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THE RAYS
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March 27, 1943

Dear Dr. Herndon:

With this we are sending you your copy of the "Rev. John Thomson and His Orphans", which is our version of what we actually know about the descendants of the author of "The Poor Orphans' Legacy".

It has taken a little time to get it all together, hunt up all our notes and go over them, etc., but it has been lots of fun and we have enjoyed it. We hope it will prove of some help to you in preparing any article on the subject, and we neither want or feel that we deserve any credit.

You will doubtless be able to fill in many gaps and supply much material that we do not have. If so, all the better.

Wishing you much success and with our best regards we are

Sincerely your friends

Worth S. Ray

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Dr. John G.
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Rev. John Thomson "Orphans"

April 6, 1943.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth S. Ray,
302 Highland Avenue,
Austin, Texas.

My dear Friends:

I was granted recently a five-day vacation. As Mrs. Herndon and I were leaving for the train, the mail was delivered. It included your wonderful gift, a copy of REV. JOHN THOMSON AND HIS ORPHANS. We were en route to Virginia to meet the family of our second son's fiancée, Miss Frances Virginia Sterne, of Dinwiddie. What we didn't know was that they were to be married on Sunday afternoon instead of sometime in June, as planned. Dick had gotten orders; he was being transferred from Camp Croft, S. C., to a point in Pennsylvania, where he is to be furnished soon his overseas equipment; and no time was being granted for a honeymoon. We returned home right after the ceremony, the happiest parents in the world, because the bride is about as nearly perfect as is imaginable. We arrived at 4:15 a.m., Monday, and now after one night's sleep, I am hastening to tell you of my appreciation of your unselfish and helpful gift.

I stopped over in Lunenburg CH and at Farmville to examine some Cunningham-Daniel records and also at Richmond before going to Dinwiddie, but have had no time to organize the new material. When that is done, I'll send you a complete report.

In the meanwhile please accept again my sincere thanks for your generous gift, which at more leisurely moments I can examine in complete joy.

Another Orphan,

John C. Herndon

REV. JOHN THOMSON

and his
ORPHANS

Being a Genealogical Compilation of some of the Descendants of the Author of that delectable ancient pamphlet published a long time ago by BEN FRANKLIN, titled

"THE POOR ORPHANS' LEGACY"

By the HUSBAND of one of his
"Poor Orphans" bearing the
number herein

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Photo of the OLD BRICK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH at LEWES, DELAWARE, where the REV. JOHN THOMSON was minister from April, 1717 until September in 1729.

1875
PHOTO OF THE OLD BRICK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AT LEWES, DELAWARE, BUILT 1728, DEMOLISHED 1875

JOHN THOMSON, M. A., V. D. M.

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REV. JOHN THOMSON is said to have been a Native of County Down, Ireland, and numerous writers have stated that he was born in ~~1750~~¹⁶⁹⁰, which date appears to co-incide with the probable dates of birth of his children, so far as known.

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He was twice married, though the identity of his first wife and the mother of all of his children, except one - Hannah - is unknown. The fact that three of the sons of Robert Baker married daughters of Rev. John Thomson, considering the trend of intermarriages for that day and time indicates the first wife may have been a Baker, but no proof of this seems available. By the first wife there appears to have been an even dozen children, and her death occurred sometime prior to 1734, in which year he married Mary, the widow of Thomas Reid, of Octorara, whither Rev. Thomson had moved when he left Lewes, Delaware, in 1729, after a continued residence of some twelve years, and where many of his children must have been born. Mrs. Reid was [born] Mary McKean, "a highland woman of dark complexion", and at the time of her marriage to Rev. John Thomson about 1734, the latter lived in Prince Edward County, Virginia - then Amelia County - where he was "laboring in 1749" when he published the "Catachism".

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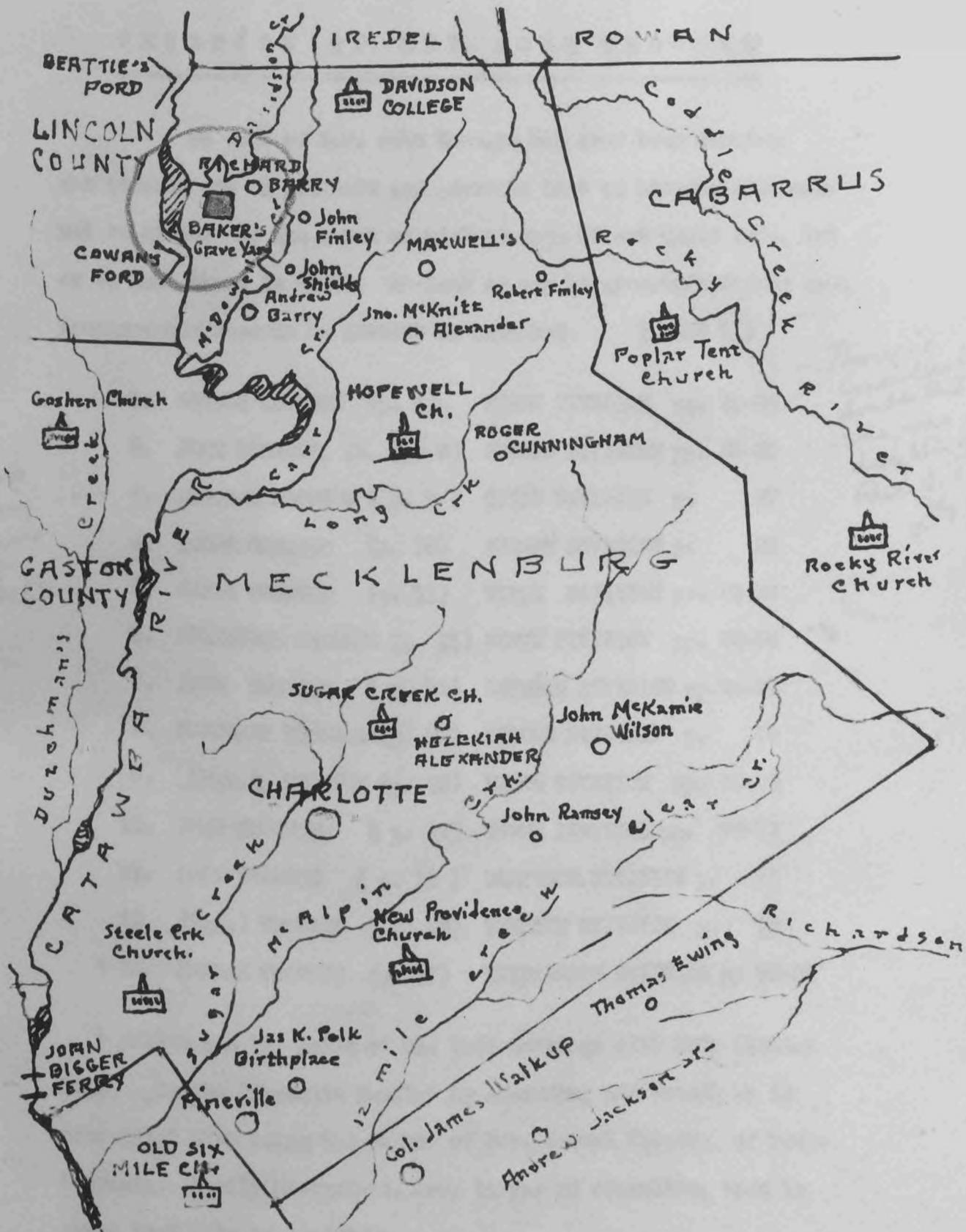
Rev. John Thomson died in what is now Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, but which at that time was embraced in Anson County. Centre congregation was in what later became Iredell County, near Davidson College. Rev. John Thomson is buried on the plot of ground where stood the "wide spreading oak, near the home of Richard Barry" where he preached in 1752. The Catawba river runs close by.

OTHER NOTES

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THOMPSON, REVEREND JOHN, came from Ireland as a probationer, in 1715, and was ordained and installed in April, 1717, as pastor of the congregation in Lewes, Delaware, where he remained until September, 1729. He then accepted a call to Middle Ocotara, but being harassed by disention among his people, he removed in 1732 to Chestnut Level. In 1738 he visited the Valley of Virginia, and being released from his charge July 31, 1744, made his home in the Valley. In 1744 he visited North Carolina, and again in 1751. He published at Williamsburg in 1749, an "Explication of the Shorter Catechism". He was then laboring in Amelia. He died in 1753, in Center, N. C. - From Presbyterian Encyclopedia, published in U. S. A., under the editorship of Nevin.

In 1752, Rev. John Thomson, a preacher of the Presbyterian faith, held services under a wide spreading oak near the house of Richard Barry, 14 miles northwest of where Charlotte was ten years later laid off and established as the county seat of Mecklenberg. This was on the Beattie's Ford Road in the direction of the mountains. - Extract from "Mecklenberg County, North Carolina", b. J. B. Alexander, M. D. Published by the Observer Printing House, Charlotte, N. C., 1902 (page 10).



Map of MECKLENBURG COUNTY, N. C. showing location of the burial place of REV. JOHN THOMSON. See also NOTE 26, Page 100.

CHILDREN OF REV. JOHN THOMSON

No will of Rev. John Thomson has ever been found on the records and a positive and accurate list of his children cannot be given. Of the names of most of them we are quite sure, but as to some there is doubt. As near as may be ascertained from contemporaneous records he APPEARS to have had (NOTE 1)

Proof is lacking that he was a son of Rev. H.

There is considerable doubt that she was a daughter of Rev. J. H.

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* HANNAH was the child of his last marriage with Mary (McKean) Reid. In the "Crockett Family" by Armstrong and French he is accredited with being the father of Rev. Samuel Thomson, of Pennsylvania. Family historians, now, so far as consulted, seem to agree that this is a mistake.

Children of Rev.
John Thomson,
Continued:

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1. ESTHER THOMSON

(see p. 82)

It has been printed that ESTHER THOMSON was probably the oldest child of Rev. John Thomson; that she was born about 1710, and that she died Nov. 9, 1770, in Virginia. She was twice married, her first husband being SAMUEL CROCKETT, and her second husband WILLIAM SAYERS. In the "Crockett Family" she is said to have had eight children by Samuel Crockett and FOUR by William Sayers, all listed under the grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson. Her first child, having been born in 1735, she was evidently married to Samuel Crockett about 1734; when she would have been about 24 years of age. It is also said that she married Sayers about 1753, after her first husband's death, and that Sayers was a close neighbor in Virginia, but several years her junior at the time of the marriage. Her second marriage took place after the death of her father in North Carolina, though she continued to live in Virginia.

2. JOHN THOMSON, JR.

JOHN THOMSON, JR. was perhaps the second child and the oldest son of Rev. John Thomson. There is a tradition that SAMUEL CROCKETT met his future wife, ESTHER THOMSON, on board ship coming to America, which could have been true, since, if she was born in 1710 she would have been born abroad, and unless Rev. Thomson came to this country earlier than 1715, the date usually mentioned, his son JOHN JR. was also born in Europe before coming to America. He was probably born about 1712-14, considering the ordinary course of things, so that it is likely when the Minister came to America, he was not only accompanied by his wife, but by at least two children, the daughter Esther and the son John Thomson, Jr. At the time of his death in Prince Edward County, Va., John, JR. in 1794-5 had three sons and two daughters. The exact date of his death is not known, but it was some time between March 26, 1793, and the June term of court, 1795. His children are listed under "Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson." His wife's name was MARTHA. He may have married twice.

3. ABRAHAM THOMSON

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ABRAHAM THOMSON in 1770 and also in 1772 was a party to deeds to certain lands lying on Fort Creek in the Buffalo Settlement in Prince Edward County. March 28, 1772 he sold his interest in 395 acres of the Iwing lands, lying next to Samuel Wallace, to his brother 2 John Thomson, Jr. Information in regard to this son is scarce and the name of his wife, if any, is unknown, nor is it known whether he left a family of children, though that is quite possible, since he must have been near 58 years of age when he signed the deed to his brother JOHN THOMSON, JR. in 1772, if he was the third child. But there is no certainty as to the order of birth of these children as set down in this account.

4. ROGER THOMSON

Some have questioned whether or not Rev. John Thomson had a son named ROGER THOMSON. Among the children of Rev. John Thomson appearing on an old chart of the family in the possession of Mrs. Minnie Winn, of Greensboro, Ga. is that of a Roger. The name of ROGER THOMSON appears several times on deeds to land in the Buffalo section of Prince Edward County, and JOHN THOMSON, JR. in his will mentions a son ROGER THOMPSON, also, probably named for his uncle and the brother of the maker of the will. The marriage records of Amelia County, May 12, 1750, then embracing what is now Prince Edward County, shows the marriage bond of ROGER THOMSON and ANN FERGUSON. Assuming that this son, Roger, was born about the fourth child, say, in 1718-20, perhaps at Lewes, Delaware, this could easily have been the record of his marriage at about the age of 29 or 30. It is believed that he had a number of children, who migrated to the general vicinity of Spartanburg, S. C., where their names appear upon the records. See "Grandchildren" section.

Chart
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5. SARAH THOMSON

SARAH THOMSON became the wife of REV. RICHARD SANKEY, who was a Native of Ireland, licensed Oct. 27, 1736, ordained August 31, 1738. For twenty-one years, until 1759, he supplied the Church at Hanover, in Pennsylvania, and then, with many members of his congregation removed to the Buffalo settlement in Prince Edward County, Virginia, where he became a member of the Hanover Presbytery, of which he was moderator in 1785. He lived to an advanced age and died there. Sarah Thomson and her husband Rev. Richard Sankey had several children, hereinafter listed, and the descendants, some of them removed to Alabama, Georgia and Texas, where they were quite prominent.

6. ELIZABETH THOMSON

ELIZABETH THOMSON was twice married, her first husband being SAMUEL BAKER, after whose death she became the wife of CHARLES HARRIS. So far as known, taking the will of SAMUEL BAKER, in Rowan County, N. C. as a guide, they had only four children, and by CHARLES HARRIS there appears to have been only two sons, all of whom are hereafter listed among the grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson. SAMUEL BAKER and his family moved to Rowan County, N. C., that part of the Province whither Rev. John Thomson removed when he left Virginia, and where he died in 1753. In his so-called "visits" to North Carolina, Rev. Thomson, of course stayed perhaps with his son-in-law Baker, who died in 1757, some four years after Rev. Thomson's death. As a matter of fact Rev. Thomson had perhaps definitely moved to that section where he had not only many old friends and former followers, but numerous relatives, as will be hereafter seen.

Children of Rev.
John Thomson
Continued:

7. ANN THOMSON

ANN THOMSON married JAMES CUNNINGHAM, presumably in Charlotte County, Virginia, sometime during the year 1768, their first child having been born in 1769. Four children of this marriage became connected by marriage with three sons and one daughter of another family - DANIEL - residing in the lower part of Prince Edward County, Virginia, in the Buffalo Church section. Accordingly any account of the John Thomson descendants through his daughter Ann involves a rather detailed account of the several children of this other family, thus so numerously connected, most of whom left Virginia and settled in Georgia after the revolution.

8. MARGARET THOMSON

MARGARET THOMSON married JOHN SHIELDS, and this couple left Virginia and settled in the same general vicinity in North Carolina where SAMUEL BAKER and his wife ELIZABETH THOMSON resided, and on his visits to North Carolina Rev. John Thomson, of course found a welcome in the homes of his sons-in-law who were living there, of whom there were at least three and probably FOUR. They all lived as near neighbors of RICHARD BARRY on McDowell's Creek, near Beattie's Ford in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, and only a few miles from the present site of Davidson College, which is found by reference to the records of old land deeds found at Charlotte. Before the end of the Eighteenth Century similar evidence discloses that John Shields and his wife and family had crossed over the mountains into what is now Tennessee, and one of the name - possibly a son - was one of the first county officers in Jefferson County, at Dandridge.

9. _____ THOMSON (Dau.)

This daughter of Rev. John Thomson married JOHN FINLEY, of Prince Edward County and in 1772 they sold out and moved down into Mecklenburg County - possibly earlier - thus joining as neighbors the other daughters and sons-in-law of Rev. John Thomson residing in that section. Little is known of JOHN FINLEY and his wife, or how many children they had, or when they were born. Contemporaneous items we have found on the records indicate that they had, possibly at least two sons, the descendants of one of whom became leaders and persons of prominence in the South. Another one of the sons married a daughter of Col. James Wauchup, formerly an original member of the Cub Creek Congregation, another of whose daughters married a Crockett. It is not at all improbable that John Finley and his wife, Miss Martha Wauchup (or Walkup) were the parents of POLLY FINLEY, the first wife of DAVID CROCKETT.

10. JEAN THOMSON

JEAN THOMSON became the wife of DOUGLAS BAKER, a brother of SAMUEL BAKER who married Elizabeth Thomson and of MARY THOMSON'S husband, ROBERT BAKER, JR. After the death of DOUGLAS BAKER she married second, WILLIAM WATSON.

11. MARY THOMSON

MARY THOMSON married Robert Baker, Jr., brother of Mammel and Douglas Baker, who each married one of her sisters. Robert Baker died in Prince Edward County, Va., in 1759, the date of his will, in which he named his wife Mary, who died the year following. Robert Baker, Jr. is believed to have been a gunsmith. In a deed to lands in Prince Edward County John Thomson, Jr. is called a "smith" and as such may have been associated with his brother-in-law, Robert Baker, Jr.

12. _____ THOMSON (Dau.)

This daughter of Rev. John Thomson married a Mr. Graham, and Mrs. Winn's Chart mentions as one of the sons-in-law of Rev. John Thomson a "Graham" without giving his Christian name. It is probable that this daughter and her husband Graham also moved to Mecklenberg County, North Carolina, along with the Baker's, Finleys and Shields. In that section there were a host of families bearing the name GRAHAM all of whom came from the same section of Pennsylvania (same County, in fact) from which the Thomsons came. With so many bearing the name the compiler has found it impossible to venture an identification - so far - of this particular GRAHAM, in which there were a number of children, no doubt.

13. HANNAH THOMSON

HANNAH THOMSON was, it is agreed, the youngest daughter of Rev. John Thomson, and the only child by his second wife, Mary (McKean) Reid, the "highland woman of dark complexion", and the relict of Thomas Reid of Octorara, in Pennsylvania, in which Rev. Thomson labored as minister for a time, and of whose congregation, doubtless, Thomas Reid was a member. She became the wife of ROGER LAWSON, the son of HUGH LAWSON, the old Tythe taker of the original Inanenberg County, Virginia, who, in his later years removed to the Mecklenberg section of North Carolina, where he left a will Sept. 20, 1764 in which his children and sons-in-laws are all mentioned. This will was proven in Rowan County, though the burial place of the old patriot is in the same graveyard with the remains of Rev. John Thomson, "under the wide-spreading oak, near the home of RICHARD BARRY, whose son HUGH was one of the sons-in-laws mentioned in HUGH LAWSON'S will. The sons and sons-in-law of the elder HUGH LAWSON were all revolutionary soldiers, and the son ROGER LAWSON, after the revolution moved to Georgia and erected a home near the town of Louisville, which still stands as a landmark near the highway.

GRANDCHILDREN OF REV. JOHN THOMSON

Children of 1. ESTHER THOMSON (*)
and her

First Husband SAMUEL CROCKETT

20. SAMUEL CROCKETT, JR. b. 1735 d. 1795. p. 18
 21. ANNE AGNES CROCKETT p. 18
 22. JOHN CROCKETT b. 1737 d. 1797. p. 18
 23. JANE CROCKETT b. 1739 p. 19
 24. CATHERINE CROCKETT b. 1741. p. 19
 25. ROBERT CROCKETT b. 1743 p. 19
 26. ANDREW CROCKETT b. 1745 d. 1821. p. 19 [NOTE 5]
 27. JAMES CROCKETT b. 1749 d. 1826. p. 20

Second Husband WILLIAM SAYERS

28. ROBERT SAYERS b. Oct. 22, 1754, d. April 17, 1826. p. 23
 29. ALEXANDER SAYERS b. Jan. 16, 1756. (Died young).
 30. JOHN THOMSON SAYERS b. July 19, 1758, d. March 25, 1816. p. 23
 31. MARY SAYERS (Name appears on Bible).

After the death of ESTHER (THOMSON) SAYERS on
December 19, 1770, WILLIAM SAYERS married second ELIZ-
ABETH, by whom he had three children, who, of course
are not among the descendants of REV. JOHN THOMSON.

(*) The personal history and descendants of each grand -
child will be taken up separately hereinafter, designated by
name and number.

Children of

2. JOHN THOMSON, JR. (Wife MARTHA)*

- 35. ROBERT THOMSON P. 25
- 36. ROGER THOMSON P. 25
- 37. JOHN THOMSON P. 25
- 38. SARAH THOMSON P. 25
- 39. JANE THOMSON P. 26

* Names of children from will, March 26, 1793, proved in Prince Edward County Court June 15, 1795. Name of wife not mentioned in the will.

He probably married second, in his old age, ELEANOR BARTON, of Charlotte County, Virginia (March 10, 1786) with RICHARD SANKEY as one of the witnesses.

Children of

3. ABRAHAM THOMSON (Wife unknown)

NOTE 1.

No record appears to have been found throwing light upon the identity of the children, if any, of 3. ABRAHAM THOMSON. That he was a son of REV. JOHN THOMSON is inferred from two land deeds in Prince Edward County, as follows:

APRIL 14, 1770: George Ewing, Alexander Ewing and Rachel Ewing; William and Jane Ewing; John and Eleanor Caldwell and others to JOHN THOMSON, Smith and ABRAHAM THOMSON, of Prince Edward County.
MARCH 28, 1772: ABRAHAM THOMSON, of Prince Edward County, to JOHN THOMSON, of said County, the same land in the first deed.

Children of

4. ROGER THOMSON (Wife probably ANN FERGUSON)

[NOTE 1.]

The name of his wife is stated with uncertainty, but if her name is correct they were married May 12, 1750, as shown by the records of AMELIA COUNTY, of which Prince Edward at that time was a part.

No children having been found, there will be no descendants to list under the name of the son ROGER THOMSON.

Children of

5. SARAH THOMSON m. REV. RICHARD SANKEY

- 40. SARAH SANKEY m. WILLIAM HAMERSLEY P. 29
- 41. ELIZABETH (ESTHER?) SANKEY m. JOSEPH PARKS P. 29
- 42. ESTHER(?) SANKEY m. JAMES PARKS, JR. P. 30
- 43. DR. JOHN THOMSON SANKEY m. ANNE DANIEL P. 31
- 43a. MARY SANKEY m. ARCHIBALD SIMPSON P. 32

Children of

6. ELIZABETH THOMSON m. SAMUEL BAKER

- 44. ROBERT BAKER P. 33
- 45. JOHN BAKER P. 33
- 46. MARGARET BAKER P. 33
- 47. MARY BAKER P. 33

Children by second marriage to
CHARLES HARRIS [NOTE 25]

- 48. SAMUEL HARRIS (PRINCETON TUTOR) P. 33
- 49. CHARLES HARRIS (Physician, Graham County, N. C.) P. 33

Children of

7. ANN THOMSON m. JAMES CUNNINGHAM

50. SAMUEL CUNNINGHAM m. MARY DANIEL P. 34 *no*
51. ANDREW CUNNINGHAM P. 34
52. JAMES CUNNINGHAM, JR. m. FRANCES HEDD P. 35
53. ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM m. JAMES DANIEL [NOTE 17] P. 41
54. SARAH CUNNINGHAM m. (1) SAMUEL CALDWELL (2) JOHN DANIEL P. 56
55. MARGARET CUNNINGHAM m. RICHARD GAINES, JR. P. 63
56. JANE CUNNINGHAM m. JAMES ADAMS, JR. P. 64
57. ANN CUNNINGHAM m. ANDREW HANNAH P. 65
58. MARY CUNNINGHAM m. WILLIAM JOHNSTON, JR. P. 66
59. HANNAH CUNNINGHAM m. WILLIAM DANIEL [NOTE 17] P. 67

Children of

8. MARGARET THOMSON m. JOHN SHIELDS

[NOTE 2]

The name "SHIELDS" appears on the Winn Chart heretofore mentioned as one of the sons-in-law. October 10, 1771 in Mecklenburg County, N. C. appears this deed:

JOHN SHIELDS and MARGARET, his wife, Planter, to David Bradford, consideration 52 pounds, a tract of 205 acres, part of original grant to Ambrose Harding, on McCuiston's line to Robert Moffett, thence Moses Andrew's line to JOHN FINLEY'S.

Wits: JAMES SHIELDS JOHN SHIELDS
AGNES SHIELDS. MARGARET SHIELDS

No record of any children have been found of this couple who could be identified.

9. _____ THOMSON (Dox.) m. JOHN FINDLEY

60. JOHN FINDLEY (Or FINDLEY) m. MARYHA WAKUP (WAKUP)

[NOTE 2] P.74

Children of

10. JEAN THOMSON m. DOUGLAS BAKER

62. ROBERT BAKER (d. 1778) m. MARGARET GRAHAM P. 76 [NOTE 3]
63. JOSHUA BAKER (never married) d. 1777.
64. DOUGLAS BAKER (d. 1778) m. MARY KELLIOTT P. 76
65. JOSEPH BAKER
66. ANDREW BAKER (d. 1804) m. CATHERINE P. 77
67. JEAN BAKER (d. 1787) m. JOHN AMBERGING (d. 1813) P. 77
68. ESTHER BAKER m. GEORGE SHILLIDAY.
69. MARTHA BAKER m. WILLIAM DAVIDSON (d. 1812)
70. SAMUEL BAKER (d. 1802) m. MARY.....
71. _____ BAKER (Daughter) m. SHILLIDAY.

Authority: DR. HOGLESTON in
VIRGINIA HIST. MAGAZINE.....

GRANDCHILDREN OF
REV. JOHN THOMSON

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Children of

11 MARY THOMSON and ROBERT BAKER, JR.

72. ANDREW BAKER P. 78

73. SAMUEL BAKER P. 78

74. _____ BAKER (Daughter) m. HAMPTON P. 78

75. ELIZA BAKER (Daughter) m. WILLIAM BALDWIN, JR. P. 78

GRANDCHILDREN OF
REV. JOHN THOMSON

Children of

12. _____ THOMSON (Daughter) m. MR. GRAHAM

72. MARGARET GRAHAM m. 62. ROBERT BAKER [NOTE 3]
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Children of

13. HANNAH THOMSON m. ROGER LAWSON

- 77. ANDREW THOMSON LAWSON P. 80
- 78. ROGER LAWSON [NOTE 24]
- 79. HUGH LAWSON
- 80. JOHN LAWSON P. 80
- 81. ANNE LAWSON m. MR. GAMBLE P. 81.

FIRST DIVISION

DESCENDANTS OF ESTHER THOMSON

20. SAMUEL CROCKETT

Said to have been born in what is now PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY - then ANNELEA, in 1735.

Twice Married

m. (1) JANE STUBBLE
m. (2) ELIZABETH YOUNG (Widow)

Children: 20-1 JOSEPH CROCKETT (b. 1758) TO GEORGIA.
* 20-2 ROBERT CROCKETT (1760-1819)

m. JANE LEWIS STUART (Daughter of ANNETTA LEWIS and her second husband JOHN STUART) JANE LEWIS STUART was a first cousin of GEORGE R. GILMER, Governor of Georgia.

GRANDCHILDREN OF REV. JOHN THOMSON

- 20-3 JANE CROCKETT (b. 1762) m. ANDREW PERRY
- 20-4 ESTHER CROCKETT (b. 1764) m. JOS. YOUNG
- 20-5 MARGARET CROCKETT (1766) m. COL. JOHN INGLIS
- 20-6 JOHN CROCKETT (b. 1768) m. POLLY PERRY
- 20-7 CATHERINE CROCKETT (1771) m. ROBE. REPPENHAGEN
- 20-8 SAMUEL CROCKETT (1775-1853) m. FRANCIS DUDLEY

21. ANN AGNES CROCKETT.

The date of their marriage is given as Nov. 28, 1753, to JOHN MONTGOMERY. He is said to have founded the town of CLARKSVILLE, TENNESSEE, the county seat of Montgomery County. The "Crockett Family" says he died in 1802 in Wythe County, Virginia.

- Children:
- 21-1 ESTHER MONTGOMERY
 - 21-2 JAMES MONTGOMERY
 - 21-3 SAMUEL MONTGOMERY
 - 21-4 JOSEPH MONTGOMERY
 - 21-5 SILAS MONTGOMERY
 - 21-6 STEPHEN MONTGOMERY
 - 21-7 WILLIAM MONTGOMERY
 - 21-8 RACHEL MONTGOMERY (b. 1779)

*20-2 ROBERT CROCKETT m. JANE LEWIS STUART and had children:

- 2020. MARIA CROCKETT m. JUDAH JAMES BROWN
 - 2021. AGNES CROCKETT m. JAMES McGAFFICK
 - 2022. CHARLES LEWIS CROCKETT
 - 2023. STUART CROCKETT
 - 2024. FRANK CROCKETT
 - 2025. EUSEBIUS CROCKETT
 - 2026. AUGUSTINE CROCKETT
- (Great Great Grandchildren of REV. JOHN THOMSON)

22. JOHN CROCKETT Of "CROCKETT'S COVE" Wythe County,
Va. Born in 1737 and died in 1799
in Wythe County, Virginia. He was
a REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER.

m. ELIZABETH MONTGOMERY

Children: 22-1 SAMUEL CROCKETT
22-2 JOHN CROCKETT
22-3 JOSEPH CROCKETT (Davidson Co. Tenn.)
22-4 ESTHER CROCKETT
22-5 RACHEL CROCKETT
22-6 JEAN CROCKETT
22-7 NANCY CROCKETT
22-8 MARY (POLLY) CROCKETT
22-9 CATHERINE CROCKETT
22-10 ELIZABETH CROCKETT
22-11 SARAH CROCKETT

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

23. JANE CROCKETT (b. 1739) She married HENRY DAVIS
Nothing further.

24. CATHERINE CROCKETT (b. 1741) Nothing further

25. ROBERT CROCKETT (b. 1743) Nothing further

26. ANDREW CROCKETT (b. 1745) Moved to WILLIAMSON COUNTY, in
TENNESSEE, where he died in
1821, leaving a will.

[NOTE 5]

m. SARAH ELLIOTT

Sarah Elliott, daughter of ROB-
ERT ELLIOTT and MARY BAKER was
his first cousin.

Children: 26-1 SAMUEL CROCKETT m. JOANNA SAYERS
26-2 NANCY CROCKETT m. MR. SAYERS
26-3 JAMES CROCKETT
26-4 SALLIE CROCKETT m. JOHN MALLOY
26-5 MARY CROCKETT m. JOSEPH CROCKETT
26-6 ROBERT CROCKETT
26-7 ANDREW CROCKETT m. MARY
26-8 JOHN CROCKETT

Great Grand-children of Rev. John Thomson.

27. JAMES CROCKETT

This grandson of Rev. John Thomson was born in 1749 and died in 1826.

m. MARY DRAKE

Children: 27-1 ESTHER CROCKETT

Great Grand-child of Rev. John Thomson

27-1 ESTHER CROCKETT

The great-grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson. She may have and probably did have brothers and sisters, unknown or identified.

m. FRANCIS JACKSON CARTER

of the Carter family of Washington County, Tennessee.

Children: 2710. THERESA NEWELL CARTER

Great Great Grand-child of Rev. John Thomson.

2710. THERESA NEWELL CARTER

Great Great Grand-daughter Rev. John Thomson

m. REV. JOHN SCRUGGS [NOTE 4]

a teacher of GREEK in TUSCULUM College near GREENVILLE, TENN., who later became a Baptist minister.

Children: 2710-1 MARY SCRUGGS m. JUDGE GEORGE BROWN
2710-2 ELIZ. ESTHER SCRUGGS (b. 1827)
m. HORACE BURTON YEARWOOD
2710-3 SARAH STOKELLY SCRUGGS
m. JOHN JORDAN
2710-4 LAVINIA WALKER SCRUGGS
m. THOMAS YEARWOOD.

Great Great Great Grand-children of Rev. John Thomson.

26-1 SAMUEL CROCKETT

Son of 26. ANDREW CROCKETT and wife
SARAH ELLIOTT. (From his BIBLE)SAMUEL CROCKETT was born Feb. 1, 1772
and died January 30, 1827

m. JOANNA SAYERS

They were married 1792.
Joanna Sayers was born Nov. 20, 1772
and died Sept. 17, 1812.
JOANNA SAYERS and SAMUEL CROCKETT were
first cousins (half). She was ap-
parently a daughter of ROBERT SAYERS -
half-brother of 26 ANDREW CROCKETT.
Their children were great great grand-
children of REV. JOHN THOMSON.

- Children: 2620. ANDREW CROCKETT (1793-1852) married
CATHERINE WALKER BELL.
2621. DAVID CROCKETT (1795-1799)
2622. LOUISE CROCKETT (1795-1823) m. JOHNSON
2623. MARY SAYERS CROCKETT (1799-1838) mar-
ried McNBILL.
2624. SALLIE ELLIOTT CROCKETT (1801-1878)
married MR. BAIN.
2625. JOHN SAYERS CROCKETT (1803-1861)
2626. SAMUEL CROCKETT (b.1805) m. MARGARET
LINDSLEY
2627. NANCY HAMILTON CROCKETT m. ED UPSHAW
2628. ROBERT B. CROCKETT (1808) m. and INDIAN
2629. ESTHER THOMSON CROCKETT (1810) married
H. CHAPMAN.
2630. LUCINDA JOANNAH CROCKETT b. Feb. 1, 1812.

Great Grand-Child.

NOTE FROM BIBLE: This is the property of CATHERINE CROCKETT, Sept.
12, 1819. She was the wife of 2620 ANDREW CROCKETT.

son of

 26-7 ANDREW CROCKETT (brother of SAMUEL above and 26 ANDREW CROCKETT)

His wife was MARY.....

Their children were great great grand-
children of REV. JOHN THOMSON.

- Children: 2631 ANDREW CROCKETT m. CATHERINE WALKER
2632. ESTHER CROCKETT
2633 NANCY CROCKETT
2634 LUCINDA CROCKETT 2639 MARY CROCKETT
2635 ROBERT CROCKETT 2640 SARAH CROCKETT
2636 JOHN CROCKETT
2637 SAMUEL CROCKETT
2638 LOUISE CROCKETT

2631 ANDREW CROCKETT He was a grandson of 26 ANDREW CROCKETT and great great grandson of REV. JOHN THOMSON. His children were great great great grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

m. CATHERINE WALKER

- Children: 2631-1 MARGARET J. CROCKETT m. MR. SEWARD
- 2631-2 JOHN BELL CROCKETT
- Gr. Gr. Gr. 2631-3 ANDREW CROCKETT
- Grandchildren 2631-4 ANN ELIZA CROCKETT
- 2631-5 GEORGE B. CROCKETT
- 2631-6 RUFUS A. CROCKETT
- 2631-7 WILLIAM A. CROCKETT
- 2631-8 HENRY T. CROCKETT

NOTE: The will of 2631 ANDREW CROCKETT, father of the above, was proven at the OCTOBER TERM of Court in Williamson County, Tennessee.

20-5 MARGARET CROCKETT Daughter of SAMUEL CROCKETT and the granddaughter of ESTHER THOMSON was born in 1776 and died in 1794.

She married JOHN INGLES, youngest son of WILLIAM INGLES and his wife MARY DRAPER. MARY DRAPER was captured by the INDIANS and held for many years. She was the daughter of GEORGE DRAPER and his wife ELINOR HARDEN, from IRELAND.

No list of the children has been obtained.

28. ROBERT SAYERS

He was the son of ESTHER THOMSON and her second husband WILLIAM SAYERS and was born October 22, 1764 and died April 17, 1826. He evidently married but the name of his wife is unknown. He appears to have been the father of

- 28-1 JOANNA SAYERS married her half first cousin 26-1 SAMUEL CROCKETT. For the children see page
- 28-2 ABNER SAYERS m. ESTHER ARMSTRONG SAYERS.

30. JOHN THOMSON SAYERS

Son of Esther Thomson and her second husband WILLIAM SAYERS. He was born Oct. 22, 1754, and died Oct. 17, 1826 William Sayers was much younger than his wife Esther (Thomson) Crockett & was deputy Sheriff of Fincastle County, Virginia, in 1776. He married again after the death of Esther Thomson, ELIZABETH ... and by her had 3 other children who are not included in this account.

m. SUSANNAH CROCKETT

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| Great Grand-children of REV. JOHN THOMSON. | Children: 30-1 | ESTHER ARMSTRONG SAYERS m. ABNER SAYERS |
| | 30-2 | JEAN CROCKETT SAYERS (d. 1805) |
| | 30-3 | WILLIAM SAYERS (d. 1815) never mar'd. |
| | 30-4 | PEGGY INGLIS SAYERS (d. 1859) m. JOSEPH DRAPER (Son of JOHN DRAPER, JR.) |
| | 30-5 | ROBERT SAYERS (b. 1796, d. 1876) |
| | 30-6 | LUCY SAYERS m. JOSEPH GRAHAM (Son of Robert Graham and Mary Cowan) |
| | 30-7 | JOHN SAYERS (b. 1804) never married. |
| | 30-8 | JEAN CROCKETT SAYERS (1807-1879) married NICHOLAS OGLESBY |

30-1 ESTHER ARMSTRONG SAYERS Born Nov. 27, 1786, died October the 9th, 1836, a great granddaughter of REV. JOHN THOMSON

m. ABNER SAYERS

her half first cousin, who was also a great grandson of Rev. John Thomson.

Children: 3020-1 JOHN SAYERS
3020-2 WILLIAM SAYERS
3020-3 JOANNA SAYERS
3020-4 DAVID SAYERS, M. D.

NOTE: These were great great grandchildren of REV. JOHN THOMSON....

3020-4. DAVID SAYERS, M. D. He was born about 1810 and first settled in GRENADA, MISS., where he married

m. MARY THOMAS (PERRY) widow,

a native of the State of Alabama. They moved to Texas in 1851 and settled at BASTROP. They had 3 sons and two daughters, and among the children was:

3020-41 JOSEPH DRAPER SAYERS (b. 1841)

a great great great grandson of REV. JOHN THOMSON, who became the GOVERNOR OF TEXAS in 1898, which office he held for two terms of 2 years each. See note below:

NOTE: The second wife of DAVID SAYERS, M. D. was a MISS SCOTT.

Dr. David Sayers, a physician moved to Texas in 1851 and located at BASTROP. His son JOSEPH D. SAYERS attended Bastrop Military Academy, but before he finished joined the Confederate Army and served until April 1865. He was admitted to the bar in 1866, and practiced with Hon. George Washington Jones. In 1879-80 he was Lieut. Governor and later to U. S. Congress. GOVERNOR OF TEXAS 1898 to 1902. Married OLIVE WALTON, daughter of WM. WALTON.

SECOND DIVISION

25

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN THOMSON, JR.

35. ROBERT THOMSON

His wife's name was ELIZABETH and in OCTOBER 1796 he and his brother ROGER deeded 400 acres on SPRING Creek in Prince Edward County, Va. to ANDREW BAKER on the lines of WILLIAM WATSON and DOUGLAS BAKER. His wife ELIZABETH waived her rights. Nothing known of children.

36. ROGER THOMSON

He was alive in 1796 when the deed mentioned above was executed to ANDREW BAKER. On June 15, 1795 he and his brother 35 ROBERT THOMSON were Executors of the will of their father 2. JOHN THOMSON, JR. Nothing further.

37. JOHN THOMSON

This grand-son of REV. JOHN THOMSON was alive APRIL 10, 1826, and his wife was MARY ANN McGEHEE, & he and his wife joined in deed with GRACE McGEHEE, Nathan G. McGehee and Micajah McGehee, in the sale of interests in lands left them by JACOB McGEHEE, at the time of his death. Nothing further. P. E. Co.

38. SARAH THOMSON

Mentioned in the will of her father in 1793-5.

Nothing further found.

39. JANE THOMSON She married March 18, 1782 CALEB BAKER, JR.

Children: 39-1 THOMSON BAKER
39-2 MARY BAKER m. JAMES RICE
39-3 SARAH BAKER (nev. Married)
39-4 NANCY BAKER m. THOMAS VERNON.
39-5 ELIZABETH BAKER m. WILLIAM THORNTON

Great Grand-children of Rev. John Thomson

39-5 ELIZABETH BAKER She and her husband WILLIAM J. THORNTON had children:

39-51. NANCY THORNTON
39-52 JANE THORNTON
39-53 HARRIET THORNTON
39-54 ELIZABETH THORNTON

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

NOTE: A suit for the division of lands was brought in Prince Edward County after the death of Caleb and Jane or Jean Baker, which discloses the names of the above children and grand-children. [NOTE 6]

The identity of the CALEB BAKER, JR. who married JANE THOMSON is unsettled, since it appears that "Caleb Baker, Jr" son of CALEB BAKER SR. and his wife Miss Brooks, married a CATHERINE HODNETT, and his son Caleb married a Miss Buford. There were, however, several Caleb Bakers in the family.

THIRD DIVISION

DESCENDANTS OF ABRAHAM THOMPSON

Nothing known. [NOTE 1.]

FOURTH DIVISION

28

DESCENDANTS OF ROGER THOMSON

Nothing known [NOTE 1.]

It is possible that he
was the father of this

JOHN THOMSON OF CAMPBELL AND BEDFORD COUNTY
WHOSE WIFE WAS MARGARET DAVIDSON.....

DEED BOOK p. 208:

WILL of JOHN THOMSON, made January 5, 1791, mentions
wife MARGARET; sons JOHN and ANDREW; Grandchildren, children of
ESTHER PHAIR; son MATTHEW, to whom he lends land in PRINCE ED-
WARD and BUCKINGHAM COUNTIES, on Appomattox River; son WILLIAM,
deceased, and his children - MARGARET, mentioned by name; daugh-
ter ELIZABETH GILL, wife of WILLIAM GILL; JANE MITCHELL and ES-
THER PHAIR; JOHN, son of ANDREW; DAVID, son of WILLIAM; grand-
son, WILLIAM MITCHELL. Executors, sons JOHN AND ANDREW THOMSON.
Signs with his mark.

There are many reasons why it would seem
that the above JOHN THOMSON was closely
related to REV. JOHN THOMSON'S family in
Prince Edward County. Since he could not
have been a son - there would NOT have
been two sons named John, of course - then
he must have been a grandson - necessari-
ly either 3. ABRAHAM or 4. ROGER.

ANDREW THOMSON and LAWSON THOMSON appear in Spartan-
burg County, S. C. about 1791, together with ALEXANDER VERNON,
the JORDANS, MORTONS, BARRYS and MOORES.

FIFTH DIVISION

29

DESCENDANTS OF SARAH THOMSON

40. SARAH SANKEY

[NOTE 7.]

It is believed that this daughter of SARAH THOMSON and her husband, the Rev. Richard Sankey, was born about 1718-20, probably at LEWES, DELAWARE. Her parents were married about 1736-8. She

m. WILLIAM HAMMERSLEY

Children: 40-1 WILLIAM HAMMERSLEY (b. APR. 12, 1782)
40-2 RICHARD HAMMERSLEY
40-3 THOMAS HAMMERSLEY
40-4 DAVID HAMMERSLEY
40-5 JANE B. HAMMERSLEY
40-6 SARAH HAMMERSLEY

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

41. ELIZABETH SANKEY

She became the wife of

m. JOSEPH PARKS

Children: 41-1 JOSEPH LITTLETON PARKS
41-2 MARY PARKS m. JAMES CUNNINGHAM
DANIEL
41-3 BETSY ANNE PARKS (m. OCT. 15, 1795)
REV. ROBERT MOORE CUNNINGHAM.
[NOTE 26]
41-4 ESTHER (?) PARKS m. RICHARD S. PARKS

(Probably others)

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

41-3 BETSY ANNE PARKS

[NOTE 8]

4130. Married Rev. Robert Moore Cunningham and had;
REV. JOSEPH PARKS CUNNINGHAM (Of Greensboro, Ala.) and FOUR OTHER SONS - names unknown.

Gr. Gr. Grandchildren

42. ESTHER (?) SANKKEY This daughter of SARAH THOMSON and Rev. Richard Sankey, whose Christian name is in doubt

m. JAMES PARKS, JR.

Children: 42-1 RICHARD S. PARKS

42-2 BETSY PARKS

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

42-1 RICHARD SANKKEY PARKS Is believed (?) to have married his cousin, i. e.:

m. 41-4 ESTHER(?) PARKS

Children: 4210. WILLIAM H. PARKS
 4211. ELIZABETH (BETSY) PARKS
 4212. EZEKIEL PARKS m. FRANCES A. REDD
 4213. COMBUS W. PARKS m. MARY ANN ARMOUR
 4214. THOMAS JEFFERSON PARKS
 4215. MARY PARKS

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

4214. THOMAS JEFFERSON PARKS Married in Greene County, Ga. on FEB. 12, 1825, and had 17 children.

[NOTE 9]

m. ELIZA J. BILLINGSLEA

Partial list

Children: 4214-1 JAMES B. PARKS (JUDGE).
 4214-2 WILLIAM PARKS m. ELIZA J. BRADSHAW
 4214-3 SOPHIA J. PARKS m. THOMAS E. WINN
 4214-4 BETSY A. PARKS m. JOHN T. DAWSON
 4214-5 RICHARD S. PARKS m. NANCY T. WALKER
 4214-6 MARGARET A. PARKS m. CLARK HOWELL

Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

4214-1 JAMES B. PARKS was the father of JUDGE JAMES BILLINGSLEA PARKS, Circuit Judge of the Oconee District 1940.

4214-6 MARGARET A. PARKS and CLARK HOWELL were the parents of the late CLARK HOWELL, of the ATLANTA CONSTITUTION.

43. DR. JOHN THOMSON SANKET

{ NOTE 10. }

This grand-son of REV. JOHN THOMSON was a graduate of Hampden-Sidney College in 1788, and removed to WILKES COUNTY, GA. in 1793 where he was a practicing physician. He was married in 1801.

m. ANNE DANIEL

Children:

- 43-1 WILLIAM DANIEL SANKET m. MARGARET DANIEL
- 43-2 RICHARD T. SANKET M. D. m. FRANCES LOVE
in 1831 Greene County, Georgia.
- 43-3 JOHN THOMSON SANKET (b. ca 1805 d. 1837)
(Montgomery County, Alabama.)
- 43-4 JAMES CUNNINGHAM SANKET m. FRANCES E. RUDALE,
Oct. 11, 1837.
- 43-5 MARY ANNE SANKET m. JAMES B. STEPHENS.

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

43-1 WILLIAM DANIEL SANKET

This Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson married a daughter of JAMES CUNNINGHAM DANIEL and his wife 41-2 MARY PARKS. They were first cousins, and after their marriage they moved to MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA.

m. MARGARET DANIEL

Children:

- 4310. DR. JOHN THOMSON SANKET (b. 1825) m. REBECCA H. DANIEL (Da. of DR. JAMES DANIEL and wife MARY)
- 4311. JANE E. SANKET m. E. S. LEONARD, Dec. 8,
1852, MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA.
- 4312. LAURA SANKET (b. 1839) MONTGOMERY, ALA.

X/NO

Probably others

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

43a MARY SANKET

All the information available about this grandchild of Rev. John Thomson is that she

m. ARCHIBALD SIMPSON and had

One Child: 43a-1 ESTHER SIMPSON

whose name appears on the family records (Bible) of James Cunningham Daniel and wife 41-2 MARY PARKS, showing that she died on the 16th day of March, 1826. Esther Simpson and Mary Parks were first cousins.

Great Grandchild of Rev. John Thomson.

SIXTH DIVISION

33

DESCENDANTS OF ELIZABETH THOMSON

44. ROBERT BAKER No further record of this grand-
son of REV. JOHN THOMSON who is
mentioned in the will of his fa-
ther SAMUEL BAKER, dated Dec. 24,
1757, in ROWAN COUNTY, North Caro-
lina.

45. JOHN BAKER Nothing further.

46. MARGARET BAKER Nothing further.

47. MARY BAKER Nothing further.

48. SAMUEL HARRIS This son of ELIZABETH THOMSON by
her second husband CHARLES HARRIS
was born near POPLAR TIENT CHURCH -
CABARRAS COUNTY, N. C. in 1760. He
died at PRINCETON, where he was a
tutor in 1791. Never married.

[NOTE 25]

49. CHARLES HARRIS, JR. Grandson of Rev. John Thomson, who
was born Nov. 23, 1762, became a
famous surgeon of his days and had
a Medical School from which gradu-
ated many physicians in CABARRAS
COUNTY, N. C.

m. SARAH HARRIS

Children: 49-1 CHARLES J. HARRIS
 49-2 WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE HARRIS

NOTE: SARAH HARRIS was the daughter of COL. JAMES HARRIS, one of
the signers of the Mecklenberg Declaration.

SEVENTH DIVISION

34

DESCENDANTS OF ANNE THOMSON

50. SAMUEL CUNNINGHAM Samuel Cunningham was a grandson of Rev. John Thomson.

m. JANE DANIEL

JANE DANIEL was a sister of WILLIAM, JAMES and JOHN DANIEL, each of whom married sisters of SAMUEL CUNNINGHAM.

No information has been found on the records pertaining to their children.

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51. ANDREW CUNNINGHAM January 3, 1785, Andrew Cunningham, grandson of Rev. John Thomson

m. ISABELL HANNAH

who was a daughter of GEORGE HANNAH and a sister of ANDREW HANNAH who married 57 ANNE CUNNINGHAM, a sister of ANDREW.

No information has been found on the records pertaining to their children.

52. JAMES CUNNINGHAM, JR.

{ NOTE 11. }

He was the son of JAMES CUNNINGHAM, SR. and his wife ANN THOMSON, and was a grandson of Rev. John Thomson. He was born Aug. 26, 1767 in Charlotte County, Va. and died Sept. 15, 1812 in Greene County, Ga.

m. FRANCES REDD

His wife was born Oct. 9, 1771, and they were married Jan. 3, 1789 in Prince Edward County, Va. After his death his widow married (1817) Thos. B. Scott. By James Cunningham she had

Children:

- 52-1 THOMAS CUNNINGHAM (b. March 21, 1790).
- 52-2 ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM (b. Dec. 13, 1791)
- 52-3 JOHN DANIEL CUNNINGHAM (b. Nov 16, 1793)
- 52-4 SAMUEL CUNNINGHAM (b. 1796) never mar'd
- 52-5 MARY M. CUNNINGHAM (b. Oct. 25, 1796)
- 52-6 HARRIET FRANCES CUNNINGHAM (b. ca. 1801)
- 52-7 WILLIAM REDD CUNNINGHAM (b. ca. 1803)
- 52-8 MARTHA CUNNINGHAM (b. ca. 1805)
- 52-9 ELIZA EARLY CUNNINGHAM (b. July 13, 1807)

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Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

52-1 THOMAS CUNNINGHAM

He was the great grandson of Rev. John Thomson and was born on Mar. 21, 1790, and October 28, 1817

m. HARRIET B. McCLURG

His first cousin and the only child of NATHANIEL McCLURG and his wife POLLY REED. Harriet (McClurg) Cunningham died January 8, 1838.

- Children:
- 5210. ALBERT CUNNINGHAM
 - 5211. MARY FRANCES CUNNINGHAM m. (1) HENRY (2) HILL
 - 5212. THOMAS CUNNINGHAM
 - 5213. LUCY CUNNINGHAM
 - 5214. WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

52-2 ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM

Great grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson, born Dec. 13, 1791, and Oct. 6, 1806

m. JEREMIAH EARLY

She died in 1807. She was the first wife of Jeremiah Early. No children of this marriage.

52-3 JOHN DANIEL CUNNINGHAM Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson and son of JAMES CUNNINGHAM JR and Frances Redd. Twice married - first to ELIZA STURGIS in 1819 who died in 1820 - no children; then, in 1821 he

m. ANN BILLIPS

the widow and second wife of JEREMIAH EARLY, whose first wife had been 52-2 Elizabeth Cunningham.

Children: 5230. CORNELIUS THOMSON CUNNINGHAM (b 1822)
5231. FRANCES (FANNIE) CUNNINGHAM
5232. MARY WINGFIELD CUNNINGHAM
m. SAMUEL DANIEL LINTON

GREAT GREAT Grandchildren of REV. JNO THOMSON.

5232. MARY WINGFIELD CUNNINGHAM She was the great great granddaughter of Rev. John Thomson and on the 21st of September 1847

m. SAMUEL DANIEL LINTON

Children: 5232-1. ANNIE LINTON
5232-2. JOHN A. LINTON
5232-3. WILLIAM T. LINTON
5232-4. JANIE LINTON
[NOTE 12]- 5232-5. MINNIE LINTON m. THOMAS ELISHA WINN
5232-6. SAMUEL D. LINTON

Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5232-3. WILLIAM T. LINTON Name of his wife unknown.

Children: 5232-30. MINNIE LINTON
5232-31. RUDD LINTON
5232-32. WILLIAM T. LINTON

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

52-4 SAMUEL CUNNINGHAM This great grandson of Rev. John Thomson was born in 1796 and died unmarried July 23, 1816.

52-5 MARY M. CUNNINGHAM This great grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson was born the 25th of October, 1798, and on December 3, 1816

m. DR. JOHN WINGFIELD

Children: 5250 FANNIE WINGFIELD m. NESBIT
 5261 AUGUSTUS WINGFIELD
 5262 ALFRED WINGFIELD
 5263 AMANDA WINGFIELD
 5254 _____ WINGFIELD m. ALONZO CHURCH
 5255 MARTHA WINGFIELD
 5256 _____ WINGFIELD (Da.) m. LILES
 5257 _____ WINGFIELD (Da.) m. RICHIE
 5258 _____ WINGFIELD

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

52-6 HARRIET FRANCES CUNNINGHAM This Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson was born ca 1801, and died in the month of September, 1833. In August, 1820 she

m. JAMES S. PARKS

Children: 8260 ALFRED PARKS
 8261 CATHERINE PARKS m. ALLEN
 8262 JOHN PARKS
 8263 ANNE PARKS m. HEARD
 8264 FANNIE E. PARKS m. ROBERTSON.

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

52-7 WILLIAM REDD CUNNINGHAM Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson and son of 52 James Cunningham Jr. and Frances Redd was born ca. 1803

m. ELIZA EARLY

His wife was the step-daughter of his older brother, JOHN DANIEL CUNNINGHAM and the daughter of JEREMIAH EARLY and his second wife ANNE BILLUPS.

Children: 5270. JEREMIAH EARLY CUNNINGHAM
5271. JAMES THOMSON CUNNINGHAM m. MISS HEARD
5272. WILLIAM REDD CUNNINGHAM (Moved to Texas and lived at FORT WORTH).
5273. CLARA CUNNINGHAM

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

52-8 MARTHA CUNNINGHAM Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson, born ca. 1805. At a double wedding with her sister ELIZA EARLY CUNNINGHAM on October 21, 1824 she

m. DR. WYLIE D. MASON

Children: 5280. WILLIAM REDD MASON
5281. WYLIE W. MASON
5282. FRANCES MASON

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

52-9 ELIZA EARLY CUNNINGHAM This great grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson was born July 13, in 1807, at GREENSBORO, GEORGIA. She was the youngest child of JAMES CUNNINGHAM and FRANCES REED & was named for her sister 52-2 Eliza - both, who was the first wife of JEREMIAH EARLY (brother of Gov - ernor PETER EARLY, of Georgia) & who had died at about the time of her own birth. She was the other bride in the double wedding above referred to. On October 21, 1824 she

m. DR. JOSEPH WINGFIELD GRIMES

Children: 5290. FRANCES ADELINE GRIMES
5291. MARTHA INDIANA GRIMES
m. WILLIAM ALEXANDER LINTON

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5291. MARTHA INDIANA GRIMES Great Great Grandchild of Rev. John Thomson

m. WILLIAM ALEXANDER LINTON

Children: 5291-1 JOHN DANIEL LINTON
5291-2 ADELINE GRIMES LINTON
5292-3 LILLIAN LINTON m. MR. ELLIOTT
5292-4 JOHN GRIMES LINTON
5292-5 FLORENCE EARLY LINTON
m. JOHN GOODWIN HERNDON

Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5292-5 FLORENCE EARLY LINTON Great Great Great Grandchild of Rev. John Thomson

m. JOHN GOODWIN HERNDON

Had son: 529250. JOHN GOODWIN HERNDON
m. GRACE CORDELIA MIDDLETON

Great Great Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson



The Old Plantation Home of JAMES KELSO DANIEL which is still standing in Greene County, Georgia.



"OLD BUFFALO" CHURCH, where REV. JOHN THOMSON was minister, in PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY, VA., as it looks today.



"OLD BETHANY" Presbyterian Church in GREENE COUNTY, GA. JOHN THOMSON DANIEL, his son and grandson, sleep here, and here Woodrow Wilson's grandfather was tried for heresy. HUGH MOORE was an elder in the Church.



Old Churchyard in the Presbyterian Church at PHILOMATE, GA., where the DANIEL FAMILY is buried. Four generations of the family were Elders in the Church.

53. ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM

[NOTE 13]

Daughter of ANN THOMSON and JAMES
CUNNINGHAM and grand-daughter of
Rev. JOHN THOMSON about 1767

m. JAMES DANIEL [NOTE 17]

- Children:
- 53-1 JAMES CUNNINGHAM DANIEL (b. Dec. 1768)
 - 53-2 CUNNINGHAM DANIEL (b. ca. 1771)
 - 53-3 JOHN THOMSON DANIEL (b. Jan. 29, 1773)
 - 53-4 WILLIAM T. DANIEL (1775-1815)
 - 53-5 JANE DANIEL (Alive unmarried 1834)
 - 53-6 SARAH DANIEL (d. 1828)
 - 53-7 _____ DANIEL (Dea.) m. JOHN COLBERT [NOTE 18]
 - 53-8 SAMUEL DANIEL (d. 1826)
 - 53-9 THOMAS DANIEL (d. 1825)
 - 54-10 RICHARD SANKBY DANIEL (d. 1818)
 - 54-11 DAVID C. DANIEL m. (1818) MARGARET
FINDLEY.

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

53-1 JAMES CUNNINGHAM DANIEL

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Was born Dec. 30, 1768 in Va.
In Virginia on February 4, 1790
he

m. (41-2) MARY PARKS

- Children:
- 5310. BETSY ANN DANIEL (b. Dec. 9, 1790)
 - 5311. NANCY BAKER DANIEL (b. Dec. 24, 1792)
 - 5312. SARAH DANIEL (b. Feb. 21, 1795)
 - 5313. CHARLOTTE DANIEL (b. July 2, 1798)
 - 5314. JANE DANIEL (b. Oct. 15, 1800)
 - 5315. MARGARET DANIEL (b. Nov. 19, 1802)
 - 5316. MARY (POLLY) DANIEL (b. Sep. 17, 1805)

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

53-2 CUNNINGHAM DANIEL

[NOTE 15.]

Son of ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM and
JAMES DANIEL, was the Great Grand-
son of Rev. John Thomson, and

m. JANE COFFEE

Children: 5320 ROBERT C. DANIEL (1807-1865)
5321 SAMUEL EWING DANIEL
5322 ELIZABETH A. DANIEL
5323 EMELINE DANIEL
5324 MARY DANIEL

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5330 ROBERT C. DANIEL

[NOTE 16.]

Great Great Grandson of Rev. JOHN
THOMSON lived and died at WOOD -
STOCK, later PHILMATH, Georgia.
Was twice marriedm. (1) ELIZABETH FAVOR
m. (2) EMILY G. MILNER

Children: 5330-1 WILLIAM THOMAS DANIEL
5330-2 MARIE ANTOINETTE DANIEL m. FELIX
PEEK
5330-3 ELLA C. DANIEL m. JAS. McC BRYAN
5330-4 JOHN J. DANIEL m. AUGUSTA DRAKE
5330-5 ROBERT C. DANIEL (1851-1861)

Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5331 SAMUEL EWING DANIEL

Great Great Grandson of Rev. JNO
THOMSON and son of CUNNINGHAM
DANIEL

m. MARY E. SLAYTON

Children: 5331-1 AMAZIAH CUNNINGHAM DANIEL
5331-2 JOHN DANIEL
5331-3 JAMES G. DANIEL
5331-4 ALEXANDER DILLARD DANIEL
5331-5 SARAH CORNELIA DANIEL married
JULIUS CARLTON.

Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5320-1 WILLIAM THOMAS DANIEL He was the Great Great Great Gr. son of Rev. John Thomson, and the son of ROBERT C. DANIEL, and was born Feb. 9, 1837, and died January 1, 1867.

m. LETITIA M. BRANCH

Children: 5320-10 WILLIE DANIEL (Dan.) m. ROBT. TILNEY
5320-11 CLINTON DANIEL (Gamblee, Georgia)

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

NOTE: William Thomas Daniel was killed by JAMES GLENN in an argument over an old negro known as "Miller John". Glenn knocked William Thomas Daniel in the head with a stick of stovewood, killing him instantly.

5320-4 JOHN J. DANIEL

Another son of ROBERT C. DANIEL - born March 1, 1833, and died Oct 29, 1904.

m. AUGUSTA DRAKE

Children: 5320-40 DR. B. F. DANIEL m. MISS BRANCH
5320-41 IDA DANIEL m. WALTER HENRY ARNOLD
5320-42 FLORENCE DANIEL m. DR. CHILES

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5321-1 AMAZIAH CUNNINGHAM DANIEL

The son of SAMUEL IRVING DANIEL and wife MARY E. SLAYTON and Great Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson

m. ELIZABETH DILLARD

Children: 5321-10 JOHN GRIER DANIEL m. EMMA HIIMAN
5321-11 JOHN F. DANIEL
5321-12 MARY DANIEL
5321-13 CURTIS DANIEL
5321-14 EMMA F. DANIEL
5321-15 JENNIE LEE DANIEL

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5321-4 ALEXANDER DILLARD DANIEL Son of SAMUEL EWING DANIEL &
Great Great Great Grandson
of Rev. JOHN THOMSON

m. REBECCA BIRD

Children: 5321-40 BIRD DANIEL
5321-41 MARGARET DANIEL m. JOHN H. CARLE-
TON

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John
Thomson

5321-3 SARAH CORNELIA DANIEL Daughter of SAMUEL EWING DAN-
IEL and MARY E. SLAYTON

m. JULIUS CARLETON

Children: 5321-50 JOHN H. CARLETON
m. MARGARET DANIEL

Great Great Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson

5321-50-1 MISS MAMIE LOU CARLETON and her brother _____
CARLETON, son and daughter of JOHN H. CARLETON and
wife MARGARET DANIEL live in the old CARLETON home
at UNION POINT (Greene County) GEORGIA. This
old home is now the local hotel and they were the
first real contacts made by us in Georgia when we
made our first visit there looking for the descend-
ants of the DANIEL and THOMSON families. They are

GREAT GREAT GREAT GREAT GREAT Grandchildren of REV. THOMSON

53-3 JOHN THOMSON DANIEL

{ NOTE 17. }

He was the son of JAMES DANIEL & ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM and the Grt. Grandson of Rev. John Thomson, & was born Jan. 29, 1773 in Prince Edward County, Va.

m. ANNE THOMSON HANNAH

Children: 5330 JAMES ANDREW DANIEL (b. Aug. 22, 1806)
 5331 WILLIAM HANNAH DANIEL (1808-1837)
 5332 ELIZA ANN DANIEL m. THOS. B. KING
 5333 JANE CUNNINGHAM DANIEL (1813-1845)
 5334 MARY ANN DANIEL m. JOS. W. BILLUPS

Great Great Grand Children of Rev. John Thomson

5331 WILLIAM HANNAH DANIEL

{ NOTE 19. }

Great Great Grandson of REV. JOHN THOMSON and son of JOHN THOMSON DANIEL, on Nov. 15, 1827

m. ADELINE MOORE

Children: 5331-1 MARTHA ANN DANIEL m. (1) JOHN SCOTT
 m. (2) JAS. WRIGHT
 5331-2 JOHN W. DANIEL m. (1) MARY BERIAN
 m. (2) MARTHA RANKIN
 5331-3 OSCAR A. DANIEL m. MARGARET DANIEL
 5331-4 WILLIAM HUGH DANIEL m. SHERINA CARTER

Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5331-1 MARTHA ANN DANIEL

Great Great Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson

m. (1) JOHN SCOTT

Children: 5331-10 EUGENE SCOTT m. MARY E. SINGER (May 9, 1867, Fayette County, Tex.)
 5331-11 JOHN SCOTT
 5331-12 OSCAR SCOTT
 5331-13 ADELINE SCOTT

By her second husband, James Wright, she had no children.

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

5331-2 COL. JOHN W. DANIEL

{ NOTE 20 }

He was Colonel of the Fifteenth Texas Infantry, C. S. A. and was a Great Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson. He was twice married, (2nd) to MARTHA MOORE RANKIN, his cousin, by whom he had no children, and first 1852

m. MARY E. BEMAN

- Children: 5331-20 WILLIAM DANIEL (Died an infant)
- 5331-21 FANNIE DANIEL m. WILLIAM D. WROTEH
- 5331-22 ANNIE DANIEL m. GEO. L. DAVIDSON

Great-Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5331-21 FANNIE DANIEL

Daughter of Col. John W. Daniel , and Great Great Great Great Grand daughter of Rev. John Thomson was born Oct. 8, 1856, in Troy, N. Y. Her mother was Mary Elizabeth Beman, daughter of Samuel H. Beman and Frances Julia Ann Cone, daughter of Judge William Cone, of Greene County, Georgia. Samuel H. Beman was first cousin of Dr. Nathan S. S. Beman, noted educator. She

m. WILLIAM DAWSON WROTEH

- Children: 5331-21-1 IDA JESSIE WROTEH m. LEWIS L. FEE
- 5331-21-2 ANNIE MAUDE WROTEH d. unmarried.
- 5331-21-3 MARIE WROTEH m. WORTH STICKLEY RAY
- 5331-21-4 ELLA DE GARIS WROTEH m. J. W. PINSON
- 5331-21-5 JOEL DAWSON WROTEH m. CARLINE STEWART
- 5331-21-6 WILLIAM OUIDA WROTEH m. REV. JOHN P. KIDD, PRESB. MINISTER.

The WROTEHS were descendants of an old BARNWELL DISTRICT South Carolina family to MISSISSIPPI - then to Texas.

Great Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5331-22 ANNIE DANIEL

Daughter of Col. John W. Daniel and Great Great Great Great Grand daughter of Rev. John Thomson

m. GEORGE L. DAVIDSON

- Children: 5331-22-1 FANNIE DAVIDSON m. SCOGGINS
- 5331-22-2 GEORGE DAVIDSON
- 5331-22-3 CATHERINE DAVIDSON m. WILL WATSON
- 5331-22-4 JULIA DAVIDSON m. PAGE NELSON
- 5331-22-5 JOHN DAVIDSON

Most of the DAVIDSONS migrated to California. They were the descendants of the DAVIDSONS of Necklenberg County, North Carolina and Prince Edward County, Virginia.

Great Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

5331-3 OSCAR A. DANIEL

[NOTE 10]

Son of WILLIAM HANNAH DANIEL and wife ADELINE MOORE, daughter of HUGH MOORE and his wife MISS FITZGERALD

m. MARGARET T. DANIEL

- Children: 5331-30 JAMES HANNAH DANIEL (Died Infant)
- 5331-31 SCOTT DANIEL (Died 1829 in Texas)
- 5331-32 MATTIE DANIEL (Died Young).

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5331-4 WILLIAM HUGH DANIEL

[NOTE 21]

Son of WILLIAM HANNAH DANIEL and Great Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson

m. SERENA CARTER

- Children: 5331-40 ADELINE DANIEL m. O. GRAY
- 5331-41 SARAH DANIEL m. WOODY T. COOLIDGE
- 5331-42 EMELINE DANIEL m. MONROE COOLIDGE
- 5331-43 OSCAR DANIEL (Alive 1939)
- 5331-44 GUSSIE DANIEL m. LEACH (Dallas Tex)

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5333 JANE CUNNINGHAM DANIEL Daughter of JOHN THOMSON DANIEL
and ANN THOMSON HANNAH and the
Great Great Grand-daughter of the
Rev. John Thomson in 1835

m. MAJ. JOHN BORUM LENNARD

Children: 5333-1 MARY ANN LENNARD m. ALEX M. KENDRICK
5333-2 WILLIAM DANIEL LENNARD d. C. S. A.
5333-3 ELIZA J. LENNARD m. ALEX M. KENDRICK
5333-4 THOMAS C. LENNARD (Killed in C. S. A.)
5333-5 SARAH FRANCES LENNARD m. JNO. A. SMITH

Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.
NOTE: JANE CUNNINGHAM DANIEL LENNARD is buried in the Old Beth-
any Church Yard in Greene County, Ga. After her death Major Len-
nard emigrated to Texas. He died at Woodland, Texas in 1870.

5333-1 MARY ANN LENNARD Married Maj. Alex M. Kendrick and
after her death (2 children)Maj.
Kendrick

m. (2) 5333-3 ELIZA J. LENNARD

Children: 5333-10 MRS. TURNER (San Saba, Texas.)
5333-11 MRS. McASKILL (San Saba, Texas.)
5333-40 JULIUS KENDRICK (Nixburg, Ala.)
5333-41 CARRIE KENDRICK (Nixburg, Ala.)
5333-42 SARAH FRANCES KENDRICK (Nixburg, Ala.)

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5333-5 SARAH FRANCES LENNARD Great Great Great Grand-daughter
of Rev. John Thomson

m. JOHN A. SMITH

Children: 5333-50 JOHN A. SMITH
5333-51 FANNIE SMITH m. MR. THOMAS
5333-52 MARY ALICE SMITH m. MR. McCURDY
5333-53 LIDA SMITH m. MR. POND.
(All of Coosa County, Alabama.)

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5334 MARY ANN DANIEL

Daughter of JOHN THOMSON DANIEL
and ANNE THOMSON HANNAH, who was
born in 1817, who in 1835

m. JOSEPH W. BILLUPS

Children: 5334-1 EARLY BILLUPS m. JEANNETTE CRAWFORD
5334-2 JOHN BILLUPS
5334-3 MARY & MOLLIE & BILLUPS m. GEORGE
NORTON.
5334-4 FRANCES BILLUPS m. REV. KENNEDREW
5334-5 VIRGINIA BILLUPS

NOTE: JOSEPH W. BILLUPS, above, and ANN BILLUPS, who
married 52-3 JOHN DANIEL GUNNINGHAM were son and daugh-
ter of RICHARD BILLUPS who married ELIZABETH REDD, the
daughter of Thomas Redd in Prince Edward County, Virgin-
ia, in 1791.

Above were Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5334-4 FRANCES BILLUPS

This Great Great Great Grand-daugh-
ter of Rev. John Thomson

m. REV. KENNEDREW (Baptist Minr.)

Children: 5334-40 DAISY KENNEDREW
5334-41 LAURA KENNEDREW
5334-41 RUTH KENNEDREW
5334-42 JESSIE KENNEDREW
5334-43 ELIZABETH KENNEDREW

These descendants all live in Columbus, Mississippi.

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

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53-4 WILLIAM T. DANIEL

1775
He was born in 1875 and died in 1815. in 1809, in Prince Edward County, Virginia, he

m. ELIZABETH BELL

the daughter of GEORGE BELL and his wife REBECCA CALHOUN, daughter of ADAM CALHOUN, SR.

Children: 5340. ELIZABETH WILLIAM DANIEL

Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson

5340. ELIZABETH WILLIAM DANIEL

She was the only child and daughter of WILLIAM T. DANIEL. She was born about 1810 and in 1836

m. BENJAMIN WILLIAM WOMACK

Of Prince Edward County, Virginia.

Children: 5340-1 ELIZABETH DANIEL WOMACK
5340-2 VIOLET JANE WOMACK
5340-3 JAMES W. WOMACK
5340-4 WILLIAM DANIEL WOMACK
5340-5 BENJAMIN A. WOMACK
5340-6 NATHANIEL B. WOMACK

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

NOTE: ELIZABETH (BELL) DANIEL'S will (widow of 53-4 WILLIAM T. DANIEL) was dated APRIL 1, 1856, and probated SEPTEMBER 15, 1856. It is recorded in PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY, Virginia, in Will Book 10, page 288. It mentions all of the above grand-children.

53-5 JANE DANIEL

This daughter of JAMES DANIEL and his wife ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM was alive in 1834 and was then unmarried. She may have died an old maid, leaving no descendants.

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53-6 SARAH DANIEL

This daughter of JAMES DANIEL and ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM and Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson

m. JOSIAH ELLINGTON, JR.

Josiah Ellington, Jr. died in the year 1820, and his widow Sarah d. in 1828.

Children: 5360. WILLIAM B. ELLINGTON m. JANE DANIEL
5361. SIMON ELLINGTON m. MARY LANGDON
5362. THOMAS P. ELLINGTON
5363. SARAH JANE ELLINGTON
5364. JAMES ELLINGTON

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

NOTE: 5361. SIMON ELLINGTON lived in Washington, Ga. and the old Simeon Ellington home still stands across the street from the county court house in the town of Washington. On the site of the courthouse the last meeting of the Confederate Cabinet was held by Jefferson Davis and Gen. John H. Reagan, just before the capture of Davis, and both are said to have dined at the home of Simeon Ellington, while stopping there on this occasion.

53-7

DANIEL (Dau.)

This Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson, whose given name is lost.

m. COL. JOHN COLBERT [NOTE 18]

Col. Colbert was mentioned as "my son-in-law" in the will of JAMES DANIEL in 1819 (proved 1821) and Col. Colbert afterwards, probably, married MARY DANIEL, cousin of his first wife, and daughter of WILLIAM DANIEL and HANNAH CUNNINGHAM, as shown on the "Wynne Chart".

No children ever found of either marriage.

53-8 SAMUEL DANIEL

Son of JAMES DANIEL and ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM, and Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson died in 1823, his will being of record in GREENE COUNTY, GEORGIA, where he died. In 1808 in Hancock County, Georgia, he

m. MARY EVANS

Children: 5380. HENRY F. DANIEL m. MARTHA SELINA MOORE
5381. JAMES A. (JACK) DANIEL (Killed) un. m.
5382. AMANDA DANIEL m. DANIEL DAY, Nov. 1834.

NOTE: JAMES A. (JACK) DANIEL died without issue and unmarried, he having been killed, it is said, by a drunken Irishman, who was a shoemaker.

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5380. HENRY FERGUSON DANIEL This Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson

m. MARTHA SELINA MOORE

who was a sister of ADELINA MOORE, the wife of 5331 William H. Daniel. They were the daughters of HUGH MOORE, born in Mecklenberg County, N. C. and an Elder in the OLD BETHANY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH in GREENE County, Ga.

Children: 5380-1 FRANCES GOULDING DANIEL
m. FRANCIS BILLINGSLEA
5380-2 CORNELIA DANIEL
m. REV. WILLIAM WALKER MORRISON, of Mecklenberg County N. C., who died in Tenn.

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5380-1 FRANCES GOULDING DANIEL This daughter of 5380 HENRY
FERGUSON DANIEL and his wife
Martha Selina Moore

m. FRANCIS BILLINGSLEA

Children: 5380-10 LOUISA BILLINGSLEA m. MR. GREEN
5380-11 CORNELIA BILLINGSLEA m. HON. JOHN
M. COPLEY, CSA, OF TEXAS
5380-12 FRANCES BILLINGSLEA
5380-13 ORA BILLINGSLEA m. MR. EDWARDS
5380-14 FRANCIS BILLINGSLEA
5380-15 CYRUS BILLINGSLEA

NOTE: These Great Great Great Great Grand-children
of Rev. John Thomson migrated to Alabama and thence to Texas,
some of them finally landing in FREDERICK, OKLAHOMA.

5380-2 CORNELIA DANIEL She was a Great Great Great
Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thom-
son and the daughter of HENRY F.
DANIEL and MARTHA SELINA MOORE

m. REV. WILLIAM W. MORRISON

who was born in North Carolina &
died in Tennessee.

Children: 5380-20 FRANCES M. MORRISON m. SMITHSON
5380-21 LAVINIA MORRISON m. GRAN TURNER
5380-22 JAMES H. MORRISON
5380-23 MARTHA MOORE MORRISON

NOTE: Mrs. Smithson is still living in JOHNSON CITY -
TENNESSEE, and MRS. TURNER in STATESVILLE, N. C.

Great Great Great Great Grand-children of Rev. John
Thomson.

53-9 THOMAS DANIEL

This Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson was a Georgia merchant, who died single, without issue in 1825. One Thomas Daniel married ELIZA ANN NEAL in Wilkes County, Ga., Sept. 1, 1818. As there is no record of another Thomas Daniel of that time and place it is possible that it was the same one, but there is no proof.

53-10 RICHARD SANKIE DANIEL This son of JAMES DANIEL and ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM died in 1818. He

m. NANCY ELLINGTON

daughter of JOSIAH ELLINGTON, SR. and sister of JOSIAH ELLINGTON, JR. who married his sister 53-6 Sarah Daniel.

Children: 53-10-1 FRANCES ELIZABETH DANIEL
m. CHARLES BAIRD.

Great Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson

NOTE: CHARLES BAIRD, of Autauga County, Alabama, who married Frances Elizabeth Daniel died "in the province of Texas" prior to 1837. Nancy Daniel, the widow, married, after his death, WILLIAM S. MORGAN. No record of their children, if any.

53-11 DAVID C. DANIEL

[NOTE 22]

He was the youngest child of JAMES DANIEL and ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM &

m. MARGARET FINDLEY

(David Crockett
m. POLLY FIND-
LEY)

They were married in 1818. It is the conviction of the compiler that MARGARET FINDLEY was a grand-daughter of JOHN FINDLEY, who married a sister of the grand-mother of DAVID C. DANIEL.

No further record.

54. SARAH CUNNINGHAM

This daughter of ANNE THOMSON & her husband JAMES CUNNINGHAM and Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson, in the will of her father, written in 1875 was referred to as the "relict of Samuel Caldwell" who was her first husband, then deceased. In 1777 she

m (2) JOHN DANIEL

brother of James and William Daniel, each of whom had married one of her sisters.

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- Children:
- 54-1 JAMES KELSO DANIEL m. VIOLET BELL
 - 54-2 BESSY ANN DANIEL m. WILLIAM REED
 - 54-3 JANE DANIEL m. ADAM CALHOUN, JR.
 - 54-4 SALLIE DANIEL m. LLOYD STEWART
 - 54-5 MARY (POLLY) DANIEL m. JAMES McDEARMAN
 - 54-6 MARGARET DANIEL m. REZIN PORTER
 - 54-7 FRANCIS DANIEL m. WILLIAM MATTHEWS
 - 54-8 SAMUEL J. DANIEL

These were Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

54-1 JAMES KELSO DANIEL

This grandson of Rev. John Thomson was born in 1778, the oldest son of JOHN DANIEL and his wife SARAH CUNNINGHAM, of Prince Edward County, Va. He died in 1845 in Greene County, Georgia, where he owned a large old Southern plantation and many slaves. The ruins of this old plantation are still there, standing guant and stark like ghosts of the past & mementos of "Sherman's march to the Sea". In the year 1805, he returned to Virginia and married the sweetheart of his early days

m. VIOLET BELL

the daughter of GEORGE BELL and REBECCA CALHOUN, a sister of ELIZABETH BELL who married 53-4 William T. Daniel, son of James Daniel and ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM.

- Children:
- 5410. WILLIAM R. DANIEL (1821-1843)
 - 5411. OLIVER PORTER DANIEL (1821-1882)
 - 5412. JAMES KELSO DANIEL, JR. m. SARAH GIBSON.
 - 5413. THOMAS STOCKS DANIEL
 - 5414. SAMUEL CLARK DANIEL
 - 5415. EUPHRASIA DANIEL
 - 5416. JANE DANIEL m. 5360 WM. B. ELLINGTON
 - 5417. HARRIET DANIEL m. DR. THOMAS FOSTER
 - 5418. SARAH DANIEL m. ISAAC WATTS WADDELL

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5410 WILLIAM R. DANIEL

Was the twin of his brother OLIVER PORTER DANIEL. He died unmarried, without children.

5411 OLIVER PORTER DANIEL

Twin of WILLIAM R. DANIEL was b. in 1831 and died in 1882. He was twice married but had no children by his second marriage in 1858 to JANE VICTORIA CONE, the daughter of Judge Hiram F. Cone, and she, after his death, married JOEL ABBOTT BILLUPS, of Madison, Ga. Oliver P. Daniel

m. (1) FANNIE CLARK

Children: 5411-1 CLARK DANIEL

Great
Who was a Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson

5418 SARAH DANIEL

Daughter of 54-1 JAMES K. DANIEL and Great Grand-daughter of Rev John Thomson

m. ISAAC WATTS WADDELL

son of MOSES WADDELL, noted educator and had

Children: 5418-1 JAMES DANIEL WADDELL m. MILDORA SPARKS
5418-2 ELIZABETH P. WADDELL m. STEETZE
5418-3 MARY WADDELL m. R. P. LESTER
5418-4 JOHN O. WADDELL m. ELLA C. PECK
5418-5 ISAAC W. WADDELL m. G. BLACKWELL

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5414 SAMUEL CLARK DANIEL Son of JAMES K. DANIEL and his wife VIOLET BELL, was born 1830 and died in 1876. He

H. _____

Children: 5414-1 WILLIAM DANIEL
5414-2 JAMES KELSO DANIEL
5414-3 THOMAS DANIEL
5414-4 SAMUEL DANIEL

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5414-2 JAMES KELSO DANIEL Son of SAMUEL CLARK DANIEL (According to the Winn Chart)

H. _____

Children: 5414-20 GEORGE DANIEL
5414-21 WILLIE DANIEL
5414-22 JOHN W. DANIEL

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

54-2 BETSY ANN DANIEL

Daughter of SARAH CUNNINGHAM and JOHN DANIEL and Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson

m. WILLIAM REDD

- Children: 5420. CHARLES REDD
5421. WILLIAM REDD
5422. JAMES K. REDD
5423. SARAH REDD
5424. MANTHA REDD

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5421. WILLIAM REDD

Son of Betsy Ann Daniel and her husband WILLIAM REDD

m. _____

- Children: 5421-1 JAMES REDD
5421-2 W. A. REDD
5421-3 WILLIAM REDD
5421-4 JAMES K. REDD

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5421-2 W. A. REDD

Son of 5421 WILLIAM REDD (all this in accordance with the Winn Chart)

m. _____

- Children: 5421-20 LILLA REDD
5421-21 W. A. REDD, JR.
5421-22 LOCK REDD
5421-23 JANE REDD
5421-24 LULA REDD

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

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54-3 JANE DANIEL

[NOTE 23]

She was the daughter of SARAH CUNNINGHAM and JOHN DANIEL, and on December 6, 1799, in Prince Edward County, Virginia

m. ADAM CALHOUN, JR.

- Children:
- 5430. SARAH D. CALHOUN m. WOMACK *Lillian Dillon Womack*
 - 5431. JOHN DANIEL CALHOUN m. E. C. JOHNS
 - 5432. WILLIAM CALHOUN m. MISS SMITH, *Memphis Tenn*
 - 5433. MARGARET CALHOUN m. JOHN R. GILLIAM
 - 5434. JAMES CALHOUN m. COZ. McDEARMAN, *La James & Mary*
 - 5435. VIOLET CALHOUN m. DRURY CALHOUN *Daniel McDeArman*
 - 5436. GEORGE BELL CALHOUN m. MISS BLEDSOE
 - 5437. MARY JANE CALHOUN m. WILLIAM CARTER

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5434 JAMES CALHOUN

He married his first cousin, the daughter of 54-5 MARY (POLLY) DANIEL and JAMES McDEARMAN. He

m. SARAH ELIZABETH McDEARMAN

Children: 5434-1 JOHN DANIEL CALHOUN (Died in Tex.)

Great Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson

5434-1 JOHN DANIEL CALHOUN

He was born in Prince Edward Co. Va., moved with his parents to TIPTON COUNTY, TENN., and finally died in HILL COUNTY, TEXAS.

m. _____

- Children:
- 5434-10 J. HALL CALHOUN (TYLER, TEXAS)
 - 5434-11 _____ CALHOUN (DENVER, COLO)
 - 5434-12 SARAH CALHOUN (HILLSBORO, TEX.)

Great Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

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54-7 FRANCES DANIEL

Daughter of SARAH CUNNINGHAM and
JOHN DANIEL

m. WILLIAM MATTHEWS

Children: 5470. WILLIAM DANIEL MATTHEWS
m. MARGARET GILLIAM

Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson

5470. WILLIAM DANIEL MATTHEWS Son of Frances Daniel and
William Matthews

m. MARGARET GILLIAM

the daughter of JOHN R. GILLIAM
and 5433 MARGARET CALHOUN, and had

Children: 5470-1. MARGARET DANIEL MATTHEWS
m. WILLIAM EDWARD GILLIAM
{ Grandparents of MISS MARGARET }
{ GILLIAM - Charlotte, N. C. }

Great Great Great Granddaughter of Rev. John Thomson.

55 MARGARET CUNNINGHAM This daughter of ANN THOMSON and JAMES CUNNINGHAM

m. RICHARD GAINES, JR.

Richard Gaines Jr. apparently was the son of RICHARD GAINES who married JEMIMAH PENDLETON, daughter of Edmund Pendleton and Elizabeth Roy, and the great grandson of HENRY PENDLETON and MARY TAYLOR.

Children: 55-1 HEIROM GAINES m. ANN THOMSON ADAMS
55-2 MARY PENDLETON GAINES
55-3 ANNE GAINES m. JONATHAN REED

(Perhaps others)

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

55-1 HEIROM GAINES Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson and grandson of JAMES CUNNINGHAM and ANN THOMSON

m. ANN THOMSON ADAMS

She was the daughter of JAMES ADAMS, JR. and 56 JANE CUNNINGHAM. He moved to ELBERT COUNTY, GEORGIA, where his will was probated May 1, 1812.

Children: 5510. JAMES H. GAINES
5511. WILLIAM SHANKLIN GAINES
5512. MARGARET CUNNINGHAM GAINES
5513. JENNIE GAINES

(Possibly others)

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

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56. JANE CUNNINGHAM Daughter of JAMES CUNNINGHAM & ANN THOMSON and grand-daughter of Rev'd John Thomson. In Charlotte County, Virginia, June 19, 1772, she

m. JAMES ADAMS, JR.

Children: 56-1 WILLIAM ADAMS
 56-2 SAMUEL ADAMS m. MARTHA ANN THORNTON
 56-3 JOHN ADAMS
 56-4 ANN THOMSON ADAMS m. HEIROM GAINES

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

NOTE: MARTHA ANN THORNTON was the daughter of Dozier Thornton, the son of Mark Thornton.

56-2 SAMUEL ADAMS Son of JAMES ADAMS, JR. and his wife JANE CUNNINGHAM

m. MARTHA ANN THORNTON

Children: 5620. CAROLINE ADAMS m. WILLIAMSON ROGERS

Great Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson

NOTE: Miss Alpha Rogers, 335 Church Street, Elberton, Ga. is a descendant of this couple.

57. ANNE CUNNINGHAM

Daughter of JAMES CUNNINGHAM & his wife ANN THOMSON, and grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson

m. ANDREW HANNAH

and their first child was born July 31, 1777. Marriage record not located. They lived on Ward's Fork in Charlotte County, Va.

- Children: 57-1 ANNE THOMSON HANNAH (b. July 31, 1777)
 m. 53-3 JOHN THOMSON DANIEL.
 57-2 JOHN HANNAH (b. Feb. 18, 1779) d. y.
 57-3 GEORGE HANNAH (1780-1870) m. (1) MARTHA BRIGHT (2) LUCY MORTON
 57-4 JANE HANNAH (1784-1834) m. JOSEPH CUNNINGHAM
 57-5 ANDREW HANNAH (b. 1786) m. ELIZABETH MURPHY.
 57-6 JAMES CUNNINGHAM HANNAH (b. May 24 1787) m. Elizabeth Roberts nimmo
 57-7 MARY HANNAH (b. 1788) m. JOSIAH DABBS
 57-8 WILLIAM HANNAH m. JANE CLACK THORNTON
 57-9 SAMUEL HANNAH (b. April 30, 1792) married CHARLOTTE BARKSDALE

Great Grand-children of Rev. John Thomson

(For descendants see 53-3 JOHN THOMSON DANIEL)

SEVENTH DIVISION

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58 MARY CUNNINGHAM

This daughter of JAMES CUNNINGHAM
and ANN THOMSON

m. WILLIAM JOHNSTON, JR.

Children: 58-1 JOHN JOHNSTON

NOTE: No further information. There were probably other children. This one is mentioned in the will of his cousin Heiron Gaines in ALBERT County, Ga. in 1815. He was, of course, a Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson.

59. HANNAH CUNNINGHAM

Probably the youngest daughter of JAMES CUNNINGHAM and ANN THOMSON. Neither the date of her birth nor that of her death is known, except that she died prior to 1808, when her husband married a second time HANNAH PETTUS, a widow, down in Georgia. In Prince Edward or Charlotte County, Virginia, she

m. WILLIAM DANIEL

brother of JAMES and JOHN DANIEL, each of whom married one of her sisters.

Children: 59-1 JAMES DANIEL
59-2 ANNE DANIEL m. JOHN THOMSON SANKEY
59-3 JANE DANIEL m. ALEXANDER B. LINTON
59-4 SAMUEL DANIEL d. 1818 Madison, Ga.
59-5 WILLIAM DANIEL (Twice Married)
59-6 MARY DANIEL m. COL. JOHN COLBERT

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

59-2 ANNE DANIEL

Daughter of HANNAH CUNNINGHAM & WILLIAM DANIEL married in 1801

m. JOHN THOMSON SANKEY

(For children and grandchildren see FIFTH DIVISION, 43 JOHN THOMSON SANKEY)

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59-1 JAMES DANIEL

[NOTE 10]

This was the oldest son of HANNAH CUNNINGHAM and WILLIAM DANIEL. That he was married, probably by 1800, and raised a family of children seems evident, but the names of his children and that of his wife have not been identified. It seems obvious, however that he

m. _____

and that he had

Children: 5910. DR. JAMES DANIEL m. MISS MATTHEWS

Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson

NOTE: Dr. JAMES DANIEL moved with the SANKETS to Montgomery, Alabama, as the names of several who were evidently his children appear on the records there.

5910. DR. JAMES DANIEL

Oldest son, perhaps, of 59-1 JAMES DANIEL, of Greene County, Ga.

m. MISS MARY (FRANCES) MATTHEWS

They were married in Wilkes County, Ga. in 1824, and moved to Montgomery, Alabama. *20 Jan 1824*

Children: 5910-1 REBECCA H. DANIEL (b. ca. 1825)

m. JOHN THOMSON SANKET

5910-2 THOMAS C. DANIEL

5910-3 MARGARET DANIEL m. Nov. 2, 1853

5331-3 OSCAR A. DANIEL

5910-4 ANNE SANKET DANIEL m. May 19, 1857

JAMES W. McGEHEE

These children were all married in Montgomery, Alabama, and Margaret and Anne Sankey Daniel and their families migrated to Texas and settled.

Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

SEVENTH DIVISION

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59-3 JANE DANIEL

She was the Great Grand-daughter
of Rev. John Thomson, and was b.
February 28, 1789, and

m. DR. ALEXANDER BROWN LINTON

who married second a Miss Cheney
of Penfield, Greene County, Ga.
There were no children by the
last marriage.

Children: 5930. DR. JOHN S. LINTON (Married twice)
5931. MARY HANNAH LINTON
5932. SAMUEL DANIEL LINTON m. 5332 MARY W.
CURTINCHAM
5933. ELIZA LINTON
5934. WILLIAM LINTON
5935. JAMES DANIEL LINTON
5936. RUTH LINTON
5937. ANNE LINTON m. THOMAS H. SPARKS

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5930 DR. JOHN S. LINTON He was twice married and the first
child named was the only child of
his first marriage. He

m. (1) CORNELIA GOLDING
m. (2) LUCY ANN HULL

Children: 5930-1 MARY C. LINTON m. WILLIAM BACON
5930-2 HENRY HULL LINTON
5930-3 JOHN S. LINTON, JR.
5930-4 JULIA HULL LINTON
5930-5 ANNE LINTON
5930-6 LUCY HULL LINTON

Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5937 ANNE LINTON

Great Great Grand-daughter of Rev John Thomson and daughter of JANE DANIEL and DR. ALEXANDER BROWN LINTON

m. THOMAS H. SPARKS

ANNE LINTON was raised in the home of 59-5 WILLIAM DANIEL and his first wife 5312 SARAH DANIEL, and there met THOMAS H. SPARKS whom she afterwards married.

- Children:
- 5937-1 LINTON SPARKS
 - 5937-2 SALLIE SPARKS m. HINES M. SMITH
 - 5937-3 WILLIAM DANIEL SPARKS
 - 5937-4 SAM P. SPARKS
 - 5937-5 JOHN SPARKS
 - 5937-6 ALEXANDER SPARKS
 - 5937-7 TOM SPARKS
 - 5937-8 ANNE SPARKS m. MR. HAMILTON
 - 5937-9 CHARLES SPARKS

Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

5937-2 SALLIE SPARKS

Great Great Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson

m. HINES M. SMITH

Her husband was the famous Southern writer and humorist "BILL ARP" of Georgia fame.

- Children:
- 5937-20 CHARLES H. SMITH
 - 5937-21 LINTON SMITH
 - 5937-22 HUNTER SMITH
 - 5937-23 VICTOR SMITH
 - 5937-24 SARAH SMITH
- (Four Others)

Great Great Great Great Grand-children of Rev. John Thomson

5937-8 ANNE SPARKS Daughter of THOMAS H. SPARKS and ANNE LINTON

m. MR. HAMILTON

Children: 5937-80 MATT HAMILTON
5937-81 MANNETTE HAMILTON
5937-82 SALLIE H. HAMILTON
5937-83 DAVID E. HAMILTON
5937-84 RUTH L. HAMILTON
5937-85 FLORENCE L. HAMILTON

GREAT Great Great Great Grand-children of Rev. John Thomson

5937-1 LINTON SPARKS Great Great Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson

m. _____

Children: 5937-10 HULA SPARKS m. L. FOSTER
5937-11 MARY SPARKS
5937-12 MARGARET SPARKS
5937-13 LINTON SPARKS
5937-14 FRANK SPARKS
5937-15 HAL SPARKS
5937-16 LILLIAN SPARKS

Great Great Great Great Grand-children of Rev. John Thomson

59-5 WILLIAM DANIEL Grand Son of HANNAH CUNNINGHAM and her husband WILLIAM DANIEL, lived at Daniel's Springs in Greene County Georgia and represented that county in the Legislature for a great many years. He was twice married and was born in PRINCE EDWARD CO VA., Jan. 17, 1797, and died in GREENE COUNTY, GA. Feb. 23, 1880- aged 83 years. He was known as "Uncle Billy" Daniel.

m. (1) SARAH DANIEL
m. (2) SARAH JANE WATTS

His first wife was his double 1st cousin, the daughter of his Uncle 53-1 JAMES CUNNINGHAM DANIEL. His first marriage occurred March 6th 1817, and by this marriage he had six children, all of whom died at an early age, except WILLIAM DANIEL JR., who lived to be grown - but left no issue. He had 2 children by his second marriage

Children: 5950 WILLIAM DANIEL, JR. (Died - no issue)
5951 MARY JANE DANIEL m. P. A. FLUKER
5952 SAMUEL C. DANIEL (b. 1856-d. 1874)

Grt. Great Great Grand-children of Rev. John Thomson

5951 MARY JANE DANIEL Born Jan. 25, 1855 and on December 20, 1877

m. P. A. FLUKER

Children: 5951-1 MISS IDA FLUKER
Great

Miss Ida Fluker, the Great Great Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson.

EIGHTH DIVISION

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DESCENDANTS OF MARGARET THOMSON

Nothing known.

The name "SHIELDS" appears on the Winn
Chart as one of the sons-in-law of Rev.
JOHN THOMSON.

NINTH DIVISION

74

DESCENDANTS OF _____ THOMSON (DAU.)

60. JOHN FINLEY (Or Finley)

{NOTE 21}

This John Finley was a son of a daughter of Rev. John Thomson, whose given name has not been found. The name FINLEY does not appear on the "WINE" Chart, but Dr. Joseph D. Eggleston writes "There was a daughter of John Thomson who married JOHN FINLEY, Sr. of Augusta Co., Va. I discovered this from an original letter written by Richard Senkey. George and William Finley who lived in BUFFALO were his brothers."

m. _____

John Finley (60) was contemporaneous with JAMES DANIEL and Elizabeth Cunningham, his wife, who was first cousin to 60 JOHN FINLEY. Their son DAVID C. DANIEL married his daughter.

Children: 60-1. JAMES FINLEY m. ISABELLA _____
60-2 MARGARET FINLEY m. DAVID C. DANIEL.
Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

60-1 JAMES FINLEY

Great Grandson of Rev. John Thomson, moved to Georgia and settled near the "Old French Store" in Wilkes County, where some of his children were born. He

m. ISABELLA _____

Children: 6010. DAVID FINLEY
6011. JAMES FINLEY
6012. JANE FINLEY

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

6010. DAVID FINLEY

This Great Great Grandson of Rev John Thomson, like his ancestor, was a noted Presbyterian Minister, born in 1810, graduated from the University of Georgia, and settled in Alabama. He was a close friend of Hon. William L. Yancey. He

m. EMILY WORSHAM GOODE

a descendant of an old Prince Edward County, Virginia, family.

Children: 6010-1 SAMUEL DAVID FINLEY (1844-1872)
6010-2 WILLIAM MACKARNESS FINLEY (1848-1874)
6010-3 EMILY ANN FINLEY (1850-1850)

These Great Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson are buried in the City Cemetery at Montgomery Ala. On the same lot is buried LOUISA CUNNINGHAM, a daughter of REV. ROBERT MOORE CUNNINGHAM & BETSY ANNE PARKS, the latter a great grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson.

TENTH DIVISION

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DESCENDANTS OF JEAN THOMSON

62 ROBERT BAKER

This was the oldest son of DOUGLAS BAKER and his wife JEAN THOMSON, a daughter of Rev. John Thomson. He

m. MARGARET GRAHAM

Margaret Graham and her husband Robert Baker were first cousins, she being the daughter of another daughter of Rev. John Thomson who married a MR. GRAHAM.

One of the sons-in-laws of Rev. John Thomson shown on the "Winn Chart" was named GRAHAM.

No names of children available.

64. DOUGLAS BAKER

Son of DOUGLAS BAKER, SR. and JEAN THOMSON. He and his first cousin - ANDREW CROCKETT, son of Esther Thomson, married sisters - daughters of ROBERT ELLIOTT. Douglas Baker and his wife were also first cousins. He

m. MARY ELLIOTT

and his cousin ANDREW CROCKETT married her sister SARAH. He d. 1778.

Children: 64-1 DOUGLAS BAKER
64-2 ANDREW BAKER
64-3 NANCY BAKER m. JOSEPH MORTON

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

66 ANDREW BAKER

This grandson of Rev. John Thomson is said to have

m. CATHERINE _____

No names of children available.

67. JEAN BAKER

Daughter of DOUGLAS BAKER and wife
JEAN THOMSON

m. JOHN ARMSTRONG

John Armstrong died leaving a will
in HAWKINS COUNTY, TENNESSEE, date
April 17, 1813.

Children: 67-1. JEAN ARMSTRONG
67-2. THOMAS ARMSTRONG
67-3. WILLIAM ARMSTRONG
67-4. BAKER ARMSTRONG
67-5. JOHN ARMSTRONG
67-6. JAMES ARMSTRONG.

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.
SAMUEL BAKER was mentioned as son-in-law in the will.

ELEVENTH DIVISION

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DESCENDANTS OF MARY THOMSON

74. _____ BAKER (Dau.) This daughter of MARY THOMSON &
ROBERT BAKER, SR.

m. MR. HAMPTON

Children: 74-1. _____ HAMPTON
74-2. _____ BAKER HAMPTON

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

75. _____ BAKER (Dau.) This daughter of MARY THOMSON &
ROBERT BAKER, SR.

m. WILLIAM BALDWIN, JR.

Children: 75-1. SAMUEL BALDWIN m. POLLY WOMACK
75-2. C. BALDWIN
75-3. _____ BALDWIN (Dau.) m. WILLIAM A. KING
75-4. _____ BALDWIN (Dau.) m. MR. GESNA
75-6. _____ BALDWIN (Dau.) m. MR. COOPER

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson

NOTE: The BALDWINS and COOPERS are buried in the OLD
BETHANY Church Yard in GREENE COUNTY, GEORGIA.

75-4 _____ BALDWIN (Dau.) Daughter of _____ BAKER and
WILLIAM BALDWIN JR.

m. MR. GESNA

Children: 7540. C. T. GESNA
7541. _____ GESNA
7542. _____ GESNA (Dau.) m. L. T. ROYSTON
7543. _____ GESNA (Dau.) m. WILLIAM J. LAWSON.

Great Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

No Children of 72. ANDREW and 73 SAMUEL BAKER are known.

TWELFTH DIVISION

79

DESCENDANTS OF _____ THOMSON
(m. GRAHAM)

76. MARGARET GRAHAM

This grand-daughter of Rev. Jno Thomson

m. 62 ROBERT BAKER

who was also a grandson of Rev. John Thomson and her cousin.

No children found.

THIRTEENTH DIVISION

80

DESCENDANTS OF HANNAH THOMSON

77. ANDREW THOMSON LAWSON

[NOTE 24]

Son of ROGER LAWSON and HANNAH THOMSON, b. Jan. 22, 1764 and died June 27, 1822. On Dec. 15 1792 he

m. MARY MOORE BARRY

- Children: 77-1 ANDREW BARRY LAWSON (b. 1794)
77-2 ELIZABETH HANNAH LAWSON (b. 1796)
77-3 MARGARET MOORE LAWSON (b. 1798)
m. ALEXANDER NEVIN
77-4 MARY BARRY LAWSON (1802-1869)
m. BENJAMIN SESSIONS

Great Grand-children of Rev. John Thomson

80. COL. JOHN LAWSON

Son of ROGER LAWSON and HANNAH THOMSON

m. ALICE MOORE

She was the daughter of CHARLES MOORE and a sister of the first wife of Rev. Robert Moore Cunningham. Col. John Lawson died in Wilkes County, Ga. and left will dated June 13, 1821, which was witnessed by JOHN THOMSON DANIEL and THOMAS DANIEL, and also by PLEASANT LAWSON.

- Children: 80-1. ROGER LAWSON (b. 1786)
80-2. ANDREW BARRY LAWSON (b. 1785)
80-3. HANNAH LAWSON (b. 1788)
m. ARCHIE McINTYRE
80-4. MARY BARRY LAWSON (b. 1789)
m. FRANK KIRBY
80-5. VIOLET LAWSON (b. 1796)
80-6. JOHN GAMBLE LAWSON
80-7. ELIZABETH LAWSON m. WILBOURN
80-8. JONATHAN LAWSON.

Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

NOTE 1

In the absence of a will or other record the names of the children of Rev. John Thomson cannot be determined otherwise than by inferential testimony.

To say that he did not have a son ROGER is a denial that could be applied to his daughter ESTHER. In all my explorations of the records I have found no actual proof of ESTHER being his daughter, though there are records that tend to prove she was. ✓

p. 17/12 The nearest proof on many of these names is that furnished by the Winn Chart. This was made by a great grandson in his life-time, who, perhaps had only statements made by older members of the family he had known to go by. Even this chart is not infalible, and there are clearly some omissions. X

The son ABRAHAM has not been admitted. His name does not appear on the Winn chart, but it does appear on the records of Prince Edward County, Virginia, in such a way that there is no escaping the conclusion that he belongs on the list.

Dr. Andrew Thomson and Hugh Thomson, of Spartanburg, S. C. (1790) are believed to have been sons of ROGER, as was JOHN THOMSON, of Campbell County, Virginia, who cannot be otherwise explained.

Richard Thomson, of Bedford County, 25 years old in 1758 was the son of ABRAHAM. Abraham's children are believed to have been the Thompsons of ORANGE COUNTY (Haw River) North Carolina. We believe this because they intermarried with other Prince Edward County families who also settled there. *Too credulous.*

There is, as we see it, no escape from the proposition that Rev. John Thomson was the father of THIRTEEN CHILDREN. *only a proposition, not a conclusion*

NOTE 2:

SHIELDS: Among the sons-in-law mentioned in the WIGNY CHART of the family of Rev. John Thomson appears the name "Shields".

This was JOHN SHIELDS, whose wife was MARGARET, as shown by deeds from the record in Mecklenberg County, N. C.

JOHN, and JAMES SHIELDS were brothers and were sons of JAMES SHIELDS and his wife ELIZABETH COEBS. Their grandmother was REBECCA PINKERTMAN, daughter of WILLIAM PINKERTMAN who witnessed the will of JOHN DANIEL in York County, Virginia, in 1734. SAMUEL COEBS, their uncle, sold lands to ROBERT HAMNA in the Buffalo section of Charlotte County (then Amelia) in 1745.

John Shields married Margaret Thomson, daughter of Rev. John Thomson. James Shields married Agnes and had two sons John and William. John Shields and John Finley who were brothers-in-law, both having married daughters of Rev. John Thomson, lived in Mecklenberg County, N. C.

On October 10, 1771 John Shields and his wife Margaret sold lands to David Bradshaw in Mecklenberg County, which joined lands owned by John Finley. Their son John Finley, Jr. married Martha Walkup, daughter of Col. James Walkup (See Marquis James' Andrew Jackson), and Agnes Walkup was the wife of WILLIAM CROCKETT. Will of Col. James Walkup, W. B. "G" p. 32, Mecklenberg County, N. C.

David Crockett, who died in the Alamo in Texas in 1836 married POLLY FINLEY, and a daughter MARGARET married DAVID C. (CROCKETT?) DANIEL, a great grandson of Rev. John Thomson down in Georgia.

NOTE 3:

This MARGARET GRAHAM was a first cousin of 62 ROBERT BAKER. Since we do not have the absolute proof of her identity we have not attempted to name her father in the text, but we are quite sure that she was the daughter of the THOMAS GRAHAM whose name appears on a list or petition in Prince Edward County in 1764, with Samuel Cunningham, John McElroy, Douglas Baker and Samuel Baker. She was probably sister of (1) Thomas Graham and (2) James Graham who witnessed the will of ROBERT BAKER, who died in 1773, though it is believed that she and her husband may have moved to North Carolina, at least for a time.

NOTE 4:

SCRUGGS - YEARWOOD - MORROW : THERESA NEWELL CARTER, the Great Great Grand-daughter of Rev. John Thomson, the wife of Rev. JOHN SCRUGGS died in MONROE COUNTY, TENNESSEE, and HORACE BURTON YEARWOOD and THOMAS YEARWOOD had a half-brother, ELISHA YEARWOOD who married PRUDENCE WALKER MORROW, a great aunt of the compiler, and came to Texas. FRANCIS YEARWOOD, the son of THOMAS YEARWOOD also came to Texas and married ELLA COFFEE, daughter of Col. John Coffee (of Texas) and lived at GEORGETOWN, in Williamson County, where he died in 1940, leaving a number of children, including a daughter LAVINIA WALKER YEARWOOD, now married and living in Houston, Texas. The children of Francis Yearwood were the Great Great Great Great Grand-children of Rev. John Thomson. Francis Yearwood had an uncle named JAMES MORROW YEARWOOD, who, at one time lived in Williamson County, Tennessee, but later settled in MONROE COUNTY, in the same State.

NOTE 5:

LIEUT. ANDREW CROCKETT, REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER

He was the son of SAMUEL CROCKETT (1690-1750) and ESTHER THOMSON (1710-1770) and was born in that part of ORANGE COUNTY, VIRGINIA, out of which AUGUSTA COUNTY was that year established (later successively Botetourt, Fincastle, Montgomery and Wythe) and married in 1770 SARAH (SALLIE) ELLIOTT (1750-1821) daughter of ROBERT ELLIOTT, of Prince Edward County, Virginia, farmer, merchant and manufacturer. He was recommended for the County Court of Montgomery County in October 1777, and was second Lieutenant under CAPT. DRAPER (McALLISTER, p. 217); commissioned First Lieutenant January 10, 1782, to take rank from Apr. 5, 1781 (Summers p. 815); Captain Wythe County Militia 1790 (Summers p. 1357); Major Wythe County Militia 1797 (Summers p. 1362). He acquired large bodies of land in Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee, and emigrated to WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE in 1799. He was a large land owner on Little Harpeth, and some of this land is still owned by his descendants. He died May 29 - 1821. His wife SARAH ELLIOTT died JUN 28, 1821. Both are buried in the "CROCKETT CEMETERY" located on his estate.

INSCRIPTIONS IN ANDREW CROCKETT FAMILY CEMETERY

In memory of ANDREW CROCKETT died May 29, 1821 in the 76th year of his age.

In memory of MRS. SALLIE, consort of ANDREW CROCKETT, died June 28, 1821 in the 71st year of her age. "Blessed are the Dead that die in the Lord."

The will of Lieutenant (later Major) ANDREW CROCKETT was admitted to probate at the July term 1821 at the County Court of WILLIAMSON COUNTY, Tennessee, at FRANKLIN, TENNESSEE, and is of record at page 241. Will Book 1819-1830. Many descendants reside in Williamson and adjoining counties in Tennessee.

Other inscriptions:

SAMUEL CROCKETT Nov. 1, 1772, Jan. 31, 1827.
 JOANNA CROCKETT wife of SAMUEL CROCKETT (1772-1812)
 ANDREW CROCKETT b. Nov. 15, 1793 in WYTHE COUNTY, VA. Died September 12, 1852.
 CATHERINE BELL CROCKETT b. Feb. 21, 1798 in Davidson County, Tenn. Died Feb. 14, 1890.
 ANDREW CROCKETT was married to CATHERINE BELL April 2, 1818.
 On top of slab of box tomb: In memory of ANDREW CROCKETT - son of SAMUEL and JOANNA CROCKETT, b. in Wythe County, Va. Nov. 15 1793 - moved to WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TENN 1799, died Sept. 12, 1852.
 JAMES CROCKETT born in WYTHE COUNTY, Va. Dec. 9, 1790; died Nov. 17, 1874.
 MARTHA E. CROCKETT b. Jan. 15, 1804.

NOTE 6:

This suit was instituted at the February term of Court in Prince Edward County, and the plaintiffs in the suit were DOUGLAS BAKER, SAMUEL BAKER and ROBERT BAKER the three sons-in-law of Rev. John Thomson who sued their brother-in-law JOHN THOMSON, JR.

Rev. John Thomson had died in North Carolina the year preceding the institution of this suit, and the suit arose in some way over the division of his little estate, whatever it may have amounted to, in Prince Edward County. This writer has never examined the papers in this litigation, but that is unnecessary to determine that the plaintiffs all appeared on an equal footing, and it would have been unnecessary for Robert Baker to have been made a party thereto - in fact, it would have been wholly and legally improper - unless he, too, had a like interest in the subject-matter with his two brothers.

After discovering this bit of evidence, a reference to the Wign. Chart further disclosed that the son-in-law "BAKER" referred to thereon, was ROBERT BAKER, to the exclusion of the brothers Semmel and Douglas, since the children named were those of Robert. X

NOTE 7:

D. B. 1. p. 339 GREENE COUNTY, GA.

This indenture, March 16, 1820 between JAMES DANIEL and DRURY TOWNES, administrators and ANNE TOWNES, administratrix of the estate of JOHN T. SANKIN, deceased, late of GREENE COUNTY, and Richard Hammersley, Jane B. Hammersley, William Hammersley, James Moore, John Moore, Thomas Hammersley, Sarah Hammersley and David Hammersley, heirs and distributees of William Hammersley, deceased, of the State of Virginia of the other part, witnesseth:

Said administrators and administratrix sell and convey to the said heirs a tract of land in GREENE COUNTY on the South side of FISHING CREEK, bounded by the said creek and the lands of Enoch Stringfellow, Thomas Watts, John Serrell and James Watson, etc.

JAMES DANIEL
DRURY TOWNES Administrators

Wits: Herman Mercer
John W. Blackwell
Malachi Marsden, J. P.

NOTE 8:

REV. ROBERT MOORE CUNNINGHAM was born September 10, 1760, in York County, Pennsylvania, so the books say. He was the son of ROGER CUNNINGHAM, whose will was probated in MECKLENBERG COUNTY, N. C., Jan. 2, 1806, naming his daughter MARY CUNNINGHAM and sons WILLIAM, JAMES, ROGER and ROBERT; also daughters MARGARET and ELLENER and sons-in-law JOHN SHARP and JAMES SHARP. His son ROBERT and JOSIAH HARRISON were named executors of his estate. The wife was MARY STURGEON CUNNINGHAM.

In 1792 he was licensed to Preach by the S. C. Presbytery. The same year he married ELIZABETH MOORE, a daughter of Charles Moore, a school-master, who came South to the Carolinas with his cousin MARY GRAHAM and her sons, later distinguished revolutionary soldiers.

- Rev. Robert M. Cunningham was three times married.
- m. (1) ELIZABETH MOORE, daughter of Charles Moore.
- m. (2) BETSY ANNE PARKS in 1795. Five sons.
- m. (3) Oct. 14, 1805 EMILY BIRD, the daughter of COL.

WILLIAM BIRD, of Warren County, Ga.

In 1807 Rev. Cunningham moved to Lexington, Ky. where he was pastor of the Presbyterian Church until 1821; from there he moved to Moulton, Ala., and then in 1826 to a farm 11 miles from Tuscaloosa, Alabama on the Greenesboro road, and in 1836 he moved into Tuscaloosa to send his youngest daughter and several orphan children to school - his grandchildren.

He preached his last sermon at Carthage in 1838 and died July 11, 1839, 80 years of age and was buried in the City Cemetery at Tuscaloosa, where a monument stands to his memory. He was a very handsome man, more than six feet tall.

His last wife, Emily Bird was a sister of the mother of WILLIAM LOWMEDES YANCY, the celebrated Alabama statesman.

One of his daughters LOUISA CUNNINGHAM is buried in the cemetery at Montgomery, Ala.

One of his sons was Rev. Joseph Park Cunningham, who was born 1799 and died 1833. The names of his sons by his second wife, except Joseph Parks, have not been found.

Rev. Cunningham was at one time the pastor of OLD BETHANY Church in Greene County, Ga., where the Daniel family is buried, and organized EBENEZER church.

The degree of D. D. was conferred on him by the Franklin College in Georgia in 1827. He was a revolutionary soldier.

His last wife's niece ANN PAMELA CUNNINGHAM was the daughter of another Robert Cunningham - not closely related, and she was the founder and first regent of the Mount Vernon Association. She died single in 1875 and is buried at Columbia, S. C.

Col. William Bird was from Virginia and married CAROLINE DAITON, a daughter of Col. John Dalton, of Alexandria, Va.

NOTE 9:

The writer attended a reunion at the old PARK PLANTATION on the West side of the OCONEE river in Greene County, Ga. in 1935, at which JUDGE JAMES BILLINGSLEA PARKS, Judge of the Oconee Circuit made an interesting talk and reviewed the history of the place and the family. The plantation, during the war between the States was in the possession of Thomas Jefferson Parks, a grandson of James Parks, Jr., who married Esther Sankey, daughter of Sarah Thomson and Rev. Richard Sankey. Thomas Jefferson Parks married Eliza J. Billingslea and ~~xxx~~ they were the grandparents of Judge Parks and of his cousin Clark Howell, of the Atlanta Constitution, both of whom were present.

Judge Parks made an interesting talk and recounted that there was a tradition in the family that JEFFERSON DAVIS, rushing South from Richmond, after holding his last cabinet meeting at the town of Washington some thirty miles away, spent his last night as a protected guest at the Park home. This old home is still standing on the banks of the OCONEE RIVER. Another tradition he repeated, was that the Gold of the Confederate Treasury was buried on this plantation, the Confederates having buried it there, realizing and believing that their capture was imminent. He did not vouch for the accuracy of that tradition, however.

Judge Parks grandmother and his mother also, were named Billingslea.



NOTE 10:

From DUBOSE ALABAMA HISTORY: Dr. JOHN T. SANKEY was born in 1825 in GREENE COUNTY, GEORGIA, the son of WILLIAM DANIEL and MARGARET DANIEL SANKEY, who moved to Montgomery, Alabama, in 1835. William D. Sankey died in 1863 and his wife in 1882. William Daniel Sankey was the son of DR. JOHN T. SANKEY, a native of Virginia, the son of Rev. Richard Sankey, a native of IRELAND who married Miss Thomson.

Dr. John Thomson Sankey, born in 1825, married Rebecca H. Daniel, the daughter of Dr. James and Mary Daniel.

(Note: One JAMES DANIEL married MARY W. MATTHEWS in 1824, in Wilkes County, Ga. Another JAMES DANIEL married FRANCES ANDREWS, Oct. 8, 1813, in Oglethorpe County, Georgia.)

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ALABAMA, WILL BOOK pp. 162-3-4. Will of JOHN T. SANKEY, signed May 10, 1837; probated July 17, 1837. Mentions wife and children - no names given. Mentions daughter - not named; his executors to be her guardians. Executors: JAMES C. SANKEY and JAMES B. STEPHENS, brother-in-law. Testators, James B. Stephens, William D. Sankey and James C. Sankey.

Will of LAURA V. SANKEY, signed February 8, 1837, probated Dec. 8, 1839.

Marriage records, Montgomery County, Alabama:

James C. Sankey to Frances E. Rudale, Oct. 11, 1837 by W. Y. Allen.

Jane E. Sankey to E. S. Leonard, Dec. 8, 1852, by William Williams.

OSCAR A. DANIEL to MARGARET T. DANIEL, May 2, 1853, by

W. P. Harrison.

JAMES W. McCRENS to ANNE S. DANIEL, May 19, 1857, by F. L.

B. Shaver, M. C.

(NOTE: O. A. DANIEL was the son of William Hannah Daniel and Adeline Moore, his wife. Margaret T. and Anne S. Daniel were sisters. These two couples came to Texas about 1857-8, located in Round Top, Fayette County.

CHAMBERS COUNTY, ALABAMA Census, 1850:

Boarding pupils in the select school of Dr. Oathburt G.

Hudson:

RICHARD O (or O?) SANKEY, age 13, b. Ala.

LAURA SANKEY, age 12 b. in Ala.

Margaret Daniel age 13, b. in Ga.

* Benjamin C. Yancey, age 13, b. in S. C.

Osceola Kyle, age 12, b. in Ala.

James Walker, age 15, born in Ga.

* This Benjamin C. Yancey was the son of Hon. William L. Yancey.

NOTE 11:

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This material follows closely that furnished the writer by 529250. DR. JOHN GOODWIN HERNDON, of Haverford, Pennsylvania, grandson of MARTHA INDIANA GRIMES and WILLIAM ALEXANDER LINTON, of this family. In those parts where his account leaves out a family, resort has been had to the "WINN CHART".

NOTE 12:

MRS. MINNIE LINTON WINN, of Greensboro, Georgia, is the owner and custodian of the "WINN CHART" which is the foundation of this compilation of the JOHN THOMSON DESCENDANTS. The chart was drawn by her grandfather, JOHN DANIEL CUNNINGHAM, who married ANN BILLUPS in 1821, when she was the widow of JEREMIAH EARLY, a brother of PETER EARLY, one time Governor of Georgia, and the builder of "EARLY'S MANOR" on the upper waters of the OCONEE RIVER, in Green County, Georgia.

NOTE 13:

These are the GEORGIA Daniel and Cunningham descendants of Rev. John Thomson, who left Prince Edward County, Virginia in about 1791, after the close of the revolution and went down there to take advantage of the land situation. The descendants of this family have been studied on the ground, as they are the ancestors of the writer's wife and assistant in this work, who has devoted unstinted time to the task for many years: Many trips have been made across the trans-Mississippi country to Georgia and back during the long summers and some hardships have been endured, but the results have been worth it all, and in a way it has been "lots of fun", and none of the time is regretted.

We owe a debt of gratitude to many friends in Georgia for free entertainment and assistance. Much research work has been done for us without a thought apparently on the part of those doing it, of getting any pay. We have been guests in homes that were built near a century and a half ago and walked upon the ground where great great great grandparents walked. Old cemeteries and houses of worship, hallowed by more than a hundred years of worshiping forebears have been explored and inscriptions copied. In a work of this kind we find no room to put it all, but just set down what may be called the "high-lights" with blanks for missing names we could not decipher or find. If readers happen to know any of them please let us know.

NOTE 14:

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RECORDS FROM THE BIBLE OF JAMES CUNNINGHAM DANIEL

JAMES CUNNINGHAM DANIEL was born Dec. 30, 1769, and POLLY DANIEL (Mary Parks) was born Jan. 30, 1769.

JAMES CUNNINGHAM DANIEL and POLLY PARKS were married Feb. 4, 1790, and came to Georgia Dec. 26, 1791.

Births of Children:

BETSY ANN DANIEL was born Dec. 9, 1790.

NANCY BAKER DANIEL was born Dec. 24, 1792. Married FREDERICK WILLIAMS

SARAH (SALLIE) DANIEL was born Feb. 21, 1795, and married William Daniel in 1817. (Uncle Billy)

CHARLOTTE DANIEL was born July 2, 1798, and married JOSEPH FOSTER, in 1819.

JENNIE (JANE) DANIEL was born Oct. 18, 1800, and married William N. Jackson in 1824.

MARGARET (PEGGY) DANIEL was born Nov. 19, 1802, and married William D. Sankey in 1824.

MARY (POLLY) DANIEL was born Sept. 17, 1805, and married HARRISON HICKS WATTS in 1824.

DEATHS

JAMES CUNNINGHAM DANIEL died Oct. 15, 1824.

Esther Simpson died the 16th of March 1826.

Mary J. Watts (Polly Daniel) died May 4, ~~1831~~ 1833.

William Hix Watts died the 17th of July 1833.

The baby died July 17, 1833.

Nancy B. Williams died the 21st of April 1840 (Nancy B. Daniel).

E. A. (Betsy Ann) Daniel died the 20th of March 1857.

NOTE 15

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In his will in Prince Edward County, Va. JAMES DANIEL in 1763 left to his son James Daniel, the father of 53-2 Cunningham Daniel 400 acres of land "joining PETER COFFEE". This Peter Coffee, mentioned in the will was either the father or the grandfather of JANE COFFEE, who married Cunningham Daniel. She was a sister of Col. John Coffee, of Georgia, whose home during his later years was in Telfair County. Col. John Coffee was a noted Indian fighter and pioneer and a member of the United States Congress. He was a cousin of Gen. John Coffee, who was with Jackson at New Orleans. Peter Coffee, of Prince Edward County had at least two sons, PETER, father of Col. John Coffee, of Georgia, and JOSHUA COFFEE, father of Gen. John Coffee, of Tennessee, whose mother was a Graves, and a niece of John Daniel, a brother of James Daniel of the will of 1763.

NOTE 16

ROBERT C. DANIEL lived at what is now PHILOMATH, in Greene County, Ga., and his old home is still standing there, with the little family burying ground back of the home in a well kept condition. The place was then called "Woodstock" but as there was another place of the same name, it was later changed to PHILOMATH. It was the home place of James Daniel who died in 1821, the grandfather of Robert C. Daniel.

The following note is copied from Bowen's History of Wilkes County, published in 1880:

"When the Presbyterians built their new church at WOODSTOCK, they had new Elders, one going to the second Salem. ROBERT C. DANIEL, a son of CUNNINGHAM DANIEL, became an elder, and after his death his son William Daniel, and afterwards his son John Daniel became elders, the latter now (1880) holding office. These four generations of Daniel in direct succession:

James Daniel
Cunningham Daniel
Robert C. Daniel, and his sons
William and John (John J.) Daniel,

have served the old church, which has been called LIBERTY, SALEM and WOODSTOCK. This family of Daniel have been elders in this church for more than one hundred years without interval".

JAMES DANIEL served in the Revolution as a private in Captain THOMAS WATKINS' troop of Dragoons, Gen. Sawyer's Brigade. This troop was organized in Prince Edward County, Virginia, in 1780 by Captain Watkins. He offered his company of Cavalry to Col. Lee, and desired to be enrolled in his "Legion". The troop presented a plain and unattractive appearance, and his application was rejected. Subsequent events proved to General Lee that he had acted unwisely, and after the battle of Guilford Court House in March 1781, he expressed a desire that the troop should join him, which Captain Watkins indignantly declined.

After the action at Guilford Col. George Washington wrote a letter to Captain Watkins, in which the bravery and skill of the Prince Edward troop was extolled, and their commander highly commended. - From recollections of Henry Watkins Allen, Governor of Louisiana.

In addition to serving in the army, JAMES DANIEL furnished supplies of wheat and beef to the army, as did his brothers JOHN and WILLIAM. A bounty warrant to JAMES of one hundred pounds Continental for one horse, 4 years old, 4 ft. eleven inches high, blooded and well formed, was signed by H. W. ARCHER, ~~Summit~~ Commissary. - Bounty Warrants of Prince Edward County, State Library, Richmond, Va.

Conditions were rather unsettled in Virginia after the conclusion of the war, and James Daniel with a large and growing family, decided it would be to his advantage to move to Georgia where land was cheap, and the desired plantation more easily acquired. He and his brother WILLIAM DANIEL in 1791, sold their estates in Virginia and moved to Georgia.

WILLIAM DANIEL bought land in Greene County; James had previously bought land in 1787 in Wilkes County (now in Greene County) in partnership with JOSEPH PARKS, of Prince Edward County, Virginia, who also settled in Georgia.

The house or home of JAMES DANIEL was located in the Southwest corner of OGLETHORPE COUNTY, but his plantation extended into Greene, Wilkes and Taliaferro County. He was designated as "James Daniel of Oglethorpe County". He and ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM had eleven children, eight sons and three daughters. Their third son, JOHN THOMSON DANIEL, was our Great Great Grandfather. He was named for his mother's grandfather Rev. John Thomson.

The will of JAMES DANIEL was probated in WILKES COUNTY, November 5, 1821. His sons CUNNINGHAM, JOHN T. and SAMUEL DANIEL were his executors. Within the following five years three more of this family were claimed by death; Samuel, who married Mary Evans; Sarah, the widow of JOSIAH ELLINGTON and Thomas, who died single. Only four of the eleven children of James and Elizabeth (Cunningham) Daniel remained: Jane, who never married; Cunningham, John T. and David C. Daniel. Cunningham died prior to 1845, during which year the widow's will - Jane Coffee Daniel - was filed for probate in Wilkes County. It is from this latter will that the names of the children of Cunningham Daniel were ascertained.

The date and place of the marriage of John Thomson Daniel and his wife Ann Thomson Hannah is not known. Their oldest son was born in 1806. Would like this information.

NOTE 18

MARY DANIEL, the daughter of WILLIAM DANIEL was one of the wives of Col. JOHN COLBERT, and JAMES DANIEL in his will 1821 mentions his son-in-law COL. JOHN COLBERT, so that there is no escape from the proposition that Col. Colbert, whoever he was married twice and that his wives were double cousins, and each of them Great Grandchildren of Rev. John Thomson.

No record of either of these marriages has ever been found, and the identity of JOHN COLBERT has not been established.

NOTE 19

WILLIAM HANNAH DANIEL, son of JOHN THOMSON DANIEL and his wife ANNE HANNAH DANIEL married Nov. 15, 1827 ADELINE MOORE. Adeline Moore was the daughter of HUGH MOORE, an elder in the OLD BETHANY Presbyterian Church in Greene County, Georgia, and who was from Mecklenberg County, N. C. The wife of HUGH MOORE was a MISS FITZGERALD, believed to have been from Virginia, who was a school teacher, according to tradition in the family. Her parents have never been identified. HUGH MOORE was also one of the first Commissioners of the WHITE PLAINS ACADEMY, chartered in 1833. Hugh Moore left Georgia and moved to Chambers County, Alabama, where the administration of his estate is shown on the records of that county. He is probably buried in that county, though we have been unable ~~px~~ to date to find his grave.

The married life of William H. Daniel and his wife Adeline Moore was cut short by his death in 1837, at the age of 28 years. They were the parents of four children, as shown herein.

After the death of William H. Daniel, his widow, Adeline married second KINDRED JACK, of Wilkes County, by whom she had two children, DANIEL JACK and EMILINE JACK. Kindred Jack died in 1845, and she married third, her brother-in-law JAMES CARTER KING, whose first wife was her sister, ELIZABETH MOORE. Capt. Daniel Jack was a member of Waul's Legion in the C. S. A. and is buried in the State Cemetery at Austin, Texas. He was for many years a resident of San Antonio, Texas. Another daughter of HUGH MOORE, Caroline Moore, married WILLIAM THOMAS, of Chambers County, Alabama; after his death she married REV. JOSEPH BROWN, a Presbyterian Minister, who was one of the sons of SAMUEL BROWN, of Rockbridge County, Virginia, and his wife MARY MOORE "The Little Captive of Abb's Valley" an account of whom has been published in several editions of a little book put out by the Presbyterian Church. By a strange quirk of fate CAROLINE (MOORE - THOMAS) BROWN ~~lived~~ also in Austin, Texas, where her husband was pastor of the Presbyterian Church, and where she is buried.

COL. JOHN W. DANIEL (We have never learned what the middle initial stands for), eldest son of ADELINE MOORE and WILLIAM HANNAH DANIEL, was born in Greene County, Ga., Dec. 20, 1830, and died there Jan. 5, 1905, while on a visit to his sister and other relatives (Mrs. James Wright).

Col. Daniel was an officer in the Confederate Army and was dearly beloved by the men of his command. In April, 1862, his company, organized at TYLER, TEXAS, was transferred to the 15th Regiment Texas Infantry and became Company H of that regiment, of which he was elected MAJOR. In 1864 he was wounded, and granted sixty days sick leave to recover. In April, 1864, he was promoted to Lieutenant Colonel, and continued in the service until the surrender, in 1865, retiring finally as Colonel of the Regiment, succeeding Col. Speight.

In 1862 John W. Daniel married MARY E. BEMAN, the daughter of Samuel H. Beman and his wife FRANCES JULIA ANN CONE, the daughter of WILLIAM CONE, of GREENE COUNTY, GEORGIA. He was Judge of the Court of Greene County and served in the Legislature. The first child of John W. Daniel and Mary E. Beman, WILLIAM DANIEL, was born in April, 1863, and died the following year. Two daughters, ANNE DANIEL, 1864, and FRANCES DANIEL, 1866, were born in TROY, N. Y., where, for a short time, Col. Daniel was engaged in the Mercantile business. Mary E. Beman's father, Samuel E. Beman was the first cousin of NATHAN E. S. BEMAN, a noted educator and minister, who came to Georgia in an early day, but who, before the breaking out of the Civil War moved back to New York, where he was president of the Van Rensselaer Technical Institute for many years.

In 1856, by way of their old home in Georgia, Col. John W. Daniel, then a young man, moved with his family to Texas. He was accompanied by his brother William Hugh Daniel to Smith County, Texas, where they brought with them 101 slaves from the Georgia plantation. Also accompanying the family were a number of other old Georgia neighbors and kindred, including Mrs. Frances J. A. Beman, the relict of Samuel E. Beman, of Amenia, N. Y., mother of the Colonel's wife. This caravan of emigrants from Georgia were three months on the road, though Col. Daniel brought his little family by boat to the old town of Washington, on the Brazos, named for Washington, Ga. Most of these people from Georgia settled in the neighborhood of GARDNER VALLEY, in Smith County. Among the other families included were the CARTERS, HUBBARDS, KIDDS, and other DANIEL families. Governor Hubbard of Texas -- later -- was in this crowd.

In 1867, John W. Daniel -- then Colonel -- returned to Georgia, his first wife having died, and there married his boy-good sweetheart, MARTHA MOORE RANKIN, a cousin, the daughter of his mother's sister, MARY MOORE, who married DAVID RANKIN. At that time his two daughters were 11 and 13 years old, and they came with him and their step-mother back to Texas. After his return to Texas Col. Daniel sold his Smith County lands and settled in Dallas County, which county he represented in the Legislature for many years.

NOTE 21

WILLIAM HUGH DANIEL came to Texas with his brother Col. John Daniel in 1856, from Georgia, and settled in Garden Valley settlement in Smith County.

He married Serena Carter. She belonged to the Carter family of Georgia, who came to Smith County, from Georgia, and her namesake SERENA CARTER was the mother of Gov. HUBBARD, who married a daughter of DR. CUTHBERT G. HUDSON, of Chambers County, Alabama, mentioned in the Montgomery, Alabama, notes.

William Hugh Daniel was a Confederate soldier, and after the War Between the States moved to Austin, Texas, where he died and is buried in Oakwood Cemetery in an unmarked but located grave. His mother's sister Caroline (Moore) Brown is buried close by the same lot in the same cemetery.

Two of his children are still living at this time (1943), though very aged, Emiline and Oscar.

NOTE 22

Nobody knows what became of DAVID C. DANIEL, beyond the fact that he married MARGARET FINLEY.

JAMES and ISABELLA FINLEY of Wilkes County, Georgia, were the parents of three children, DAVID, JAMES and JANE FINLEY. James Finley (the father) died 1820 or 1821, and David C. Daniel (son of James and Elizabeth Cunningham Daniel, was appointed guardian of his children (Wilkes County Records).

David C. Daniel was a brother-in-law of James Finley, having married his sister MARGARET FINLEY in 1818 in Wilkes County.

From GOODE'S VIRGINIA COUSINS: David Finley, D. D., a Presbyterian Minister, was born in 1810 near the "Old French Store" in Wilkes County, Ga., graduate of the University of Georgia. Later he moved to Alabama, where he became the bosom friend of WILLIAM LOWMEDES YANCY. He married EMILY WORSHAM GOODE, and had the following children: John Goode Finley, David Finley, Thomas Finley and Mackarness Finley.

The name Mackarness is a Goode name, from Virginia.

The compiler has always believed that James Finley above was a son of JOHN FINLEY who married Martha, the daughter of Col. James Walkup, and the brother-in-law of WILLIAM CROCKETT, who married another daughter. Col. Walkup had a brother-in-law, mentioned in his will, named James Davis, who had a daughter ESTHER DAVIS who became the wife of a CROCKETT. David Crockett, of Texas and Tennessee fame, married POLLY FINLEY. William Crockett was in Prince Edward County in 1754 when he was sued by Robert and James Donald. French and Armstrong say that William Crockett was the Great Grandfather of DAVID CROCKETT, hero of the Alamo, but the compiler thinks this is wrong.

Anyway, there was a relationship between the Daniel family - through the Thomsons - with the Crocketts. Was David C. Daniel's name DAVID CROCKETT DANIEL?

Tyler, Texas, May 10, 1940

Mrs. Worth S. Ray
802 Highland Ave.
Austin, Texas.

Your letter of April 27 addressed to my sister Sarah, in Hillsboro, has been forwarded to me by reason of the fact I have the family records which my father kept for a number of years.

My father's name was JOHN DANIEL CALHOUN. He was born in Prince Edward County, Va., and when he was about two years of age his family moved to the neighborhood of Appomattox Court House.

My father's grandfather was ADAM CALHOUN and his grandmother was JANE DANIEL. They had a family consisting of four girls and four boys as follows: Sarah, John D., William, Margaret, James, Violet, George B. and Mary Jane.

JAMES CALHOUN, mentioned above, was my Father's father, and his mother was Sarah Elizabeth McDearman. Both of them are buried at old Concord Church, which is approximately two miles from Appomattox Court House.

The other children of ADAM and JANE CALHOUN married as follows: Sarah married a Womack (Lillions Dillon); John D. married E. C. Johns; William married a Smith; Margaret married J. R. Gilliam; James, a McDearman; Violet married her cousin, DRURY CALHOUN; George B. married a Bledsoe, and Mary Jane married William Carter.

I am sure you will be interested in the following facts regarding some members of this family:

John D., William and George B., while still young men, migrated to Western Tennessee and settled near Covington, some 35 miles North of Memphis. John D. and George B. married and spent the remainder of their lives in this little settlement.

William married a Smith and three children were born to this union. While the children were still young, Uncle William died and sometime later, the widow married a man by the name of Barnhill, who moved his family to Texas shortly afterwards.

We lost all trace of this family until some six years ago when the Texas Synod of the Presbyterian Church met in Tyler. One of the delegates was Charlie Calhoun of Huston. My father got acquainted with him during the meeting and found that he was a grandson of the William Calhoun, whose widow married the Barnhill. Charlie Calhoun has two sisters, one of whom lives in Victoria, Texas, and the other married a Professor in the University at Austin by the name of Montgomery. * * * *

Yours very truly

J. HALL CALHOUN.

NOTE 24

HUGH LAWSON was one of the first trustees of Georgia State University, appointed 1785. The matter lay dormant for 15 years. It was then decided to establish the University at Greensboro, but the people were not satisfied with this selection. In 1800 John Milledge gave 700 acres for the University in what was then Jackson County, and is now Clarke County.

HUGH LAWSON was one of the original settlers of Washington County, Georgia.

Soldiers of the GEORGIA LINE included THOMAS LAWSON, THOMSON LAWSON, JOHN LAWSON and ROGER LAWSON.

ROGER LAWSON, JR. was certified as a Refugee soldier in the revolution by General Twiggs.

ANDREW LAWSON. Certificate of General Twiggs that he was a refugee soldier in the revolution.

HUGH LAWSON'S petition to have the following warrants renewed: Heirs of ANDREW LAWSON, 2 warrants; ROGER LAWSON and ROGER LAWSON, JR., JOHN LAWSON, THOMSON LAWSON and HUGH LAWSON (2 warrants) Oct. 19, 1784.

CAPTAIN HUGH LAWSON. Executive order for bounty on certificate of Gen. Twiggs, 1783. He also prays for 575 acres in Washington County, Georgia.

(All of above from the Georgia Records.)

NOTE 25

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY
Princeton, N. J.

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Mrs. Worth S. Ray
802 Highland Ave
Austin, Texas.

My Dear Mrs. Ray:

I am afraid that I rather misled you when I offered further help. Our record of SAMUEL HARRIS is complete insofar as he is concerned, but we have very little on his family.

In 1934 our office had some correspondence with M. I. L. Harris, Harris Brothers Company, San Jose 69-C, Habana, Cuba. I quote from his letter the part that relates to family history.

"CHARLES HARRIS married in Ireland a Jane McIlhenny, by whom he had six children, the oldest was born either 1737 or 1731. The date 1731 I received from the papers of REV. JOHN ABNER HARRIS, the Presbyterian minister in Western N. C. who was a descendant of JAMES, the brother of CHARLES, and who did a great deal of genealogical work into the family about 20 years ago and who died about 1922.

"CHARLES HARRIS, upon the death of Jane McIlhenny, married a second time, about 1760, MRS. ELIZABETH THOMSON BAKER, a daughter of a Presbyterian Divine who lived in Pennsylvania, Rev. Thomson. By his second wife he had 2 children, SAMUEL and CHARLES, JR.....

"CHARLES HARRIS, JR. became a famous surgeon of his days, and had a medical school from which graduated many physicians, in CABARRUS COUNTY, N. C.

"DR. CHARLES was born Nov. 23, 1762. SAMUEL was b. 1760 or 61. He was born in a plantation adjacent to the present location of the "Poplar Tent Church", then in Mecklenburg County, now Cabarrus County, about 7 miles W. of CONCORD. The family records at that point state that he died in Princeton in 1791. Their father CHARLES HARRIS moved from Lancaster County, Pa. and settled at POP-LAR TENT CHURCH some time previous to 1756, as he was on that date enrolled as a member of CAPT. ADAM ALEXANDER'S Company of Militia, together with my great-great-grand-father SAMUEL, his brother. The date of Charles Harris' will, I have as May 3, 1776. I have seen the original at Raleigh, N. C. in the N. C. Historical Society. The mother of Samuel Harris died in 1825."

Thank you for the summary of the life of the Reverend John Thomson. I have filed it in Samuel Harris' folder. * * *

Very truly yours

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MAP OF MECKLENBURG COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA

This map shows the lines of the PRESENT COUNTY and points of interest pertaining to some of the "orphans" of Rev. John Thomson mentioned herein.

BAKER'S GRAVEYARD and the location of the home of RICHARD BARRY, where John Thomson preached in 1751, "under the spreading oak tree. The square represents approximately the location of the place where his remains were buried, some five or six miles from the present DAVIDSON COLLEGE.

JOHN FINLEY and JOHN SHIELDS each owned lands near this location. ROBERT FINLEY ran a school a few miles farther East on Rocky River.

SAMUEL BAKER lived in this neighborhood and CHARLES HARRIS lived near the location of POPLAR TENT CHURCH over on Rocky River. All of this was then a part of ANSON COUNTY, or ROWAN, depending on just what date is considered.

GOWAN'S FORD is where General William Lee Davidson was killed during the revolution. Neither the Ford as so named, or the Davidsons were in this section when John Thomson was there.

NEW PROVIDENCE CHURCH below Charlotte was established shortly after 1760, and the first regular pastor was ROBERT HENRY who came down from GUB CREEK in Virginia. JOHN RAMSEY, near New Providence married the great grandmother of DAVID CROCKETT, whose gr. father was ARCHIBALD CROCKETT, who married a KING. They were the parents of JOHN CROCKETT, father of DAVID CROCKETT.

ROGER CUNNINGHAM, near Hopewell Church was the father of Rev. Robert Moore Cunningham, who died at Tuscaloosa. When a boy Rev. Robert Moore Cunningham went to school to ROBERT FINLEY on Rocky River, near where his parents lived.

SUGAR CREEK (sometimes called "Sugaw") was organized and ministered to by Rev. Alexander Craighhead, of Old Providence Church in Rockbridge County, Va. Dr. Craighhead was a friend of JOHN THOMSON, but remained with his congregation in Virginia until BRADDOCK'S defeat, when they came in a body to Mecklenburg County, N. C. John Thomson had been there fifteen years earlier, and many winters had ravaged his grave on the Catawba when Dr. Craighhead's congregation came. With him came the Alexanders and others.

JOHN BIGGER who ran the ferry down near Steele Creek was from Prince Edward County. The MORROW FAMILY from Prince Edward County built the old SIX MILE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH below Pineville. Pineville was called "Morrow's Turn-Off" in those days.

COL. JAMES WALKUP, revolutionary patriot once lived in Mecklenburg, but changing the line, threw him into Union, and for a time he was in South Carolina, Lancaster County.

THOMAS EWING'S daughter married one of the CALHOUNS. He sold the JACKSONS their land. Rev. John McKemie Wilson educated many ministers, including the MORRISONS. For more light on this see "FOOTE".

