 30.
7. Died at age 42 from pneumonia⁸⁰
8. Most of this data obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Record compiled by Kathryn Hayes Johnson and provided by Theata Bullock.

He married Mary Nancy Payne, daughter of Moses Payne & Nancy Rucker, 3 Feb 1832⁸⁵ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 18 Jun 1816⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN. Died After 1875.

1. Rockcastle County 1860 census, household 294, family 290, next door to brother George W., with 9 children, Sarah through James C.
2. Mary, at age 54, was listed in the 1870 Rockcastle County, KY, census on page 7, Family No. 44, with two children, Mary and James, plus her mother Nancy, age 75.

They had the following children:

522	i.	William Hayes
523	ii.	Nancy Elizabeth Hayes
524	iii.	Sarah Hayes
525	iv.	Luther M. Hayes
526	v.	Thomas J. Hayes
527	vi.	Matilda J. Hayes
528	vii.	Colby (Brandy) Hayes
529	viii.	Josiah Richard Hayes
530	ix.	Mary Elizabeth Hayes
531	x.	Ruth H. Hayes
532	xi.	Colbert Hayes
533	xii.	James Caleb Hayes

424. Jane Hayes³⁰⁶. Born 13 Sep 1815.

425. George W. Hayes⁴⁴⁶. Born About 1817 in Burke Co., NC. Died in Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO.

He married his cousin Elizabeth Coffey⁴⁸⁰, [*number 398, above*] daughter of John Coffey & Elizabeth Rucker, 20 Feb 1845⁴⁴⁶ in Grainger Co., TN. Born About 1821 in TN. Died After 1880 in Cass Co., MO.

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426. Colby R. Hayes⁹⁴. Born 21 Dec 1818 in Burke Co., NC. Died 16 Jun 1898 in Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO. Buried in Union Bapt. Cem, Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO.

He married Sarah Payne, [number 434, below] daughter of Moses Payne & Nancy Rucker, 31 Dec 1836⁹⁸ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 17 Mar 1820⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN. Died 8 Nov 1898⁹⁹ in Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO. Buried in Union Bapt. Cem, Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO.

1. Colbirt Hayes was Bondsman for the marriage of his brother Colby to Sarah.⁹⁸

They had the following children:

534	i.	Thomas Hayes
535	ii.	Nancy Hayes
536	iii.	Florence Hipsher

427. Thomas Hayes Jr.³⁰⁶ Born 27 Aug 1821.

428. John Hayes³⁰⁶. Born About 1821.

429. Elbert Hayes³⁰⁶. Born About 1830.

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430. **William Payne.** Born 30 Apr 1813⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN. Died Before 1870 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. William was on the 1835 Grainger County List of Voters.⁴⁷
2. William was a purchaser at the estate sale of William Clark in Grainger County, recorded 8 Mar 1837.⁶⁰
3. Samuel Rucker was Bondsman for William's marriage.¹¹¹
4. Grainger County, TN, 1840, pg 95, line 5, census listed William with two free white males under five years of age, one 20 to 30, and one free white female 15 to 20 [apparently a visitor] and one 20 to 30. The family listed on line 6 of the same census was that of C. F. Thomas. The listing consisted of him and a female between the ages of 40 and 50 (Ann Thomas Payne's mother?)
5. Listed in an account of sale for the estate of Charles McAnally in Grainger County TN, recorded 8 Feb 1850.⁵⁶
6. Mentioned in Charles McAnally estate settlement documentaion in Grainger County TN, recorded 6 May 1851; *ibid.*
7. On page 191, Rockcastle County KY 1850 census, Northern District, Family No. 111, included William, age 37, occupation farmer.
8. Listed as a creditor of the estate of Charles McAnally in Grainger county, recorded 10 Jun 1851.⁵⁶
9. Listed as a creditor in the estate sale of Hannah Blakeman in Grainger county, recorded 8 Nov 1851.⁶⁰
10. On page 585, Family No. 906, of the Rockcastle County KY 1860 census William, age 47, was listed as a jailor [sic] with real estate valued at \$300 and a personal estate valued at \$220.
11. While Jailer of Rockcastle County William was killed by man named Soard while making an arrest - his son George finished his term - sometime between Aug 1862 and Jun 1867 per George's grandson Cleve Payne in letter to R. Payne, dated July 1, 1992.

He married Anna Marie Thomas, 2 Jan 1837¹¹¹ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 1820 in TN. Died Before 1890 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. First and middle names obtained from death certificate of her daughter Nancy.¹¹⁴
2. Rockcastle County KY 1870 census, page 59, Family No. 115, lists Ann, age 50, as head of household with three children, Josiah, Nancy M., and John J.
3. "Chesley Payne, Joseph Payne, Sarah (Payne) Jackson, W. T. Jackson, M. D. Payne sold for \$60 to Ann Payne in the town of Mt. Vernon a lot or parcel of land owned by Wm Payne decd and bounded on the north by old Main Street and on the west by a conditional line with Ashley Owens Now we convey each of our individual interest in said lot of land that we inherit of our father Wm Payne Decd. 7 September 1868" [signed by each]⁸²

They had the following children:

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| 537 | i. | George W. Payne |
| 538 | ii. | Moses D. Payne |
| 539 | iii. | William L. Payne |
| 540 | iv. | Isaac Chesley Payne |
| 541 | v. | Joseph S. Payne |
| 542 | vi. | Sarah J. Payne |
| 543 | vii. | Nancy M. Payne |
| 544 | viii. | John J. Payne |

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431. John Payne. Born 20 Jan 1815⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Edward McGinnis was Bondsman for John's marriage.⁷⁵
 2. John was listed on pg 4, line 14 in the 1840 Rockcastle County, KY, census with 3 male children under 5, one male 20 to under 30, one female under 5, and one 20 to under 30.
 3. On page 164, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle County 1850 census, John's family is listed down through daughter Nancy, age 3.
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- . John, age 55, is listed on page 78, Family No. 66, in the Rockcastle County 1870 census.

He married Nancy McGinnis, 23 May 1835⁷⁵ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 1813 in TN. They had the following children:

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| 545 | i. | William L. Payne |
| 546 | ii. | Mary Payne |
| 547 | iii. | Moses Payne |
| 548 | iv. | James M. Payne |
| 549 | v. | Daniel F. Payne |
| 550 | vi. | Sarah Payne |
| 551 | vii. | Colby Payne |
| 552 | viii. | Eli W. Payne |
| 553 | ix. | Nancy Payne |
| 554 | x. | J. E. M. Payne |
| 555 | xi. | ___ Payne |
| 556 | xii. | Elizabeth M. Payne |
| 557 | xiii. | Martha U. Payne |
| 558 | xiv. | Mary M. Payne |

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432. Mary Nancy Payne. Born 18 Jun 1816⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN. Died After 1875.

1. Rockcastle County 1860 census, household 294, family 290, next door to brother George W., with 9 children, Sarah through James C.
2. Mary, at age 54, was listed in the 1870 Rockcastle County, KY, census on page 7, Family No. 44, with two children, Mary and James, plus her mother Nancy, age 75.

She married Colbert Hayes, son of Thomas Hayes Jr. & Sarah (Sally) Rucker, 3 Feb 1832⁸⁵ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 1811 in NC. Died 7 Oct 1853 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Colbert resided in the Colby Rucker household for two years, when aged 13 to 15.⁸⁴
2. Colbert and Mary were first cousins - their mothers Jane and Nancy Rucker, were sisters, and daughters of Colby Rucker.
3. Colbert was on the 1835 Grainger County List of Voters.⁴⁷
4. Colbert bought 100 acres in Grainger County for \$500 on 13 Aug 1835.⁸⁶
5. On 15 August 1835 Colbert bought three parcels of land on the waters of Clinch River totalling 290 acres for \$500, *ibid*.
6. Colbert Hayse was listed on pg 4, line 16 of the Rockcastle County, KY, 1840 census, with one male child under 5, one 5 to under 10, he was 20 to under 30, plus two female children under 5, one 5 to under 10, and wife Mary Nancy between 20 and 30.
7. Died at age 42 from pneumonia.⁸⁰
8. Most of this data obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Record compiled by Kathryn Hayes Johnson and provided by Theata Bullock.

They had the following children:

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| 522 | i. | William Hayes |
| 523 | ii. | Nancy Elizabeth Hayes |
| 524 | iii. | Sarah Hayes |
| 525 | iv. | Luther M. Hayes |
| 526 | v. | Thomas J. Hayes |
| 527 | vi. | Matilda J. Hayes |
| 528 | vii. | Colby (Brandy) Hayes |
| 529 | viii. | Josiah Richard Hayes |
| 530 | ix. | Mary Elizabeth Hayes |
| 531 | x. | Ruth H. Hayes |
| 532 | xi. | Colbert Hayes |
| 533 | xii. | James Caleb Hayes |

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433. Isaac Payne. Born 22 Mar 1818⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Isaac was listed on pg 4, line 15 of the 1840 Rockcastle County, KY, census, with his age being between 20 and 30, the same range as his wife's.
2. Isaac was listed on page 167, Family No. 140, of the Rockcastle County, 1850 census, at age 32 with his wife and four children.
3. Isaac bought a tract of land on Brush Creek in Rockcastle County on 27 Mar 1854.⁹⁰
4. Page 469, Family No. 66, Rockcastle Co., KY, 1860 census, listed Isaac, age 42, his wife and five children, through Isaac S., age 2 in Mt. Vernon.
5. Page 88, Family No. 86, Rockcastle Co., KY, 1870 census, listed Isaac, his wife and seven children , William through George A.
6. Isaac bought 120 acres on the waters of Brush Creek on 12 May 1874.⁹⁰
7. Page 40, Family No. 71, Rockcastle County, KY., 1880 census lists Isaac's family including wife Melinda, age 59, sons William and Isaac, and daughters Sarah, Mary, and George Ann.
8. Isaac bought 58 acres on the waters of Brush Creek on 25 Nov 1881.⁹¹

He married Malinda Rucker⁹², [*number 454, below*] daughter of John Rucker & Deliley Lyles, 27 Aug 1838⁸⁹ in Grainger Co., TN. Born About 1821⁹² in Grainger Co., TN⁹³.

1. County of birth stated in son Colby's marriage record.

They had the following children:

559	i.	John G. Payne
560	ii.	William Perry Payne
561	iii.	Mahala Ann Payne
562	iv.	Colby Payne
563	v.	___ Payne
564	vi.	Mary Frances Payne
565	vii.	Isaac S. Payne
566	viii.	Sarah C. Payne
567	ix.	Georgia Ann Payne

434. Sarah Payne. Born 17 Mar 1820⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN. Died 8 Nov 1898⁹⁹ in Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO. Buried in Union Bapt. Cem, Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO.

1. Colbirt Hayes was Bondsman for the marriage of his brother Colby to Sarah.⁹⁸

She married Colby R. Hayes⁹⁴, son of Thomas Hayes Jr. & Sarah (Sally) Rucker, 31 Dec 1836⁹⁸ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 21 Dec 1818 in Burke Co., NC. Died 16 Jun 1898 in Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO. Buried in Union Bapt. Cem, Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO. They had the following children:

534	i.	Thomas Hayes
535	ii.	Nancy Hayes
536	iii.	Florence Hipsher

435. Elizabeth Payne. Born 21 Mar 1822⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN.

436. Colby Payne. Born 20 Feb 1824⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN.

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437. Isabel Matilda Payne. Born 6 Mar 1826⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN. Died 10 Jan 1916¹⁰⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Maretburg Cem, Rockcastle Co., KY¹⁰⁰.

1. Matilda married a widower James Houke.⁸⁰

She married James F. Houke, 27 Jan 1853⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Maretburg, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. After brother-in-law William Payne's death, James was named Guardian of William's youngest children, Nancy and brother, John, 3 Dec 1869.¹⁰¹

They had the following child:

568 i. Nancy Houke

438. Andrew J. Payne. Born 30 Dec 1827⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Andrew, age 22, was listed in his father's household in the 1850 Census, Rockcastle County, KY, Pg 167, Family No. 139.

2. Andrew enlisted in the Third Kentucky Volunteers and was mustered in 8 Oct 1861. He served for three years and saw action in at least 20 engagements where his regiment suffered casualties. (See *Third Kentucky Volunteers, United States Army Infantry, 1861-1864*, by R. Payne.)

3. Rockcastle County, KY, 1870 census lists Andrew and Sarah J.'s family on page 18, Family No. 242 as: Calvin-13, Quillen-10, William H.-8, Andrew M.-4, and Charles R.-8 mos.

4. Andrew was named Guardian of Martha B. McClure on 25 Feb 1878, two days prior to her marriage to his son Calvin.¹⁰¹

5. Page 42, Family No. 387, of the Rockcastle County KY 1880 census lists Andrew's family down through Jacob, age 2.

6. A. J. and Sarah J. Payne transferred land on Skeggs Creek to A. Q. Payne [*Quillen?*]⁵⁸² ; on the Dry Fork of Skeggs Creek to C. R. Payne [*Calvin?*]⁵⁸¹ ; and on Skeggs Creek to J. J. Payne [*Jacob?*]⁵⁸³ on 30 June 1902.

He married Sarah J. Sowder, 2 Jun 1853 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 1837⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY⁸⁰.

1. Maiden name provided in letter from Jeannie Robinson, dated June 20, 1992 and by Cleve Payne in letter to R. Payne, dated July 1, 1992.

2. Sarah bought 100 acres on the headwaters of Dry Fork of Skeggs Creek for \$400 on 28 Jul 1873.⁹⁰

They had the following children:

569 i. Jonathon Payne
570 ii. Augusta Payne
571 iii. Calvin Payne
572 iv. Quillen Payne
573 v. William H. Payne
574 vi. Andrew M. Payne
575 vii. Charles Robert Payne
576 viii. Milton Payne
577 ix. Lilly Payne
578 x. Jacob J. Payne

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439. **George W. Payne.** Born 30 Nov 1829⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN. Buried in Skeggs Creek Cem, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. George's second marriage, to Elizabeth, took place only three months after the death of his first wife Sarah.¹⁰³
2. Page 447, Family No. 290, of the 1860 census for Rockcastle County listed George with new wife Elizabeth and their daughter Nancy, plus David C., Moses, and Reuben from his first marriage. His occupation was indicated as "plasterer."
3. The Muster Roll of Captain Milton Frazer, Company I, 3rd Regiment, commanded by Colonel Thomas E. Bramlette, dated "8th day of October 1861" lists G. W. Payne, Sr. (to differentiate between him and his nephew George W. Payne, "Jr." in the same Company) as 7th Corporal, age 30. He was "reduced to ranks," 15 Feb 1862. He was captured at the Battle of Stone River [Murfreesboro, TN] on 31 Dec 1862, and confined at Richmond, VA, on 15 Jan 1863. He was paroled at City Point, VA, Jan 20 and reported at Camp Parole, MD, 21 Jan 1863.¹⁰⁴ (See *Third Kentucky Volunteers, United States Army Infantry, 1861-1864*, by R. Payne.)
4. George and family are included in the Rockcastle County 1870 census on page 49, Family No. 330.
7. George W. and his wife Elizabeth were enumerated with five children in the Rockcastle County 1880 census, on page 6, Family No. 53.

He first married Sarah⁸⁰ (Sallie) Carson, daughter of David Carson & Catherine Lawrence, 1850 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 10 Dec 1826 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 22 Feb 1858 in Rockcastle Co., KY. They had the following children:

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| 579 | i. | David Carson Payne |
| 580 | ii. | Moses Payne |
| 581 | iii. | Joseph Payne |
| 582 | iv. | Reuben Payne |
| 583 | v. | Joseph J. Payne |

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George second married Elizabeth Sowder, daughter of John Sowder & Mary (Polly) Hackley, 27 May 1858¹⁰³ in Mount Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Born Jun 1831 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 11 Mar 1906 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Skeggs Creek Cem, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. On 28 Feb 1882 Elizabeth's father sold her 133 1/2 acres on the waters of Skeggs Creek "in consideration of the sum of about one hundred dollars in hand of heretofore paid by the party of the second part and the love and affection I have for my daughter, the second party being my daughter."⁹¹

They had the following children:

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| 584 | i. | Nancy Belle Payne |
| 585 | ii. | Luverna Payne |
| 586 | iii. | John Seymore Payne |
| 587 | iv. | Amsel M. Payne |
| 588 | v. | Sarah A. Payne |
| 589 | vi. | Timeleon (Tead) Payne |



(unknown), George W., Amsel, Elizabeth (Sowder), John Seymore, Sarah

440. **Jane Payne.** Born 14 Oct 1831⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN.

1. 1850 Census, Rockcastle Co. KY, Pg 167, Family No. 140, listed as "June," age 18.

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441. Aquilla Payne. Born 15 Mar 1834⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Aquilla at age 18, was listed in the 1850 Census, Rockcastle County, KY, Pg 167, Family No. 140.
2. On page 77 of the 1860 Lincoln County, KY, census Aquilla was listed at age 26 with wife Martha and daughter Susan, in Crab Orchard. His occupation was noted as farmer.
3. On page 3 of the 1870 Lincoln County, KY, census Aquilla was listed at age 35 with wife Martha and five children, in Crab Orchard. His occupation was noted as stone mason.
4. Aquilla and his sister Ruth filed a *Claim of Minor Children for Bounty Land* on 2 Apr 1878, based on their father's service in the War of 1812. (They were the only two of Moses's children who qualified under the law.) A government brief of that claim, Case No. 333167, stated that Moses had received a land warrant (no. 9257) for 40 acres, issued "improperly." The brief further stated that the application was "rejected May 22nd 1878 on the ground that the soldier was a deserter and the charge of desertion had not been removed."⁶⁵

He first married Martha J. Watson, daughter of William Watson & Loucinda. Born About 1834 in KY. Died 20 Apr 1878 in Crab Orchard, Lincoln Co., KY. Buried in Crab Orchard Cemetery.

1. Death date obtained from tombstone, per letter from Marion Watson to R. Payne, dated 23 Aug 1995.
2. "Deed of conveyance made and entered into this November 20, 1884 by and between Harry Watson and his wife Martha A. of the first part and John Proctor of the second part . . . a certain tract . . . on the waters of the Bee Lick being part of the tract of land known as the Loucinda Watson tract . . . beginning at a stake . . . to a stone corner of his and Paynes thence with said Paynes line . . . to a stone Sarah Watsons corner . . . containing .68 acres by survey . . . except one fifth (undivided of the whole boundry which 5th belongs to the heirs of Quilla Payne which the party of the first neither sells nor conveys -" 852

They had the following children:

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| 590 | i. | Susan M. Payne |
| 591 | ii. | Andrew J. Payne |
| 592 | iii. | Malinda B. Payne |
| 593 | iv. | Felix H. Payne |
| 594 | v. | Thomas O. Payne |

He second married Mary F. Bloomer, daughter of Daniel C. Bloomer & Nancy Elizabeth Hayes, 26 Aug 1880 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

He third married Josephine Sowder, 5 Jul 1885 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

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442. Ruth M. Payne. Born 17 Jun 1837⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN. Died 26 Apr 1858 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. 1850 Census, Rockcastle Co. KY, Pg 167, Family No. 140, listed Ruth, age 13.
2. (See note 4 under her brother Aquilla above.)
3. 1880 Rockcastle County, KY, census, page 7, Family No. 54, Ruth is listed at age 43.
4. Death date obtained from a family Bible, per Kathryn Hayes Johnson.

She married Mason C. Sowder, 26 Apr 1855 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born About 1835 in KY.

1. 1880 Rockcastle County, KY, census, page 7, Family No. 54, Mason is listed at age 45.

They had the following children:

595	i.	Isabelle Sowder
596	ii.	Sarah Jane Sowder
597	iii.	Andrew J. Sowder
598	iv.	G. Sherman Sowder
599	v.	George M. Sowder
600	vi.	Nancy Sowder
601	vii.	Usley Sowder
602	viii.	Elizabeth Sowder
603	ix.	William Sowder
604	x.	Mattie A. N. Sowder

443. Colby Dalton. Born 15 Nov 1814⁴⁴⁹ in TN. Died 1 Apr 1897⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Dalton Cem., Thorn Hill, Grainger Co., TN.

1. Named in father Meredith's will 29 Apr 1834, witnessed by Moses Payne, and probated in Grainger County, TN on 4 Nov 1834.⁵⁰⁰
2. Colby was one of purchasers at a Grainger County sale of William Clark's estate on 16 Jan 1837.⁵⁰
3. Grainger County, TN 1850 census listed him with family down through Christopher, age 1.
4. "First Monday in April 1852" (recorded 12 Apr): Colby Dalton named administrator of all "goods, chattles, rights, and credits" of Colby Rucker who died intestate.⁵⁰⁷

He married Elizabeth McGinnis, 22 Dec 1833⁵⁰⁶ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 13 Mar 1815⁴⁴⁹ in TN. Died 23 Jul 1905⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Dalton Cem., Thorn Hill, Grainger Co., TN. They had the following children:

605	i.	Martha Dalton
606	ii.	Louisa Dalton
607	iii.	Perry Dalton
608	iv.	Elizabeth Dalton
609	v.	Nathan Dalton
610	vi.	Barbary M. Dalton
611	vii.	Mary Dalton
612	viii.	Christopher C. Dalton

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444. Reuben Dalton. Born 19 Feb 1815 in TN.

1. Named in his father Meredith's will 29 Apr 1834, witnessed by Moses Payne, and probated in Grainger County, TN on 4 Nov 1834.⁵⁰⁰

2. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1199, lists Reuben at age 34, occupation farmer.

He married Sarah Rucker⁹², daughter of William Rucker & Rutha Dodson, 9 Jan 1838⁸⁵ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 1824 in TN. They had the following children:

506	i.	William Dalton
507	ii.	Delphia Dalton
508	iii.	Rutha Dalton
509	iv.	Elizabeth Dalton
510	v.	Samil Dalton
511	vi.	John Dalton

445. Thomas Dalton³⁰⁶. Born About 1819.

446. Louisa Dalton³⁰⁶. Born 1 Oct 1820.

447. Anderson Dalton³⁰⁶. Born 13 Mar 1821.

448. Sarah Dalton³⁰⁶. Born About 1822.

449. Azariah Dalton⁵²⁸. Born 6 Jul 1823. Died 1 Jul 1902.

He married Malisia Taylor⁵²⁸, 20 Feb 1847. Born 10 Sep 1833. Died 5 Aug 1897. They had the following child:

613	i.	Dora Aniline Dalton
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450. Elizabeth Dalton³⁰⁶. Born About 1826.

1. Elizabeth was a charter member of Cedar Spring Baptist Church, founded in Thorn Hill, TN 26 Jan 1846 per the church Minutes.⁴⁷⁹

451. Margaret Dalton³⁰⁶. Born About 1827.

452. John W. Dalton³⁰⁶. Born 4 Oct 1828.

453. Carter J. Dalton³⁰⁶. Born 28 Mar 1832. Died 1856 in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Arrangements for provisions for Carter's widow Elizabeth and her family to support them one year from his death were made by the court.⁴⁹⁸

He married Elizabeth ____.

454. Malinda Rucker⁹². Born About 1821⁹² in Grainger Co., TN⁹³.

She married Isaac Payne, [number 433, below]son of Moses Payne & Nancy Rucker, 27 Aug 1838⁸⁹ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 22 Mar 1818⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN.

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455. Mary Rucker⁹². Born 1825.

She married Barnett Farmer, 21 Jul 1843⁸⁵ in Grainger Co., TN.

456. Perry W. Rucker⁹². Born 1829 in TN. Buried in Old Rucker Cem., Idol, TN³⁹⁰.

1. Listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census, pg 195, family number 501, at age 32.

He married Minerva Latham, 18 Mar 1851⁵⁰³ in Grainger Co., TN. Born About 1830 in TN.

1. Listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census, at age 30.

They had the following children:

614	i.	John W. Rucker
615	ii.	Mary A. Rucker
616	iii.	Virginia M. Rucker
617	iv.	Sarah M. Rucker

457. Learoy A. Rucker⁵¹⁶. Born 2 May 1834 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 15 Jun 1844.

458. John LaFayette Rucker⁵¹⁶. Born 11 Feb 1836 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 25 Sep 1861.

1. John went from Grainger County to Texas. He returned to TN when the Civil War began and enlisted with his "home company" (Morristown, TN.)⁵¹⁷

He married Lizzie Joyce Branch, daughter of Nancy, 18 Jan 1866⁵¹⁶. Born 7 Apr 1844 in Bagdad, Shelby Co., TX. Died 19 Nov 1888 in Georgetown, Williamson Co., TX. Buried in Georgetown, TX.

1. Statistics obtained from Lizzie's great-grandson, Richard Julian Yates, in letter dated 21 Sep 1995.

They had the following children:

618	i.	Blanche Lucille Rucker
619	ii.	Cora Rucker
620	iii.	James Barton Rucker
621	iv.	Hattie Rucker

459. Emily A. Rucker. Born 24 Nov 1837 in Grainger Co., TN.

She married James W. Hodges, 8 Nov 1854⁸⁵ in Grainger Co., TN.

460. Nelson J. Rucker. Born 12 Oct 1840 in Grainger Co., TN.

He married M. E. M. Moore, 6 Aug 1861⁵⁰³ in Grainger Co., TN.

461. Cornelia (Carry) (Connie) J. Rucker⁵¹⁶ Born 7 Mar 1842 in Grainger Co., TN. Died Jun 1875.

She married T. H. Dail, 27 Nov 1860⁵⁰³ in Grainger Co., TN.

462. Sarah H. Rucker⁵¹⁶. Born 21 Jan 1844 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 10 Sep 1854.

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463. Martha E. Rucker. Born 1 May 1846 in Grainger Co., TN.

464. Francis (Frank) P. Rucker. Born 23 Aug 1848⁴⁴⁹ in Grainger Co., TN. Died 29 Aug 1890⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Rucker Cem., Thorn Hill, Grainger Co., TN.

1. Francis is buried beside his father. Tombstone lists him as Franklin P. Rucker.⁴⁴⁹

465. James Roland Rucker. Born 14 Mar 1850 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 19 Apr 1908 in Temple, Bell Co., TX.

1. James moved to Williamson County, TX, per Frances Willess in letter of 3 May 1994.

466. Rutha Mary Rucker. Born 25 Apr 1852 in Grainger Co., TN.

467. Thomas Robbins Rucker⁵¹⁶. Born 19 Jul 1854 in Grainger Co., TN.

468. Mary Hayes. Born 10 Dec 1821 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 4 Aug 1852 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Ramsey-Hiatt Cem, Renfro Valley, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Death caused by "flux."²²⁷

2. Birthdate determined from tombstone inscription, i.e., 30 yrs, 9 mo., 25 days.⁴⁸⁴

She married James F. Houke. Buried in Mareburg, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. After brother-in-law William Payne's death, James was named Guardian of William's youngest children, Nancy and brother, John, 3 Dec 1869.¹⁰¹

They had the following children:

622	i.	Sarah Houke
623	ii.	Elizabeth Houke
624	iii.	Leander Houke
625	iv.	Leroy Houke

469. John A. Hayes. Born 5 Aug 1827 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 13 Jul 1852 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Renfro Valley, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Date of death shown on tombstone is 13 Jul 1852.⁴⁸⁴

2. Date of death [from flux] contained in death records is Aug 1852 per Reference 227.

470. James M. Hayes. Born 17 May 1832⁴⁸⁴. Died 19 Jan 1862⁴⁸⁴ in Mill Springs, KY. Buried in Renfro Valley, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle Roots, refers briefly to James' death in the Civil War battle of Mills Springs - he was in Company B of the 4th KY Infantry Regiment, U. S. Army.⁵¹⁹

He married Elizabeth Houk, 17 Nov 1857²²⁷ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born About 1838 in KY.

471. William Hayes Jr.

1. Born and died same day, no date provided.⁴⁸⁴

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472. Nancy Hayes. Born 28 Aug 1836⁴⁸⁴. Died 5 Aug 1852⁴⁸⁴. Buried in Renfro Valley, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Cause of death was flux.²²⁷

473. Colby Hayes⁴⁴⁶.

He married Elizabeth Bundren²²⁷, daughter of Hiram Bundren & Mary. Born About 1848 in TN. Died 1 Jun 1876 in Rockcastle Co., KY. They had the following child:

626 i. Albert Hayes

474. Jane P. Bisland. Born 1817⁴⁴⁹. Died 14 Aug 1822⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Bisland Cem., Pine Ridge, Adams Co., MS.

475. C. Elizabeth Bisland. Born 1819⁴⁴⁹. Died 10 Aug 1822⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Bisland Cem., Pine Ridge, Adams Co., MS.

476. Susannah Bisland. Born 3 Aug 1823⁴⁴⁹. Died 26 Jul 1827⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Bisland Cem., Pine Ridge, Adams Co., MS.

477. Catherine Ann Hunter⁴⁵⁰. Born 9 Mar 1825. Died 8 Sep . Buried in Bisland Cem., Pine Ridge, Adams Co., MS.

478. Joel Waller Tazewell Rucker⁴¹⁸. Born 1826. Died 1911.

He married Eleanor Elizabeth McCampbell⁴¹⁸, 1853. Born 1829. Died 1893. They had the following child:

627 i. Amanda B. Rucker

479. Joseph Edmundson Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 21 Dec 1831 in Howard Co., MO⁴³¹.

1. Chariton County, MO, 1860 census, page 19, family number 129, lists Joseph E. Rucker, age 32, born in KY, with wife and one daughter, age 2.

He married Eliza F. _____. Born About 1841 in MO.

1. Chariton County, MO, 1860 census, lists Eliza F. at age 19.

They had the following child:

628 i. Mary E. Rucker

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480. William Henry Hudson²⁸⁸. Born 1864.

He married Emma Bond²⁸⁸. Born 1865. They had the following children:

629 i. Leva Ware Hudson

481. Sudie S. Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 18 Dec 1871.

She married William Price Wood²⁵⁶, 3 Jul 1901. Born 28 Sep 1865 in Newark, England. They had the following children:

630 i. Sudie Elizabeth Wood
631 ii. William Price Wood
632 iii. Lillian Lee Wood
633 iv. Jean Wood
634 v. Garland Ambrose Wood
635 vi. Thomas Ward Wood

482. Nancy Pettyjohn Rucker³⁰⁰. Born 1849. Died 1912.

She married Landon B. Edwards³⁰⁰, 1871. Born 1845. Died 1910. They had the following child:

636 i. Katherine Rucker Edwards

483. Maud Winchester Rucker³¹⁵.

(No further data available.)

484. Henry Jackson Baker³¹⁹. Born 1872. Died 1965.

He married Louise Campbell³¹⁹, 1890. Born 1871. Died 1952.

485. Joseph Franklin Wright Jr. ³⁸⁶

He married Mary Elizabeth Wilson³⁸⁶. They had the following child:

637 i. Mary Doris Wright

486. Mary Jane Rucker. Born 22 Jun 1821.

487. William Rucker. Born 1823.

1. Died young.²⁵⁶

488. James Arden Rucker. Born 28 Oct 1825. Died 17 Sep 1862 in Sharpsburg, MD.

1. Killed in the Battle of Sharpsburg.²⁵⁶

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489. Rebecca Ann Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 16 Feb 1828. Died 1906.

She married Andrew Polkill Mitchell, 23 Dec 1845²⁵⁶. Born 1826. Died 1862. They had the following children:

638	i.	Alice Judson Mitchell
639	ii.	Mary Virginia Mitchell
640	iii.	Laura T. Mitchell
641	iv.	Sanders D. Mitchell
642	v.	Edward Denard Mitchell

490. Lucinda Elizabeth Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

491. Louisa Matilda Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 4 Jun 1832.

492. Fielding Saunders Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 20 Jul 1834 in Talbot Co., GA. Died 6 Jul 1894 in Rome, GA.

493. Virginia Frances Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 27 Jul 1836.

1. George's twin. Died young.²⁵⁶

494. George Granberry Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 27 Jul 1836. Died 24 Dec 1886 in Atlanta, GA.

1. Virginia's twin.²⁵⁶

495. Richard J. Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 7 Jul 1836.

1. Birthdate not consistent with his siblings who were twins.²⁵⁶

496. Zachariah Gordon Rucker²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

497. Julia M. Rucker²⁵⁶.

1. Died young.²⁵⁶

498. Ella Cerena Rucker²⁵⁶. Born 31 May 1849.

499. Ambrose Beasley Rucker²⁵⁶. Died 20 Nov 1849.

500. Nancy Coffey⁴⁸⁴.

She married Colby Hayes⁴⁸⁴. They had the following children:

643	i.	Elviry K. Hayes
644	ii.	Mary E. Hayes

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501. John Coffey⁴⁸⁵.

Child:

645 i. William L. Coffey

502. William Daniel Hayes⁴⁴⁶. Born 6 Mar 1861 in Wildie, Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 10 May 1911 in Holdin, MO.

He married Ida Mae Henry, 28 Feb 1884⁴⁴⁶ in Cass Co., MO. Born 3 Apr 1865 in Harrison Co., KY. Died 3 Mar 1940 in Holdin, MO. They had the following child:

646 i. William Ernest Hayes

503. Simeon Rucker. Born About 1851 in TN.

1. Simeon was listed in the Grainger County, TN, 1860 census at age 9.

504. Claiborne Rucker⁴⁸⁵. Born About 1857 in TN.

1. Claiburn was listed in the Grainger County, TN, 1860 census at age 3.

He married Mary Majors⁴⁹⁹. They had the following child:

647 i. Susan Rucker

505. George W. Rucker. Born About 1859 in TN.

1. George W. was listed in the Grainger County, TN, 1860 census at age 1.

506. William Dalton. Born 1841 in TN.

1. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1199, lists Wm. at age 9.

507. Delphia Dalton. Born 1843 in TN.

1. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1199, lists Delphia at age 7.

508. Rutha Dalton. Born 1844 in TN.

1. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1199, lists Rutha at age 6.

509. Elizabeth Dalton. Born 1846 in TN.

1. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1199, lists Elizabeth at age 4.

510. Samil Dalton. Born 1847 in TN.

1. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1199, lists Samil at age 3.

511. John Dalton. Born 1849 in TN.

1. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1199, lists John at age 1.

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512. James McGinnis⁴⁸⁵.

He married Sarah Harrell⁴⁸⁵. They had the following child:

648 i. Edward Jackson McGinnis

513. Simeon Rucker⁴⁴⁹. Born 25 Jan 1850. Died 2 Apr 1934. Buried in Rucker Cem., Washburn, Grainger Co., TN.

1. Presumed to be of this family.

He married Mary ___⁴⁴⁹. Born 19 Jun 1842. Died 29 Jan 1928. Buried in Rucker Cem., Washburn, Grainger Co., TN. They had the following child:

649 i. Violey Rucker

514. Sarah Rucker. Born 1849 in TN.

1. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1198, lists Sarah at age 1.

515. William Rucker. Born Feb 1850 in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Grainger County, TN 1850 census, page 160, family number 1198, lists Wm. at age 8/12. The enumeration was dated 14 Oct 1850.

516. John S. Rucker. Born 21 Nov 1854⁴⁹⁹ in TN. Died 18 Feb 1934⁴⁹⁹ in Grainger Co., TN.

1. John S. was listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census at age 4.

517. Rutha E. Rucker. Born About 1857 in TN.

1. Rutha E. was listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census at age 3.

518. Claiborn L. Rucker. Born About 1859 in TN.

1. Claiborn L. was listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census at age 9/12.

519. Mary E. Rucker. Born About 1856.

1. Mary E. was listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census at age 4.

520. Emely A. Rucker. Born About 1858.

1. Emely A. was listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census at age 2.

521. Frances C. Rucker. Born About 1859.

1. Frances C. was listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census at age 1.

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522. William Hayes. Born 1833 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 5 Jul 1897 in Weir City, KS.

1. William enlisted in the Third Kentucky Volunteers and was mustered in 8 Oct 1861. He served for three years and saw action in at least 20 engagements where his regiment suffered casualties. (See *Third Kentucky Volunteers, United States Army Infantry, 1861-1864*, by R. Payne.)

He married Julia Ann Cummins, About 1856⁸⁷.

1. Information on this family obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Sheet, compiled by Kathryn Hayes Johnson and provided by Theata Bullock.

523. Nancy Elizabeth Hayes. Born 11 Oct 1834 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 16 Jan 1901 in Bloomfield, Cook Co., TX. Buried in Bloomfield Cem., Bloomfield, Cook Co., TX.

1. Information on this family obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Sheet, compiled by Kathryn Hayes Johnson and provided by Theata Bullock.

She married Daniel C. Bloomer⁴¹¹, 29 Dec 1853⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 1834⁸⁰ in Scott Co., VA. They had the following children:

650	i.	Mary F. Bloomer
651	ii.	William Colbert Bloomer
652	iii.	Thomas G. Bloomer

524. Sarah Hayes⁸⁸. Born 1837 in Grainger Co., TN. Died About 1897 in Cellar's Cem., Gainesville, Cooke Co., TX.

She married Josiah Watson, son of William Watson & Loucinda, 11 Sep 1860⁸⁸ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 1839 in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Died About 1874 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Josiah died of consumption.

They had the following children:

653	i.	James Colbert Watson
654	ii.	Alice Frances Watson
655	iii.	Samantha Watson
656	iv.	Melinda Jane Watson
657	v.	William Wade Watson
658	vi.	Emmer Watson
659	vii.	Josiah Watson Jr.

525. Luther M. Hayes. Born 1838 in Grainger Co., TN.

1. Colbert Hayes FGS from Frances Willess notes that Luther was killed in the Civil War [Confederate Army.] [Payn523]

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526. Thomas J. Hayes. Born 1841 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Information obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Record, compiled by Kathryn Hayes Johnson and provided by Theata Bullock. [Payn626]

2. Thomas enlisted in the Third Kentucky Volunteers and was mustered in 8 Oct 1861. He served for three years and saw action in at least 20 engagements where his regiment suffered casualties. (See *Third Kentucky Volunteers, United States Army Infantry, 1861-1864*, by R. Payne.)

He married Lurena Sowder. Born About 1841 in KY.

1. Lorena was included in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census, page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 96, family number 36, at age 39.

They had the following children:

660	i.	Carrie B. Hayes
661	ii.	Alonzo Hayes
662	iii.	Cordelia Hayes
663	iv.	Abigail Hayes
664	v.	Thomas Hayes
665	vi.	Theopledus Hayes
666	vii.	Charles P. Hayes

527. Matilda J. Hayes. Born 1843 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Information obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Record, compiled by Kathryn Hayes Johnson and provided by Theata Bullock.

She married John J. Cummins, 20 Dec 1864 in Rockcastle Co., KY. They had the following child:

667	i.	Nehemiah Cummins
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528. Colby (Brandy) Hayes. Born 20 Dec 1844 in KY. Died 24 Aug 1927 in Bois D'sc, MO. Buried 27 Aug 1927 in Yeakley Cem.

1. Information obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Sheet furnished by Frances Willess.
2. "He [Colby] was a drunkard. Came home one night too drunk to open the door and it was raining and he laid down beside the wall and the cold rain poured off of the house until morning, he was almost drowned and froze and they bathed him in brandy to bring him to. Got so much in his system until he never drank anymore so they called him Brandy."; letter from Colby's nephew, Marcus Bloomer of Elk City, OK, to Mr. Watson, dated 4 Dec 1974.⁵⁰⁵
3. Coalby was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 47, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, at age 35. His mother-in-law, Jeremia Brown, age 61, was also listed in his household.

He married Susan Mariam Brown, daughter of Brown & Jeremia. Born About 1847 in KY.

1. Susan M. was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census at age 33.

They had the following children:

668	i.	Lucy S. Hayes
669	ii.	Fredric Hayes
670	iii.	Robert Hayes
671	iv.	David Hayes
672	v.	Leroy Hayes
673	vi.	Susan M. Hayes

529. Josiah Richard Hayes. Born 18 Sep 1846 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 22 May 1902 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Skeggs Creek Cem, Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Information obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Sheet, compiled by Kathryn Hayes Johnson and provided by Theata Bullock.
2. Josiah, his wife, and four children were enumerated in his mother's household in the 1880 Rockcastle County census, page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 420.

He married Martha Graves, Sep 1870 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born About 1853 in KY. They had the following children:

674	i.	James Hayes
675	ii.	William Hayes
676	iii.	Mary Hayes
677	iv.	Sarah Hayes

530. Mary Elizabeth Hayes⁴⁴⁶. Born 30 Jan 1849 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 16 Feb 1930 in Jay, Delaware Co., OK. Buried in Mt. Hermon Cem.

1. Information obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Sheet, compiled by Kathryn Hayes Johnson and provided by Theata Bullock.
2. Listed in Rockcastle County, KY, 1870 census in her mother, Mary Hayes's household, page 4, family number 44, at age 21.

She married George Boon Francisco. They had the following children:

678	i.	Orlena Francisco
679	ii.	Mary E. Francisco
680	iii.	Maggie N. Francisco

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531. Ruth H. Hayes. Born 1851 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Information obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Sheet, compiled by Kathryn Hayes Johnson and provided by Theata Bullock.

She married William Collier.

532. Colbert Hayes. Born Sep 1852⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died Sep 1852⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Stillborn.⁸⁰

533. James Caleb Hayes. Born 1854 in KY.

1. Information obtained from Colbert Hayes Family Group Sheet, compiled by Kathryn Hayes Johnson and provided by Theata Bullock.

2. Listed in Rockcastle County, KY, 1870 census in his mother, Mary Hayes's household, page 4, family number 44, at age 16.

He first married Mary Martha Renner, 8 Nov 1873 in Rockcastle Co., KY. They had the following child:

681 i. Lucy H. Hayes

He second married Julia Bowman, 16 Aug 1882⁴⁴⁶ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

534. Thomas Hayes⁹⁴. Born 7 Nov 1837⁴⁴⁹ in Grainger Co., TN. Died 28 Dec 1910⁴⁴⁹ in Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO. Buried in Union Bapt. Cem, Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO.

1. Excerpt from *The Wagon Wheel*, written by a Missouri contemporary of Thomas's: "Thomas Hayes passed his youthful days on a farm in Tennessee, and was educated in the common schools. Mr. Hayes was engaged in farming in his native state till the breaking out of the war. In July 1862, he enlisted in the Confederate service in Company C, Twelfth Tennessee Battalion, under Colonel Pegran and served until the close of the war. He enlisted as a private and in October was promoted to second lieutenant, and participated in one hundred and ten different engagements of importance, among which were the battles of Perryville, Murfreesboro, Chickamauga, Knoxville, Lynchburg, and Stanton. After the close of the war he returned to his farm in Tennessee where he was engaged in farming until 1865 [?] In the fall of this year he came to Missouri and located in Cass County, near Pleasant Hill, Missouri."

He married Caroline Wolfe⁹⁴, daughter of Charles Wolfe & Lydia McCoy, 22 May 1856⁹⁴ in Grainger Co., TN. Born 5 May 1837⁴⁴⁹ in Hawkins Co., TN. Died 15 Feb 1913⁴⁴⁹ in Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO. Buried in Union Bapt. Cem, Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO.

535. Nancy Hayes⁹⁴. Born 1840 in Grainger Co., TN.

536. Florence Hipsher⁹⁴. Born 26 Aug 1863 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 4 Jan 1909 in Grainger Co., TN. Buried in Cobb Cem, Grainger Co., TN.

1. "Florence Hipsher is the illegitimate daughter of Louisa Hipsher. Her father was Colby Hayes. . . . Colby was the brother of Louisa Hipsher's mother, Jane Hayes."⁴⁴⁶

She married James Anderson McGinnis⁹⁴, 29 Mar 1890 in Grainger Co., TN. Born 17 Nov 1871 in Hancock Co., TN. Died 6 Jul 1938 in Grainger Co., TN. Buried in Cobb Cem, Grainger Co., TN.

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537. George W. Payne. Born 1838 in TN. Died 6 Jun 1867 in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Elmwood Cem., Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County KY 1850 census, pg 191, family No. 111, lists George at age 12.
2. In the 1860 census for Rockcastle County, George was listed in the Mt. Vernon household of D. G. Collier, page 584, Family No. 897, the County Court Clerk. George's occupation was farmer.
3. George was mustered into the Kentucky Volunteers in Oct 1861 as 3rd Sergeant in Capt. Frazer's Company I of the 3rd Regiment, Infantry, at age 23. He was discharged 2 Aug 1862 "on a Surgeon's Certificate of Disability at Decherd Station, TN.¹¹⁵ (See *Third Kentucky Volunteers, United States Army Infantry, 1861-1864*, by R. Payne.)
4. Military records indicate death resulted from heart disease, provides birthdate for only child, and provides date of wife's remarriage.¹¹⁶

He married Elizabeth Drew, 21 Apr 1864. Born 1844 in KY. Died 1902¹²⁵. Buried in Davis/Macedonia, Rockcastle Co., KY¹²⁵.

1. Name of George's wife and date of marriage were provided by his grandson Cleve Payne in letter to R. Payne, dated July 1, 1992.
2. 1870 Rockcastle County, KY, census lists her age as 25.

They had the following child:

682 i. Olmstead Mitchell Payne

538. Moses D. Payne. Born 1840 in TN.

1. Page 191, Family No. 111, Rockcastle County, KY, 1850 census listed Moses as 10 years old.
2. Page 585, Family No. 906, Rockcastle County KY 1860 census lists Moses D. as the son of William and Ann M. when he was 20 years of age.
3. Moses served 13 months in Company G of the Fourteenth Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry in the Civil War, 1863/1864. "This organization acted in the capacity of scouts . . . Being raised in the mountain counties of Kentucky, its duty was to prevent those frequent raids by guerillas which annoyed and often proved disastrous to the loyal residents of that section of the state. For efficiency, bravery, and discipline, this regiment received the highest praise from the Department commander. It was engaged in many skirmishes with guerillas in which loss was sustained." (His first cousin served in Company H.) Company G did not suffer any battle casualties which were recorded.⁷⁹
4. [Refer to note 3 under his mother Anna Marie Thomas, number 430 above.]
5. Page 59, Family No. 116, of the Rockcastle County KY 1870 census lists Moses's family with four children down to Mary E., aged one.
6. Moses received a land grant of 130 acres on Bowman's Fork in Owsley County 12 Aug 1873.⁵⁴⁰
7. On 11 Dec 1885 Moses bought 66 acres on Brush Creek, "known as the Tar ____ Lawrence tract."¹¹⁹
8. On 8 Aug 1893, Moses purchased 120 acres "situated on the waters of Skeggs Creek" for \$350.¹²⁰

He married Martha Jane Carroll, 25 Mar 1861¹¹⁸ in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 1844.

1. Martha J. was listed at age 26 in the 1870 Census, Rockcastle Co., KY

They had the following children:

683 i. Lucy Ellen Payne
684 ii. William Payne
685 iii. John Payne
686 iv. Mary E. Payne

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539. William L. Payne. Born 1843 in KY. Died Apr 1852²²⁷ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Page 191, Family No. 111, Rockcastle County, KY, 1850 census listed William as 7 years old.
2. Died at age 10 from typhoid fever.⁸⁰

540. Isaac Chesley Payne. Born 27 Feb 1845 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 11 Mar 1911 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried 21 Mar 1911 in Singleton Cem., Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Page 191, Family No. 111, Rockcastle County, KY, 1850 census listed Isaac as 5 years old.
2. Page 585, Family No. 906, of the Rockcastle County, KY, 1860 census Listed Isaac C. at 15 years of age.
3. Vital statistics and family data provided by granddaughter Norma Johnson Jun 1992.
4. Chesley enlisted in the Third Kentucky Volunteers and was mustered in 8 Oct 1861. He served for three years and saw action in at least 20 engagements where his regiment suffered casualties. (See *Third Kentucky Volunteers, United States Army Infantry, 1861-1864*, by R. Payne.)
5. (Refer to note 3 under his mother Anna Marie Thomas, number 430 above.)
6. Rockcastle County 1880 census listed Chesley, his wife, and two daughters, as Family No. 89, on page 11 in E. D. 95.

He first married Burnetter Henrietta Singleton. Born About 1849 in KY. Died 27 Mar 1894.

1. Information provided by husband's granddaughter, Norma Johnson, Jun 1992.
2. Burnetta was listed on page 11, S.D. 3, E.D. 95, of the 1880 Rockcastle County, KY, census at age 31.
3. Death date obtained from husband Chesley's pension application, dated 23 Nov 1897, in the possession of Norma White Johnson.

They had the following children:

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| 687 | i. | Talitha Ann Payne |
| 688 | ii. | Sarah Lily Payne |

He second married Rosa Anna Owens, daughter of John J. Owens & Phebe J. Shepherd, 8 Oct 1900¹²¹ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 4 Jul 1878 in Scott Co., VA. Died 2 Jan 1916 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rosa purchased 100 acres on the waters of Crooked Creek, which had been owned by her husband Chesley at a previous time, "bounded as follows: adjoining on the north Chesley Payne . . ."

They had the following children:

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| 689 | i. | Ocia Lec Payne |
| 690 | ii. | Edna Helen Payne |
| 691 | iii. | John William Payne |
| 692 | iv. | Morton Moss Payne |
| 693 | v. | Henry Chesley Payne |

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541. Joseph S. Payne. Born Circa 1847 in KY. Died in Middlesboro, Bell Co., KY⁵⁴⁸.

1. Rockcastle County KY 1860 census lists Joseph, son of William and Ann M., as being 11 years old.
2. (Refer to note 3 under his mother Anna Marie Thomas, number 430, above.)
3. On 4 Nov 1869, Joseph sold his "entire interest in and to the tract of land on which Moses Payne De cd formerly [sic] resided . . . on the waters of Skegg's Creek . . . being one of the legal heirs and representatives of the said Moses Payne Dec'd" to his uncle Isaac - value not stated.⁸²
4. Listed as a farm hand in the 1880 Census, Howard Co. MO, pg 6, Super Dist 5, E.D.95, Recorded 4 Jun 1880.
5. Location of death provided by his grandson Arnold Payne.

He married Mary Jane McGuire, daughter of Anderson McGuire & Mary Luker. Born 14 Mar 1855¹²² in Owsley Co., KY. Died 18 May 1926 in Lynch, Harlan Co., KY. Buried 19 May 1926 in Maret Cem., Wildie, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Jackson County, KY, 1860 census, page 879, lists Mary Jane in household of Anderson McGuire, Family No. 266, at age 4.
2. Mary J., age 14, was listed in her uncle Archibald's household in Mt. Vernon, Family No. 104 in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1870 census, page 58. [*Her father, Anderson, and family also lived in Mt. Vernon.*]
3. Tradition says that Mary Jane's family lived on Brushy Creek in Rockcastle County and raised hogs.⁵⁴⁸
4. Mary J. was listed as being 22 years of age in Richmond, Howard County, MO, census of 1880, Family No. 41 on page 6.
5. Mary, age 51, was listed with husband I. H. Dooley in the 1910 census for Rockcastle County, E. D. 107, sht. 1.
6. Whitley County, KY, 1920 census listed Mary as a 59 year old widow in her son Joseph's household, Family No. 31, living on Main Street, Williamsburg.
7. Death followed gall bladder surgery in a hospital at Lynch, Harlan County.¹²⁴
8. Son Joseph and granddaughter Pauline accompanied Mary's body to Rockcastle County by train for burial in the Maret Cemetery at Wildie.⁵⁴⁸
9. Location of tombstone near that of Isaac H. Dooley furnished by survey.¹²⁵

They had the following children:

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| 694 | i. | George A. Payne |
| 695 | ii. | Joseph S. Payne |
| 696 | iii. | Mabel (May) Payne |

542. Sarah J. Payne. Born May 1850 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County KY 1850 census included Sarah in family number 111 on page 191. She was 3 months old (the census data was recorded 24 August.)
2. Rockcastle County KY 1860 census included Sarah J. in family number 906, page 585. Her age was 9 years.
3. (Refer to note 3 under her mother, Anna Marie Thomas, number 430, above.)

She married W. T. Jackson.

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543. Nancy M. Payne. Born 21 Aug 1853 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 2 Feb 1946¹¹⁴ in Athens State Hos, Buchtel, Athens Co., OH. Buried 5 Feb 1946 in Greenlawn Cem., Nelsonville, OH.

1. Birthdate obtained from Rockcastle County Birth records.
2. Rockcastle County KY 1860 census included Nancy M. in family number 906, page 585. Her age was 7 years.
3. After father William's death, James Houke [husband of Nancy's aunt Isabel] was named Guardian of Nancy and younger brother, John, 3 Dec 1869.
4. Nancy's death certificate stated that she had been resident in the Athens (Ohio) State Hospital for 8 months and 25 days at the time of her death.

She married John H. Turvey.

1. Wife Nancy's death certificate stated that John was living, age 83, at the time of her death on 2 Feb 1946. It also incorrectly stated her birth date as 28 Aug 1862.

544. John J. Payne. Born 19 Sep 1857 in Skeggs Creek, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1860 census.
2. After father William's death, James Houke (husband of John's aunt Isabel) was named Guardian of John and older sister Nancy, 3 Dec 1869.
3. Marriage data obtained from William Payne FGS furnished by Kathryn-Hayes Johnson.

He married Martha F. Cummins, 8 Dec 1898 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

545. William L. Payne⁷⁶. Born About 1836 in TN.

1. On page 474, Family No. 106 of the Rockcastle County KY 1860 census William, age 24, and wife, age 15, with one month old daughter Susan J. are listed in Mt. Vernon.
2. Rockcastle County 1870 census includes William and family on page 10, Family No. 65. The age difference between William and wife is now only seven years.
3. Rockcastle County KY 1880 census lists family as No. 227, and the age difference between William and wife Mary is back to 9 years.

He married Mary Jane Cummins⁷⁷, 10 Mar 1859⁷⁷ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 1844 in KY. They had the following children:

697	i.	Susan Jane Payne
698	ii.	John J. Payne
699	iii.	William H. Payne
700	iv.	George R. Payne
701	v.	Mary Payne
702	vi.	Liza Payne
703	vii.	Charles Payne
704	viii.	Frederick Payne

546. Mary Payne. Born 1837 in KY.

1. Mary is listed at age 13 on page 164, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co. KY 1850 census.

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547. Moses Payne. Born 1839 in KY.

1. Moses is listed at age 11 on page 164, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co. KY 1850 census.
2. Moses served 13 months as Com. Sergeant in Company H of the Fourteenth Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry in the Civil War, 1863/1864. "This organization acted in the capacity of scouts . . . Being raised in the mountain counties of Kentucky, its duty was to prevent those frequent raids by guerillas which annoyed and often proved disastrous to the loyal residents of that section of the state. For efficiency, bravery, and discipline, this regiment received the highest praise from the Department commander. It was engaged in many skirmishes with guerillas in which loss was sustained." (His first cousin Moses D. served in Company G.) Company H had 2 men recorded as killed in battle⁷⁹

548. James M. Payne. Born 1840 in KY. Died 7 Aug 1852²²⁷ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. James is listed at age 10 on page 164, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co. KY 1850 census.
2. Died at age 12 from flux.²²⁷

549. Daniel F. Payne. Born 1841 in KY.

1. Daniel is listed at age 9 on page 164, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co. KY 1850 census.
2. The L&N Railroad laid a track through Daniel's property. Commissioners and an engineer "appointed by the Rockcastle County Court" then assessed the damage the incursion had caused. They found that 3.9 acres of land, more or less, were used by the railroad. "After examining the premises we think that the land taken by the railroad to be worth ten (10) dollars . . . We think that the advantages arising to the ballance [sic] of said land from the construction of said rail-road through said land to equal the disadvantages." 3 Dec 1867.⁸²
3. Rockcastle County 1870 census, page 46, Family No. 141, lists Daniel and family.

He married Nancy E. Burgin, 2 Mar 1863⁸¹ in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. They had the following children:

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| 705 | i. | Robert Payne |
| 706 | ii. | C. C. Payne |

550. Sarah Payne. Born 1843 in KY.

1. Sarah is listed at age 7 on page 164, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co. KY 1850 census.

551. Colby Payne. Born 1845 in KY.

1. Colby is listed at age 5 on page 164, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co. KY 1850 census.

552. Eli W. Payne. Born 1846 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Eli is listed at age 4 on page 164, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co. KY 1850 census.
2. Listed as father of Polly Payne in Harlan County Vital Statistics birth records.

He married Louisa J. Howard. Born in Harlan Co., KY.

1. Listed as mother of Polly Payne in Harlan County Vital Statistics birth records.

They had the following child:

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| 707 | i. | Polly Payne |
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553. Nancy Payne. Born 1847 in KY.

1. Nancy is listed at age 3 on page 164, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co. KY 1850 census.

554. J. E. M. Payne. Born About Jan 1851. Died 22 Jul 1852 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Died at 18 months of age from flux²²⁷

555. ___ Payne. Born 15 Aug 1853²²⁷ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

556. Elizabeth M. Payne. Born 4 Oct 1854²²⁷ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

557. Martha U. Payne. Born 1855 in KY.

1. Martha U., age 16, is listed on page 78, Family No. 66, in the Rockcastle County 1870 census.

558. Mary M. Payne. Born 1864 in KY.

1. Mary M., age 6, is listed on page 78, Family No. 66, in the Rockcastle County 1870 census.

559. John G. Payne. Born About 1842 in KY. Died 29 Oct 1857 in Brush Creek, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. John was listed on page 167, Family No. 140, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1850 census, at age 8
2. Died at age 15 from inflammation.⁸⁰

560. William Perry Payne. Born 1845 in KY.

1. William was listed on page 167, Family No. 140, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1850 census, at age 5.
2. Page 469, Family No. 66, Rockcastle Co., KY, 1860 census, listed William Perry, age 16, in Mt. Vernon.
3. William P. was listed on page 88, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1870 census, at age 26.
4. Page 40, Family No. 71, Rockcastle County, KY., 1880 census lists William, age 25. [*The ages of some of Isaac's children seem to have gotten confused in this census.*]

561. Mahala Ann Payne. Born 1848 in KY.

1. Mahaly was listed on page 167, Family No. 140, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1850 census, at age 2.
2. Page 469, Family No. 66, Rockcastle Co., KY, 1860 census, listed Mahala Ann, age 12, in Mt. Vernon.
3. Mahaley A. was listed on page 88, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1870 census, at age 22.

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562. Colby Payne. Born 27 Apr 1850 in KY. Died 9 Oct 1924. Buried in Eubank Bapt. Cem, Eubank, Pulaski Co., KY.

1. Colby was listed on page 167, Family No. 140, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1850 census, at age 1 month.
2. Page 469, Family No. 66, Rockcastle Co., KY, 1860 census, listed William Perry, age 10, in Mt. Vernon.
3. Colby was listed on page 88, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1870 census, at age 20.
4. Colby received a land grant of 95 acres in Pulaski County on Buck Creek, 24 Jan 1880.⁵⁴¹
5. Birth, death, and burial location obtained from tombstone.

He married Phoebe Jane Gooch⁹³, 24 Dec 1874⁹³ in Pulaski Co., KY. Born 21 Aug 1857 in Pulaski Co., KY. Died 15 Mar 1937. Buried in Eubank Bapt. Cem, Eubank, Pulaski Co., KY.

1. Birth, death, and burial location obtained from tombstone.

They had the following child:

708 i. Isaac E. Payne

563. ___ Payne. Born Mar 1853⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died Mar 1853⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Died unnamed at 4 days of age from unknown cause.⁸⁰

564. Mary Frances Payne. Born 8 Oct 1854 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Page 469, Family No. 66, Rockcastle Co., KY, 1860 census, listed Mary Frances, age 5, in Mt. Vernon.
2. Mary F. was listed on page 88, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1870 census, at age 16.
3. Page 40, Family No. 71, Rockcastle County, KY., 1880 census lists Mary, age 18.

She married Attison K. Gooch, 5 Nov 1874⁹⁵ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born in Pulaski Co., KY.

565. Isaac S. Payne. Born 1 Sep 1857⁸⁰ in Brush Creek, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Page 469, Family No. 66, Rockcastle Co., KY, 1860 census, listed Isaac S., age 2, in Mt. Vernon.
2. Isaac S. was listed on page 88, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1870 census, at age 12.
3. Page 40, Family No. 71, Rockcastle County, KY., 1880 census lists Isaac, age 22.

He married Mary A. Swinney, 2 Oct 1879⁹⁶ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

566. Sarah C. Payne. Born 1861 in KY.

1. Sarah C. was listed on page 88, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1870 census, at age 9.
2. The marriage bond, lists her age as 38 which would make her birth year 1858, where item above indicates 1861.
3. Page 40, Family No. 71, Rockcastle County, KY., 1880 census lists Sarah, age 19.

She married James E. Gooch, 7 May 1896⁹⁷ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 1855⁹⁷.

567. Georgia Ann Payne. Born 1863 in KY.

1. George A. was listed on page 88, Family No. 86, of the Rockcastle Co., KY, 1870 census, at age 7, female gender. [CEN026]
2. Page 40, Family No. 71, Rockcastle County, KY., 1880 census lists George Ann, age 16.
3. Georgia's marriage was conducted at her father Isaac's home.⁹⁵

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She married J. A. Delaney, 23 Aug 1883⁹⁵ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

568. Nancy Houke. Born 18 Apr 1854⁴⁴⁶ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Nancy was listed at age 6 in the Rockcastle County 1860 census, household 191, family 191.

569. Jonathon Payne. Born 3 Feb 1854⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 15 Feb 1858⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Died at 4 years of age from scarlet fever.⁸⁰

570. Augusta Payne. Born 8 Oct 1855⁸⁰ in Skeggs Creek, Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 11 Jun 1856⁸⁰ in Skeggs Creek, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Died at 9 months of age from whooping cough.⁸⁰

571. Calvin Payne. Born 9 May 1857⁸⁰ in Skeggs Creek, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1870 census lists Calvin, age 13, on page 36, Family No. 242.

2. Calvin and wife Martha B. were listed in Andrew J.'s household in Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 42, Family No. 387.

3. A. J. and Sarah J. Payne transferred land on the Dry Fork of Skeggs Creek to C. R. Payne [*Calvin?*] on 30 Jun 1902.⁵⁸¹

He married Martha B. McClure, 28 Feb 1878¹⁰² in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 1861 in KY.

572. Quillen Payne. Born 27 Jul 1859⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1870 census lists Qinilla, age 10, on page 36, Family No. 242.

2. Quillen was listed in his father's household in Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 42, Family No. 387.

3. A. J. and Sarah J. Payne transferred land on Skeggs Creek to A. Q. Payne [*Quillen?*] on 30 June 1902.⁵⁸²

573. William H. Payne. Born 1862 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1870 census lists William H., age 8, on page 36, Family No. 242.

574. Andrew M. Payne. Born 1866 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1870 census lists Andrew M., age 4, on page 36, Family No. 242.

575. Charles Robert Payne. Born 22 Sep 1869 in KY. Died 20 Mar 1947⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Skeggs Creek Bap, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1870 census lists Charles R., age 8 mos., on page 36, Family No. 242.

2. Robert, age 10, was listed in his father's household in Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 42, Family No. 387.

He married Inez Barren, 19 Mar 1891⁹⁵ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 31 Jan 1872⁴⁴⁹. Died 4 Jul 1931⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Skeggs Creek Bap, Rockcastle Co., KY.

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576. Milton Payne. Born 3 Jul 1872⁴⁴⁹. Died 11 Mar 1953⁴⁴⁹. Buried in New Freedom Cem, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Milton, age 8, was listed in his father's household in Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 42, Family No. 387.

He married Louvancy McPherron, 23 Mar 1893⁹⁵ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 18 Jul 1874⁴⁴⁹. Died 9 May 1961⁴⁴⁹. Buried in New Freedom Cem, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. The tombstone has her name as Luvaney.⁴⁴⁹
2. Spelling of names obtained from the Rockcastle County History Book, as contributed by her granddaughter, Jewell Whitson.

577. Lilly Payne. Born 10 Jan 1875⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Lilly, age 5, was listed in his father's household in Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 42, Family No. 387.

578. Jacob J. Payne. Born 15 Dec 1877⁴⁴⁹. Died 24 Oct 1919⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Old Freedom Cem, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Jacob J., age 2, was listed in his father's household in Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 42, Family No. 387.
2. A. J. and Sarah J. Payne transferred land on Skeggs Creek to J. J. Payne [Jacob?]⁵⁸³ on 30 June 1902.

He married Martha F. Cummins, 8 Dec 1898⁹⁵ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 25 May 1882. Died 28 Sep 1916. Buried in Old Freedom Cem, Rockcastle Co., KY.

579. David Carson Payne. Born 1851 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

He married Bettie ____, 6 Oct 1870⁴¹¹ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

580. Moses Payne. Born 12 Mar 1853⁴⁴⁹ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 15 Feb 1898⁴⁴⁹ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried in Old Freedom Cem., Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1870 census includes Moses in Nehemiah Bloomer's household, on page 14, at age 17.
2. Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census includes Moses at age 28 on page 39, S.D. 3, E.D. 97.

He married Sarah E. Cummins, daughter of James Cummins & Catherine Sowder. Born 20 Sep 1852⁴⁴⁹ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 26 May 1937⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Old Freedom Cem., Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Birth date listed as Aug 1852 by Jeanne S. Bonham.²²⁷
2. An account of the Cummins family is offered in Rockcastle Roots, by John Lair, pp 50-51.
3. Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census lists Sarah at age 28.

They had the following children:

709	i.	Ellen Ora Payne
710	ii.	William David Payne
711	iii.	Henry C. Payne
712	iv.	Mary C. Payne

581. Joseph Payne. Born About Jan 1854. Died 15 Jan 1855⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Died at 1 year of age from a cold.⁸⁰

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582. Reuben Payne. Born 21 Dec 1855 in Brush Creek, Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 17 Oct 1865⁴¹¹ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

583. Joseph J. Payne. Born 16 Feb 1858⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 26 May 1858⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Cause of death was scarlet fever.⁸⁰
2. This source states that he was 3 years, 10 months old at the time of death, however his birth is given in the County birth records as 16 Feb 1858, just 3 months before his death was recorded.

584. Nancy Belle Payne. Born 9 Aug 1859 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Marriage held at her father George W. Payne's residence with Colby Hayes and A. J. Payne present.¹⁰⁵

She married Thomas J. McClure, 25 Jun 1876¹⁰⁵ in Rockcastle Co., KY. They had the following child:

713 i. Francis G. McClure

585. Luverna Payne. Born 18 Mar 1866 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Most of this data taken from George W. Payne FGS by Frances Willess.
2. Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 6, Family No. 53, gives name as Lurena, age 14.

She married George W. Cummins, son of James Cummins & Catherine Sowder, 20 Mar 1883⁹⁵ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. George is discussed in *Rockcastle Roots*, by John Lair, pp 50-51.

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586. John Seymore Payne. Born 12 Jul 1866 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 7 Apr 1952 in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried 11 Apr 1952 in Elmwood Cem., Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 6, Family No. 53, gives age as 12, i.e., birthyear is 1868.
2. Other information obtained from data provided by John's granddaughter Theata Hart Bullock Aug 1992.
3. Death certificate lists cause of death as uremia due to prostatitis on Monday, April 7. *ibid*
4. Mt. Vernon newspaper published an obituary, headed, "John C. Payne Passes to Great Beyond," which stated that John died at noon on Tuesday, April 8.

He first married Mary Jane Keller, daughter of John Keller & Sarah Hooker, 17 Jun 1888⁵⁸⁴ in Pulaski Co., KY. Born 15 Jan 1863 in Knox Co., KY. Died 2 Oct 1950 in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried 4 Oct 1950 in Elmwood Cem., Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Marriage conducted by M. A. Bray at the home of the Mary Jane's father, John Keller.⁵⁸⁴

They had the following children:

714	i.	George Washington Payne
715	ii.	Elizabeth (Lizzie) Payne
716	iii.	Tead Payne
717	iv.	Edward Harlan Payne
718	v.	John Henry McKinley Payne
719	vi.	Julia Alice Payne

He second married Annie Bryant Casey, 17 Sep 1928⁵⁸⁵ in Corbin, Whitley Co., KY. Born 21 May 1878 in Whitley Co., KY. Died 21 May 1960.

1. Information obtained from data provided by husband's granddaughter Theata Hart Bullock Aug 1992. [Payn623, Payn624]
2. Marriage conducted by J. W. Dunn, M. G., and witnessed by Rose and Clara Dunn.⁵⁸⁵

They had the following child:

720	i.	John Wesley Payne
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He third married Lucy King⁵⁰⁵.

587. Amsel M. Payne. Born 6 Jan 1871¹⁰⁷ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 1 Sep 1953.

1. "Am" participated in a double wedding with his sister Sarah that took place at Arnel Towery's home.¹⁰⁶
2. Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 6, Family No. 53, gives name as Amy L, age 9, daughter of George W.
3. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 248, sht. 1, Family No. 17, listed Amlee as 46 years old, i.e., he would have been born in 1874, with his wife, four children [Cardie, Ardie, Ross G., and Walter,] and his widowed mother-in-law, Sallie A. Towery, in the household. It gave his occupation as a lineman with the telephone company. He lived on Maple Ave. in Brodhead.

He married Margaret Ann¹⁰⁷ Towery, daughter of ___ Towery & Sallie A. ___, 20 Oct 1892¹⁰⁶ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 1875 in KY. They had the following children:

721	i.	Cardie Payne
722	ii.	Ardie Payne
723	iii.	Roscoe G. Payne
724	iv.	Walter Payne

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588. Sarah A. Payne. Born About 1873 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 6, Family No. 53, gives age as 6, same age as brother Timoleon.
2. Sarah participated in a double wedding with her brother Amsel.

She married William Cummins, 20 Oct 1892¹⁰⁸ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

589. Timeleon (Tead) Payne. Born Dec 1874 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 1944⁴⁴⁹. Buried in Skeggs Creek Baptist Cemetery, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County 1880 census, page 6, Family No. 53, lists Tomolian at age 6, same age as sister Sarah.

He first married Lydia Brewer, 18 Jun 1893¹¹⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

He second married Sarah A. Hayes, 26 Jul 1900⁴⁴⁶ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

He third married Demmie Whitaker, 23 Jun 1920¹⁰⁹ in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 1897 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

590. Susan M. Payne. Born 1858 in KY.

1. The 1860 Lincoln County, KY, census, page 77, Family No. 505 lists Susan M. at age 2.
2. The 1870 Lincoln County, KY, census, page 3, Family No. 28 lists Susan M. at age 11.

591. Andrew J. Payne. Born 1861 in KY.

1. The 1870 Lincoln County, KY, census, page 3, Family No. 28 lists Andrew J. at age 9.

592. Malinda B. Payne. Born 1863 in KY.

1. The 1870 Lincoln County, KY, census, page 3, Family No. 28 lists Malinda B. at age 7.

593. Felix H. Payne. Born 1867 in KY.

1. The 1870 Lincoln County, KY, census, page 3, Family No. 28 lists Felix H. at age 3.

594. Thomas O. Payne. Born 1869 in KY.

1. The 1870 Lincoln County, KY, census, page 3, Family No. 28 lists Thomas O. at age 1.

595. Isabelle Sowder. Born 19 Jan 1856⁸⁰ in Skeggs Creek, Rockcastle Co., KY.

596. Sarah Jane Sowder. Born 15 Nov 1857⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 15 Nov 1858⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Died at 13 months of age from croup. [*Birth record indicates she died on her first birthday.*]

597. Andrew J. Sowder. Born Dec 1859⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

598. G. Sherman Sowder. Born About 1862 in KY.

1. 1880 Rockcastle County, KY, census, page 7, Family No. 54, G. Sherman is listed at age 18.

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599. George M. Sowder. Born About 1863 in KY.

1. 1880 Rockcastle County, KY, census, page 7, Family No. 54, George M. is listed at age 17.

600. Nancy Sowder. Born About 1865 in KY.

1. 1880 Rockcastle County, KY, census, page 7, Family No. 54, Nancy is listed at age 15.

601. Usley Sowder. Born About 1867 in KY.

1. 1880 Rockcastle County, KY, census, page 7, Family No. 54, Usley is listed at age 13.

602. Elizabeth Sowder. Born About 1869 in KY.

1. 1880 Rockcastle County, KY, census, page 7, Family No. 54, Elizabeth is listed at age 11.

603. William Sowder. Born About Apr 1873. Died 29 Mar 1874⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Cause of death at 11 months of age was bold hives.⁸⁰

604. Mattie A. N. Sowder. Born About 1878 in KY.

1. 1880 Rockcastle County, KY, census, page 7, Family No. 54, Mattie A. N. is listed at age 2.

605. Martha Dalton. Born 1837 in TN.

606. Louisa Dalton. Born 1838 in TN.

607. Perry Dalton. Born 1840 in TN.

608. Elizabeth Dalton. Born 1841 in TN.

609. Nathan Dalton. Born 1842 in TN.

610. Barbary M. Dalton. Born 1845 in TN.

611. Mary Dalton. Born 1848 in TN.

612. Christopher C. Dalton. Born 1849 in TN.

613. Dora Aniline Dalton⁵²⁸. Born 31 May 1872 in Grainger Co., TN. Died 18 Oct 1912 in Gainesville, Cooke Co., TX.

She married William Charles Allen⁵²⁸. Born 4 Dec 1870 in Hancock Co., TN. Died 18 Aug 1933 in Gainesville, Cooke Co., TX. They had the following child:

725 i. John Clay Allen

614. John W. Rucker. Born About 1853 in TN.

1. Listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census, pg 195, family number 501, at age 7.

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615. Mary A. Rucker. Born About 1854 in TN.

1. Listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census, pg 195, family number 501, at age 6.

616. Virginia M. Rucker. Born About 1857 in TN.

1. Listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census, pg 195, family number 501, at age 3.

617. Sarah M. Rucker. Born About 1859 in TN.

1. Listed in the 1860 Grainger County, TN, census, pg 195, family number 501, at age 1.

618. Blanche Lucille Rucker. Born 21 Jan 1867 in Leander, Williamson Co., TX. Died 2 Aug 1942 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX.

1. Statistics obtained from Blanche's grandson, Richard Julian Yates, in letter dated 21 Sep 1995.

She first married John Taylor Mackey, 13 Jun 1887 in Georgetown, Williamson Co., TX. Born 24 Aug 1863 in Poss. Co., AR. Died 1916 in Poss. Co., AR.

1. Statistics obtained from John's grandson, Richard Julian Yates, in letter dated 21 Sep 1995.

They had the following children:

726	i.	Beulah Elizabeth Mackey
727	ii.	Lou Etta Mackey
728	iii.	Harriett Lucille Mackey
729	iv.	Fay Elizabeth Mackey

She second married Mike Rogers, 1926. Died 1930 in Kyle, TX.

619. Cora Rucker. Born 19 Aug 1868 in Georgetown, TX. Died 2 Mar 1893.

1. She had no children.⁵¹⁷
2. Death date and birthplace from grandfather's family Bible.⁵¹⁶

620. James Barton Rucker. Born 26 Jul 1872 in Georgetown, TX. Died 20 Apr 1914.

- ⁵¹⁷ 1. He was unmarried.
2. Birthplace obtained from grandfather's family Bible.⁵¹⁶

621. Hattie Rucker⁵¹⁶. Born 13 Aug 1876 in Georgetown, TX. Died 1 Oct 1934. Buried in Texarkana, TX, Cemetery.

She married James Stephen Smith, son of Daniel Smith & Ellen Lewellyn. Born 5 Dec 1859 in Jasper Co., MO. Died 29 Apr 1935. Buried in Texarkana, TX, Cemetery.

622. Sarah Houke. Born About 1841 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County 1860 census, household 191, family 191, lists Sarah at age 19.

623. Elizabeth Houke. Born About 1845 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County 1860 census, household 191, family 191, lists Elizabeth at age 15.

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624. Leander Houke. Born About 1848 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County 1860 census, household 191, family 191, lists Leander at age 12.

625. Leroy Houke. Born About 1851 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County 1860 census, household 191, family 191, lists Leroy at age 9.

626. Albert Hayes²²⁷. Born 5 Jun 1875 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

627. Amanda B. Rucker⁴¹⁸. Born in Glasgow, MO.

628. Mary E. Rucker. Born About 1858 in MO.

1. Chariton County, MO, 1860 census lists Mary E. at age 2.

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EIGHTH GENERATION

629. **Leva Ware Hudson**²⁸⁸. Born in Woodford Co., KY.

She married Wade Hampton George²⁸⁸.

630. **Sudie Elizabeth Wood**²⁵⁶. Born 26 Dec 1903.

631. **William Price Wood**²⁵⁶. Born 3 Apr 1905.

632. **Lillian Lee Wood**²⁵⁶. Born 18 Dec 1906.

633. **Jean Wood**²⁵⁶. Born 22 Jun 1908.

634. **Garland Ambrose Wood**²⁵⁶. Born 17 Feb 1913.

635. **Thomas Ward Wood**²⁵⁶. Born 17 Feb 1913. Died 29 Aug 1913.

636. **Katherine Rucker Edwards**³⁰⁰. Born in Lynchburg, VA.

637. **Mary Doris Wright**³⁸⁶.

She married James Eldred Edwards³⁸⁶.

638. **Alice Judson Mitchell**. Born 7 Mar 1847.

639. **Mary Virginia Mitchell**²⁵⁶. Born 24 Sep 1849 in Butler, GA. Died 2 Feb 1924 in Macon, GA.

She married Abner Thomas Chapman²⁵⁶, 15 Jun 1871⁴²⁴. Born 24 Jun 1842 in Coweta Co., GA. Died 11 Feb 1897 in Macon, GA. They had the following children:

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| 730 | i. | Lila May Chapman |
| 731 | ii. | Augustus Mitchell Chapman |
| 732 | iii. | Herbert Clifton Chapman |
| 733 | iv. | Harry Dewitt Chapman |

640. **Laura T. Mitchell**²⁵⁶. Born 1 Apr 1852.

641. **Sanders D. Mitchell**²⁵⁶.

(No further data available.)

642. **Edward Denard Mitchell**²⁵⁶. Born 5 Apr 1830.

643. **Elviry K. Hayes**⁴⁸⁴. Born 23 Dec 1850. Died 27 Jun 1891. Buried in Branaman Cem., Rockcastle County, KY.

644. **Mary E. Hayes**⁴⁸⁴. Born 15 Aug 1853. Died 15 May 1901. Buried in Branaman Cem., Rockcastle County, KY.

She married ___ Branaman⁴⁸⁴.

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645. William L. Coffey⁴⁸⁵.

Child:

734 i. William Tarrance Coffey

646. William Ernest Hayes⁴⁴⁶. Born 7 May 1902 in Pleasant Hill, Cass Co., MO. Died 24 Jan 1956 in Holden, Johnson Co., MO.

He married Irene Theresa Gudde, 6 Jun 1923⁴⁴⁶ in Holden, Johnson Co., MO. They had the following child:

735 i. Kathryn Elizabeth Hayes

647. Susan Rucker⁴⁸⁵.

She married William Tarrance Coffey⁴⁸⁵, son of William L. Coffey. They had the following child:

736 i. Lillian Coffey

648. Edward Jackson McGinnis⁴⁸⁵.

Child:

737 i. Fannie McGinnis

649. Violey Rucker⁴⁴⁹. Born 16 Jan 1869. Died 3 Jun 1892. Buried in Rucker Cem., Washburn, Grainger Co., TN.

650. Mary F. Bloomer.

She married Aquilla Payne, [*number 441, above*] son of Moses Payne & Nancy Rucker, 26 Aug 1880 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 15 Mar 1834⁶¹ in Grainger Co., TN.

651. William Colbert Bloomer. Born 30 May 1858.

He first married Nancy Elizabeth Southard⁴¹¹, 13 Jan 1876 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 5 Jul 1885.

He second married Samantha Watson⁴¹¹, daughter of Josiah Watson & Sarah Hayes, 25 Aug 1894⁸⁸ in Fair Plains, TX. Born 5 Mar 1865⁸⁸ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 9 Jul 1920⁸⁸ in Elk City, OK.

He third married Artie Ward Tyler⁴¹¹, 22 Feb 1922. Died May 1945.

652. Thomas G. Bloomer. Born 13 Apr 1863.

653. James Colbert Watson⁸⁸. Born 6 Jun 1861 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 16 Apr 1944 in Tucson, AZ.

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654. Alice Frances Watson⁸⁸. Born 20 Apr 1863 in Crab Orchard, Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 24 Mar 1947 in El Monte, Los Angeles Co., CA. Buried in Belton, Bell Co., TX.

She first married John B. Ferguson, 18 Dec 1887⁸⁸ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 1890.

She second married John Shaw Barkley, 9 Jan 1896⁸⁸ in Montague Co., TX. Born 19 Jun 1858 in Rockford, Winnebago Co., IL. Died 4 Nov 1905 in Mt. View, Kiowa, OK Terr. Buried in Mt. View, Kiowa, OK Terr. They had the following child:

738 i. Fay Wilson Barkley

655. Samantha Watson⁴¹¹. Born 5 Mar 1865⁸⁸ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 9 Jul 1920⁸⁸ in Elk City, OK.

She married William Colbert Bloomer, son of Daniel C. Bloomer & Nancy Elizabeth Hayes, 25 Aug 1894⁸⁸ in Fair Plains, TX. Born 30 May 1858.

656. Melinda Jane Watson⁸⁸. Born 9 Jul 1867 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 17 Oct 1953 in Dallas, TX.

657. William Wade Watson⁸⁸. Born 4 Nov 1869 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 5 Dec 1952 in Elgin, OK.

658. Emmer Watson⁸⁸. Born 1872 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 19 Aug 1874 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

659. Josiah Watson Jr.⁸⁸. Born 11 Feb 1874 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 6 Apr 1874 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

660. Carrie B. Hayes. Born About 1867 in KY.

1. Carrie B. was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 96, at age 13.

661. Alonzo Hayes. Born About 1869 in KY.

1. Alonzo was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 96, at age 11.

662. Cordelia Hayes. Born About 1871 in KY.

1. Cordelia was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 96, at age 9.

663. Abigail Hayes. Born About Sep 1872. Died 12 Mar 1874⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Cause of death was croup.⁸⁰

664. Thomas Hayes. Born 20 Aug 1874⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

665. Theopledus Hayes. Born About 1875 in KY.

1. Theopledus was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 96, at age 5.

666. Charles P. Hayes. Born About 1878 in KY.

1. Charles P. was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 96, at age 2.

667. Nehemiah Cummins. Born 1875⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

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668. Lucy S. Hayes. Born About 1868 in KY.

1. Lucy S. was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 47, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 434, at age 12.

669. Fredric Hayes. Born About 1870 in KY.

1. Fredric was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 47, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 434, at age 10.

670. Robert Hayes. Born About 1872 in KY.

1. Robert was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 47, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 434, at age 8.

671. David Hayes. Born About 1874 in KY.

1. David was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 47, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 434, at age 6.

672. Leroy Hayes. Born 2 Nov 1875⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Leroy was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 47, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 434, at age 4.

673. Susan M. Hayes. Born About 1878 in KY.

1. Susan M. was listed in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 47, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 434, at age 2.

674. James Hayes. Born About 1871 in KY.

1. James was listed in the 1880 Rockcastle County census, page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 420, at age 9.

675. William Hayes. Born About 1874 in KY.

1. William was listed in the 1880 Rockcastle County census, page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 420, at age 6.

676. Mary Hayes. Born About 1877 in KY.

1. Mary was listed in the 1880 Rockcastle County census, page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 420, at age 3.

677. Sarah Hayes. Born Apr 1880 in KY.

1. Sarah was listed in the 1880 Rockcastle County census, page 5, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 420, at 2 months of age. The data was recorded 22 June.

678. Orlena Francisco. Born About 1871. Died 15 Aug 1874⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Cause of death was consumption.⁸⁰

679. Mary E. Francisco. Born About 1873. Died 1 Jan 1876⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

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1. Cause of death was pneumonia.⁸⁰

680. Maggie N. Francisco. Born Dec 1874⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

681. Lucy H. Hayes. Born 1 Oct 1874⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

682. Olmstead Mitchell Payne. Born 7 Jul 1865.

1. George W. Drew was named Guardian of "Armstead" Payne on 28 Jun 1880.¹⁰¹

2. John W. Lake was named Guardian of Olmstead on 22 May 1882; *ibid.*

3. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 66, sht 4, listed Olmstead as 34 years old with his wife and four children in the household.

He married Martha Jane Abney, daughter of Archibald Abney & Nancy Allen, 24 Jul 1889¹¹⁷ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 11 Feb 1874⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 66, sht 4, listed Martha J. as 26 years old.

They had the following children:

739	i.	George T. Payne
740	ii.	Vergie Payne
741	iii.	William Stanley Payne
742	iv.	Ruth M. Payne
743	v.	Howard Payne
744	vi.	John B. Payne
745	vii.	Bluford Payne
746	viii.	___ Payne
747	ix.	___ Payne
748	x.	___ Payne
749	xi.	Cleveland E. Payne

683. Lucy Ellen Payne. Born 8 Feb 1862⁴¹¹ in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 12 Dec 1949⁴¹¹ in Indianapolis, Marion Co., IN.

1. Lucy E. was listed at age 8 in the 1870 Census, Rockcastle Co. KY, Mt. Vernon, pg 59, Fam. # 116, recorded 10 Sep 1870.

684. William Payne. Born 1864 in KY.

1. William was listed at age 6 in the 1870 Census, Rockcastle Co. KY, Mt. Vernon, pg 59, Fam. # 116, recorded 10 Sep 1870.

685. John Payne. Born 1866 in KY.

1. John was listed at age 4 in the 1870 Census, Rockcastle Co. KY, Mt. Vernon, pg 59, Fam. # 116, recorded 10 Sep 1870.

686. Mary E. Payne. Born 1869 in KY.

1. Mary E. was listed at age 1 in the 1870 Census, Rockcastle Co. KY, Mt. Vernon, pg 59, Fam. # 116, recorded 10 Sep 1870.

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687. Talitha Ann Payne¹⁹⁸. Born 1871 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Marriage conducted at father, Chesley's home.¹³⁶

She first married John Lawrance, 2 Dec 1887¹³⁶ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

She second married Benjamin F. Langford¹⁹⁸. They had the following child:

750 i. Hattie Langford

688. Sarah Lily Payne¹⁹⁸. Born 1872 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 1962.

1. Sarah was listed at age 7 in the Rockcastle County, KY, 1880 census on page 11, S.D. 3, E.D. 95.

She married John W. Clutts.

1. Information obtained from Chesley Payne's pension application, dated 23 Nov 1897, in the possession of Norma White Johnson.

689. Ocia Lee Payne¹⁹⁸. Born 29 Dec 1901 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 29 Dec 1981 in Jefferson Co., KY. Buried in Cave Hill Cem, Jefferson Co., KY.

She married David Kirk White, son of Harry Kirk White & Nettie Lloyd Read, 20 Sep 1924 in Jefferson Co., KY. Born 8 Jul 1902 in Memphis, Scott Co., TN. Died 11 Sep 1972 in Jefferson Co., KY. Buried in Cave Hill Cem., Jefferson Co., KY. They had the following children:

751 i. Norma Jean White
752 ii. Evelyn Lloyd White
753 iii. Carolyn Joyce White
754 iv. Harry Kirk White II

690. Edna Helen Payne¹⁹⁸. Born 22 Sep 1904 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 1936 in IN. Buried in Edwardsville, IN.

She married Mark Hazel. They had the following child:

755 i. Thomas Hazel

691. John William Payne¹⁹⁸. Born 20 Jul 1907 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 13 Feb 1970 in Louisville, Jefferson Co., KY. Buried in Memorial Gardens, Louisville, Jefferson Co., KY.

He married Virginia Hutchinson¹⁹⁸. They had the following children:

756 i. Martha Lee Payne
757 ii. John William Payne
758 iii. Mary Alice Payne
759 iv. Roy Barton Payne

692. Morton Moss Payne¹⁹⁸. Born 10 Jan 1909 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 25 Oct 1991 in Louisville, KY. Buried in Brookland Cem, Bullitt Co., KY.

He married Edna Phelps. They had the following child:

760 i. J. David Payne

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693. Henry Chesley Payne¹⁹⁸. Born 28 Jun 1911 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 23 May 1985 in FL.

He married Eleanor Ellen Dahl. They had the following children:

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| 761 | i. | Evelyn Bell Payne |
| 762 | ii. | Diana Rose Payne |

694. George A. Payne. Born 1874 in KY. Died After 1890 in Jellico, TN.

1. George A. listed at age 6 in 1880 Census, Howard Co. MO, pg 6, Super Dist 5, E.D.95, Recorded 4 Jun 1880. [CEN227]
2. Killed in a slate fall at a Jellico, TN, mine.⁵⁴⁸

695. Joseph S. Payne. Born 4 Dec 1879¹²⁶ in Fayette, Howard Co., MO. Died 6 Nov 1972¹²⁷ in Fayetteville, NC. Buried 8 Nov 1972 in Oakland Hts. Cem., Smithfield, Johnston Co., NC.

1. Whitley County, KY, 1920 census listed Jo as 40 years old with three children and his mother, Mary Dooley, Family No. 31, living on Main Street, Williamsburg.
2. Middle initial noted in signature "JSP" on post card from Joseph to wife Sallie, postmarked Jul 26, 1934. The card was in the possession of Joseph's son, Arnold, of Nacogdoches, TX, in March 1994.

He married Sallie Ann Kidd, daughter of William Thomas Kidd & Elizabeth J. Wilder, 14 Oct 1905¹²⁸ in Whitley Co., KY. Born 6 Jun 1884¹²⁹ in Duck Run, Whitley Co., KY. Died 26 Apr 1957¹³⁰ in Selma, Johnston Co., NC. Buried 28 Apr 1957 in Oakland Hts. Cem, Smithfield, Johnston Co., NC.

1. Granted a Second Class Teacher's Certificate 25 May 1907 in Whitley County KY.
2. Whitley County, KY, 1920 census listed Sallie as 35 years old.
3. Cause of death was acute myocardial infarction.¹³⁰

They had the following children:

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| 763 | i. | Beatrice Payne |
| 764 | ii. | Youmbert Cecil Payne |
| 765 | iii. | Pauline Payne |
| 766 | iv. | Horace Virgil Payne |
| 767 | v. | Arnold Pershing Joseph Payne |

696. Mabel (May) Payne⁵⁸⁶. Born 1888. Died 1978.

She first married Boone Lester⁵⁸⁶. They had the following children:

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| 768 | i. | Edith Lester |
| 769 | ii. | Bertha Lester |

She second married George Capps⁵⁸⁶. They had the following children:

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| 770 | i. | Hester Capps |
| 771 | ii. | William Capps |

She third married McClellan Durham⁵⁸⁶. Born 1894. Died 1921. They had the following children:

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| 772 | i. | Irene Durham |
| 773 | ii. | Joseph Durham |

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774 iii. McClellan Durham II

697. Susan Jane Payne. Born May 1860 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. On page 474, Family No. 106 of the Rockcastle County KY 1860 census Susan J. is noted as being one month old. The census information was taken on 8 Jun 1860.

She married Andrew J.²²⁷ Delph, 8 Dec 1875⁷⁸ in Rockcastle Co., KY. Born in TN. They had the following children:

775 i. ___ Delph

776 ii. Ella Delph

698. John J. Payne. Born 1864.

1. Rockcastle County 1870 census, page 10, Family No. 65 lists John J. as being 6 years old.

699. William H. Payne. Born 1867.

1. Rockcastle County 1870 census, page 10, Family No. 65 lists William H. as being 3 years old.

700. George R. Payne. Born Mar 1870 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Rockcastle County 1870 census, page 10, Family No. 65 lists George R. as being 3 months old. The census data was recorded on 21 Jun 1870.

701. Mary Payne. Born 1873.

1. Mary, at age 7, is recorded in the Rockcastle County census for 1880, household 227

702. Liza Payne. Born 1875.

1. Liza, at age 5, is recorded in the Rockcastle County census for 1880, household 227

703. Charles Payne. Born 1877.

1. Charles, at age 3, is recorded in the Rockcastle County census for 1880, household 227

704. Frederick Payne. Born 1880.

1. Frederick, at age 5 months, is recorded in the Rockcastle County census for 1880, household 227

705. Robert Payne. Born 1866 in KY.

1. Robert is listed at age 4 on page 46, Family No. 141, of the Rockcastle Co. KY 1870 census.

706. C. C. Payne. Born 1868 in KY.

1. C_ _eia C. is listed at age 2 on page 46, Family No. 141, of the Rockcastle Co. KY 1870 census.

707. Polly Payne. Born 2 Mar 1875¹⁸⁴ in Harlan Co., KY.

708. Isaac E. Payne. Born 22 Feb 1876⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

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709. Ellen Ora Payne. Born 1872 in KY.

1. Ellen Ora was listed in the 1880 Rockcastle County census, page 39, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 360, at age 8. [CEN209]

710. William David Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 13 Sep 1873. Died 26 Feb 1959. Buried in Freedom Cem., Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. William D. was listed in the 1880 Rockcastle County census, page 39, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 360, at age 7.

He married Mary Catherine Sowder. Born 26 Aug 1878. Died 22 Jun 1952. Buried in Freedom Cem., Rockcastle Co., KY. They had the following children:

777	i.	Nora V. Payne
778	ii.	Willie D. Payne
779	iii.	Boyd Henry Payne

711. Henry C. Payne. Born About 1874 in KY.

1. Henry C. was listed in the 1880 Rockcastle County census, page 39, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 360, at age 6.
2. Surety on the Marriage Bond was Henry's uncle M. A. Cummins.

He married Susan J. Majors, 6 Dec 1893¹³⁵ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

712. Mary C. Payne. Born Sep 1879 in KY.

1. Mary C. was listed in the 1880 Rockcastle County census, page 39, S.D. 3, E.D. 97, family number 360, at 8 months of age. The census data was recorded 17 Jun.

713. Francis G. McClure. Born 18 Nov 1878⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

714. George Washington Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 23 May 1890 in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 24 Jan 1959 in Long Beach, Los Angeles Co., CA.

1. George was a professional baseball pitcher for several years and, later, a minor league manager. His pitching career stretched from 1913 through 1940. He spent part of the 1920 season with the Chicago White Sox, his only major league experience. He averaged an impressive 1.5 walks allowed per 9-inning game in his 28-year minor league sojourn.
2. A book chronicling his baseball career was published by Carl Bunch of Florence, KY.

He married Margaret Jones. Born 21 Oct 1897. Died 14 Feb 1972 in Long Beach, Los Angeles Co., CA.

715. Elizabeth (Lizzie) Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 1892. Died 1929 in Harlan, KY. Buried in Elmwood Cem., Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY.

She first married Joseph Moses.

She second married Joseph Sneed.

716. Tead Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 9 Jan 1894. Died 7 Nov 1926.

He married Ida Gray, 9 Aug 1919. Born 9 Feb 1901. Died 30 Oct 1988 in OH.

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717. Edward Harlan Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 2 Sep 1894. Died 5 Jul 1975 in Indianapolis, IN.

He married Effie Poteet. Born 1 Jul 1899. Died 13 May 1978 in Indianapolis, IN.

718. John Henry McKinley Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 21 Nov 1900. Died 25 Apr 1969 in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Buried 28 Apr 1969 in Elmwood Cem., Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Burial date was taken from newspaper obituary furnished by Theata Hart Bullock.

He married Dorothy Garnett Jones, 19 May 1936. Born 3 Jan 1914.

719. Julia Alice Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 14 Feb 1906 in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY.

She first married Alonzo Miller, son of James Miller & Rachel Thompson, 1924. Born 11 Apr 1905. Died 26 May 1925. Buried in Elmwood Cem., Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. They had the following child:

780 i. Loneva Lillian Miller

She second married William Riley Hart⁵⁰⁵, son of Gale Hart & Margaret Brummett, 2 Apr 1926. Born 13 Jan 1898 in Whitley Co., KY. Died Dec 1958. They had the following children:

781 i. Marrietta Hart
782 ii. Billie Coleen Hart
783 iii. Jimmy Ray Hart
784 iv. Ted Keith Hart
785 v. Peggy Lois Hart
786 vi. John Henry Hart
787 vii. Dewey Craig Hart
788 viii. Theata Gail Hart

720. John Wesley Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 8 Jul 1929.

He married Audrey Lucille Collins, 29 Jan 1970. Born 9 Apr 1929.

721. Cardie Payne. Born 1903 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 248, sht. 1, Family No. 17, listed Cardie at 16 years of age.

722. Ardie Payne. Born 1908 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 248, sht. 1, Family No. 17, listed Ardie at 11 years of age.

723. Roscoe G. Payne. Born 17 Sep 1909 in KY. Died 17 Nov 1983 in FL.

1. Information obtained from "Pedigree of Jimmie Cornelius Payne" dated 6 Nov 1991.

2. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 248, sht. 1, Family No. 17, listed Ross G. at 10 years of age.

He married Lola Mae Parrett, 28 Mar 1929. Born 16 Mar 1914 in KY. Died 4 Mar 1979 in FL. They had the following child:

789 i. Jimmie Cornelius Payne

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724. Walter Payne. Born 1911 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 248, sht. 1, Family No. 17, listed Walter at 8 years of age.

725. John Clay Allen⁵²⁸. Born 6 Dec 1904 in Bonham, TX. Died 23 Aug 1962 in Denton, TX.

He married Lennie Henry⁵²⁸, 24 Apr 1925 in Denton, TX⁵²⁸. Born 6 Sep 1905 in Gainesville, TX. They had the following child:

790 i. Jack Allen

726. Beulah Elizabeth Mackey. Born 22 Nov 1891 in Georgetown, Williamson Co., TX. Died 4 Jun 1952 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX.

She married William Franklin Yates, 24 Aug 1909 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX. Born 29 Oct 1882 in Forney, Kaufman Co., TX. Died 31 Mar 1966 in Ft. Worth, Tarrant Co., TX.

1. Statistics obtained from his son, Richard Julian Yates, in letter dated 21 Sep 1995.

They had the following child:

791 i. Richard Julian Yates

727. Lou Etta Mackey. Born 10 Mar 1896.

728. Harriett Lucille Mackey. Born 17 Jan 1898.

729. Fay Elizabeth Mackey. Born 5 Sep 1900.

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730. Lila May Chapman.

(No further data available.)

731. Augustus Mitchell Chapman. Born 15 Feb 1874 in Sylvania, GA. Died 15 Aug 1921 in Clearwater, FL.

He married Mamie Alvarine Medlock, 8 Mar 1896⁴²⁴. Born 19 May 1876 in Sandersville, GA. Died 23 Aug 1942 in Jacksonville, FL. They had the following child:

792 i. William Carlton Chapman

732. Herbert Clifton Chapman.

(No further data available.)

733. Harry Dewitt Chapman.

(No further data available.)

734. William Tarrance Coffey⁴⁸⁵.

He married Susan Rucker⁴⁸⁵, daughter of Claiborne Rucker & Mary Majors. They had the following child:

736 i. Lillian Coffey

735. Kathryn Elizabeth Hayes. Born 20 Mar 1924 in Holden, Johnson Co., MO.

1. Letter from Kathryn Hayes (Johnson) to R. Payne, January 1994, included following: ". . . a short biography of my life. I was born in 1924, the oldest child of William Ernest Hayes and Irene Theresa Gudde. I was born and raised on a farm at Holden, Johnson county, Missouri. After completing high school, I went to Kansas City, Missouri and entered the banking business. I met my husband, Bill, there after World War II. We were married in 1946 and have one son and one grandson. Bill was working in the insurance field, so after our marriage, I too went into the insurance field. In 1975, Bill was transferred to Orlando, Florida and I quit work never to return. Bill retired in 1989 and we moved here [New Bern, NC] to be near our son. You guessed it . . . was here only a short time and our son was transferred to Kuwait."

She married William Wallace Johnson, 14 Nov 1946⁴⁴⁶ in Kansas City, Wyandotte Co., KS.

736. Lillian Coffey⁴⁸⁵.

She married Elvin Harrell⁴⁸⁵, son of Burl Harrell & Fannie McGinnis.

737. Fannie McGinnis⁴⁸⁵.

She married Burl Harrell⁴⁸⁵. They had the following child:

793 i. Elvin Harrell

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738. Fay Wilson Barkley⁴¹¹. Born 7 Jan 1898 in Nocona, Montague Co., TX. Died 17 Apr 1970 in Temple, Bell Co., TX.

He married Katie Dolores Beasley, 30 Sep 1921. Born 10 Apr 1901 in Bethlehem, Coryell Co., TX. Died 9 Oct 1951 in Belton, Bell Co., TX. Buried in Belton, Bell Co., TX. They had the following child:

794 i. Jimmie Frances Barkley

739. George T. Payne⁵⁸⁷. Born Apr 1891 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 66, sht 4, listed George T. as 9 years old.

740. Vergie Payne⁵⁸⁷. Born Mar 1893 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 66, sht 4, listed Vergie as 7 years old.

741. William Stanley Payne⁵⁸⁷. Born Mar 1896 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 66, sht 4, listed William Stanley as 4 years old.

742. Ruth M. Payne⁵⁸⁷. Born May 1898 in KY.

1. Rockcastle County, KY, 1920 census, E. D. 66, sht 4, listed Ruth M. as 2 years old. [CEN252]

743. Howard Payne⁵⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

744. John B. Payne⁵⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

745. Bluford Payne⁵⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

746. ___ Payne⁵⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

747. ___ Payne⁵⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

748. ___ Payne⁵⁸⁷.

(No further data available.)

749. Cleveland E. Payne⁵⁸⁷. Born About 1917.

He married Blanche ___.

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750. Hattie Langford¹⁹⁸. Born 24 Feb 1899¹⁹⁸.

751. Norma Jean White¹⁹⁸. Born 1 Sep 1925 in Jefferson Co., KY.

She married Henry Frank Johnson, son of Ira Julius Johnson & Rebecca Mae Johnson, 25 Mar 1946 in Jefferson Co., KY. Born 1 Mar 1925 in Jefferson Co., KY. They had the following children:

795	i.	Roseanne Johnson
796	ii.	Dennis Kirk Johnson

752. Evelyn Lloyd White¹⁹⁸. Born 29 May 1927 in Jefferson Co., KY.

She married Robert W. Hild, 20 Sep 1947 in Jefferson Co., KY. Died 1983. They had the following children:

797	i.	Steven Lloyd Hild
798	ii.	David William Hild
799	iii.	Roberta Lynn Hild

753. Carolyn Joyce White¹⁹⁸. Born 13 Oct 1932 in Jefferson Co., KY.

She married Robert C. Davis, 13 May 1961 in Jefferson Co., KY.

754. Harry Kirk White II¹⁹⁸. Born 10 Jul 1935 in Jefferson Co., KY. Died 4 Dec 1995. Buried 7 Dec 1995 in Cave Hill Cem.

He married Carol Jean McGinnis, 1968 in Jefferson Co., KY. They had the following children:

800	i.	Lauren White
801	ii.	Erin White

755. Thomas Hazel. Born 4 Sep 1925.

Children:

802	i.	Sandra Hazel
803	ii.	Thomas Dale Hazel

756. Martha Lee Payne¹⁹⁸. Born 19 Aug 1930.

757. John William Payne¹⁹⁸.

1. Took the surname Smith from foster parents.¹⁹⁸

758. Mary Alice Payne¹⁹⁸. Born 15 Sep 1932.

1. Took the surname Davidson from foster parents.¹⁹⁸

759. Roy Barton Payne¹⁹⁸.

(No further data available.)

760. J. David Payne¹⁹⁸. Born 13 Jan 1946.

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761. **Evelyn Bell Payne**¹⁹⁸. Born 11 Jul 1940.

762. **Diana Rose Payne**¹⁹⁸. Born 31 Aug 1942.

763. **Beatrice Payne**. Born 3 Sep 1906¹²⁸ in Williamsburg, Whitley Co., KY. Died 15 Dec 1911¹²⁸ in Williamsburg, Whitley Co., KY. Buried in New Zion Cem., Williamsburg, Whitley Co., KY.

1. Listed at age 3 in 1910 Census, Whitley Co. KY, S.D. 11, E.D. 249, sht 2A, Recorded 18 Apr 1910.
2. Cause of death was typhoid fever, per youngest brother, Arnold.
3. Tombstone reading taken from "Cemeteries, Whitley County, KY," by C. Maynard Cornelius, Volume 2, pg 162.
4. Burial place, New Zion Cemetery, is located north of Williamsburg on Moonshine Hollow Rd. east of I-75.

764. **Youmbert Cecil Payne**. Born 29 Feb 1908¹³² in Wofford, Whitley Co., KY. Died 9 Jun 1962¹³¹ in Tucson, Pima Co., AZ. Buried in Tucson, Pima Co., AZ.

1. Whitley County, KY, 1920 census listed Youmbert as 11 years old.
2. Pictured with the Pennington Gap baseball team, the Smokies, 1932 champions of the Lonesome Pine League in a newspaper clipping.
3. Died of various pulmonary artery problems.¹³¹

He married Mary Alice Cornett, daughter of Irvin Cornett & Nancy Jane Turner, 13 Oct 1927¹³³ in Cumberland Gap, TN. Born 20 Apr 1911 in Dillon, Harlan Co., KY.

1. Harlan County, KY, 1920 census, E.D. 85, sht 3, listed Mary's age as 8.

They had the following children:

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| 804 | i. | Youmbert Cecil Payne Jr. |
| 805 | ii. | Harold Bernard Payne |
| 806 | iii. | Ronald Forrest Payne |
| 807 | iv. | Patricia Jane Joan Payne |

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765. **Pauline Payne.** Born 19 Nov 1909¹²⁸ in Williamsburg, Whitley Co., KY. Died 24 Jun 1990 in Phoenix, AZ. Buried 29 Jun 1990 in Ft. Huachuca, AZ.

1. Arnold Payne obtained some information from Pauline on 3 Apr 1987 at Houston, TX; it included the following: 'Richard Wilson Napier died from an illness at the home of Joseph Payne. He attended Georgetown College, KY, where he played football. The Napier estate stretched from Pineville to Four Mile, KY (this was "greatly exaggerated" according to Pauline's son, Don Napier).
2. All information updated by Pauline's son, Don Napier, in Nov 1990. He said that "Mother (Pauline) always said, 'I married too young'". He then noted that she married at age 15 2/3 and "Grandma Napier was 12 1/2 when she married."

She first married Richard Wilson Napier, son of Joseph Napier & America Slusher, 18 Jul 1925. Born 22 Aug 1902 in Pineville, Bell Co., KY. Died 7 Jun 1935 in Pennington Gap, VA. Buried in Family plot, Pineville, KY.

1. Information obtained from son Don R. Napier.
2. "He became a legend around Pineville", per Helen Napier Walters, his sister.

They had the following children:

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| 808 | i. | Richard Payne Napier |
| 809 | ii. | Donald Ray Napier |

She second married Paul R. McArthur, About 1940 in Harlan, Harlan Co., KY. Born 30 Aug 1914 in Calhoun, GA. Died 12 Jul 1989 in Tucson, AZ. Buried in Ft. Huachuca, AZ. They had the following child:

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| 810 | i. | Cheryl McArthur |
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766. Horace Virgil Payne. Born 31 Jul 1913 in Wofford, Whitley Co., KY.

1. Information obtained from brother Arnold P. Payne which he, in turn, had obtained from Virgil Payne whose residence in Jan 1996 was at 312 Waddell, Selma, NC 27576.
2. Listed as a Junior at Cumberland College in the 1933-1934 Annual. [Payn1161]
3. The Payne family remained in the Whitley County area until sometime in the 1920s.

Virgil completed the seventh grade at Benham, KY, where Joseph was the superintendent of mines for a local coal company. The family then moved to Evarts and Virgil completed his elementary schooling there. He began high school at Cumberland College, a combination high school and junior college and completed three years there, before moving to Pennington Gap, Virginia with his family. He was graduated from Pennington Gap High School in 1932. After high school, Virgil began his advanced education, again at Cumberland College. After one year there he joined the work force for some time, after which he went to Wake Forest University on a baseball and basketball scholarship, enrolling in that institution in 1936.

After graduating from Wake Forest in 1938 he accepted a teaching position at Corinth-Holder High School in Johnston County, North Carolina, to keep busy until time to report to a minor league baseball team to which he was assigned by their parent major league club, the St. Louis Browns. He remained at that high school in the baseball off-season for three years. He continued in professional baseball as a player and player-manager until 1951.

Prior to World War II, Virgil played baseball in the Appalachian League and the Northern League. He made his managerial debut at Superior, Wisconsin.

While teaching school in Johnston County, Virgil met and married Mabel Oliva Norden in April, 1942. He then served three years in the U. S. Navy, entering the service in December, 1942. While in the Navy, he managed a service baseball team.

Following the war, Virgil managed and played with Greenville and Goldsboro of the Coastal Plains League. He also joined the Selma High School faculty in 1947, where he taught and coached. He was the only coach the school had at that time, so he coached all sports. In his first year, his football team had a 7-3 record, his basketball team a 24-3 mark, and his baseball team went 14-0.

In the summer of 1948, Virgil joined the Smithfield-Selma Leafs of the Class D Tobacco State League. An even more significant event occurred that summer with his and Mabel's only son being born on 3 September in Sanford, NC.

Virgil continued his high school coaching through 1975. During that time his teams were extremely successful. The combined wins of Virgil Payne-coached teams is estimated to exceed 1200, believed to be the most of any coach in North Carolina history. He was a major force in girl's basketball and American Legion baseball for boys in North Carolina. He was inducted into the NC American Legion Baseball Hall of Fame. He has managed or coached six athletes who went on to become major league baseball players.

He married Mabel Oliva Norden, 13 Apr 1942 in Selma, Johnston Co., NC. Born 20 Aug 1907 in Johnston Co., NC. Died 9 Jun 1973 in Selma, NC. They adopted the following child:

- 811 i. Joseph William Payne

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767. Arnold Pershing Joseph Payne. Born 2 Mar 1921¹¹³ in Williamsburg, Whitley Co., KY.

1. Information obtained from Arnold P. Payne who lived at 1616 Glenbrook Drive, Nacogdoches, TX 75961 in 1996.
2. Arnold graduated from High School in Pennington Gap, VA, in 1939 and was attending Union College in KY when he enlisted in the U. S. Army 24 Feb 1942 at Richmond, VA, and was appointed Corporal 19 Nov 1942.
3. Arnold played left end on the Randolph Field (TX) football team in 1942. Other members of the team included George Kennelly from the Cleveland Rams of the AFC, and Forrest Kline, who played in the Cotton Bowl for TCU.¹³⁴
4. Arnold was discharged from the U. S. Army 2 Mar 1943 "to accept Temp. commission as Second Lieutenant in the AUS." Physical description was "blue eyes, blonde hair, ruddy complexion, and was 5 ft. 11.5 inches in height." His final discharge from the mandatory reserve service was dated 16 Jun 1966, and issued to Captain Arnold P. Payne, United States Air Force.
5. "Joseph" added in amended birth certificate 1979.
6. Arnold holds a B.S. degree in Physical Education and a Master of Education degree from the University of Texas, and a PhD in Educational Administration from Texas A&M University.

He performed roles of leadership in the United States Air Force and U. S. Army, the Windham School of the Texas Department of Corrections, the public schools in the state of Texas, Texas A&M University, and the Stephen F. Austin State University.

At the time of this writing, he is an educational consultant. Prior to this, he has served in many capacities, i.e. lecturer, assistant superintendent, administrative assistant, coordinator, director, principal, coach, teacher, physical training instructor, and commissioned officer in the USAF. He was an active athlete in football, basketball, and track. He played basketball at the junior college level, at a four year college, and in the armed forces.

Arnold attended Cumberland College in Kentucky, a junior college, from 1939 to 1941. He then went to Union College in Barbourville, KY in the fall of 1941 where he completed one semester prior to his entry into the U.S. Army early in the second World War.

Arnold was listed in Who's Who in America, Regional, in 1982; Who's Who in the South and Southwest in 1980 and 1982; and, Marquis Who's Who Inc. in 1982-83, 1984-85, and 1986-87.

He first married Johanna L. Balas. They were divorced 14 Nov 1960. They had the following children:

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| 812 | i. | Johanna Louise Payne |
| 813 | ii. | Joseph Paul Payne |
| 814 | iii. | Lucy Ann Payne |
| 815 | iv. | Mary Jane Payne |

He second married Beverly J. Donahoe⁵⁴⁸, 29 Dec 1973. Born 6 Jan 1934 in Nacogdoches, TX.

768. Edith Lester⁵⁸⁶.

(No further data available.)

769. Bertha Lester⁵⁸⁶.

(No further data available.)

770. Hester Capps⁵⁸⁶.

(No further data available.)

771. William Capps⁵⁸⁶.

(No further data available.)

772. Irene Durham⁵⁸⁶. Born 1916 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

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She married Felix Reams, 22 Jul 1931¹³⁷ in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY. Born 1917 in Rockcastle Co., KY.

773. Joseph Durham⁵⁸⁶.

(No further data available.)

774. McClellan Durham II⁵⁸⁶.

(No further data available.)

775. ___ Delph. Born Sep 1877 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died Nov 1877⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Child died at age 2 months of unknown cause.²²⁷

776. Ella Delph. Born Apr 1878 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died Aug 1878⁸⁰ in Rockcastle Co., KY.

1. Child died at age 4 months of croup.²²⁷

777. Nora V. Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 17 Dec 1896 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 16 Feb 1918. Buried in Freedom Cem., Rockcastle Co., KY.

778. Willie D. Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 11 Nov 1902 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 18 Oct 1918. Buried in Freedom Cem., Rockcastle Co., KY.

779. Boyd Henry Payne⁵⁰⁵. Born 26 Nov 1907 in Rockcastle Co., KY. Died 17 May 1958. Buried in Freedom Cem., Rockcastle Co., KY.

780. Loneva Lillian Miller⁵⁰⁵. Born 11 Aug 1925.

She married William Robert Sowder, 30 Oct 1943. Born 16 Jul 1926.

781. Marrietta Hart⁵⁰⁵. Born 21 Oct 1927.

She married Loys Fred (Jack) Gentry, 8 Mar 1947. Born 21 Jan 1922.

782. Billie Coleen Hart⁵⁰⁵. Born 8 Apr 1929.

She married Claud Sweet, 8 Jan 1949. Born 25 May 1921. Died 27 Apr 1990.

783. Jimmy Ray Hart⁵⁰⁵. Born 8 Sep 1930.

He married Joyce Alene Coffey, 24 Jun 1953. Born 31 Jul 1935.

784. Ted Keith Hart⁵⁰⁵. Born 4 Apr 1932.

He married Emma Pittman, 24 Dec 1951. Born 24 Sep 1932.

785. Peggy Lois Hart⁵⁰⁵. Born 31 Aug 1933. Died 25 Jun 1934 in Elmwood Cem., Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY.

786. John Henry Hart⁵⁰⁵. Born 7 Jan 1935. Died 19 Nov 1939.

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787. Dewey Craig Hart⁵⁰⁵. Born 9 Dec 1935. Died 22 Jul 1937.

788. Theata Gail Hart⁵⁰⁵. Born 7 Jun 1939 in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., KY.

She married Bobby Eugene Bullock, son of Swan Everett Bullock & Rosa Tillo Price, 18 Jan 1958. Born 5 Sep 1937.

They had the following children:

816	i.	Robert Ray Bullock
817	ii.	Alicia Michelle Bullock

789. Jimmie Cornelius Payne. Born 22 Aug 1941 in KY.

1. Information obtained from "Pedigree of Jimmie Cornelius Payne" dated 6 Nov 1991.

790. Jack Allen.

(No further data available.)

791. Richard Julian Yates. Born 21 Dec 1924 in Pasadena, Los Angeles Co., CA.

1. Statistics obtained from Richard Julian Yates, in letter dated 21 Sep 1995.

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792. William Carlton Chapman⁴²⁴. Born 6 Feb 1914 in Wildwood, FL.

He married Virginia MacLin Way, 28 Dec 1937⁴²⁴. Born 4 Dec 1917 in Jacksonville, FL. They had the following child:

818 i. Caroline Way Chapman

793. Elvin Harrell⁴⁸⁵.

He married Lillian Coffey⁴⁸⁵, daughter of William Tarrance Coffey & Susan Rucker.

794. Jimmie Frances Barkley⁴¹¹. Born 20 Oct 1930 in Belton, Bell Co., TX.

She married Johnny Emery Willess, 1 Dec 1951 in Belton, Bell Co., TX. Born 1 Apr 1932 in Brookhaven, Bell Co., TX. They had the following children:

819 i. John Thomas Willess
820 ii. Leah Carol Willess
821 iii. Melinda Ann Willess

795. Roseanne Johnson¹⁹⁸. Born 11 Jan 1947 in Jefferson Co., KY.

She married Michael Ford Southard, 24 Feb 1968 in Jefferson Co., KY. They had the following children:

822 i. Julianne Michelle Southard
823 ii. David Johnson Southard
824 iii. Damien Patrick Southard

796. Dennis Kirk Johnson¹⁹⁸. Born 9 Feb 1948 in Jefferson Co., KY.

He married Barbara Ann Weihe, 2 Nov 1968 in Jefferson Co., KY. They had the following children:

825 i. Heather Denise Johnson
826 ii. Dylan Kirk Johnson

797. Steven Lloyd Hild¹⁹⁸. Born 15 Jun 1952.

798. David William Hild¹⁹⁸. Born 27 Apr 1955.

799. Roberta Lynn Hild¹⁹⁸. Born 7 Jul 1956.

800. Lauren White¹⁹⁸. Born 1973.

801. Erin White¹⁹⁸. Born 1982.

802. Sandra Hazel¹⁹⁸. Born 1947.

803. Thomas Dale Hazel¹⁹⁸.

(No further data available.)

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804. Youmbert Cecil Payne Jr. Born 10 Aug 1928 in Evarts, Harlan Co., KY.

He married June Alene Casper, daughter of William Ellington Casper & Winifred Beatrice King, 11 Jun 1966 in Kansas City, MO. Born 6 Jul 1930 in Kansas City, MO.

805. Harold Bernard Payne. Born 12 Sep 1930 in Coxton, Harlan Co., KY.

He married Patricia Marie Ryan, daughter of James William Vincent Ryan & Katie (Harriet) Huss, 14 Apr 1951 in South Bend, IN. Born 1 Dec 1931 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL. Died 24 Oct 1994 in Eugene, OR.

They had the following children:

827	i.	Steven Nicholas Payne
828	ii.	Harold Bernard Payne Jr.

806. Ronald Forrest Payne. Born 10 Sep 1932 in Kenvir, Harlan Co., KY.

He first married Mary Lou Ryan, daughter of James William Vincent Ryan & Katie (Harriet) Huss, 24 Sep 1955 in Bangor, MI. Born 7 Dec 1935 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL. They were divorced. They had the following children:

829	i.	Katherine Mary Payne
830	ii.	Ronald Forrest Payne II
831	iii.	Patricia Nannette Payne
832	iv.	Diane Carole Payne

He second married Bettye Zue Maddux, daughter of Henry Gray Maddux & Inez Johnson, 21 Jun 1977 in El Paso, TX. Born 11 Jul 1927 in Morgan Co., AL.

1. Birth information obtained from Bettye Z. Maddux Payne.

807. Patricia Jane Joan Payne. Born 10 Sep 1934 in Pennington Gap, Lee Co., VA.

She first married Billy Joe Miller, son of John Miller & Pearl Wampler, 20 Jan 1951 in Jacksonville, NC. Born 4 Nov 1928 in IN. They were divorced Apr 1974. They had the following children:

833	i.	Larry Paul Miller
834	ii.	Peggy Jean Miller
835	iii.	George Edward Miller

She second married George Robert Wallace, 10 Sep 1978 in Las Vegas, NV. Born 9 Sep 1914 in MO. Died 29 Apr 1980 in Tucson, AZ.

808. Richard Payne Napier⁵⁴⁸. Born 21 Apr 1926 in Lynch, KY.

He married Pat _____. They had the following children:

836	i.	Richard Napier
837	ii.	Mark Napier
838	iii.	Timothy Napier
839	iv.	Michele Napier

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809. Donald Ray Napier. Born 16 Dec 1931 in Cumberland, KY.

1. Information obtained from D. R. Napier.
2. "On Sept. 5 [1991], Kentucky Governor Wilkinson affixed his signature and the seal of the Commonwealth to a document which says I am a Kentucky Colonel." from a letter from Don Napier to R. F. Payne, dated 25 Dec 1991.

He married Alice Alvina Glore, 15 Jun 1957 in Columbus, OH. Born 27 May 1935 in Detroit, Wayne Co., MI. They had the following children:

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| 840 | i. | Julie A. Napier |
| 841 | ii. | Steven P. Napier |
| 842 | iii. | John A. Napier |
| 843 | iv. | Stuart G. Napier |

810. Cheryl McArthur. Born 3 Jul 1944 in Pueblo, CO.

She first married ___ Kulzer.

She second married Phil Maxey. They were divorced. They had the following children:

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| 844 | i. | Evan Maxey |
| 845 | ii. | Tye Maxey |

811. Joseph William Payne⁵⁴⁸. Born 3 Sep 1948 in Sanford, NC.

812. Johanna Louise Payne⁵⁴⁸. Born 3 Sep 1947 in Travis Co., TX.

She married George Jones. They were divorced. They had the following children:

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| 846 | i. | John Joseph Jones |
| 847 | ii. | Angela Marie Jones (Adopted) |

813. Joseph Paul Payne⁵⁴⁸. Born 13 Mar 1949 in Harris Co., TX.

He married Susie ___, in Harris Co., TX. They had the following child:

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| 848 | i. | Joseph Michael Payne |
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814. Lucy Ann Payne⁵⁴⁸. Born 23 Feb 1950 in Harris Co., TX.

She first married Bill Bannahan. They were divorced. They had the following child:

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| 849 | i. | Ann Kathryn Payne Capps |
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She second married Jerry Capps.

815. Mary Jane Payne⁵⁴⁸. Born 5 Jul 1955 in Eagle Lake, TX.

816. Robert Ray Bullock⁵⁰⁵. Born 7 Jan 1959 in Berea, KY.

He married Penny Denell Cromer, 5 Jun 1977. Born 12 Feb 1962.

817. Alicia Michelle Bullock⁵⁰⁵. Born 28 Jul 1964 in Cincinnati, OH.

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