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From the President—

“HAPPY 25TH ANNIVERSARY”

Time to get this edition of the “Journal” out and trying to do some research in the process with so little time.

First, we are really excited having a new book for sale, as you can see on the following page. This book covers the cohabitation of the black race that was not recognized in North Carolina until 1866. These marriages, cover forty plus years living as man and wife. The couples had to appear before the Clerk of Court or a Justice of the Peace and tell how many years they had been together. They were given a paper with this written on it and signed by the Clerk of Court or the JP. The book also has 26 years of Granville County marriages of all races. This book is an excellent research tool if your ancestors lived in Granville County. In this book you may find marriages of several generations in one family, which makes your research much easier.

We took a vacation in the month of July and did not get to extract more information that the Society accomplished during our 25 years of existence. I will catch up with the remaining accomplishments in our next issue. My apologies for this.

Our webmaster Allen Dew is updating and adding burials to the cemeteries on Cemetery Census. So far, he has 433 cemeteries listed for Granville County. If you have one that needs to be added, send him the name/names with dates, name of cemetery, and pictures of the cemetery and tombstones.

Allen had a request to find a burial place of a person at one of the churches in the county and lo and behold he discovered there were two churches with the same name in the county. We had catalogued one but not the other, so we will be cataloguing the other as soon as the weather breaks. Too hot to get out there now.

New additions to the North Carolina Room are ongoing. Two computers have been added to the room. One was a donation from the Society along with a table from one of the Society

members. The other was a purchase by the library from the NC Room funds. The Richard Thornton Library is an affiliate library of the LDS now, so you can find more on the site now than before when you are in the library. The closest ones before this were in Raleigh and Chapel Hill. You will need your library card to access it. If you are from out of town the library employees on duty can help you access it.

We have an updated “Wish List” in this Journal so if you are starting to get your Christmas Shopping done early include one of these books for the North Carolina Room. The cost of the book is tax deductible. Just ask for a receipt when making the donation. The book will have a bookplate inside listing who donated it.

Our library is becoming a destination point for research and with all the visitors coming into the county it is helping the local economy. A win-win situation.

Visit our website often Allen is continuously making updates to it. He has been adding a lot of cemetery information on Cemetery Census.

If you are interested in starting your family research please consider joining our Society. You can go online to GCGS.ORG for an application and membership information. Also, you can pay for your membership with your credit card or PayPal. You will receive four Journals and the messenger each year. Our meetings are held the first Thursday of each month except July when we take a vacation. The books that we have for sale are listed on the website. The Society members are all willing to help you. And we have a North Carolina Room at the Thornton Library with tons of information to help you uncover your family information. Also, our Journals are searchable on-line.

Don't forget to check your mailing label for your membership renewal date.

Until next time.

Happy researching, *Mildred C. Goss*

Announcing our newest publication Marriage Registers Granville County, North Carolina 1866 – 1894

Extracted marriage records of Granville County, North Carolina 1866 through 1894. Section one, 1866-1867, is Cohabitation marriage records of freed slaves immediately after the Civil War. Section two is marriages from certificates filed in 1869 through 1894 in the Register of Deeds Office in Oxford, North Carolina. Book includes an Index of all names of Grooms and Brides

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The marriage records are listed in two sections as follows:

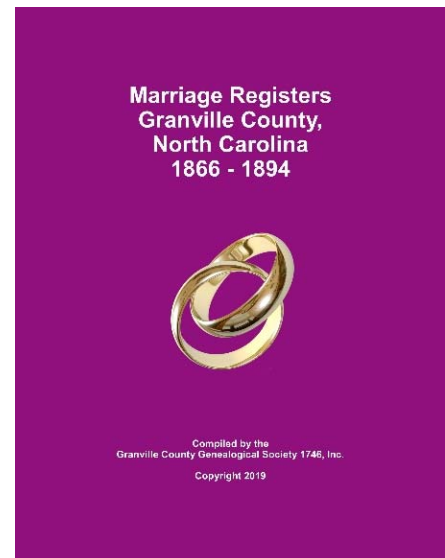
Section One Lists the Cohabitation records from the registration of freed slaves immediately after the Civil War. The abolition of slavery raised the question of freed men's marriages. In 1866, the North Carolina General Assembly passed "An Act Concerning Negroes and Persons of Color or of Mixed Blood." Those persons who wished to register their pre-Emancipation marriages were required to appear before the clerk of the county court or a justice of the peace to acknowledge their marital status. These acknowledgements were to be recorded and regarded as proof that a marriage had, indeed, existed. These surviving records do not represent all slave marriages, by any means. Individuals registering their cohabitation were issued a Certificate of Marriage. These registrations were recorded during 1866 and 1867. Some of these people who registered lived in present day Vance County, since that county was formed in 1881 from the larger Granville County.

Section Two Lists the information extracted from marriage indexes and marriage certificates on file in the Register of Deeds Office in the Granville County Courthouse in Oxford, North Carolina for the years 1869 through 1894. This list was abstracted to help save the brittle papers from being handled by patrons and a copy of these certificates are in the Richard Thornton Library. Some of the original marriage certificates are missing from the files and cannot be located.

Complete Index of All Grooms and Brides

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GCGS Deaths for June, July, August 2019

Editors Note: This listing shows the deaths from the obituaries in three newspapers (Oxford Public Ledger, Butner/Creedmoor News, Henderson Dispatch) for the specified time. Names are listed as they appear in the papers. Their listed age, whether they were Buried or Cremated (many people would be looking for a tombstone and gravesites with burials, but with cremations they need to look for a death certificate or an obit), date of death and parents if listed. Some funeral homes do not list the parents.

Adcock, Gwendolyn Knott Cox	75	B	6/15/2019	James Earl & Mary Elizabeth Brooks Knott
Bass, Lillie Mae Hayes	95	C	7/13/2019	Lucious & Pearlie Bass Hayes
Blackwell, Bobby Clifton	82	C	6/9/2019	Clifton & Lillian Blackwell
Blalock, Katherine Mason	88	B	7/7/2019	Windal White Mason & Beulah Agnes Grooms Mason
Bowen, Rosanne	77	C	6/16/2019	Francis & Genevieve Lenda
Braxton, Anne Laura	91	B	6/29/2019	Henry(Chief) & Mary Ellington Rogers
Briggs, Tammy Elizabeth Newcomb	57	B	7/14/2019	Robert (Bob) & Mary Elizabeth Goss Newcomb
Brummell, James Hobson	66	B	7/20/2019	Augusta & Elnora Royster Brummell
Burnette, Lionel Bertrand Jr. "Chip"	51	B	8/18/2019	Lionel Sr & Lucinda "Cindy" Pittard Burnette
Burt, Wayne Bradford	58	B	7/12/2019	Carl & Dorothy Pratt Burt
Campbell, Jonathan H.	60	C	7/11/2019	Thiomas J. & Evelyn W. Campbell
Cash, Jean B, "Carolyn"	74	C	7/15/2019	Not listed
Clayton, Carroll Ray	68	B	7/29/2019	Willie Grey Clayton & Peggy Mayton
Cottrell, Sallie Mae Ayscue	102	B	7/11/2019	Melvin W. & Mary Tharrington Ayscue
Currin, Blanard "Bud"	88	B	7/14/2019	Allie Ray & Nannie Adcock Currin
Curtis, Roy E.	67	B	6/8/2019	Willie Junius & Lila Othealia Cozart Curtis
Davis, Tassie L.	71	C	7/31/2019	Ruffin & Mabel Norwood
Dickerson, Anne Bowling	88	B	8/3/2019	Frank & Ava E. Bowling
Dixon, Lawrence Edward	83	B	6/5/2019	Thomas Jefferson & Minnie Adell Gentry Dixon Huff
Downey, Andre	42	B	7/1/2019	John & Dianne Strong
Dunn, Deborah Ann Nichols	68	B	7/27/2019	Jack Augustus & Josephine Freeman Nichols
Eakes, Fannie Goldsborough	95	B	6/30/2019	Ralph & Addie Scott Goldsborough
Edwards, Emma Fields	80	B	7/12/2019	Lonnie & Elizabeth Bowden Fields
Enloe, Charles David	90	B	6/30/2019	William & Emma Ledford Enloe
Evans, Bessie Fuller	90	C	8/5/2019	Grady & Eunice Hayes Fuller
Evans, Glendora "Nola"	59	B	7/24/2019	Willie Graham & Louise Harris Evans
Evans, Ulyses Jr. "June"	73	B	8/7/2019	Ulyses Sr. & Mary Thornton Evans
Faulkner, Mae Hicks	77	B	8/13/2019	Badger Washington Hicks & Esther Greene Hicks
Forbes, Lucille Beam	81	B	7/31/2019	Lloyd & Adelaide Greene Beam
Fox, Samuel Gray "Sam" III	88	B	7/13/2019	Samuel Jr. & Rebecca Ross "Tiny" Fox
Frazier, Daisy Lee Milton	100	B	8/5/2019	William Henry & Manie Grey Blackwell Milton
Godsey, Bobby Garland	86	B	6/12/2019	Claude Godsey & Lillian Talley
Harris, Charlie Sr.	57	C	7/3/2019	Robert & Addie Frances Smith Harris
Harris, Jacquelin "Pat"	64	C	8/15/2019	Not listed
Harris, Octavia Lee Milam "Sissy"	81	C	7/9/2019	Samuel Ivan Milam & Hettie Brown
Harris, Randolph	65	B	7/22/2019	Haywood & Emma Harris
Hart, Samuel Lamont	42	B	8/27/2019	Fred S. & Linda Jones Hart

Haythe, Earlene D.	87	B	8/22/2019	Jim Henry & Annie Bell Sanford Downey
Hicks, Clyde Hoey	83	B	6/24/2019	Frank Loren Hicks & Dulcie Satterwhite Hicks
Hillman, James Elgan Jr.	80	C	8/17/2019	James Sr. & Margaret Jackson Hillman
Hollenbach, William Anthony Jr.	87	D	6/17/2019	William Hollenbach & Adelaide Moslanka
Howard, Phillip	67		7/3/2019	John & Bettie Howard
Hudgins, Nellie Ellis (Grey)	91	B	6/14/2019	Helen & Irvin Ellis
Hughes, Ivey Junior	62	C	8/3/2019	Ivery & Sue Hughes Johnson
Inscoc, Rupert Wayne	62	C	7/17/2019	Not listed
Ison, Rosemary Bohl	92	C	4/24/2019	Robert & Helen Bohl
Jackson, James Edward "Shorty"	67	B	6/30/2019	Mark J. & Eula Woodlief Jackson
Jones, Herman Thomas, Jr. (HT) "Whitey"	83	B	8/30/2019	Herman Jones Sr & Elsie Boyd
Justice, Geraldine Tingen Hines	72	B	8/14/2019	Perry Melvin & Novella Faulk Tingen
Knight, Judy Marie	70	C	8/3/2019	Janie Walker
Lewis, Armantha Stainback	78	B	7/19/2019	Arthur & Lonie Johnson Stainback
Liles, William Burns	58	C	6/8/2019	Melvin Jr. & Mary Ann Scoggins
Loftis, Peggy Dale Wilkerson	68	C	6/19/2019	Lawrence Hoover & Sarah Elizabeth O'Geary Wilkerson
Lumpkin, Matthew Thomas	19	B	6/9/2019	James Christian Lumpkin & Sara Ray
Mitchell, Hannah J.	83	B	6/16/2019	Oscar & Donia Hobgood Green
Monteleone, Antoinette Barbari "Tiny"	78	B	8/6/2019	Rocco Barbari & Florence Lusardi
Morgan, Charles B. "Chuke"	73	B	8/6/2019	Louise Royster & Edward Hicks
Morgan, Maggie Jeanette "Janet"	62	B	8/26/2019	James (Buster) & Magnolia Morgan
Morton, Martha Frances Wade Fields	93	B	6/21/2019	Walter Ray & Pearl Atkins Wade
Mulhollen, Curt Douglas	54	B	8/16/2019	Barry Gale & Alberta Mulhollen
Newcomb, Robert "Gene" Eugene	69	B	7/15/2019	Robert Lee & Evelyn Riggan Newcomb
Norwood, Betty Weatherspoon	87	B	6/26/2019	Sallie Woodruff Weatherspoon
Overby, Joan Yvonne Winfield	88	B	6/25/2019	Alexander & Rosa Jeffress Winfield
Peace, Louis T. "Bruh" Jr.	85	B	7/7/2019	Louis Sr. & Julia Ann Chavis Peace
Prather, Steven Hartwell	71	C	7/16/2019	John Willard & Edith Champion Prather
Ricketson, Don A.	77	C	6/29/2019	Not listed
Riddick, Edward N.	74	B	7/20/2019	Ernest E. & Fannie Brown Riddick
Royster, Edgar	94	B	6/23/2019	Samuel & Lucy Royster
Scott, Esther S.	94	B	7/24/2019	Milton & Rosa Peel Smith
Shearin, Nannie Ree Fisher	94	C	6/17/2019	Lee A. & Lucy Kennedy Fisher
Sherman, Ethel Beasley	90	B	7/3/2019	Stephen & Mary Jane Floyd Beasley
Sherron, Ray Fletcher	71	B	6/24/2019	Ray Allen & Effie Fletcher Sherron
Singleton, Charlie Ray Sr.	84	C	8/23/2019	Elton Robert & Ebbie Potter Singleton
Slaughter, Joseph Bert Sr.	93	B	8/17/2019	Clay Maston Slaughter & Betty Ann Williams Slaughter
Smith, William H. Sr. "Jim"	79	B	8/13/2019	Birtha Lee & Evelyne Smith
Thorpe, Jimmy L.	47	C	7/21/2019	Jimmy Lee Thorpe & Inez Thorpe
VanDyke, Fannie Mae Terry	83	B	6/28/2019	George Jr & Viola B. Harris Terry
Venable, Bailey	72	B	8/13/2019	Graham Sr. & Celester Marrow Venable
Wainwright, Robert Henry "Bob"	87	C	6/14/2019	Harry DeWitt & Sadie Scriminger Wainwright

Ware, Mary Grace Woodard	73	B	8/26/2019	Fred Sr. & Grace Tyler Woodard
Watts, Andrew J. "AJ"	27	C	8/23/2019	Aretha Thomas; James Dennis Ragland
Whitfield, Donny Lyon	62	B	8/16/2019	Wm "Billy" Lyon Whitfield & Emily Bragg
Whitlow, Maurice Gentry Sr.	74	B	7/26/2019	John E. & Malvena Carter Whitlow
Wilkins, Billy Earl	82	B	7/6/2019	Helon Primrose Wilkins Sr & Hettie Cash Wilkins
Wilson, Betty Ellington	80	B	6/30/2019	Sherman Beetle & Nora Lee Roberts Ellington
Wilson, Charles Thomas (C.T.)	68	C	8/22/2019	Not Listed
Woodlief, Elizabeth Myrtle Frazier	98	B	7/17/2019	Elijah Gus & Myrtle Parham Frazier
Wright, Murdock "Boo Jack"	74	C	6/21/2019	Not listed
Wynn, Dorion King	2mo	C	6/25/2019	Renee & Patrick Wynn
Younger, Cynthia	54	C	7/20/2019	Evana Jones

Wish List for North Carolina Room

“North Carolina's Revolutionary Founders”, edited by Jeff Broadwater , Troy L. Kickler.

“Free African Americans Of North Carolina, Virginia, And South Carolina From The Colonial Period To 1820”, Fifth Edition, by Paul Heinegg, Two Volumes.

“Edgecombe County, North Carolina Cemeteries, Volume 2”, compiled by the Edgecombe County Genealogical Society.

“Some Colonial And Revolutionary Families Of North Carolina, Volume 1 And 2”, by Marilu Burch Smallwood.

“Dream Of A House, The Passions And Preoccupations Of Reynolds Price”, by Alex Harris, edited by Margaret Sartor.

“Marion Butler and American Populism”, by James L. Hunt.

“From Log Cabin To The White House: A History Of The Taylor Family”, by Mary Tower Brewer.

“Worthy Of Record The Civil War And Reconstruction Diaries Of Columbus Lafayette Turner”, edited by Kendrick N. Simpson

“Thoroughfare For Freedom, The Second Atlas of the Cumberland Settlements 1779-1804”, by Puryear, Master and Drake.

“Virginia Deeds, Volume 3, 1777-1779”, by T. L. C. Genealogy.

“Virginia Deeds, Volume 4, 1779-1786”, by T. L. C. Genealogy.

“Afro-American Death Notices From Eastern North Carolina Newspapers, 1859-1935”, by Barry Munson.

“Abstracts Of Pittsylvania County, Va. Deeds 1783-1790”, by Gayle Austin.

“The Land Tax Lists Of Pittsylvania County, Va. Deeds 1782-1802”, by Gayle Austin.

“A Time to Serve, Bertie County During World War I”, by Gerald W. Thomas.

“Mount Mitchell and the Black Mountains, An Environmental History of the Highest Peaks in Eastern America”, by Timothy Silver.

“Free African Americans of North Carolina, Virginia, and South Carolina From The Colonial Period To About 1820”, Fifth Edition by Paul Heinegg, Two Volumes.

“The Marines of Montford Point, America's First Black Marines”, by Melton A. McLaurin.

“The Schoolmaker, Sawney Webb and The Bell Buckle Story”, by Lawrence McMillin.

“Citizens of Halifax County, N. C. And Vicinity 1824-1825”, by Barry Munson.

“Growing Up In Pilot (Franklin Co., N. C.)”, by Sylvia Bunn Watkins.

“Smells Like Grandma's House”, by Sylvia Bunn Watkins.

“Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy in Virginia" by William Wade Hinshaw.

“Whittle's Mill (Mecklenburg Co., Va.) An American History”, by Max B. Crowder.

Dorsey Family of Granville County

by Wilma Dorsey Preddy - Great-Great Granddaughter of Dr. Washington Dorsey

The Dorseys of French descent (sometimes written as Darcy) of Granville County, North Carolina, descended from Colonel Edward Dorsey, son of Edward Dorsey, one of the early settlers of the Colony of Maryland is recorded as one of the Justices of Anne Arundal County in 1679 - 1685. He was Judge of the High Court of Chancery for 1694 to 1698 during which time he was commissioned to hold the Great Seal of the Province. He was a member of the House of Burgesses for Anne Arundal County in 1694 and represented the same body in 1679 until his death in 1705.

Lloyd Dorsey, son Michael and Honor Howard married Anna Green. They were the parents of Washington Dorsey, born January 12, 1808. He graduated in his profession of medicine in 1830/31. Dr. Dorsey left Maryland and came to Rockbridge County, Virginia. Later that same year, he married Camilla Terrill Seabrook, daughter of John Seabrook formerly of Richmond Virginia and Anne Sydnor of Hanover County, Virginia.

The young couple migrated on horseback to Granville County, North Carolina and settled in Brassfield Township near Wilton. Later, Dr. Dorsey and family moved to Oxford, then to Shady Grove on what is now Highway 15 South.

Dr. Washington Dorsey was one of the first vestrymen of the Oxford Episcopal Church. After practicing medicine for thirty years, he contracted typhoid fever from one of his patients and died September 22, 1864. His wife Camilla died October 3, 1882. They are buried in the old cemetery in Oxford.

Dr. and Mrs. Washington Dorsey had nine children as follows: Virginia Ann, Cecelia Elizabeth, Mary Green, Washington, Emma Seabrook, Howard, Seabrook, Edward Garland, and Melville. On February 21, 1852, four of the children were baptized in the Oxford Episcopal Church. They were Emma Seabrook, Edward Garland, Howard, and Seabrook.

Howard and Washington served in the Civil War. Washington died of an illness while serving in the war. Place of death was not reported.

The Dorseys and descendants presently living in Granville, Vance, and Wake Counties are direct descendants of Howard Dorsey, son of Dr. Washington Dorsey, born May 8, 1845 and died June 20, 1920 in Raleigh, North Carolina while attending a Confederate Soldier's Reunion. Howard Dorsey married Mary Elizabeth George on January 17, 1864, who was born May 21, 1850 and died May 22, 1915.

Howard and Mary Dorsey were farmers and lived on a large farm just outside the city limits of Oxford on land now occupied by the Lennox and Revlon Companies. Their home was a two-story frame building that faced the old Henderson Road.

The following children were born to their union: John Seabrook, William Edward, George Howard, Frank, Charlie, and Bessie. William Edward was born February 10, 1873 and died February 4, 1920. He married Cynthia Harris Parham December 17, 1895. She was born April 27, 1874 and died April 6, 1926.

William Edward and Cynthia Harris Parham lived on a large farm five miles east of Oxford on Route #3. It is now named Dorsey Road. The land was inherited from Cynthia's parents, William Asa (Gas) Parham and Mary Julia Cheatham. The home place and some acreage remained in the Dorsey family until 1983, which was at the time owned by Kathrynne Bobbitt Dorsey Harris. Kathrynne sold the Dorsey Home Place and relocated to the Senior Citizen's Home in Henderson. She was a resident there until her death in 1994.

William Edward and Cynthia Harris Parham had the following children: Loyd, William Edward, Cynthia, Elizabeth, Cathryne, and Howard.

(I) Loyd married Thelma Barnes and they had the following children: 1) William Loyd Dorsey, Jr., (W.L.), who married Virginia Frances Hoyle, and they have the following children: Teresa Jean, Kathy Lynn, and William Donald (Donnie), 2) Walter Edward - no children, 3) James Barnes (Jimmy), who married Sylvia Lucille Allsop - no children, 4) Barbara Jean married J.W. Moody - no children.

(II) William Edward married Gladys Mae Brummitt and they had the following children: 1) Wilma Wynona who married Rancher Craven Preddy and 2) William Edward II and he married Janet Marie Preddy and they have the following children: Janet Marie and Barbara Lee: 3) Julia Kathrynne married 1) Wilson Henry Warren and they had the following children: Wilson Henry Warren, Jr., and Brooks Anne. Julia Kathrynne married 2) Larry Palmer - no children.

(III) Cynthia married Luther Stark and they had the following children: 1) William Luther (Billy) who married Jeanette Rudder, and they had the following children: William Luther, Jr., James Keith and Elizabeth Anderson; 2) Isabelle married James Smith and they have the following children: James Smith, Jr., and Beverly Smith.

(IV) Howard Melville married Sue Betty Oakley and they have the following children: 1) Melville Howard, Jr., and Tracey Lynn; 2) Ronald Sherman and he married Carol Harper and they have the following

children: Ronald Sherman, Jr. and Jon Harper.

Also, George Howard Dorsey, son of Howard and Mary Elizabeth George Dorsey was born September 30, 1875 and died August 1, 1956. He married Mary Ellen Tharrington October 14, 1915. She was born April 5, 1897 and died May 21, 1989. They had the following children: George (Buck), Clara, and Eva Thornton. George (Buck) married Sue Betty Oakley Dorsey, widow of Howard Melville Dorsey, (his first cousin). Clara married Harvey Eakes. Harvey was in the Canadian Air Force and later in the U.S. Air Force. He was killed in World War II. Eva Thornton died at the early age of five years. There were no children born to George (Buck) and Clara.

In addition to the descendants listed above, there are twenty-four (24) living great-great grandchildren of William Edward Dorsey and Cynthia Harris Parham Dorsey.

Reavis and Parham Family in Granville County

by Evelyn Reavis Dorenkamp

Samuel Reavis (1721-1789) and Nancy Jones (1736-1807) arrived in Granville County about 1786. Seventy-five years later, a number of their grandchildren and great grandchildren, many being descendants of Lewis W. Parham and Lucy Russell Reavis, served in the Army of the CSA.

George James Reavis (1818-1892), son of Lewis and Sarah Reavis, was appointed Captain in the 43rd NC Regiment on 9/28/1861, and survived the war, taking the Oath of Allegiance on 9/4/1865. He married first Damsel V. McCraw, and second Martha Hayes. They lived in the Flat Rock Community, and later, Cary.

William Amis Reavis (1842-1926), son of Thomas D. Reavis and Lucy Amis, enlisted as a Private in the 9th NC Regiment (which became the 1st Regiment NC Cavalry) on 6/8/1861. In July 1863, he was appointed Corporal in Company E. He was present or accounted for through December 1864. He married Cynthia Eliza Cheatham of Oxford, and they resided in Franklin County.

James Robert Reavis (1841-1864), son of Samuel Jones Reavis, Jr. and Charity High Hunt, enlisted as a private in the 12th NC Regiment, Company F, known as the Warren Guards, on 4/29/1861. He was killed "accidentally" at the Battle of Spotsylvania Court House on 5/11/1864.

Thomas Coghill Reavis (1840-1926), son of Lewis Pleasant Reavis and Mary Coghill, enlisted in the 13th NC Regiment, which later became the 23rd Regiment, Company G (Granville Rifles) in June 1861. He was present or accounted for until wounded at the Battle of Sharpsburg on 9/17/1862. He spent time in several hospitals in Richmond before being discharged in April 1863. He was listed absent wounded until 2/3/1864 when he was detailed as a provost guard in Raleigh, as a sergeant. He married Elizabeth Waddie Best, and they lived in Warren County.

Samuel Wesley Reavis (1843-1923), son of Lewis Pleasant Reavis and Mary Coghill, enlisted in the 23rd Regiment, Company G in June 1861. He was captured at Winchester on 9/19/1864, while on picket, the same day the Company's Colonel C.C. Blacknall was mortally wounded. Samuel was confined at Point Lookout, Maryland and released about June 1865. He married Sallie Margaret Baskett who lived in the Spring Valley Community.

James Wyche (1845-1863), son of William Evans Wyche and Sarah Thomas Reavis (daughter of Lewis and

Sarah Reavis), enlisted in the 47th NC Regiment, Company G. He was wounded in the arm and captured at Gettysburg, 7/3/1863, during Pickett's Charge. He was hospitalized briefly at Gettysburg, before being transferred to a hospital at Chester, PA., where he died 8/12/1863 of "typhus fever."

James Wesley Williams (1839-1863), son of Samuel T. Williams and Nancy Hundley Reavis (daughter of William Whitfield Reavis and Elizabeth Ann Wiggins) enlisted as Sergeant in the 1st NC Regiment, Company D for six months. On 2/26/1862, he enlisted in the 11th NC Regiment, Company G. After being promoted to 2nd Lieutenant, he was killed on the first day of the Battle of Gettysburg, 7/1/1863.

Samuel Jones Parham (1834-1880), son of Asa Parham (son of Lewis W. Parham and Lucy Russell Reavis) and Delia Hawkins Reavis (daughter of Samuel Jones Reavis and Martha Patsey Harris), enlisted initially as a Major in the 43rd Regiment, 11th Brigade on 12/7/1861. On 3/24/1862, he transferred to the 54th Regiment, Company K (Carolina Boys), and was appointed Captain. He was captured at the Battle of Rappahannock Station on 11/7/1863. Over the course of the next year, he was confined in seven different prisons in six different states. He was a member of the "Immortal Six Hundred" (prisoners who were used as human shields) and was paroled and exchanged at Charleston Harbor on 12/15/1864. He married Maria Southerland, for whom Maria Parham Hospital is named. After serving as mayor of Henderson in 1879, he died the following year.

William Asa Gaston Parham (about 1840-?), son of Asa Parham and Delia Hawkins Reavis, enlisted as Corporal in the 30th NC Regiment, Company G (Granville Rangers) on 9/7/1861. He surrendered at Appomattox Court House on 4/9/1865. He married Mary Julia Cheatham.

James Arthur Williamson Parham (1829-?), son of Asa Parham and Delia Hawkins Reavis, enlisted as 2nd Lieutenant in the 43rd NC Regiment, Company G in 1861. On 5/6/1862, he transferred to the 54th Regiment, Company K. He was discharged on or about 1/13/1863 after providing a substitute. He married Martha Elizabeth Davis, and they lived in the Watkins Community.

Thomas Buckner Whitfield Parham (1841-1928), son of Asa Parham and Delia Hawkins Reavis, enlisted in the 12th NC Regiment, 2nd Company D (Granville Greys) on 4/22/1861. He surrendered at Appomattox Court House on 4/19/1865. He married Nannie Royster.

Asa C. Parham (1821-?), son of Williamson Parham (son of Lewis W. Parham and Lucy Russell Reavis) and Judith Woodson Amis, enlisted in the 23rd NC Regiment, Company G on 6/11/1861, at the age of 40. He was present or accounted for until discharged two months later on 8/23/1861, by reason of "debility and heart." He married Sallie Paschall.

Jonathan Fuller Coghill (1842-1928), husband of Zubeike Kittrell Fuller (great granddaughter of Lewis W. Parham and Lucy Russell Reavis), enlisted in the 23rd NC Regiment, Company G, and was designated as a 'sharpshooter'. A collection of his letters is on file at the Southern Historical Society at UNC. His brother, A.E. Coghill was in the same company, and his father, James O'Kelley Coghill enlisted during the latter years of the war.

Frank M. McCraw, Jr. (1837-1864), son of Frank McCraw and Sally Coghill (sister of Mary Coghill who married Lewis Pleasant Reavis) enlisted in the 23rd NC Regiment, Company G, on 11/12/1863. Frank was married to Betsy Wiggins. He was killed at the Battle of Cedar Creek on 10/19/1864, and is buried in the Reavis Family Cemetery on Satterwhite Point Road.

Duncan Family of Granville County

by Agnes Duncan Powell

George Duncan was born circa 1758. This is based on information included in his application for a Revolutionary War pension. George joined the Continental Army, 6th North Carolina Regiment on 20 April 1776 and served at Wilmington, NC until 19 October 1778. He married Mary "Polly" Slaughter of Granville Co. on 14 May 1781, then reenlisted on 25 May 1781 and served until 26 July 1782. On his discharge from the Continental Army, he returned to Granville County to live.

George and Polly had eight children: George W. Duncan, was born circa 1783, and died 20 January 1810 in Person County; Barbary Duncan was born circa 1787 and died in 1853 in Person County; Ezekial Duncan was born circa 1789 and died in 1853 in Person County; Frances Duncan was born on 14 April 1788 and died on 18 September 1874 in Pickens County, Alabama; Mary "Polly" Duncan was born in 1795, and died between 1860-1870 in Person County; William Anderson Duncan was born on 21 October 1797 and died in 1841 in Granville County; Alfred Duncan was born in 1800 and died in 1858 in Granville County; and John Bunyan Duncan was born in 1805 and died circa 1855 in Granville County. The older five children were born in Granville County, and the remaining three were born in Person County, where George had purchased land prior to 1795.

George W. Duncan died leaving two minor children: Barbary married John Dixon and they had two children; Ezekial had seven children, many of the descendants of whom live in Person County; Mary "Polly" married Richard Harris; Frances married John Clayton Jr. and they moved to Alabama circa 1830; and Anderson, Alfred, and John B. all returned to Granville County where they married and raised families. The family of John B. moved to Kentucky after John's death.

Anderson Duncan married Elizabeth Glover Slaughter in Granville County on 18 December 1814. They had ten children, all born in Granville County. Their children were: Mary Ann Elizabeth was born 28 February 1817 and died 8 March 1893 in Person County. She married Samuel A. Dixon on 20 January 1834 and they had seventeen children. George Woodson Duncan was born on 25 October 1821 and died on 27 October 1903 in Stem, NC. He remarried Margaret Jones Meadows on 16 December 1846. She was born in 1831 and died in 1894. They had thirteen children. George Woodson and his family lived their lives in Stem, NC. The old home place is still there. The dwelling is now being used as a storage building and the farm of 135 acres currently is owned by the Wilkins family. It is located on Tump Wilkins Road (formerly known as Duncan Springs Road). The farm was well known locally for the reputed healing powers of the water from two springs (now contaminated and unfit to drink).

Joanna T.S. Duncan was born circa 1825 and died after 1880. She married James M. Evans on 10 August 1847. Sarah P. Duncan was born circa 1828 and died after 1910. She married Solomon Slaughter on 5 November 1844, and married second to Jesse W. Beaver on 6 September 1865. She had six children. Abraham Samuel Duncan was born circa 1831 and died before 1873. He married Adeline Stroud on 16 October 1853. They moved to Kentucky before 1860, and had one child. Eleanor Demaries Duncan was born on 10 October 1832 and died in October 1909. She married Sterling H. Tingen on 19 February 1857. They had six children. Albey Ann Duncan was born circa 1836 and died before 1873. Ailsie G. Duncan was born circa 1838 and married Zachary H. Tingen on 21 January 1858. Louisa M. Duncan was born circa 1839 and died before 1873. Cameron J. Duncan was born circa 1840 and died on 31 August 1861 (a confederate casualty of the Civil War).

George Woodson Duncan and his wife Margaret had thirteen children: Sarah A. "Sallie" Duncan was born

on 30 October 1847 and died on 29 January 1940. She married James H. Thomasson on 2 November 1868. They had three children. Elizabeth Glover Duncan was born 3 June 1849. She married James Thomas Stem on 12 February 1873. They had four children. Rebecca Jane Duncan was born on 12 February 1851 and died in 1932. Emma Hester Duncan was born on 30 December 1853 and died on 3 August 1915. She married Henry Paul Haskins on 10 February 1870. They had five children. John Edwin Duncan was born on 19 March 1859 and died on 6 September 1929. Loaten Pickney Duncan was born on 1 August 1861 and died 2 July 1934. He married Lucy Florence Walters in 1891. They had two children. Martha "Mattie" Thomas Duncan was born on 22 November 1863 and died on 4 February 1944 in Darlington, South Carolina. She married William Jackson Stem on 18 October 1884. They had six children.

Mary Anna Duncan was born on 29 March 1866 and died 4 May 1955 in Colorado. She married Edward Allen Howard on 22 June 1904. She had one child. Luther Marion Duncan was born on 12 March 1868 and died on 25 October 1937. He married Minnie Belle Clark Holloway on 3 January 1924. They had two children. George Crudup Duncan was born on 10 October 1871 and died on 11 September 1933. He married Rosa Tazewell Wooding and they had five children. Extrema Belle "Exie" Duncan was born on 29 September 1875 and died on 27 May 1899. George Woodson farmed most of his life, but did serve in the Army of the Confederate States of America for ten months before being discharged at Fredericksburg, Virginia on 31 December 1862, at age forty-one. He had eight children at home at that time.

Luther Marion Duncan and Belle owned a small farm in the vicinity of Gorman, NC. Their two children were born and raised on that farm. Excell Clark Duncan was born on 27 October 1924. He married Juanita "Boots" Burns and they had three children: Debra Kay Duncan was born on 20 October 1949, Donna Gail Duncan was born 13 September 1953, and Cheryl Ann Duncan was born on 21 December 1956 and died on 14 June 1991. Ida Agnes Duncan was born on 5 September 1932. She married Durward E. Powell, Jr. on 29 March 1949. They had three children: Durward Excell Powell was born on 27 October 1950, Sandra Kay Powell was born on 21 November 1952, and Jeffrey Alan Powell was born on 14 February 1955. Agnes and Durward currently have three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. They have been retired from government service in the Immigration and Naturalization Service since 1982.

Arthur Lee Royster of Granville County

by Gladys Washington

Arthur Lee was raised in the Granville County area, where he lived until he moved to West Virginia to work in the coalmines. He also lived and worked in Ohio for several years as a coalminer and proprietor of a profitable neighborhood business. He lived away from North Carolina for eighteen years. After returning to Granville County. Arthur Lee was introduced to a gentle, young lady from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. His brother Ollie and sister-in-law (Missy Jane) arranged the rendezvous.

He was united in holy matrimony to Sophie Puryear Royster, December 8th 1923, in Granville County. Sophie was the daughter of Haywood and Margaret Puryear Royster. His older brother and close friend Ollie applied for the marriage license and served as a witness.

Arthur Lee and Sophie purchased property in Creedmoor, where they raised three sons. Willie, Joseph and Edmond were taught the value of work and of self-worth. Their parents instilled strong religious and personal beliefs. He emphasized closeness and true brotherly love to his sons. The three brothers started a quartet when they were very small, called the C R Jubilee. They would sing at Grassy Creek and Hardy Grove Churches. The father was said to have been a strong-willed and determined man. He worked hard

and expected everyone else to, also. Arthur Lee also believed everyone should try to have something in life. While his formal education was limited, he was an accomplished man for that time. One of his favorite sayings was "a hollin' won't nothing" which meant that he wanted to be his own man. He did not want to work for anyone else, but wanted to earn his own way. His dedication to working and earning money, later led to his demise.

During his lifetime he owned and operated several businesses. He farmed, sold produce, poultry and hogs. A modest dairy was owned by Arthur Lee, in which he sold milk. He was among the first blacks to own and operate a pulpwood business in the county. Initially, he worked a crew of fifteen men and owned three trucks. The family carried on the family businesses throughout his lifetime. He would assign each son responsibility and expected the best from each one. He always wanted black people to be proud to be successful. He believed in ownership and hard work. Arthur Lee will be remembered as a self-made man that liked being in charge.

Arthur Lee was not a healthy man later in his lifetime. He was said to have suffered from severe asthma attacks. We feel that he suffered and expired from what is now called the Black Lung disease.

Listed below are memories that his family would like to share:

He was quick to speak his mind.

He loved his family, and most of all, God. Every Wednesday and Sunday night was Bible study and a time for prayer.

He loved food, good eating, and always made sure his family had enough to eat.

He believed in sharing with family and community.

He knew the Bible and could tell the book, chapter and verse in a flash.

The community found joy and fellowship in the home of Arthur Lee.

His was one of the first households to have a television. Saturday night fights were a big thing in the Royster household.

The first Royster family reunion was held at Arthur Lee's home in 1934.

He was also a caring uncle who raised two nieces, Ethel and Betty Wilkerson.

He was a faithful member of the secretive St. Luke Organization and was renowned for his hospitality during meetings in his home.

One of his favorite and most remembered spiritual sayings was "Love the Lord with all your heart and your neighbor as yourself."

Arthur and Sophie's Legacy:

I. Willie served in the United States Navy, in the Fighting Sea Bees Outfit, 1944-1946, as a cook. He was to have served on a US Ship, but due to his father's ill health was ordered to stay in the states. A Japanese ship soon torpedoed the ship. Willie would have died with the crew. He returned to Granville County after his tour of duty to help his sick father and brothers.

Willie married Agnes Landis (d). He later married Flossie Taylor, daughter of Will and Carrie Montague Taylor (d). No children were born of this union, but they always had children around them.

Willie continued in the pulpwood business. He owned and operated his own business from 1953 to 1993. At that time he retired, but continued to work around the house and community. He became a dedicated Christian and faithful member and trustee of Grassy Creek Church. He has also been very loyal to Lewis Chapel Church. Willie has always been a loving and supportive uncle. You can always expect to hear a joke or words of encouragement. He has always instilled hard work and pride in earning your own money. Willie's favorite spiritual teaching is "the Lord will fix it for you, if you will hold His hand and live by His command."

II. Joseph was born February 11, 1927 and expired September 8, 1965. Joseph married Alice Hargrove, granddaughter of Skip Hargrove. They had one daughter, Inez. Inez married Mr. Davidson. She had four children, all by a former marriage: 1. Marcus O'Neal Jones, owner of Sanaa A Hair Salon, Atlanta, GA. 2. Joseph Edward Jones, warehouseman, Atlanta, GA. 3. Todd Jeffery Jones, warehouseman, Atlanta, GA. 4. Allyn Louis Smith, crew chief for Delta Airline, Atlanta, GA. Joseph later married Ophelia Hedgepeth (d).

Joe will be remembered for his being a hard worker. He loved cars, being a neat and well-dressed man. He would always remember family birthdays and would do things to assure you that he cared.

One of his most remembered sayings was that he needed to "work this puzzle out." He liked a challenge and enjoyed solving problems.

III. Ed married Jewel Evans Royster, daughter of Allen and Loucinda Hicks Evans (d). They had six children: Gladys, Edmond, Lee, Gracie, Deborah, and Larry. 1. Gladys has worked in the human services field at both the local and state levels for twenty-four years. She married Gene Washington. She had three sons by a former marriage: Keith, Toby, and Tony. All three live in the Henderson area and are self-employed drywall hangers. Keith also works as a certified forklift operator. Keith has one child, Lexus. Tony has two children: Tonnika and Katarina. 2. Ed, Jr. married Rosemary Nixon. Ed has worked for numerous years in the medical field as a registered nurse. They have three daughters: Adrienne, Eden, and Rosetta. Adrienne married Willie Rory. She works as a computer programmer. Eden will graduate in 2002 from UNC Greensboro with a Masters in Speech Pathology. Rosetta will graduate in 2002 from Appalachian State University with a BA Degree.

IV. Lee married Coreleen Green, daughter of Henry and Etta Vann Green (d). Lee has worked in the human services field for many years. They have one daughter, Coretta. She works for IBM in the RTP.

V. Gracie married George Lawson. She has worked for years in the human services field, also. Gracie has two sons by a former marriage. Casey works in marketing for HBO. Jason is a Sergeant (status) in the United States Army.

VI. Deborah married James Foster. She has taught in the Warren County School System for seventeen years. Deborah has two daughters: Chevon, who will graduate from NCCU, with a BA in Political Science, and Bria.

VII. Larry graduated from VGCC with a construction certificate.

Edmond will be the first to tell you that his life has not been as it should have been. He will also tell you that at no time did he forget what his parents taught him. He has loved his family and strived to be a self-made man. He has taught his six children to work for what they wanted and to enjoy life. They were conditioned to share among themselves and with others. His home has always been a place where everyone felt welcome. Even today, young and old will stop by just to say hello. Everyone also knows that you will not leave without hearing something about God. One thing that each of his children knows, is that still he will not eat until the children have eaten. He is, and has been, a very good and loving father.

His favorite affirmation is "love the Lord with all your heart and your neighbor as yourself."

Sarah Williams of Granville County

by Grace Tracy

Sarah Williams (1857-1940) was one of eight children born to Benjamin Williams and Sophie Burwell of Oxford, North Carolina. She was born just before slavery was abolished. There is no record of her ever venturing outside of North Carolina during her lifetime, other than a visit to Virginia to visit with her daughter Lillie Callie Brandon Alston. She was one of the older siblings of the Williams family.

She married twice, first to Anderson Thorp(e) on December 4, 1881. His death left this young widow with two children, Richard Williams (d. 1962), and Peter Thorp (b. 1883). She next married a widower who had six children. Counting the number shown, she started her second marriage with eight children. Her second husband was Osh Brandon, a farmer in Oxford, North Carolina. Mr. Brandon, unlike Sarah, had been born to free black parents. During her childbearing years, she had eleven children, eight daughters and three sons. The sons were the youngest of the group. The Brandons' children, namely Lillie Callie (1885-1965), Sophie (b. 1887), Carrie (b. 1890), Susie (1893-1982), Rachael (1895-1987), Annie Bell (1902-1998), Willie (1904-1980), Flora (b. 1907), Hezekiah Arthur, Zonial (b. 1892), and Otis (1899-1985) brought the total children of these two persons to nineteen. Sarah was 93 years old when she died in Oxford, NC, a lifetime member of Hong Baptist Church in Oxford, NC.

Each year after some of her children left home to start families of their own, she would invite them back for homecoming. The first homecoming or family reunion was held in her home there in Oxford. After a while, this place was too small to accommodate her sons and daughters, plus their children. Places they have held the continuing family reunion were: the Oxford Colored Orphan Children Home and the Armory there in town. She continued this tradition until she was unable to continue and the baton was then passed on to her sons and daughters. Other members of the family now plan the family reunions; the last several years by a grandchild of the great woman who lives in North Carolina.

My grandmother, Lillie Callie, the oldest daughter of Sarah Williams-Thorpe-Brandon would talk about how her mother raised them. She would tell us how her mother instilled in them the love of family and a positive work ethic. This woman who came from parents who could neither read nor write, knew the value of family and education, showing wisdom and foresight, which laid a foundation for her children. She made sure that her children were equipped to meet the demands of the outside world.

Her favorite Bible verse was Ephesians 6:3 "Children obey your parents in the Lord for this is right", and repeated in Colossians 3:20 "Children obey your parents in all things, for this is well pleasing unto the Lord." This reinforced for her the importance of obedience in children.

Fowler Family in Granville County

by Ella Jean Roberts

The Fowler Family has been numerous and prominent in Granville, Franklin, Orange, and Durham Counties for nearly 200 years, and was more than a century leading family in the area converted to Camp Butner.

Most Fowlers, till lately living on the Camp area are descendants of Moody Fowler, youngest son of Richard Fowler II, of Granville. Their ancestry is traced back to John Fowler, who came to America from England in 1662, or before. History of the Fowler family is recorded in a large volume published 2 years ago: "The House of Fowler" by Grover Parsons Fowler.

While only four Fowler households have been required to move their home because of the local military construction program, the family is closely related to nearly every other prominent family in the camp area. Following are family names connected with the Fowler family in the area during the last two centuries: Adcock, Barnett, Booth, Bradley, Byers, Clegg, Cozart, Crudup, Curl, Daniels, Davis, Ellis, Floyd, Frazier, Glass, Gooch, Goss, Hendrix, Jones, Lunsford, Mays, Miller, Nance, Nelms, Oakley, Parrish, Preddy, Quails, Roberts, Roycroft, Sanford, Sadwick, Simms, Stem, Strickland, Tanner, Tunstall, Umstead, Usery, Veazey, Washington, and Wilkins.

Richard Fowler Line: Richard Fowler, father of Richard II, was first member of the family to settle in Granville, and perhaps the first in North Carolina. He was granted 285 acres in Johnston County in 1761, and in 1762 acquired title to 680 acres in Granville in Tar River District. Sons of Richard II were John, William, Thomas, Moody, and Washington and perhaps others, though names are not recorded. John and Thomas settled in Kentucky, one of the brothers evidently moved to Tennessee, and another evidently settled in Texas.

Moody made his home in the Knapp of Reeds district, where he acquired considerable land. His will is recorded in the Granville County Records under date of Nov. 12, 1862. It mentions his wife Polly Harris, and the following children: Edney m. Joe Lunsford of Person County; Richard m. Charity Roberts; Mahala m. James F. Oakley; and Hillman m. Eliza Booth.

Daughters of Joe Lunsford and Edney Fowler were Jane, Lucy and Cenie. Names of sons are not recorded. Children of Richard Fowler and Charity Roberts were John B. married his first wife Salina Parrish, second wife Louisa Goss; Moses William married Emma Susan Goss; Lorenzo Mack, James Harvey, Sarah M., Lucy H. married Robert Critcher.

John B. Fowler Line: Children of John B. Fowler by his first wife, Salina Parrish, were: Joseph m. Fanny Franklin; Minnie m. Lafayette Washington; and Mary m. Dee Roberts.

By his second wife, Louise, he had 13 children: Eunice m. Edd Goss; Holt m. Esther Roberts, Mamie; Lucy m. Lonnie Roberts; Lonnie B. who first m. Pearl Curl, second wife Ellie Green; Johnnie m. Eva Harrisine; Willie m. Bessie Tippett; Lillie m. Jim Wilkins; Claudie; Odie Lee m. Ola Strickland; Burma m. Gene Nelms; Vassar (murdered at age 23 by a man named Dick Bivins); and a baby girl who died.

Children of Joseph, eldest son of John B.: Mack m. Lillian Gooch and had 3 children; Estelle m. Otis Stem and had one daughter; Cortez; Salina, married Nelson Coley and had one child, second marriage to Spence Shepherd; and Mallory m. Virgie Hobby.

Lafayette (Fate) Washington, husband of Minnie, was a descendent of John Washington; pioneer resident of Granville, and a cousin of General George Washington. Minnie had the following children by Fate: Robert m. Mahala Roberts; Nannie m. Willie Bradsher; Sam married Sallie Goss; Lillian m. Clarence Goss; T.C. married a Duke; Battle married Lois Jones; and Edward Hold married Roxie Meadows.

Children of Mary Fowler and Dee Roberts: Frank m. Carrie Veazey; Titus married Ruth Roycroft; Salina married Milton Washington; Ruth; Andrew; Ewell married Pearl Veazey; Ruby married Alvin Veazey.

Most of the grandchildren of John B. Fowler and second wife Louisa, at the time of this writing were yet unmarried and their names are omitted.

Moses William Fowler Line: Moses William Fowler was the second child of Richard and Charity Roberts Fowler. He was born March 14, 1853 and died May 31, 1916. He married Emma Susan Goss. Their children were Lucy m. Ulysees Roberts and had Nelllye who m. Joe Tunstall; Welford m. Jean; and Hazel m. Sally Newton. Levy m. Grace Sossman and had Lawrence, Cary, and Jean. Robert Lee m. Lillie Roberts and had one child, Leslie. Henry Owen m. Carrie May Umstead and had Brantly, William and Bruce; Clarence: Jesse Vales m. Ethel Ellis and had several children, but Brenda Sue is the only one on record; Rosa D. m. Jethro D. Umstead and has Lois and J.D.; Lillian Pearl; Malcolm Webb m. Eva Glass; Raymond m. Evelyn Miller.

Other Descendants of Richard III: There are no children of Lorenzo Mack, James Harvey and Sarah. Their youngest daughter, Lucy, m. Robert Critcher and had Lillian, Vassar and Mamie Blanche. The latter two died without issue, and the grandchildren of Lucy Fowler are the sons and daughters of Lillian who married John Lynden Cozart; they are William Hoyt, Helen Foutelle, John Critcher, and Bessie Jourdan.

Other Children of Moody: Mahala was the third child of Moody and Polly Fowler, and younger sister of Richard III. She m. James F. Oakley and they had two children: John and Cameron. No other names listed. Hillman Fowler was the youngest child of Moody and Polly. He m. Eliza Booth and they had five children: Sally m. Preston Nance and had three children: Licena m. Thomas Adcock and had 14 children; Mary m. Monk Roberts; Emma m. Robert Daniels and had 14 children; Ike never married.

Of the children of Sally Fowler and Preston Nance, Mamie m. Robert Clegg; Pender m. Sally Mays; has four children; Dexter m. Betty Mays and had six children.

Benjamin Williams Family of Granville County by Ella Dunn

Benjamin Williams (abt. 1842) was a slave, as was Sophie Burwell (abt. 1839), his wife. They were in their late teens and/or twenties when the Emancipation Proclamation was signed. They had been living together as man and wife when slavery was abolished. They had the opportunity to record their marriage when North Carolina allowed couples who were now freed to register their marriages, from 1861-1868 in the Register of Freed Married People. During the period of 1861-1868, couples who had lived together during their enslavement had the opportunity to have their marriages registered into state records. The following narrative recorded this occasion for this

couple and appears in the Granville County records.

"This day came before me Benj. Williams and Sophie Burwell freed people and said that they had been living together as man and wife for four years and intend to remain as such." Recorded by EPL JP on 11 April 1866. This short record transferred them from a statistic to a married couple; registering them in court documents in North Carolina for prosperity. They did not take this opportunity lightly, along with others in Granville County who had previously been enslaved. They wanted their marriages registered. Some of the couples in these records did not include a surname, or for many the surname of each of the couples was the same. We have not found out if they indeed were living on different plantations during their enslavement.

The Williams family appeared for the first time in the 1870 census in Granville County with five children: Caz (age 16), Presella (age 13) (the spelling of her name was smudged in this census), and Eliza (age 10) were shown as working on the farm. Their sisters, Sarah (age 7), and Rachel (age 2) were at home. Their son, who was about four years old did not appear in this census, but was recorded with the family in 1880.

In the 1880 census Peter (age 14), Rachel (age 12), Mary (age 10), Martha (age 8), and Kate (age 4) appeared. Eliza had married Levi Henderson and did not appear with the family. The two children from the 1870 census, Caz and Presella have not been identified further to date.

Their children started their families. Eliza had married Levi Henderson on July 15, 1879 in Granville County. Sarah, the next daughter, married first to Anderson Thorp(e) and second to Osh (Ash) Brandon. Peter's family has not been totally researched, although it is known that with his wife, they had three children. We have not completely researched information pertaining to their daughter Rachael after she left her parent's home. Mary married Mr. Hicks, and Martha married Mr. Allen. The youngest daughter, Kate, married P. Hargrove on December 23, 1890, in Granville County, with her father Benjamin Williams as one of the witnesses to this union, along with Curtis and Thomas Peace.

Benjamin and Sophie Williams, my great great grandparents are fondly remembered at the family reunions.



New Corinth Baptist Church Cemetery

<u>Name</u>	<u>Birth</u>	<u>Death</u>
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Location - at the intersection of Mountain Creek Rd and Bessie Morton Rd north of Oxford.

Directions: from Oxford at the Oxford Outer Loop take Hwy 96 northwest for about 7.9 miles. Turn right onto Mountain Creek Rd. Travel 1.0 mile north to Bessie Morton Rd. The cemetery is on the right side of the road after Bessie Morton Rd.

The church itself is located about 0.5 mile south of the cemetery at 1726 Mountain Creek Rd.

Partial survey by Allen Dew in September 2019 based on death certificates and other sources. The Society has plans to do a complete survey of this old African-American cemetery.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Birth</u>	<u>Death</u>
Burwell, Robert Husband of Lizzie Burwell. Son of Allen Burwell and Eliza Burwell.	1884	5 Jun 1936
Chavis, Burnice Son of James Chavis. PFC, US Army, Korea. Purple Heart. Killed in Action in Korea. Company F, 5th Regimental Combat Team, 24th Infantry Div.	17 Aug 1926	9 Dec 1951
Chavis, Martha J. Satterwhite Wife of James M. Chavis. Daughter of Jefferson Davis Satterwhite and Etta Thorpe Cunningham.	6 May 1912	10 Jan 1953
Chavis, Sadie Beatrice Downey Wife of 1) Johnnie Mark Yancey and 2) _____ Chavis. Daughter of Sandy Lewis Downey and Callie Satterwhite Downey.	15 Sep 1929	3 Nov 1994
Cooper, Robert	1914	9 May 1926
Cunningham, Mary Etta Satterwhite "Marietta" Wife of William H. Cunningham. Daughter of Jefferson Davis Satterwhite and Etta Thorpe Cunningham.	9 Sep 1890	12 Jul 1932
Cunningham, Mary Jane Puryear Wife of Alex L. Cunningham. Daughter of Robert Puryear and Della Thorpe Puryear.	27 Jun 1909	25 May 1972
Fields, Annie Ruth Daughter of Charlie Fields and Rosie Hammie Fields.	5 Jan 1927	2 Feb 1928
Green, Carrie L. Royster Wife of Judd Green. Daughter of Robin Royster.	30 Nov 1880	13 Feb 1958
Hammie, Alma Daisy Thomas Wife of Thomas Sylvester Hammie.	16 Jun 1931	26 Dec 2015
Hammie, Thomas Sylvester "June" Husband of Alma Daisy Thomas Hammie. Son of Hugh Hammie and Emmie Smith Hammie.	30 Jan 1929	7 Jul 2004
Mayes, Hubert Morris Husband of Maborn Latta Mayes. Son of Crayton Mayes and Rosa Royster Mayes.	1 Aug 1917	24 May 1975
Royster, Kitty Mayes Wife of Ben Royster. Daughter of Grandison Mayes and Ella Wilkerson Mayes.	23 Mar 1879	29 Mar 1927
Satterwhite, Bessie Royster Wife of Burley Willie Satterwhite. Daughter of Ben Royster and Kittie Mayes Royster.	26 Sep 1903	10 Jun 1944
Satterwhite, Burley Willie Husband of Bessie Royster Satterwhite. Son of Harriett Satterwhite.	26 Sep 1902	16 Dec 1970

New Corinth Baptist Church Cemetery

<u>Name</u>	<u>Birth</u>	<u>Death</u>
Satterwhite, Harry Husband of Amy Ann Wilkerson Satterwhite. Son of Harry Satterwhite and Panthea Beasley Satterwhite.	Jun 1854	5 Oct 1939
Satterwhite, Jefferson Davis, Sr. Husband of Etta Thorpe Satterwhite. Son of Harry Satterwhite and Panthea Beasley Satterwhite.	5 Apr 1861	26 Dec 1943
Satterwhite, Thigle Eva Betts Wife of Burley Satterwhite. Daughter of Johnnie Betts and Mitt Downey Betts.	29 Aug 1932	25 Jan 1966
Short, Carrie Eaton Wife of John Short. Daughter of Charles Eaton and Carrie Hunt Eaton.	1889	17 Mar 1940
Taylor, Richard	9 Apr 1850	13 Feb 1933
Thorpe, Geneva Green Wife of James Floyd Thorpe. Daughter of Jim Green and Pearl Cunningham Green.	20 Jan 1919	4 Nov 2008
Thorpe, James Floyd Husband of Geneva Green Thorpe. Son of Noni A. Thorpe and Mimie Bullock Thorpe.	29 Jul 1915	6 May 1991
Thorpe, James, Jr. "June" Son of James Floyd Thorpe and Geneva Green Thorpe.	1937	22 Mar 2013
Thorpe, Paul Faison, Jr. Son of Paul Faison Thorpe and Emma Lorene Fitts Thorpe.	15 Oct 1930	17 Oct 1930
Thorpe, William, Jr. "Mert" Husband of Mary Helen Mayes Thorpe. Son of William Thorpe and Kittie Satterwhite Thorpe.	14 Dec 1929	28 Feb 1972
Thorpe, Willie Thomas Son of James Floyd Thorpe and Geneva Green Thorpe.	12 May 1938	3 Dec 2014
Yancey, Earl Husband of Amelia Slaughter Yancey. Son of Julia Yancey.	Dec 1909	3 Nov 1939
Yancey, James Lewis Husband of Betty Owens Yancey. Son of Johnnie Mark Yancey and Sadie Beatrice Downey Yancey.	8 Mar 1952	17 Jun 1983
Yancey, John Mark "Johnnie" Husband of Sadie Beatrice Downey Yancey. Son of Charles Yancey and Hattie Wilkerson Yancey.	20 Jun 1921	25 Jul 1957
Yancey, John Martin "Johnnie" Husband of Hazel Deloris Burrus Yancey. Son of Johnnie Mark Yancey and Sadie Beatrice Downey Yancey.	1 Jan 1948	16 Nov 2018
Yancey, Nathaniel B. Son of James Yancey. Died of pneumonia in Brest, France during WW-I. His remains were returned to the USA in August 1920.	abt 1897	18 Nov 1917

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Location - on Hwy 96 south of Oxford at intersection with Sam Usry Rd.

Directions: drive 5.7 mi from the Oxford city limits sign on Hwy 96S. The church and cemetery are on the left, across from the intersection with Sam Usry Rd. (SR 1618).

Canvassed by Granville County Genealogical Society members Carrie Frances Averett, Bonnie Breedlove, Leonard Dean, Shirley Glasgow, Mildred Goss, Mary McGhee, Jessie McLam and Rudy Moe, August 2000.

Survey updated by Allen Dew in September 2019. There are several unmarked and unidentified graves.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Birth</u>	<u>Death</u>
Averett, Annie Hester Row-01. Wife of David Cameron Averett.	19 Oct 1866	8 Apr 1945
Averett, David Cameron Row-01. Husband of Annie Hester Averett.	10 Mar 1861	14 Dec 1931
Averett, Elvis Buxton, Jr. "E.B." Row-XX. Husband of Carrie Francis Watson Averett. Son of Ewell Buxton "Buck" Averett, Jr. and Ruby M. Averett. 518th Field Engineers, US Army, WW-II.	30 Sep 1922	5 Dec 2015
Averett, Ewell Buxton, Jr. "Buck" Row-01. Husband of Ruby M. Averett. Brother of Frank H. Averett	10 Jul 1891	18 May 1962
Averett, Frank H. Row-01. Husband of Jessie C. Averett. Brother of Ewell B. Averett. WW-I.	16 Nov 1896	14 Apr 1959
Averett, Infant Son Row-09. Son of Elvis Buxton "E.B." Averett and Carrie Francis Watson Averett.	9 Oct 1958	9 Oct 1958
Averett, Jessie C. Row-01. Wife of Frank H. Averett	12 Sep 1895	22 Feb 1989
Averett, Plummer Henry Row-14. Husband of Maggie Reames Averett.	6 Jun 1886	29 Feb 1909
Averett, Ruby M. Row-01. Wife of Ewell Buxton Averett, Jr.	16 Sep 1896	2 Jul 1976
Averette, Fred Currin Row-05. Husband of Rosa Dickerson Averette	22 Jun 1900	11 Apr 1984
Averette, Rosa Agnes Dickerson Row-05. Wife of Fred Currin Averette	11 Mar 1904	29 Jan 1985
Ayscue, Laura Cecelia Reames Row-10. Wife of Wesley D. Ayscue	6 Jul 1898	Unknown
Ayscue, Wesley D. Row-10. Husband of Cecelia R. Ayscue	12 Jan 1895	17 Dec 1936
Benson, Cheryl Hill Row-XX.	22 Aug 1953	Reserved
Benson, Donald Ray Row-XX.	24 Nov 1947	4 Dec 2006
Blackley, Beulah Woodlief Row-08. Wife of Elmo Murray Blackley	30 Sep 1912	28 May 1997
Blackley, Blanche Latta Row-07. Wife of 1) Carlyle A. Latta and 2) Milton Blackley.	9 Apr 1916	9 Jun 1995
Blackley, David Phillip Row-XX.	23 Aug 1936	19 Feb 2017

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Blackley, Edgar D. Row-07.	15 Aug 1912	8 Aug 1931
Blackley, Elmo Murray Row-08. Husband of Beulah Woodlief Blackley	31 Dec 1910	31 Jan 1980
Blackley, Hazel Clyde Latta Row-08.	31 Oct 1884	19 Nov 1958
Blackley, Helen Sadler Row-08. Wife of Joe Lee Blackley	30 May 1922	23 Feb 1966
Blackley, J. C. Row-09.	5 Jun 1938	2 Jun 1993
Blackley, James Howell Row-02. Husband of Mamie Overton Blackley	29 Oct 1878	17 Jun 1970
Blackley, Joe Lee Row-08. Husband of Helen Sadler Blackley	14 May 1920	1 Nov 1983
Blackley, Lena Rivers Row-02.	5 Feb 1905	13 Apr 1993
Blackley, Mamie Overton Row-02. Wife of James Howell Blackley	1 Oct 1876	27 Jan 1920
Blackley, Mattie Ann Gooch Row-XX.	17 Apr 1936	5 Jun 2018
Blackley, Milton C. Row-09. 2nd Husband of Blanche Latta Blackley	6 Feb 1914	29 Dec 1996
Blackley, Philip C. Row-08.	10 Feb 1876	7 Mar 1966
Bowers, Pauline Alston Moss Row-01. Wife of J.W. Bowers, Littleton, NC. Daughter of Benjamine F. and Susan Connell Moss	7 Sep 1888	21 Dec 1979
Boyd, Lessie Moss Row-06. (No Marker). Wife of Ollie Boyd.	15 Aug 1900	29 Jan 1949
Boyd, Ollie Row-06. (No Marker). Husband of Lessie Moss Boyd.	21 Jul 1887	30 Jul 1952
Bradford, J. R. Row-07. Fieldstone (J.R. Bradford?). WPA Records indicates J.R. Bradford b. 1812 and d. 1886	1812	1886
Brummitt, Alice Rose Speed Row-02. Wife of James Wallace Brummitt.	23 Apr 1916	25 Aug 2005
Brummitt, Annie Belle Harris Row-07. Wife of Nathaniel Clay Brummitt	28 Aug 1895	26 Mar 1989
Brummitt, Barker Row-03.	22 Oct 1882	1 Jul 1964
Brummitt, Caroline V. Bradford Row-07. Wife of Thomas J. Brummitt	27 Oct 1851	6 Jul 1925
Brummitt, Dorothy Jones Row-07. Wife of Rev. Nat T. Brummitt; married 6 Jun 1954.	1 Mar 1932	20 Jul 1998
Brummitt, Edgar D. Row-07.	12 Aug 1879	6 Jan 1895
Brummitt, Hammond Row-04.	30 Mar 1920	2 Apr 1920

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Brummitt, Infant Daughter Row-04. Daughter of John Wyatt and Nannie Gooch Brummitt	5 Sep 1926	5 Sep 1926
Brummitt, Isabel Courtney Row-07. On same marker with Mary Frances Brummitt	30 Jan 1923	27 Apr 2011
Brummitt, James Wallace, Sr. Row-02. Husband of Alice Speed Brummitt.	25 Sep 1913	8 Mar 1985
Brummitt, John Ben Row-04.	1 Nov 1909	16 May 1976
Brummitt, John Wyatt Row-04. Husband of Nannie Gooch Brummitt	25 Jul 1884	26 Jun 1966
Brummitt, Julia A. Pitts Row-03. Wife of T. Barker Brummitt.	28 Dec 1878	13 Dec 1942
Brummitt, Magdalene Gray Row-03. Daughter of T. Barker and Julia Brummitt.	24 Jun 1914	3 Dec 1971
Brummitt, Mary Ellen Row-07.	31 Jan 1886	29 Mar 1910
Brummitt, Mary Frances Row-07. On same marker with Isabel Courtney Brummitt	19 Jun 1926	30 Jan 1927
Brummitt, Nancy Etlar Gooch "Nannie" Row-04. Wife of John Wyatt Brummitt	14 Mar 1883	9 Jul 1966
Brummitt, Nat T. (Rev.) Row-07. Husband of Dorothy Jones Brummitt. married 6 Jun 1954.	23 Jul 1924	Reserved
Brummitt, Nathaniel Clay Row-07. Husband of Annie Belle Harris Brummitt. Pvt. US Army, WW-I.	13 Aug 1892	11 May 1983
Brummitt, Thomas Barker Row-03. Husband of Julia A. Pitts Brummitt. Masonic emblem.	22 Oct 1882	1 Jul 1964
Brummitt, Thomas Jefferson Row-07. Husband of Caroline Bradford Brummitt	28 Aug 1844	12 Oct 1920
Bryce, Mabel Duke Howell Row-07.	29 Sep 1914	24 Oct 1980
Bumpass, Barbara Huff Row-XX.	11 Jul 1949	2 Nov 2000
Clay, Alpheous A. Row-11.	28 Oct 1859	1 Sep 1897
Clay, Catherine Elizabeth "Aunt Janie" Row-XX.	1918	20 May 2013
Clay, John Arch Row-11.	17 Jan 1890	24 Aug 1933
Clay, Katherine Melissa Barnes "Kate" Row-11.	10 May 1863	28 Jan 1949
Clay, Vivian Reavis Row-11.	25 Jun 1885	31 Aug 1973
Connell, Ella G. Row-02. Wife of Samuel C. Connell	9 Jul 1884	5 Oct 1974
Connell, Eugene G. Row-10. Husband of Martha Gordon Connell.	22 Feb 1875	27 Jan 1944
Connell, Herman Lee Row-XX.	12 Nov 1927	10 Jan 2010

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Connell, J. Clarence Row-06.	18 Dec 1903	2 Jul 1968
Connell, Joseph Row-10.	Unknown	28 May 1900
Connell, Lena C. Row-10.	26 Sep 1902	15 Dec 1989
Connell, Lois S. Row-10.	6 Nov 1891	9 Dec 1972
Connell, Martha Gordon Row-10. Wife of Eugene G. Connell	5 Oct 1878	8 Dec 1912
Connell, Rachel Row-XX.	Unknown	Unknown
Connell, Rebecca Row-XX.	Unknown	Unknown
Connell, Samuel C. Row-02. Husband of Ella G. Connell.	23 Aug 1877	4 Aug 1951
Currin, Bessie Row-04. WPA Records indicates the death date as 1889	1883	1884
Currin, Cicero F. Row-04. Husband of Esper Florence Currin.	2 Jun 1875	1 Oct 1937
Currin, Cornelius L. Row-04.	11 Feb 1913	8 Jun 1915
Currin, Daisy Floy Daniel Row-12.	2 Apr 1895	14 Sep 1949
Currin, Dorsey Fleming Row-09. Husband of Ethel Overton Currin.	23 Jun 1888	17 Feb 1965
Currin, Dorsey Fleming, Jr. Row-XX. US Navy. son of D.F. and Ethel Currin	5 Feb 1918	29 Oct 1981
Currin, Elizabeth "Lizzie" Row-XX.	27 Apr 1913	11 Apr 2013
Currin, Esper Florence Moss Row-04. Wife of C.F. Currin	7 Jun 1886	1 Dec 1970
Currin, Ethel Overton Row-09. Wife of Dorsey F. Currin	17 Feb 1894	29 Dec 1963
Currin, Harry R. Row-04.	1 Aug 1927	10 Aug 1927
Currin, Harvey F. Row-04.	1 Aug 1927	12 Aug 1927
Currin, Infant Row-04.	1885	1885
Currin, Infant Row-03. Son of Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Currin. WPA Records indicates Currin infant b. 1885 and d. 1885	1885	1885
Currin, Irvin William Row-04.	23 Jul 1908	18 Jul 1969
Currin, Jesse Stephen Row-04.	2 Oct 1897	12 Jul 1950
Currin, Kate Frazier Row-04.	23 May 1901	18 Dec 1986

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Currin, Lester Stephen Row-12.	22 Jun 1893	17 Jun 1968
Currin, Lynwood Row-05. Husband of Virginia Rudd Currin.	27 Apr 1913	27 Jun 1988
Currin, Martha Jane Daniel Row-04. Wife of Steven Currin	17 Nov 1845	10 Jun 1930
Currin, Mary Cornelia Pitts Row-04.	20 Jun 1873	26 Sep 1955
Currin, Mary Margaret Row-XX.	20 May 1915	19 Sep 2005
Currin, Raymond F. Row-04.	2 Sep 1900	19 Feb 1980
Currin, Roy Graves Row-09. Son of D.F. and Ethel Currin	6 Nov 1924	23 May 1931
Currin, Stephen Allen Row-04. Husband of Martha Daniel Currin.	1849	1885
Currin, Virginia Rudd Row-05. Wife of Lynwood Currin.	14 Dec 1912	25 Sep 1999
Currin, William Abner Row-04.	10 Aug 1872	26 Jun 1953
Daniel, Ernest Cleveland Row-04. Husband of Jennie Sue Daniel.	10 Mar 1888	21 Aug 1952
Daniel, James Franklin "Frank" Row-XX.	7 Dec 1928	10 May 2010
Daniel, Jennie Sue Thaxton Row-04. Wife of Ernest C. Daniel.	28 Aug 1895	27 Jul 1981
Daniel, Phyllis Montague Row-14. Wife of Robert Donald Daniel.	22 Jan 1945	
Daniel, Robert Donald Row-14. Husband of Phyllis Montague Daniel.	13 Jan 1944	13 Mar 1994
Daniel, Stephen Thomas Row-04. Son of E.C. and J.T. Daniel	19 Feb 1919	8 Nov 1955
Dean, Mary B. Currin Row-04. Wife of J.W. Dean	21 May 1879	24 Jan 1897
Dickerson, Catherine R. Row-10.	29 Mar 1931	11 Aug 1979
Eakes, Nannie Belle Tillotson Row-13. Wife of Robert Lee Eakes	25 Feb 1875	23 Nov 1949
Eakes, Ollie Thomas Row-13. Son of Robert L. and Nannie B. Eakes	19 Mar 1904	22 May 1906
Eakes, Robert Lee Row-13. Husband of Nannie B. Eakes	15 Jun 1871	30 Aug 1937
Eakes, Roy Macon Row-13. Son of Robert L. and Nannie B. Eakes	25 Jul 1895	24 Mar 1915
Elliott, H. Braxton Row-06. Son of J. B. and Annie Elliott	28 Feb 1895	8 Aug 1896
Farabow, Cynthia Blackley Row-XX.	1 Sep 1958	18 Feb 2006

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Ferrell, Frances Clay Preddy Row-XX.	15 Jun 1925	27 Jul 2016
Ferrell, Wayne Benton Row-XX.	24 Jun 1919	1 Jul 2011
Floyd, Eric Z. Row-08.	16 Sep 1892	6 Jan 1950
Floyd, Viola Henderson Latta Row-08.	21 Dec 1891	19 May 1970
Foushee, Larry "Flint" Row-XX.	9 Oct 1958	17 Jun 2013
Fuller, Benjamin T. Row-13.	16 Feb 1847	15 Jan 1910
Fuller, John T. Row-XX.	1859	30 Sep 1921
Gooch, Benjamine Walter Row-06.	28 Oct 1872	1 Nov 1909
Gordon, Anna Bell Daniel Row-06. Wife of Luther Young Gordon.	3 Jul 1881	13 Aug 1938
Gordon, Joseph Isiah Row-05. Husband of Ruth Ann Hobgood Gordon.	22 Feb 1848	22 Mar 1928
Gordon, Luther Young Row-06. Husband of Anna Bell Daniel Gordon.	14 Nov 1880	23 May 1923
Gordon, Martha E. Row-06. Wife of Sam Gordon.	Feb 1845	Dec 1919
Gordon, Ruth Ann Hobgood Row-05. Wife of Joseph Isiah Gordon.	1 Apr 1843	11 Dec 1904
Gordon, Sam Row-06. Husband of Martha E. Gordon.	5 Aug 1853	8 Jul 1923
Gordon, Walter S. Row-06. Husband of Elsie Carter Gordon (she is buried at Banks Methodist Church).	7 Oct 1909	22 Jul 1975
Hartsell, James A. Row-14. Husband of Tempe Warrick Hartsell.	1853	1 Nov 1924
Hartsell, Tempe Warrick Row-14. Wife of James A. Hartsell.	1862	26 Aug 1929
Hicks, Albert R., Jr. Row-14. Husband of Jane Ball Hicks	8 Dec 1927	8 Apr 1999
Hicks, Jane Ball Row-14. Wife of A. R. Hicks, Jr.	23 Mar 1930	9 Feb 2018
Hills, Frank Douglas Row-06. Husband of Hannah Brummitt Hills	6 Jan 1895	20 Mar 1965
Hills, Hannah Brummitt Row-06. Wife of Frank Douglas Hills	30 Mar 1920	8 Dec 2007
Hoag, Anna Tichnor Sharp Row-01.	Unknown	25 May 1955
Hobgood, Bunyan Row-08.	1867	20 Apr 1936
Hobgood, James W. Row-08.	1863	6 Feb 1946

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Hobgood, Lillie Young Row-08.	1871	11 Aug 1961
Howell, Frances Row-02. Wife of James Madison Howell. WPA Records indicates birth date as 6 Feb 1812	5 Feb 1812	Mar 1884
Howell, James Edwin Row-07.	23 Oct 1916	29 Jan 1998
Howell, James Madison Row-02. Husband of Frances Howell.	8 May 1808	6 Dec 1890
Howell, James Mordecai Row-07.	21 Jun 1883	29 Sep 1918
Huff, Margaret Frances Lunsford Row-14.	25 Dec 1924	23 Jul 1987
Huff, Michael Lane Row-XX.	1946	29 Oct 2011
Huff, Rufus Row-14. WW-II	24 Jun 1921	11 Apr 1987
Huff, Rufus Darrell Row-XX.	27 Aug 1957	25 Nov 2018
Hunt, Charles Bryant Row-09.	13 Nov 1896	15 Jan 1970
Hunt, Ruth Hyman Row-09.	17 Mar 1920	29 Sep 1991
Jeffcoat, Monroe Row-XX. Husband of Ruth Rose Roberson Jeffcoat.	9 Aug 1928	2 Feb 2008
Jeffcoat, Ruth Rose Roberson Row-XX. Wife of Monroe Jeffcoat.	22 Aug 1933	2 Dec 2017
Kiger, David Franklin Row-10.	4 Apr 1921	18 Dec 1981
Kiger, Helen Roberson Row-10.	22 May 1927	14 Jun 2016
Land, Anna Overton Row-11. Wife of George Rawlins Land	30 Jul 1876	6 Feb 1936
Land, Carrie Belle T. Row-11.	17 Oct 1910	21 Nov 1993
Land, George Clifton Row-11.	8 Aug 1905	13 Sep 1975
Land, George Rawlins Row-11. Husband of Anna Overton Land.	1 Jun 1877	30 Jun 1947
Land, Rebecca Row-11.	3 Jul 1839	24 Feb 1921
Land, Roy Vernon Row-11.	16 Oct 1915	18 May 1968
Latta, Alexander Allen Row-07.	24 Oct 1879	12 Mar 1962
Latta, Allen Row-07. Husband of Emily Latta.	6 Sep 1850	29 Mar 1911
Latta, Brent Allen Row-07.	8 Feb 1913	7 Aug 1931

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Latta, Carlyle A. Row-07. 1st Husband of Blanche Latta Blackley.	10 Nov 1914	13 Apr 1975
Latta, Dalton I. Row-07.	29 Sep 1923	19 Apr 1980
Latta, Emily Sneed Ragland Row-07. Wife of Allen Latta. WPA Records indicates birth date as 26 Feb 1850	16 Feb 1850	13 Jan 1913
Latta, John Irvin Row-07. Son of Allen and Emily Latta	30 Jun 1881	3 Mar 1904
Latta, Myrtle O. Row-07.	1895	29 Dec 1933
Latta, Pauline Overton Row-07.	15 Apr 1890	11 Jan 1946
Latta, Wade Simeon Row-07.	1886	Oct 1948
Lawrence, Laura E Averett (Mrs.) Row-XX. Daughter of Plummer Henry Averett and Maggie Reames Averett. (buried here per death certificate)	28 May 1903	9 Apr 1920
Liles, Jesse Ruth Overton Row-XX.	14 Jul 1924	16 Mar 2017
Liles, Vance Willard Row-XX.	16 Jan 1917	2 Oct 2003
Long, Pearl Averette Row-06.	25 May 1889	20 Mar 1963
Long, Walter Knox Row-06.	13 Jun 1875	8 May 1958
Martin, Luzie Anna Moss Row-01. Wife of Rev. W.C. Martin	30 Jul 1883	26 Nov 1944
Montague, Lorene Wynne Row-14. Wife of William Bruce Montague.	4 Jun 1914	
Montague, William Bruce Row-14. Husband of Lorene Wynne Montague.	15 Mar 1910	22 Dec 1989
Moss, Benjamin Franklin Row-01.	1 Jun 1847	25 Jan 1904
Moss, Bera Ethel Row-01.	8 Apr 1885	9 May 1887
Moss, Carl Irwin Row-06.	26 Feb 1901	22 Jul 1960
Moss, Eva B. Row-01. US Navy/WW-I	1879	24 Aug 1966
Moss, Ewell H. Row-01.	17 Feb 1872	19 Apr 1877
Moss, Foster Row-06.	18 Jul 1883	10 Jul 1885
Moss, Luther Pryor Row-XX.	18 Dec 1931	15 Apr 2005
Moss, Mary Fannie Row-01.	10 May 1875	8 Oct 1964
Moss, Mary Lee Gordon Row-XX.	28 Jan 1913	23 Mar 2010

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Moss, Phebe Lucy Daniel Row-06. Wife of William A. Moss	17 Sep 1872	19 Feb 1946
Moss, Susan Ann Connell Row-01. Wife of Benjamine Franklin Moss	30 Jul 1846	11 Jul 1936
Moss, William Allen Row-06. Husband of Phebe Lucy Moss.	6 Oct 1859	7 Sep 1931
Moss, William Henry Grady Row-01.	21 Apr 1891	9 Feb 1973
Overton, A. P. Row-02. Abner Poindexter Overton, Husband of Pattie Allen Overton. "Not lost but gone before"	17 Oct 1852	27 Apr 1923
Overton, Anna Baker Allen Row-08.	25 Oct 1861	14 Sep 1949
Overton, Augustus A. Row-08.	1 Jan 1855	Sep 1908
Overton, Florence Row-09.	17 Nov 1899	1 Dec 1899
Overton, Herbert Row-09.	24 Jul 1886	5 Jun 1887
Overton, Mary Thomas Usry Row-09. Wife of Wesley J. Overton	14 May 1867	26 Feb 1924
Overton, Mattie Zoe Row-02.	21 Feb 1885	15 Apr 1965
Overton, Pattie Allen Row-02. Wife of A.P. Overton. "Asleep in Jesus"	4 May 1856	22 Mar 1931
Overton, Robert Lee Row-06. Husband of Sula Eakes Overton.	30 May 1888	8 Sep 1970
Overton, Samuel Row-09.	21 Feb 1896	14 Mar 1896
Overton, Sula Eakes Row-06. Wife of Robert Lee Overton. Children: Glenn, Dorothy, Ruth	1 Aug 1892	20 May 1975
Overton, Wesley Jack Row-09. Husband of Mary T. Overton.	15 Oct 1858	15 Jul 1920
Overton, William Row-09. WPA Records indicates name as Willie Overton	9 Feb 1897	21 Feb 1897
Parham, David Brent Allen Row-02.	10 Jul 1936	6 Jan 1969
Parham, Lella Bryan Overton Row-02.	29 Aug 1892	10 Jul 1965
Parker, William Joseph Row-07. Age 45. 1st Husband of Johnnie Carrie Tippet Parker Harris (born in Granville Co. and died in Nash Co.. Buried at Pineview Cemetery in Rocky Mount NC)	Abt 1859	14 Dec 1904
Preddy, Alpheous Clay Row-11. Wife of John Royal Preddy	10 Oct 1897	11 Mar 1980
Preddy, Christopher W. Row-08. Son of Greg and Judith Preddy	24 Aug 1980	24 Aug 1980
Preddy, Ettie Cathryn Row-11. Daughter of J.R. and A.C. Preddy	11 Feb 1922	11 Feb 1925

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Preddy, Grady Lee Row-XX.	7 May 1935	15 Nov 2002
Preddy, Grady Lee, Jr. "Lee" Row-12. Son of Grady L. and Barbara W. Preddy	9 Mar 1972	25 Apr 1984
Preddy, Jessie W. Row-08. Husband of Louise W. Preddy.	1 Jan 1916	28 Nov 1992
Preddy, John Royal Row-11. Husband of Alpheous C. Preddy. WW-I	8 Feb 1890	24 Jul 1943
Preddy, Louise W. Row-08. Wife of Jessie W. Preddy	29 Dec 1920	14 Jul 2007
Preddy, Robert Alpheous "Bobby" Row-11. Husband of Willie Belle Watson Preddy. US Navy/WW-II	7 Jul 1923	9 Nov 1999
Preddy, Willie Belle Watson Row-11. Wife of Robert Alpheous Preddy	30 Apr 1923	10 Oct 1983
Ramsey, Gregg Alan Row-09.	12 Jun 1977	22 Aug 1999
Reames, Elbert Graham Row-13. (No Marker). Husband of Virginia Caroline Reames. Son of John T. Reames and Laura E. Reames.	14 Jan 1892	1 Nov 1931
Reames, Esmond Foster Row-13. Son of Elbert Graham Reames and Virginia Caroline Brummitt Reames. (last name spelled Reams on marker)	21 May 1920	25 Jan 1965
Reames, John T. Row-10. Husband of Laura E. Brummitt Reames	12 Jun 1852	31 Jan 1913
Reames, Laura E. Brummitt Row-10. Wife of John T. Reames	17 Nov 1852	12 Nov 1900
Reames, Lonnie Lee Row-10. Son of John T. Reames and Laura E. Reames.	8 Mar 1876	15 Mar 1934
Reames, Virginia Caroline Brummitt "Carrie" Row-13. (No Marker). Wife of Elbert Graham Reames. Daughter of Rufus B. Brummitt and Virginia Kirkland Brummitt.	12 May 1898	4 Apr 1925
Reames, Walter H. Row-12. Son of John T. and Laura E. Reames.	23 Nov 1886	10 Jun 1911
Reams, John Carl Row-13. Husband of Pauline G. Reams	15 Nov 1898	26 Oct 1966
Reams, Pauline G. Row-13. Wife of J. Carl Reams.	1913	Unknown
Roberson, Effie Webster Row-10.	30 Jun 1892	14 Feb 1979
Roberson, Walter Richard Row-10.	31 Jul 1890	30 Jan 1969
Sadler, Larsenie Gordon Row-07. Wife of Robert Edward Sadler	8 Aug 1919	13 May 1988
Sadler, Robert Edward Row-07. Husband of Larsenie G. Sadler.	1 Jun 1920	27 May 1990
Sanford, Clarence Warfield Row-10.	26 Aug 1911	19 Jan 1963
Sanford, Janie Preddy Row-XX.	28 Sep 1929	5 Nov 2004

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Sanford, John H., Sr. Row-10. Husband of Maggie Ivey Sanford.	12 Oct 1900	14 Feb 1979
Sanford, Maggie Ivey Row-10. Wife of John H. Sanford Sr.	4 Jan 1900	29 Jun 1967
Sanford, Nell Row-10. Sunken Depression (Sanford, Nell ?)	Unknown	Unknown
Sanford, Thomas Sumner Row-XX.	7 Mar 1924	9 Nov 2006
Schmit, Maxine L. Row-06.	12 Oct 1912	21 Jan 1997
Schmit, W. F. "Smitty" Row-06.	5 Feb 1919	22 Oct 1999
Smith, Charles Thomas Row-09.	9 May 1909	31 May 1995
Smith, Chester Row-XX. Son of John T. Smith and Carrie Pierce Reames Smith.	6 Jun 1923	4 Jul 1924
Smith, Hattie Self Row-09.	15 Mar 1915	20 Oct 1987
Stroud, Melissa B. Brummitt Row-02.	31 Oct 1876	3 Jul 1952
Stroud, William Maynard Row-02. Son of R. S. and Melissa B. Stroud	15 May 1905	28 Dec 1917
Thaxton, Beulah H. Row-02. Wife of Merritt Thaxton	16 Oct 1902	19 Mar 1963
Thaxton, Carolyn Dement Row-02. Wife of Donald Jeffers "Dan" Thaxton	25 Dec 1933	Reserved
Thaxton, Daniel Jeffries Row-04.	1 Apr 1866	2 Sep 1950
Thaxton, Donald Jeffers "Dan" Row-02. Husband of Carolyn Dement Thaxton.	30 Mar 1930	30 Apr 1999
Thaxton, Fannie Sue Row-04. Wife of Daniel J. Thaxton	30 Aug 1873	21 Jun 1933
Thaxton, Jack Wilson Row-02.	25 Apr 1924	28 May 1925
Thaxton, James F. Row-04. Husband of Mary J. Thaxton.	31 Mar 1866	21 Dec 1955
Thaxton, Mary J. Row-04. Wife of James F. Thaxton.	24 Jan 1874	29 Jun 1945
Thaxton, Susan Ellixson Row-XX. Daughter of Alex Ellixson and Polly James Ellixson. Mother of James F. Thaxton.	15 Jul 1824	22 Dec 1923
Thaxton, W. Merritt Row-02.	13 Jul 1899	21 Jan 1971
Thompson, Charles William Row-XX.	7 Feb 1931	19 Aug 2011
Tippett, Elizabeth A. Peace "Bettie" Row-09. Wife of Simon Tippett. WPA Records indicates death date as 10 Oct 1906	25 Jul 1843	10 Oct 1906
Tippett, J. S. Row-09. WPA Records indicates death date as 3 Oct 1905	4 May 1883	3 Oct 1908

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Tippett, Simon Row-09. Husband of Elizabeth A. Pease Tippett. Co. A, 21st NC Infantry, CSA. WPA Records indicates birth date as 17 Dec 1838 and death date as 13 Jul 1905.	17 Dec 1838	13 Jul 1905
Tunstall, Annie Brummitt Row-08.	5 Feb 1878	25 Oct 1958
Tunstall, Charlie C. Row-08. Husband of Nettie Tippett Tunstall.	21 Mar 1866	16 Apr 1935
Tunstall, E. A. Row-08. Husband of Hattie E. Tunstall. WPA Records indicates death date as 25 Jan 1909	23 May 1869	25 Jan 1919
Tunstall, Hattie E. Tippett Row-08. Wife of E.A. Tunstall. WPA Records indicates name as Tunstall, Hattie E. Tippett	29 May 1875	11 Mar 1903
Tunstall, Majorie Row-06. Aged 18 mos.	1905	1907
Tunstall, Nettie Tippett Row-08. Wife of C.C. Tunstall	19 Sep 1866	9 Nov 1932
Urffer, Nellie Irene Hamby Wife of David Urffer. Daughter of William Arthur Hamby and Fannie Lou Perkins Hamby.	12 Jul 1921	30 Aug 1969
Usry, Bessie Florence Overton Row-12. Wife of Samuel Henry Usry	18 Oct 1880	6 Mar 1959
Usry, Ellen Montague Row-12. Wife of Joseph Freeman Usry	24 Mar 1840	29 Jan 1903
Usry, Joseph Freeman Row-12. Husband of Ellen M. Usry. Son of Wm T. and Jane F. Usry. CSA.	22 Sep 1838	3 Dec 1918
Usry, Ralph Lee Row-11.	22 Oct 1928	21 Mar 1994
Usry, Samuel Henry Row-12. Husband of Bessie F. Overton Usry. Son of Joseph F. and Ellen M. Usry	26 Feb 1875	27 Mar 1941
Whitaker, Darla McComber Row-XX.	4 Apr 1924	7 Jul 2004
Whitaker, Ellsworth Foltz Row-XX.	25 Sep 1923	23 Oct 2011
White, Florence B. Row-10.	16 Jan 1899	15 Jul 1997
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Wilson, J. W. Row-07. Husband of M. E. Bradford Wilson.	1 Jul 1852	5 Aug 1925
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