

Query:

My ancestors, David Rollins (1806-1871) and Elizabeth Ferguson (1813-post 1871) were married 1832 in Washington Co. Ky. Their children:

Mary Ann (Marian) c1832 m. 1852 Marion Co. Ky James W. Mays b. c 1822 and had children, John W., Kate, James, Elizabeth, Belle.

Lucebra c1836 m1) 1859 Nathan T. Lanham 1833-1863 bur. Pleas Run Cem.

1 child: Robert b. 1861

Lucebra m 2) 1871 Frederick Brown and had children: Rhoda 1871-1887, Ada b 1875

Lucebra m 3) Henry Sparrow.

John Clellan 1841-1898 m. 1863 Marion Co. Elvira Purdy 1846-1904

(They are buried in Haysville Cemetery.) They are my gr grandparents.

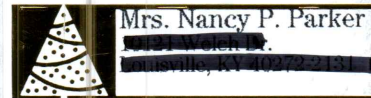
Elizabeth A c1844 m. 1864 Marion Co. Ky John Wm. Ferguson c1837

Martha Ellen 1849-1871 m. T. Clarence Milburn had 1 child Clarence b. c 1870 Samuel T. b/d 1854

Would like to know parents of David Rollins, Rawlins, Rawlings. Census records say he was born in Ky 1806.

Would like to hear from descendants of David & Elizabeth.

Would like to know burial place of David & Elizabeth.



Enclosed is my check for \$10 for 1996 dues. I really enjoy the Marion Co. Quarterly, and almost every issue has something that pertains to my family. Hope you can put the above query in your next issue.

Dec. 24, 1995

Trj:

Bruce Ferguson

[Redacted address]

He states David + Eliz. were alone in Marion Co in 1850.

Trj: Virginia Davis

[Redacted address]

PEDIGREE CHART

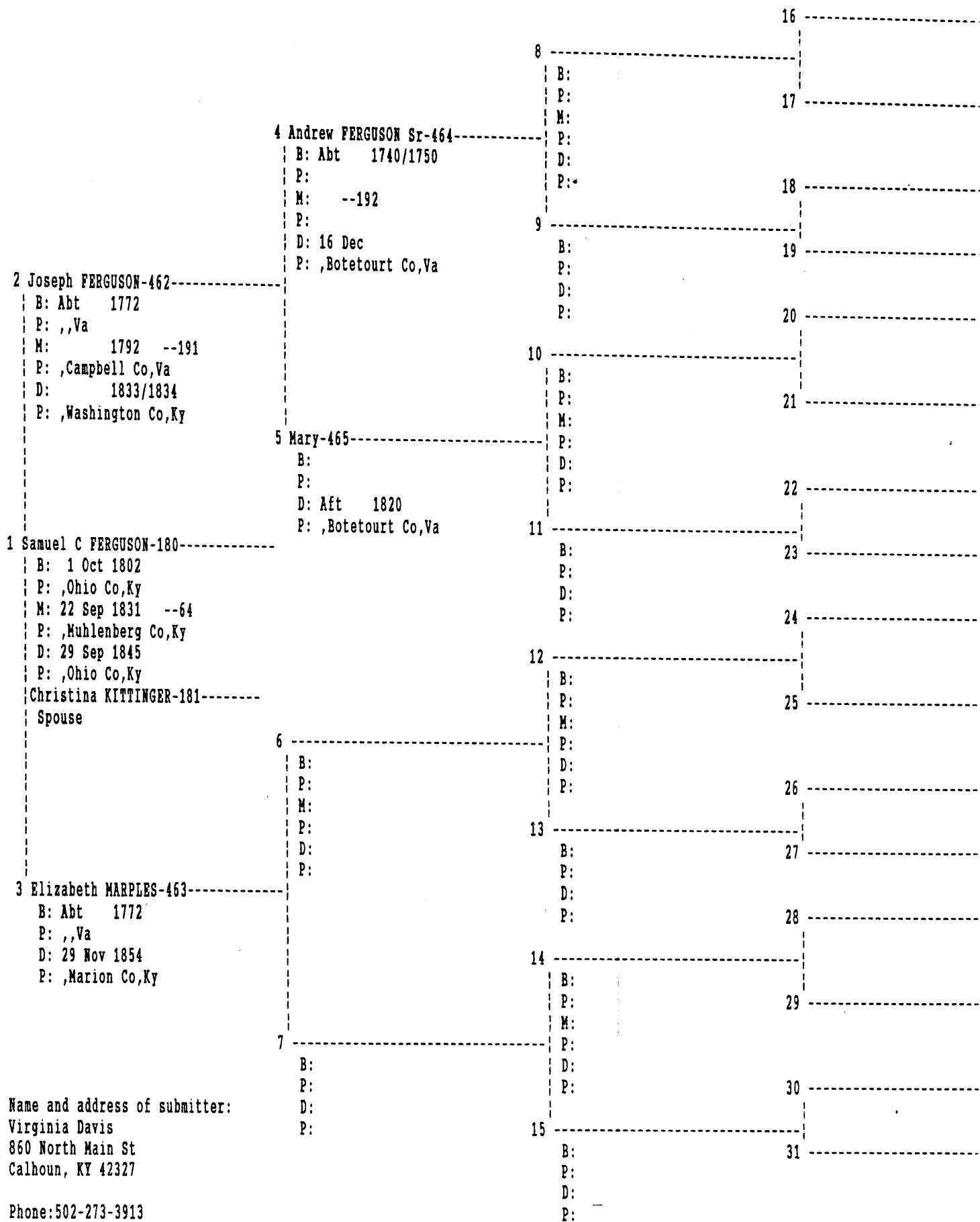
Chart No. 1

			16 Samuel C FERGUSON-180--
		8 William Thomas FERGUSON-162-----	
		B: 14 Nov 1834	
		P: ,Ohio Co,Ky	17 C KITTINGER-181-----
		M: 5 Aug 1856 --56	
		P: Springfield,R,Tenn	
		D: 4 Sep 1907	
		P: Island,McLean Co,Ky	18 John N GISH-195-----
	4 Samuel FERGUSON-159-----		
	B: 24 Sep 1868		
	P: ,Ohio Co,Ky		
	M: 20 Mar 1889 --54		
	P: ,McLean Co,Ky		
	D: 25 Jun 1940		
	P: Island,McLean Co,Ky		
2 William Clayton FERGUSON-5-----		9 Mary E GISH-165-----	
B: 24 Dec 1889		B: 5 Feb 1841	19 Nancy OVERHULTZ-196----
P: Island,McLean Co,Ky		P: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky	
M: 29 Jul 1909 --2		D: 24 Feb 1907	
P: Greenville,M,Ky		P: Island,McLean Co,Ky	20 Blancit SHACKLETT-88---
D: 19 Dec 1961			
P: Owensboro,D,,ODCH Hos		10 Absalom Redmond SHACKLETT C-100--	
		B: 7 Dec 1826	
		P: ,Meade Co,Ky	21 Rachel ASHCRAFT-89-----
		M: 25 Jan 1849 --74	
		P: ,Meade Co,Ky	
		D: 27 Aug 1910	
		P: Island,McLean Co,Ky	22 George HUMPHREY-267----
	5 Sophia Helen SHACKLETT-160-----		
	B: 24 Dec 1866		
	P: ,McLean Co,Ky		
	D: 6 Jul 1954		
	P: Owensboro,Daviess Co,Ky		
1 Virginia Clay FERGUSON-1-----		11 Minerva JANE HUMPHREY-108-----	
B: 29 Mar 1912		B: 26 Dec 1827	23 Barbara JENKINS-268----
P: Island,McLean Co,Ky		P: ,Meade Co,Ky	
M: 6 Sep 1937 --1		D: 25 Jan 1883	
P: Leitchfield,Grayson Co,Ky		P: Island,McLean Co,Ky	24 -----
D:			
P:		12 Isiah (Isaac) M.P. STEWART-282---	
Wendell DAVIS-2-----		B: 11 Jan 1829	
Spouse		P: Jonesboro,W,Tenn.	25 -----
		M: 27 Jan 1850 --108	
		P: Dandridge,Jeff Co,Tenn	
		D: 3 Nov 1910	
		P: Madisonville,Hopkins Co,Ky	26 -----
	6 William Sherman STEWART-8-----		
	B: 29 Jun 1866		
	P: ,Hopkins Co,Ky		
	M: 25 Dec 1887 --3		
	P: ,Hopkins Co,Ky		
	D: 5 Jun 1920		
	P: Mortons Gap,Hopkins Co,Ky		
		13 Orlena EUDALEY-283-----	
		B: 20 May 1833	27 -----
		P: ,Jeff Co,Tenn	
		D: 20 Nov 1921	
		P: Madisonville,Hopkins Co,Ky	28 Alfred JONES-28-----
3 Ethel Mae STEWART-6-----			
B: 29 Sep 1889			
P: ,Hopkins Co,Ky			
D: 11 May 1972			
P: Calhoun,McLean Co,Ky,Hos			
		14 Henry Thomas JONES-15-----	
		B: 9 Mar 1840	
		P: ,Bedford Co,Tenn	29 Edy (Eady) PARRISH-29-
		M: 8 Feb 1866 --4	
		P: ,Carroll Co,Tenn	
		D: 14 Apr 1912	
		P: Mortons Gap,Hopkins Co,Ky	30 -----
	7 Lou Ella JONES Twin-9-----		
	B: 24 Dec 1866		
	P: Buena Vista,Carroll Co		
	D: 16 Feb 1943		
	P: Island,McLean Co,Ky		
		15 Mary Hester KING (wid. Moore)-16-	
		B: 20 Aug 1839	31 -----
		P: ,Carroll Co,Tenn	
		D: 9 Apr 1923	
		P: ,Hopkins Co,Ky	

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PEDIGREE CHART

Chart No. 1



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===== HUSBAND Samuel C FERGUSON-180 =====

BORN: 1 Oct 1802 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: 29 Sep 1845 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 BUR.: PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky,Kittinger Cem
 MARR: 22 Sep 1831 PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky
 FATHER: Joseph FERGUSON-462
 MOTHER: Elizabeth MARPLES-463

PARENTS' MRIN: 191

===== WIFE Christina KITTINGER-181 =====

BORN: 1808 PLACE: ,,Va
 CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: Nov 1882 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 BUR.: PLACE:
 FATHER: William KITTINGER-373
 MOTHER: Mary FERGUSON-374

PARENTS' MRIN: 152

===== CHILDREN =====

1. NAME: Mary E FERGUSON-183

---- BORN: 1833 PLACE:
 F CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:

SPOUSE: Bedford PHELPS-184

MRIN: 65

MARR: 16 Oct 1851 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky

2. NAME: William Thomas FERGUSON-162

---- BORN: 14 Nov 1834 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 M CHR.: PLACE: ,,Baptist
 DIED: 4 Sep 1907 PLACE: Island,McLean Co,Ky
 BUR.: PLACE: Island,McLean Co,Ky

SPOUSE: Mary E GISH-165

MRIN: 56

MARR: 5 Aug 1856 PLACE: Springfield,Robertson Co,Tenn

3. NAME: Laura E FERGUSON-185

---- BORN: 1838 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 F CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:

SPOUSE: John M WOODWARD-186

MRIN: 66

MARR: 5 Sep 1854 PLACE: ,Ohio Co

4. NAME: Nancy J FERGUSON-187

---- BORN: 20 Jun 1840 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 F CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: 29 Oct 1868 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 BUR.: PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky,Kittinger Cem

SPOUSE:

MARR: PLACE:

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HUSBAND Samuel C FERGUSON-180
 WIFE Christina KITTINGER-181

Yr of Birth 1802
 Yr of Birth 1808

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Sarah (Sally) A FERGUSON-188

---- BORN: 12 Jan 1842 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 F CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: 15 Mar 1917 PLACE: Island,McLean Co,Ky
 BUR.: PLACE: Island,McLean Co,Ky,Bapt Cem
 SPOUSE: William FENTRESS-189
 MARR: 30 Mar 1868 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky

has other marriages
 MRIN: 67

6. NAME: Samuellen FERGUSON-191

---- BORN: 1846 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 F CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: 28 Nov 1871 PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky
 BUR.: PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky
 SPOUSE: William T FRANKLIN-192
 MARR: 2 Mar 1861 PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky

MRIN: 69

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HUSBAND Samuel C FERGUSON-180
WIFE Christina KITTINGER-181

Yr of Birth 1802
Yr of Birth 1808

HUSBAND - Samuel C FERGUSON-180

Samuel C. and wife Christina (Kittinger) Ferguson, were married in Muhlenberg Co. Ky and later moved to Ohio Co. Ky where their children were born. He was a farmer in Ohio Co. He died suddenly at age 43 while in Muhlenberg County and acting as Administrator of the estate of his father-in-law, William Kittinger. Samuel C. Ferguson died intestate. His estate settlement is filed in Settlement Box #327 in Ohio Co. Ky. He and his unmarried daughter, Nancy J., are buried in the Kittinger family grveyard in Muhlenberg County Kentucky.

It is known that the Ferguson family came to America from Scotland and many variations in spelling of surname have been found. At this time, parents and siblings of Samuel C. Ferguson have not been found. (1992)

It is believed that he is a son of Joseph Ferguson of Washington Co., Ky from which Marion Co., Ky was created in 1834 at the time Joseph died. The Marion Co., Ky Court House was burned in 1863 by Thomas Hunt Morgan and all records were destroyed. Research has been done in both Washington and Marion Counties, Ky., but the only clue so far is that daughters of Joseph and Elizabeth married Walstons, Raley (Raleigh), and Reed (Reid) and Samuel C. Ferguson was bondsman or surety on the application for license. He was also Administrator for the estate of George Raley who married Nancy Ferguson.

April 1994--Upon a recent visit to the Kirtley-Kittinger Cemetery in Muhlenberg Co., Ky, Bruce Ferguson, great great grandson of Samuel C. Ferguson, cleaned and took photos of the gravestone of Samuel C. Ferguson and found that the date of birth was 1 Oct 1802. Through the years, the birth date has been read as 1809.

WIFE - Christina KITTINGER-181

Christina (Christenia) Kittinger Ferguson remarried in 1849 to Rolla Tichenor of Ohio County Kentucky, but only lived with him a short time. Marriage agreement is recorded in Deed Book N pg. 152 in Ohio Co. Ky. In the 1880 census of Ohio Co. Ky she was listed as age 72 and living with her widowed daughter, Sallie Ferguson Pentress. After the death of her husband, Sallie married David Miller of Beaver Dam, Ky.

In the vital statistics card file in the office of WCK:FRA, Owensboro, Ky, the following was found. "Christenia Tichenor d. last Friday night of pneumonia fever. Int. in graveyard near New Hope (Muhlenberg Co Ky) from Equality News-Nov 25. Published in the Hartford Herald, Wednesday 6 December 1882". It is believed that she is buried in an unmarked grave beside her husband in the Kittinger family graveyard where her parents are also buried in Muhlenberg Co. Ky. This graveyard is near New Hope mentioned above. According to the above listed dates, Christina must have died about 1 Dec 1882.

Ref. Ohio Co. 1850 & 1880 census, McLean Co 1870 census, Muhl. & McLean Co Cemeteries, Ohio Co estate & Gdn. records, Franklin family Bible and

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HUSBAND Samuel C FERGUSON-180
WIFE Christina KITTINGER-181

Yr of Birth 1802
Yr of Birth 1808

wills of William & Rudolph Kittinger. Also Ohio Co Ky Deeds.

CHILD 1 - Mary E FERGUSON-183

No information found at this time other than the marriage of
Mary E. Ferguson to Bedford Phelps 16 Oct 1851, Ohio Co Ky.

CHILD 2 - William Thomas FERGUSON-162

William Thomas and wife Mary E. Gish Ferguson owned farm land in Ohio
Co. Ky in 1858. They later moved to McLean Co., Ky and owned both farm-
land and town lots in and near Island, Ky. Also reserved 3/4 of an acre
of one town lot as a graveyard, now (1992) known as the Methodist Church
Cemetery in Island, Ky. (Ref. Estate papers in Equity File Box E 440, and
Deed Book U pg 99 McLean Co. Ky.) W.T. Ferguson purchased his first land
in McLean Co., Ky., 14 Feb 1870 from Samuel Crumbaker and wife, Nancy
(wid) Gish Crumbaker (mother of Mary E. Gish Ferguson) Deed Book E pg 479
McLean County Ky.

He remained in Island, Ky until his death in 1907. He and his wife are
buried in the Island Methodist Church Cemetery.

The 1900 census of McLean County, Mag. Dist. 6, Island, Ky., Micro page
6B family 122 shows above family with William Thomas Ferguson m. 43 years
Mary E. (his wife) mother of 14 children with 9 living.

Information for this family obtained from: Marriage records of McLean, Ohio
and Muhlenberg counties, Ky. and Robertson Co., Tenn.- Records of Alice
Ferguson (now deceased) 1850 Ohio Co Ky Census and 1900 Census of McLean Co
Ky. Gish family Cemetery on the Ferguson farm in Island, Ky., Ohio and
McLean County Ky cemetery records and papers of Alden Ferguson of
Owensboro, Ky.

CHILD 3 - Laura E FERGUSON-185

CHILD 4 - Nancy J FERGUSON-187

Nancy J. Ferguson was never married. She is buried near her father
in the Kittinger family graveyard in Muhlenberg Co Ky and has a small
stone marking her grave.

CHILD 5 - Sarah (Sally) A FERGUSON-188

Sarah A. Ferguson (on her marriage license) first married William
Pentress of Ohio County, 30 Mar 1868. The 1880 Ohio Co Census lists
her as a widow, therefore he died before 1880. She next married
David Miller of Beaver Dam, Ky- marriage date unknown.

After her second marriage, she was always known as "Aunt Sally Miller"
and family tradition is that she gave the name Miller to her nephew's
son Paul Miller Ferguson.

Other marriages:

DAVID MILLER-190

CHILD 6 - Samuellen FERGUSON-191

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HUSBAND	Samuel C FERGUSON-180
WIFE	Christina KITTINGER-181

Yr of Birth 1802
Yr of Birth 1808

Samuellen (Samuella) Ferguson was born about 3 months after her father, Samuel C. Ferguson, died. Information on this family was taken from the Franklin Family Bible in the possession of a granddaughter, Irene Franklin (now deceased) in Central City, Ky. She was married to William T. Franklin of Muhlenberg County, Ky.

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June 26, 1995

Marion County Historical Society
201 East Main Street
Lebanon, KY 40033

Attn: Editor
Mary Ella Glasscock

Dear Editor:

For several years I have been trying to find the parents and siblings of my G G Grandfather Samuel C. Ferguson believed to have been born in or came into as a child in that part of Washington County which later became Marion County, Kentucky.

The Joseph Ferguson family has been recorded but not proven at this time as being a possible connection. (see notes in the print out of the Ferguson family enclosed.)

Our lead to Washington and Marion County came through a Guardian Settlement recorded in Ohio County by Anthony Walston, Guardian. (see copy enclosed) In Washington County Marriages of daughters of Joseph Ferguson, were found to have Samuel C. Ferguson as surety or Bondsman. Tax records of both counties have been checked.

If you or your organization (of which I am a member) could help us it would be most appreciated. Research fees will be paid.

Yours truly,

Virginia Davis
Mrs. Virginia Davis

P.S. My daughter left a family group sheet of Joseph Ferguson Family for your information last time she visited your Library.

Enc: My Pedigree Chart and Samuel C. Ferguson and Family with notes which you may use if it will help someone else.

FAMILY GROUP NO.

Husband's Full Name JOSEPH FERGUSON

JOSEPH FERGUSON

His Information Obtained From: CAMPBELL Co, VA MARRIAGES

Birth: ca 1772, City: UNKNOWN, State: VIRGINIA

Chr'nd: ?

Marr: 1792, CAMPBELL Co., VA

Washington Co, Ky TAX LISTS + MARR. RECORDS

Death: Will Probated 24 FEB 1834 in WASHINGTON Co., Ky

Burial: ?

Places of Residence: CAMP TO KY 1799 (WASHINGTON Co)

Occupation: Church Affiliation: Military Rec:

Other notes: If any No 19 (2) or Make separate sheet for each man

His Father: ANDREW FERGUSON, Mother's Maiden Name: UNK

Wife's Full Maiden Name: ELIZABETH MARPLES

Marion Co, Ky 1850 CENSUS

Washington Co, Ky WILL BOOK

Death: 24 NOV 1854, Marion County, Ky, Age 82

Compiler: BRUCE FERGUSON, Address: 1505 LEWIS LANE, City, State: OWENSBORO, KY, Date: 10/26/93

Places of Residence: CAMP TO WASHINGTON Co., Ky 1799

Occupation: Church Affiliation: Military Rec:

Other notes: If any No 19 (2) or Make separate sheet for each man

His Father: GEORGE MARPLES, Mother's Maiden Name: DRUSILLE ?

Sex	Children's Names & Full Birthdays in order of birth	Child's Date	Day Month Year	City, town or Place	County or Province, etc	State or Country	Add. info. on Child
M	1 JOHN FERGUSON	Birth	1793-1797	Probably, in VA			
	Full Name of Spouse: SALLY RAMSEY	Marr.	14 FEB 1824		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
		Death	?				
		Burial	?				
M	2 THOMAS A. FERGUSON	Birth	1793-1797	Probably, in VA			
	Full Name of Spouse: JEMIMA PEAKE	Marr.	20 AUG 1825		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
		Death	?				
		Burial	?				
F	3 MARY (POLLY) FERGUSON	Birth	1798-1799	in VIRGINIA			
	Full Name of Spouse: WILLIAM WALSTON	Marr.	26 OCT 1818		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
		Death					
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 CENSUS of MARION Co, Ky			
F	4 NANCY FERGUSON	Birth	ca 1800				
	Full Name of Spouse: GEORGE RALEIGH	Marr.	27 MAY 1822		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
		Death	?				
		Burial	?				
M	5 WILLIAM FERGUSON	Birth	1800-1805	Probably	WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse: ELEANOR SANDUSKY	Marr.	14 SEP 1826		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
		Death	?				
		Burial	?				
M	6 SAMUEL C. FERGUSON	Birth	1808-1809	Probably	WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse: CHRISTINA KITTINGER	Marr.	22 SEP 1831		MULLENBERG Co, Ky		
		Death	29 SEP 1845				
		Burial	KITTINGER CEMETERY	MULLENBERG Co, Ky			
F	7 JANE FERGUSON	Birth	1808		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse: JOSEPH WALSTON	Marr.	30 MAY 1825		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
		Death					
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 CENSUS of MARION Co, Ky			
F	8 MARGARET B. FERGUSON	Birth	ca 1813		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse: JAMES (JOHN) REID (REED)	Marr.	24 OCT 1824		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
		Death		Moved to Ohio Co, Ky			
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 CENSUS of MARION Co, Ky			
F	9 ELIZABETH FERGUSON	Birth	ca 1813		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse: DAVID ROLLINS	Marr.	3 JUL 1832		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
		Death					
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 MARION Co, Ky CENSUS			
	10	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.					
		Death					
		Burial					

Done
6/4/96



~~1805 Lewis Lane~~
~~Owensboro, Ky~~
May 30, 1996

Mrs. Mary Parrott
Marion County Public Library
201 E. Main
Lebanon, KY 40033

Dear Mrs. Parrott:

I enjoyed conversing with you by telephone recently about the Ferguson family of first Washington and later Marion counties in Kentucky.

In accordance with our phone conversation, I am enclosing a check for \$39.50, which includes \$4.50 for postage and handling and payment for the following books: (1) History of Marion County by Knott @ \$14.00; (2) Lebanon As I've Known It by Johnston @ \$16.00; and (3) History of Lebanon by McElroy @ \$5.00.

Please send these three books to: ~~Bruce T. Ferguson, 1805 Lewis Lane, Owensboro, KY 42301-4430~~

I am also including the most recent revisions of my ancestor charts on the Ferguson family and some related families as well as a copy of my handwritten family group sheet on the family of Joseph and Elizabeth (Marples) Ferguson of first Washington and later Marion counties. Please place the charts and family group sheet in the Ferguson Family File Folder in your Library, if you feel that would be appropriate.

Thank you for being so helpful to me on the phone. If you locate any information on the John Ferguson that we talked about (such as an obituary or even place and date of death) or hear of any new information on my Ferguson or related families, please let me know. I will be happy to reimburse you for the cost of letters, photocopies, research, etc.

Cordially,

Bruce T. Ferguson

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FAMILY GROUP NO.

Husband's Full Name JOSEPH FERGUSON

This information Obtained From:

CAMPBELL CO, VA MARRIAGES
 Birth ca 1772 VIRGINIA
 Marr. AUG. 1792 CAMPBELL CO, VA
 Death WILL PROBATED 24 FEB 1834 in WASHINGTON CO, KY
 Burial ?

WASHINGTON CO, KY TAX LISTS & MARR. RECORDS
 Places of Residence CAME TO KY 1799 (WASHINGTON CO.)
 Occupation Church Affiliation Military Rec.

MARION CO, KY 1850 CENSUS & DEATH RECORDS
 Other wives, if any No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each marr.
 His Father ANDREW FERGUSON Mother's Maiden Name UNK

WASHINGTON CO, KY WILL BOOK
Wife's Full Maiden Name ELIZABETH MARPLE(S)
 Wives Data Day Month Year City, Town or Place County or Province, etc State or Country Add. Info. on Wife
 Birth ca 1772 VIRGINIA
 Death 29 NOV 1854 MARION COUNTY, KY AGE 82
 Burial ?

Compiler BRUCE FERGUSON Places of Residence CAME TO WASHINGTON CO, KY 1799
 Address 1805 LEWIS LANE Occupation Church Affiliation Military Rec.
 City, State DWENSBORO, KY Other husbands, if any, No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each marr.
 Date 5/10/94 Her Father GEORGE MARPLE(S) Mother's Maiden Name DRUZILLE OR DRUSELLE ?

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
	1 MARY (POLLY) FERGUSON	Birth	1798-1799					VIRGINIA	
	Full Name of Spouse WILLIAM WALSTON	Marr.	26 OCT	1818				WASHINGTON CO, KY	
		Death	?						
		Burial	ALIVE IN					1850 CENSUS OF MARION CO, KY	
	2 NANCY FERGUSON	Birth	?						
	Full Name of Spouse GEORGE RALEIGH	Marr.	27 MAY	1822				WASHINGTON CO, KY	
		Death	?						
		Burial	?						
	3 SAMUEL C. FERGUSON	Birth	1 OCT	1802				WASHINGTON CO, KY ?	
	Full Name of Spouse CHRISTINA KITTINGER	Marr.	22 SEP	1831				MUHLENBERG CO, KY OHIO CO, KY	
		Death	29 SEP	1845					
		Burial	KITTINGER CEMETERY					MUHLENBERG CO, KY	
	4 JANE FERGUSON	Birth	ca	1808				WASHINGTON CO, KY	
	Full Name of Spouse JOSEPH WALSTON	Marr.	30 MAY	1825				WASHINGTON CO, KY	
		Death	?						
		Burial	ALIVE IN					1850 CENSUS of MARION CO, KY	
	5 MARGARET B. FERGUSON	Birth	ca	1813				WASHINGTON CO, KY	
	Full Name of Spouse JAMES (JOHN) REID (REED)	Marr.	24 OCT	1829				WASHINGTON CO, KY	
		Death	?						
		Burial	ALIVE IN					1850 CENSUS of MARION CO, KY	
	6 ELIZABETH FERGUSON	Birth	ca	1813				WASHINGTON CO, KY	
	Full Name of Spouse DAVID ROLLINS	Marr.	3 JUL	1832				WASHINGTON CO, KY	
		Death	?						
		Burial	ALIVE IN					1850 CENSUS of MARION CO, KY	
	7 JOHN FERGUSON	Birth	Before 1800?						
	Full Name of Spouse SALLY RAMSEY	Marr.	14 FEB	1824				WASHINGTON CO, KY	
		Death	?						
		Burial	?						
	8	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							
	9	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							
	10	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							

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Date February 15, 1996

Ancestor Chart

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. _____ on chart No. _____.

Chart No. 1

16 Samuel C. FERGUSON
b. 1 Oct 1802 (Father of No. 8,
m. 22 Sep 1831 Cont. on chart No. 2)
d. 29 Sep 1845 (Ohio Co. Ky)

17 Christina KITTINGER
b. 1808 Va (Mother of No. 8,
d. Nov. 1882 (Ohio Co., Ky) Cont. on chart No. 3)

18 John N. GISH
b. 15 Oct 1812 (Father of No. 9,
m. 10 Nov 1839 Cont. on chart No. 4)
d. 11 Feb 1848

19 Nancy OVERHULTZ (OVERHUTTS)
b. 17 Mar 1818 (Mother of No. 9,
d. 3 Aug 1893 Cont. on chart No. 5)

20 Blancit SHACKLETT
b. 18 Mar 1787 (Father of No. 10,
m. 10 Jun 1807-Hardin Co. Ky Cont. on chart No. 6)
d. 5 Dec 1859 (bur H. Grove)

21 Rachel ASHCRAFT
b. 12 Apr 1789 (Mother of No. 10,
d. 31 Dec 1861 (Meade Co. Ky) Cont. on chart No. 7)

22 George HUMPHREY
b. 22 Aug 1789 (Father of No. 11,
m. 14 Oct 1812 Cont. on chart No. 8)
d. 22 May 1834

23 Barbara JENKINS
b. 21 Sep 1793 (Mother of No. 11,
d. 7 Jul 1876 Cont. on chart No. 9)

24 John TOLER/Toller/Towler
b. ca 1812 (Father of No. 12,
m. 17 Mar 1837 Hancock, Ky Cont. on chart No. 10)
d. Aug 1858 Daviess, Ky

25 Sally Ann GILLAM/Gilliam
b. ca 1822 (Mother of No. 12,
d. Aug 1858 Daviess Co. Cont. on chart No. 11)

26 Robert T. STEWART
b. 1823 (Father of No. 13,
m. 11 Mar 1852 Daviess Co. Cont. on chart No. 12)
d. ? ? 1895 ? ? ? ?

27 Lucy Rebecca HEAD
b. 11 May 1825 (Mother of No. 13,
d. 2 Sep 1875 Daviess Co. Cont. on chart No. 13)

28 Edmund G. LAMBERT
b. 21 Jun 1821 (Father of No. 14,
m. 2 Feb 1847 Nelson Co., Ky Cont. on chart No. 14)
d. 16 May 1880 Hancock Co, Ky

29 Mary Elizabeth RINEARSON
b. 6 May 1828 (Mother of No. 14,
d. 7 Apr 1909 Hancock Co. Cont. on chart No. 15)

30 Napoleon B. DUPUY
b. 1 Mar 1837 (Father of No. 15,
m. 6 Mar 1856 Cont. on chart No. 16)
d. 18 Apr 1863?Overton Co. Tenn.

31 Eusebia N. ELLIS
b. 6 Jun 1839 (Mother of No. 15,
d. 22 Dec 1909 Lewisport, Ky Cont. on chart No. 17)

8 William Thomas FERGUSON
(Father of No. 4)
b. 14 Nov 1834
p.b. Ohio Co. Ky
m. 5 Aug 1856 (Robtson Co TN)
d. 4 Sep 1907
p.d. Island, Ky.

9 Mary E. GISH
(Mother of No. 4)
b. 5 Feb 1841
p.b. Muhlenberg Co. Ky
d. 24 Feb 1907
p.d. Island, Ky.

10 Absalom Redmond SHACKLETT
(Father of No. 5)
b. 7 Dec 1826
p.b. Meade Co. Ky
m. 25 Jan 1849
d. 27 Aug 1910
p.d. Island, Ky.

11 Minerva Jane HUMPHREY
(Mother of No. 5)
b. 26 Dec 1827
p.b. Meade Co. Ky
d. 26 Jan 1883
p.d. Island, Ky.

12 James Holmes TOLER
(Father of No. 6)
b. 4 Aug 1848
p.b. Daviess/Hancock, Ky.
m. 18 Feb 1877, Daviess Co.
d. 10 Dec 1940
p.d. Lewisport, Ky.

13 Mary E. "Bettie" STEWART
(Mother of No. 6)
b. 5 Sep 1854
p.b. Daviess Co., Ky.
d. 12 June 1941
p.d. Lewisport, Ky.

14 Hiram Thomas LAMBERT
(Father of No. 7)
b. 29 Aug 1851
p.b. Daviess Co., Ky.
m. 25 Jan 1877, Hancock Co
d. 14 Feb 1915
p.d. Lewisport, Ky.

15 Elizabeth "Bettie" DUPUY
(Mother of No. 7)
b. 17 Jul 1858
p.b. Utility, Hancock, Ky.
d. 6 Sep 1940
p.d. Lewisport, Ky.

4 Samuel FERGUSON
(Father of No. 2)
b. 24 Sep 1868
p.b. Ohio Co. Ky
m. 20 Mar 1889
d. 25 Jun 1940
p.d. Island, Ky (McLean Co.)

5 Sophia Helen SHACKLETT
(Mother of No. 2)
b. 24 Dec 1866
p.b. Island McLean Co. Ky.
d. 6 Jul 1954
p.d. Owensboro, Ky.

2 Paul Miller FERGUSON
(Father of No. 1)
b. 23 Dec 1899
p.b. Island, McLean Co. Ky
m. 9 Nov 1940
d. 21 Sep 1992
p.d. Owensboro, Ky.

3 BRUCE TOLER FERGUSON
b. 15 Jul 1946
p.b. Owensboro, Ky.
m. Never married
d. Living
p.d.

6 James Albert TOLER
(Father of No. 3)
b. 22 Mar 1879
p.b. Daviess Co., Ky
m. 8 Jan 1902
d. 21 May 1953
p.d. Lewisport, Ky.

7 Willie LAMBERT
(Mother of No. 3)
b. 28 Jul 1880
p.b. Utility, Hancock, Ky.
d. 18 Aug 1980
p.d. Owensboro, Ky.

1 BRUCE TOLER FERGUSON
b. 15 Jul 1946
p.b. Owensboro, Ky.
m. Never married
d. Living
p.d.

3 Ruth Haynes TOLER
(Mother of No. 1)
b. 28 Dec 1911
p.b. Lewisport, Ky.
d. Living
p.d.

1 BRUCE TOLER FERGUSON
b. 15 Jul 1946
p.b. Owensboro, Ky.
m. Never married
d. Living
p.d.

6 James Albert TOLER
(Father of No. 3)
b. 22 Mar 1879
p.b. Daviess Co., Ky
m. 8 Jan 1902
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(Mother of No. 3)
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7 Willie LAMBERT
(Mother of No. 3)
b. 28 Jul 1880
p.b. Utility, Hancock, Ky.
d. 18 Aug 1980
p.d. Owensboro, Ky.

3 Ruth Haynes TOLER
(Mother of No. 1)
b. 28 Dec 1911
p.b. Lewisport, Ky.
d. Living
p.d.

1 BRUCE TOLER FERGUSON
b. 15 Jul 1946
p.b. Owensboro, Ky.
m. Never married
d. Living
p.d.

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b. Date of Birth
p.b. Place of Birth
m. Date of Marriage
d. Date of Death
p.d. Place of Death
ca- about

Not married
(Spouse of No. 1)

b. d.
p.b. p.d.

Bruce Ferguson and
 Name of Compiler Virginia Davis
 Address 1805 Lewis Lane
 City, State Owensboro, Ky 42301
 Date June 1, 1995

Ancestor Chart
 Person No. 1 on this chart is the same
 person as No. 16 on chart No. 1.

Chart No. 2

b. Date of Birth
 p.b. Place of Birth
 m. Date of Marriage
 d. Date of Death
 p.d. Place of Death
 ca- about

4 Andrew FERGUSON
 (Father of No. 2)
 b. ?
 p.b. ?
 m. ?
 d. ?
 p.d. ?

2 Joseph FERGUSON ??
 (Father of No. 1)
 b. ca 1772
 p.b. Virginia
 m. 1792, Campbell Co., Va. (Marriage bond 7/30/92)
 d. Will proven 24 Feb 1834 (Consents dtd Aug. 1792)
 p.d. Washington Co., Ky.

5 ????
 (Mother of No. 2)
 b. ?
 p.b. ?
 d. ?
 p.d. ?

1 Samuel C. FERGUSON

b. 1 Oct 1802
 p.b. Washington Co., KY ?
 m. 22 Sep 1831 Muhlenberg Co. Ky
 d. 29 Sep 1845 (buried Muhlenberg)
 p.d. Ohio Co. Ky.

6 George MARPLES
 (Father of No. 3)
 b. ?
 p.b. ?
 m. ?
 d. ?
 p.d. ?

3 Elizabeth MARPLES ??
 (Mother of No. 1)

b. ca 1772
 p.b. Virginia
 d. 29 Nov 1854 Age 82
 p.d. Marion Co. Ky

7 Druselle ???
 (Mother of No. 3)
 b. ?
 p.b. ?
 d. ?
 p.d. ?

Christina KITTINGER
 (Spouse of No. 1)

b. 1808 Va d. Nov. 1882
 p.b. Virginia p.d. Ohio Co., Ky

8
 b.
 p.b.
 m.
 d.
 p.d.

(Father of No. 4)

9

b.
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.

(Mother of No. 4)

11

b.
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.

(Mother of No. 5)

12

b.
 p.b.
 m.
 d.
 p.d.

(Father of No. 6)

13

b.
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.

(Mother of No. 6)

14

b.
 p.b.
 m.
 d.
 p.d.

(Father of No. 7)

15

b.
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.

(Mother of No. 7)

16

b.
 m.
 d.

(Father of No. 8,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

17

b.
 d.

(Mother of No. 8,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

18

b.
 m.
 d.

(Father of No. 9,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

19

b.
 d.

(Mother of No. 9,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

20

b.
 m.

(Father of No. 10,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

21

b.
 d.

(Mother of No. 10,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

22

b.
 m.
 d.

(Father of No. 11,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

23

b.
 d.

(Mother of No. 11,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

24

b.
 m.
 d.

(Father of No. 12,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

25

b.
 d.

(Mother of No. 12,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

26

b.
 m.
 d.

(Father of No. 13,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

27

b.
 d.

(Mother of No. 13,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

28

b.
 m.
 d.

(Father of No. 14,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

29

b.
 d.

(Mother of No. 14,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

30

b.
 m.
 d.

(Father of No. 15,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

31

b.
 d.

(Mother of No. 15,
 Cont. on chart No. _____)

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Name of Compiler Bruce Ferguson

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Chart No. 3

Address 1805 Lewis Lane

City, State Owensboro, Ky 42301

Date April 15, 1994

P.P.P.
Date of Birth
Place of Birth
Date of Marriage
Date of Death
Place of Death

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4 Rudolph KITTINGER
(Father of No. 2)
b. Baptized 17 Aug 1755
p.b. Naturalized Sep 1765
m. #1 ca 1778
d. Will probated 1835
p.d. Botetourt Co., VA

2 William KITTINGER
(Father of No. 1)
b. 7 Oct 1784
p.b. Chester Co., PA?
m. 31 Jan 1807 Botetourt Co., VA
d. 9 May 1841
p.d. Muhlenberg Co., Ky
#1 Mary Lowry
5 #2 Mary (wid) DARBY
(Mother of No. 3)
b. ??? Wife #1 died
p.b. sometime before
d. marriage to Wife #2
p.d. on 4 Dec 1815
in Botetourt Co., VA

1 Christina KITTINGER
b. ca 1808
p.b. Virginia
m. 22 Sep 1831 Muhlenberg Co., Ky
d. Nov. 1882
p.d. Ohio Co., Ky.

6 Andrew FERGUSON SR.
(Father of No. 3)
b. ca 1740-1750
p.b. Virginia? PA?
m. ?
d. 1810-16 Dec 1816
p.d. Botetourt Co., VA

3 Mary FERGUSON
(Mother of No. 1)
b. 18 Oct 1786
p.b. Virginia
d. 7 Mar 1874
p.d. Muhlenberg Co., Ky

7 Mary ???
(Mother of No. 3)
b. ?
p.b. ?
d. after 1820
p.d. Botetourt Co., VA?

Samuel C. Ferguson
(Spouse of No. 1)
b. 1 Oct 1802 d. 29 Sep 1845
p.b. Wash. Co., Ky? p.d. Ohio Co., Ky
(buried in Muhlenberg Co., Ky)

8 Jacob KITTINGER/GUTTINGER
(Father of No. 4)

b. ?
p.b. Switzerland?
m. Arrived on ship PRISCILLA in 1749 at Phila, PA
d. Paid taxes in Coventry Township, Chester Co., PA until 1782.

9 Verena ???
(Mother of No. 4)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

10 (Father of No. 5)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

(Mother of No. 5)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

(Father of No. 6)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

(Mother of No. 6)

13 (buried Cave Spring Dist. p.b. Roanoke Co., VA)
d.
p.d.

14 (Father of No. 7)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

15 (Mother of No. 7)

b.
p.b.
d.

16 b. (Father of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. _____)

d. (Mother of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. _____)

17 b. (Father of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. _____)

d. (Mother of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. _____)

18 b. (Father of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. _____)

d. (Mother of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. _____)

19 b. (Father of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. _____)

d. (Mother of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. _____)

20 b. (Father of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. _____)

d. (Mother of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. _____)

21 b. (Father of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. _____)

d. (Mother of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. _____)

22 b. (Father of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. _____)

d. (Mother of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. _____)

23 b. (Father of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. _____)

d. (Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. _____)

24 b. (Father of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. _____)

d. (Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. _____)

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Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler Bruce Ferguson
 Address 1805 Lewis Lane
 City, State Owensboro, Ky 42301
 Date March 1, 1996

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Chart No. 4

P.P. Date of Birth
 P.b. Place of Birth
 Date of Marriage
 Date of Death
 P.d. Place of Death

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RETURN TO: WCK:FRA

4 Christian GISH II (Rev. War)
 (Father of No. 2)
 b. ca 1757/1758
 p.b. Lancaster Co., PA
 m. ca 1779
 d. 1814-will proved
 p.d. Muhlenberg Co., KY

2 John GISH
 (Father of No. 1)
 b. 17 Nov 1783
 p.b. Pennsylvania
 m. 21 Jan 1809 Muhl. Co., KY
 d. Will proven Jan. 1822
 p.d. Muhlenberg Co., KY

5 Elizabeth (Barbara) STINTZ
 (Mother of No. 2)
 b. ?
 p.b. Lebanon, PA
 d. after 1820
 p.d. Muhlenberg Co., KY?

1 John N. GISH
 b. 15 Oct 1812
 p.b. Muhlenberg Co., KY
 m. 10 Nov 1839
 d. 11 Feb 1848
 p.d. Island, McLean Co., KY

6 Rev. Wm. Jacob NOFFSINGER
 (AKA Jacob NOFFSINGER)
 (Father of No. 3)
 b. ca 1762 in PA probably -
 ca 1807 moved from
 Botetourt Co. VA to KY
 d. Before July 19, 1808
 p.d. Muhlenberg Co., KY

3 Elizabeth "Betsy" NOFFSINGER
 (Mother of No. 1)
 b. ca 1789
 p.b. Botetourt Co., VA?
 d. 16 Dec 1832?
 p.d. Muhlenberg Co., KY?

7 Susanah (Susan) STONER
 (Mother of No. 3)
 b. 7 Dec 1764
 p.b. Chester Co., PA
 d. 15 Dec 1836
 p.d. Muhlenberg Co., KY

Nancy OVERHULTZ (OVERHUTTS)
 (Spouse of No. 1)
 b. 7 Mar 1818
 p.b. Kentucky
 d. 3 Aug 1893
 p.d. Island, KY

8 Christian GISH I (Rev. War)
 (Father of No. 4)
 b. ca 1735
 p.b. Lancaster Co., PA
 m. ca 1756
 d. Will proved June 1796
 p.d. Botetourt Co., VA

9 Sophia HOCK (HOGUE)
 (Mother of No. 4)
 b. ca 1736
 p.b. PA?
 d. ?
 p.d. VA?

10
 (Father of No. 5)
 b.
 p.b.
 m.
 d.
 p.d.

11
 (Mother of No. 5)
 b.
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.
 (AKA Peter NOFSKER as immigrant
 on ship's manifest)

12 Peter NOFSINGER/NOSSINGER
 (Father of No. 6)
 b. ?
 p.b. Switzerland?Germany?
 m. Arrived on ship PHOENIX in 1749 at Philadelphia, PA
 d. In 1784 after July 13th (Lived first in York Co., PA
 p.d. Botetourt Co., VA

13
 (Mother of No. 6)
 b.
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.

14 John STONER, Jr.
 (Father of No. 7)
 b. ca 1730
 p.b. Chester Co., PA?
 m. Early 1750's in PA
 d. Will proven July 1774
 p.d. Frederick Co., MD

15 Anna LIGHT
 (Mother of No. 7)
 b. 1734
 p.b. Lancaster Co., PA?
 d. 18 Dec 1799
 p.d. Frederick Co., MD (now Carroll Co., MD)

16 Matthias GISH (GISCH)
 (Father of No. 8,
 Cont. on chart No. 4A)
 b. 1710
 m. ca 1733

17 Katrina BAUER (BOYERS)
 (Mother of No. 8,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b. ca 1709
 d. after 1770

18 George HOCK (HOGUE)
 (Father of No. 9,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b. ?
 m. ?
 d. ?

19 Sophia VISHUE
 (Mother of No. 9,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b.
 d.

20
 (Father of No. 10,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b.
 m.
 d.

21
 (Mother of No. 10,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b.
 d.

22
 (Father of No. 11,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b.
 m.
 d.

23
 (Mother of No. 11,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b.
 d.

24
 (Father of No. 12,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b.
 m.
 d.

25
 (Mother of No. 12,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b. ?
 p.b. Switzerland?Germany?
 m. Arrived on ship PHOENIX in 1749 at Philadelphia, PA
 d. In 1784 after July 13th (Lived first in York Co., PA
 p.d. Botetourt Co., VA

26 and Frederick Co., MD)
 (Father of No. 13,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b.
 m.
 d.

27
 (Mother of No. 13,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b.
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.

(AKA Johannes STEINER, Sr.)
 28 John STONER, Sr.
 (Father of No. 14, 4M
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b. ca 1705
 m. ?

29 Catherine/Catren ??
 (Mother of No. 14,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b. ca 1705
 d. ca 1765

30 Jacob LIGHT/LEICHTI/LICHTY
 (Father of No. 15,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b. ?
 m. Lived in Lancaster Co., PA
 d. Before 12 Dec 1761

31 Barbara ??
 (Mother of No. 15,
 Cont. on chart No.)
 b. ?
 d. ?

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Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler Bruce T. Ferguson

Address 1805 Lewis Lane

City, State Owensboro, Ky. 42301

Date February 15, 1996

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. 19 on chart No. 1

Chart No. 5

P. Date of Birth
F. Place of Birth
M. Date of Marriage
D. Date of Death
P.d. Place of Death

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4 Abraham OVERHOLTS

(Father of No. 2)
b. ??
p.b. Marr. record-Frederick,
m. 22 Aug 1767 (Maryland)
d. 1803/1804
p.d. Franklin Co., VA

2 Mark OVERHULS

(Father of No. 1)
b. ca 1788
p.b. ?Maryland?
m. 30 Jan 1812(Muhlenberg Co., KY)
d. ca 1844
p.d. Muhlenberg Co., KY

5 Anna WITMOR (WHITMORE)

(Mother of No. 2)
b. ??
p.b. ??
d. ??
p.d. ??

1 Nancy OVERHULTZ (OVERHUTTS)

b. 17 March 1818
p.b. Muhlenberg Co., KY
m. 10 Nov 1839(Muhlenberg Co., KY)
d. 3 August 1893
p.d. Island, McLean Co., KY

6 John LANDIS

(Father of No. 3)
b. September 1764
p.b. ??
m. ca 1787
d. May 1840 (Gish Cemetery)
p.d. Muhlenberg Co., KY

3 Mary LANDIS/LANDES

(Mother of No. 1)
b. ca 1788
p.b. ??
d. After 1857
p.d. Muhlenberg Co., KY

7 Hannah STOVER

(Mother of No. 3)
b. ca 1764
p.b. Cumberland Co., PA
d. ca 1841
p.d. Muhlenberg Co., KY

John N. GISH (1st Husband)

(Spouse of No. 1)

b. 15 Oct 1812 d. 11 Feb 1848
p.b. Muhlenberg Co. KY p.d. Island, KY

8

(Father of No. 4)
b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

9

(Mother of No. 4)
b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

10

(Father of No. 5)
b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

11

(Mother of No. 5)
b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

12

Henry LANDIS

(Father of No. 6)
b. 25 Nov 1740
p.b. Amwell, N.J. ?
m.?(Lived in Franklin Co. VA
d. April 1825 (Early 1790's)
p.d. Preble Co., Ohio

13

Mary CARVER
(Mother of No. 6)
b. ? (First of three
p.b. ? wives of Henry Landis)
d. ?
p.d. ? (AKA Johann Wilhelm STUBER)

14

(AKA Willem STOVER)
(Bishop) William STOVER

(Father of No. 7)
b. 1725? (or 1715)
p.b. Switzerland
m. Arrived on ship Richard and Mary at Philidelphia on
d. 1800
p.d. Franklin Co., PA

15

Judith SCHAEFFER
(Mother of No. 7)
b. ??
p.b. Married in Switzerland
d. After 1800
p.d. Franklin Co., PA?

16

b. (Father of No. 8,
m. Cont. on chart No. _____)

17

d. (Mother of No. 8,
b. Cont. on chart No. _____)

18

d. (Father of No. 9,
m. Cont. on chart No. _____)

19

d. (Mother of No. 9,
b. Cont. on chart No. _____)

20

d. (Father of No. 10,
m. Cont. on chart No. _____)

21

d. (Mother of No. 10,
b. Cont. on chart No. _____)

22

d. (Father of No. 11,
m. Cont. on chart No. _____)

23

d. (Mother of No. 11,
b. Cont. on chart No. _____)

24

Heinrich LANDIS

b. 26 Aug 1716 (Father of No. 12, 5I)
m. 1737 Cont. on chart No. _____
d. 1809

25

Elizabeth NAAS
(Mother of No. 12,
b. 1717 Cont. on chart No. 5J)
d. 1753

26

John CARVER
b. ?? (Father of No. 13,
m. ?? Cont. on chart No. _____)
d. ??

27

?? (Mother of No. 13,
b. Cont. on chart No. _____)

29

b. (Father of No. 14,
m. Cont. on chart No. _____)

30

d. (Mother of No. 14,
b. Cont. on chart No. _____)
m. Arrived on ship Richard and Mary at Philidelphia on
d. 1800
p.d. Franklin Co., PA

31

d. (Father of No. 15,
m. Cont. on chart No. _____)

31

d. (Mother of No. 15,
b. Cont. on chart No. _____)

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Article No. 56—"BOATS, PILOTS, SHOES, PORTRAITS"

Early Settlers On Creek

Among the early settlers on or near Hardin's Creek were Jereboam Beauchamp, Edward Askins, Phillip Davis, Benjamin Phillips, Baptist Cissel, and Lewis Thomas. These men built their homes in the wilderness of that district of Kentucky when the territory was yet within the confines of Nelson County. In 1792, when Nelson was divided and Washington formed, they became residents of the new county.

Philemon Waters and Mark Hardin, among the first white men to push their way through the wilderness, note the streams, licks, and settlements, as they were made in the Hardin's Creek sector, were frequent visitors in the homes of the pioneers mentioned above. Whenever they heard of a new arrival they made it their business to call on him and get acquainted and lend him any aid that might be needed.

Both Waters and Hardin were keen observers of men and places, and both possessed the faculty of remembering names and dates. This made them valuable aids in later years when they were called upon to give testimony in innumerable land suits to establish titles. Their testimony, too, serves us in this remote day, as we seek to establish the names of Washington County's first settlers and fix their places of residence.

Baptist Cissel settled on the east side of Hardin's Creek, and in the southeast corner of John Askins pre-emption. There Philemon Waters found him shortly after his arrival "in the month of July or August and in the year 1786." In the fall of the year 1787, Waters visited on the west side of Hardin's Creek, and found a new arrival in the person of Edward Askins. In the early part of 1788, Waters found Phillip Davis settled on the east side of the creek.

Mark Hardin, after being in Kentucky as early as 1775, and then going back to Pennsylvania "to join the army," came again to the wilderness and settled on Hardin's Creek "in the month of April, 1787." A few days after he arrived he "saw Baptist Cissel on the east side of the creek with his family." Hardin talked with Cissel and learned that his neighbors across the creek had "lived there part of the year before." A little later, Hardin found Edward Askins on the west side of the creek, and learned that Askins was responsible for Phil-

lip Davis settling on the east side of the creek in 1788 or 1789.

Lewis Thomas was living on Hardin's Creek before Mark Hardin came back to Kentucky to live. He was there before Askins and Davis arrived. Thomas said he settled on Hardin's Creek where he was living in 1816, "in March, 1785." He remembered that Cissel came "sometime in the summer of 1786," Askins "in the fall of 1787," and Davis "in 1788 or 1789."

Benjamin Phillips came to Hardin's Creek in 1784. He first came to Kentucky in 1780 but left and did not return until four years later. He said he lived on "bargrass creek" when he first came to Kentucky, and that he spent considerable time in traveling about. In that way he became acquainted with Mud Garrison, Brothers Garrison, and Dowal Station, in 1780. He spent "a day or such a matter" at Harrodsburg. Was at Boone Station on Brashears Creek; at Harrod's Station, Logan's Station, and at Bullitt Lick several weeks. Said he remembered when Phillip Davis arrived on Hardin's Creek in 1785.

Principle Shipping Ports

The Beech and Rolling Forks were navigable in those days whenever swollen by rains. A rise in the river was called a "fresh", and the departure of a boat or boats was spoken of as "going out with a fresh." The principle shipping ports in Washington County before the year 1820, were Everhart's boat-yard on the Rolling Fork, and Ferguson's Mill and Parker's Warehouse on the Beech Fork. There was some loading at Ryan's Mill, near Beechland, and the early residents of that district entertained high hopes of making that point a prominent one, but it seems not to have attained any great degree of popularity.

Not a few of the citizens of Washington County in the early days earned their sustenance by serving as pilots for boats that went out from various points on the Beech and Rolling Forks of Salt River. It was not an uncommon sight in those days, at certain seasons of the year, to witness as many as ten or twelve boats going down either or both of the streams and headed for the southern markets at Natchez and New Orleans.

Boats And Their Sizes

Boats that were used to carry car-

goes to the southern markets referred to as "Orleans boats," usual length of these boats was feet. A boat that size would 250 barrels of whiskey, or about gallons. That commodity seen have been the principle one shipped though there were some cargo flour, hemp, tobacco, and meats.

The only time a boat-owner ferred his boat to go out with full load was when a "fresh" and the boat was only half or three quarters loaded, and the owner fearful that another rise in the might not come for some weeks months after. One early pilot pressed the opinion in a depo made in 1813, that to send a boat less than 250 barrels, would meant a loss to the person se the same. Another said that than wait several weeks or m for another "fresh", he would a boat out though partly loaded

Beech Fork Dangerous

In the opinion of several pilots Beech Fork from Ferguson's down was more precarious than River from the mouth of Bras Creek on. The falls on Salt River Shepherdsville were always dangerous, but Samuel McLean said the fresh which will carry a load from Ferguson's Mill will with safety carry one over the falls Shepherdsville." Peter Sibert, of Thomas Lincoln, said he "had er pilot a boat" over the falls from Ferguson's Mill to the mouth of Brashear's Creek.

Peter Sibert, Pilot

Peter Sibert, Jr., was a native of the Lincoln County of Washington County, and intimate with Thomas and Josiah Lincoln, father and of Abraham Lincoln. His father Peter Sibert, Sr., settled in Washington County, not far from the home homestead, and from him Sibert took its name. There is a tradition that Peter Sibert, Jr., was best man at the wedding of Thomas Lincoln and Nancy Hanks, in 1806. The Lincoln's name appears on the of consent written by Ke Bridges in 1801, when her daughter married young Sibert, and the Lincoln may have been best man at that wedding.

Young Sibert was an experienced pilot on the Beech Fork, taking out from Ferguson's Mill, and bringing them on their way to New Orleans. He deposed that he had been so engaged for or nine years. A 50-foot boat, in opinion, would carry "with 250 barrels of whiskey" from son's Mill to New Orleans which contain about 8500 gallons of key."

Boats Sometimes Overload

Two hundred and fifty barrels not the limit that a 50-foot boat carry, according to the testimony of several shippers and pilots. John of the family that early settled in that district now known as Fredericksburg deposed in 1813, that he had been engaged in the boating business at the mouth of Cartwrights Creek on the Beech fork to New Orleans several years." He said a boat would carry 250 barrels of key and he "had carried me found no difficulty in consequence the boat being heavy."

FAMILY GROUP NO.

Husband's Full Name JOSEPH FERGUSON

His Information Obtained From:	Husband's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
CAMPBELL Co, VA	Birth	ca 1772	UNKNOWN		VIRGINIA	
MARRIAGES	Chr'd	?				
WASHINGTON Co, Ky	Marr.	1792	CAMPBELL Co, VA			
TAX LISTS + MARR. RECORDS	Death	Will probated 24 FEB 1834	in WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	Burial	?				
	Places of Residence	CAMP TO KY 1799	(WASHINGTON Co)			
	Occupation		Church Affiliation		Military Rec.	

MIRICAL Co, Ky DEATH RECORDS	Other wives, if any No (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each man	His Father	ANDREW FERGUSON	Mother's Maiden Name	UNK
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Wife's Full Maiden Name		ELIZABETH MARPLES				
MARION Co, Ky 1850 CENSUS	Wife's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
	Birth	ca 1772	UNKNOWN		VIRGINIA	
WASHINGTON Co, Ky WILL BOOK	Chr'd	?				
	Death	29 NOV 1854	MARION COUNTY, Ky			Age 82
	Burial	?				
Compiler BRUCE FERGUSON	Places of Residence	CAME TO WASHINGTON Co, Ky 1799				
Address 1805 LEWIS LANE	Occupation		Church Affiliation		Military Rec.	
City, State OWENSBORO, KY	Other husbands, if any No (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each man				DRUZILLER OR	
Date 10/26/93	Her Father	GEORGE MARPLES	Mother's Maiden Name	DRUSELLE	?	

Sex	Children's Names & Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Child's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Child
M	1 JOHN FERGUSON	Birth	1793-1797	Probably in VA			
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	14 FEB 1824	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	SALLY RAMSEY	Death	?				
		Burial	?				
M	2 THOMAS A. FERGUSON	Birth	1793-1797	Probably in VA			
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	20 AUG 1825	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	JEMIMA PEAKE	Death	?				
		Burial	?				
F	3 MARY (POLLY) FERGUSON	Birth	1798-1799	in VIRGINIA			
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	26 OCT 1818	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	WILLIAM WALSTON	Death					
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 CENSUS of MARION Co, Ky			
F	4 NANCY FERGUSON	Birth	ca 1800				
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	27 MAY 1822	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	GEORGE RALEIGH	Death	?				
		Burial	?				
M	5 WILLIAM FERGUSON	Birth	1800-1805	Probably	WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	14 SEP 1826	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	ELEANOR SANDUSKY	Death	?				
		Burial	?				
M	6 SAMUEL C. FERGUSON	Birth	1808-1809	Probably	WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	22 SEP 1831	MULLENBERG Co, Ky			
	CHRISTINA KITTINGER	Death	29 SEP 1845				
		Burial	KITTINGER CEMETERY	MULLENBERG Co, Ky			
F	7 JANE FERGUSON	Birth	1808		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	30 MAY 1825	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	JOSEPH WALSTON	Death					
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 CENSUS of MARION Co, Ky			
F	8 MARGARET B. FERGUSON	Birth	ca 1813		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	24 OCT 1824	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	JAMES (JOHN) REID (REED)	Death		Moved to Ohio Co, Ky			
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 CENSUS of MARION Co, Ky			
F	9 ELIZABETH FERGUSON	Birth	ca 1813		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	3 JUL 1832	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	DAVID ROLLINS	Death					
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 MARION Co, Ky CENSUS			
	10	Birth					
		Marr.					
	Full Name of Spouse	Death					
		Burial					

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A Settlement of the accounts of Anthony Walter
 Guardian for Nancy Jane, Sally Ann and
 Samuella Ferguson infants of Samuel Ferguson
 Deceased.

<u>Said Guardian</u> to Said Wards	Dr	
To amt recd for the sale of land and negroes in Marion County	3	\$493
" Interest on same from Nov ^r 1836 to date	3	
		<u>64</u>
		\$557.

Credits

By Allowance to Guardian for services	\$24.65
" Traveling expenses to make this Settlement	5.00
" Clerks fee for recording this Settlement	1.25
" Allowance for this Settlement	<u>15.00</u>
Leaving a balance due wards	\$524.6
	324

From the foregoing statement it will appear
 that there came to the hands of said Guardian
 including interest from Nov 1836 to date the sum
 of five hundred and fifty seven dollars and 64
 Cents and that Guardian received credit for
 the sum of thirty two, ^{dollars} and forty cents when
 being deducted from the assets in hand leav-
 ing said Guardian chargeable to his said wards
 in the sum of five hundred and twenty four
 Dollars and sixty nine cents which he
 surrenders to William Ferguson a brother of
 the said Wards, and asks to be released as
 Guardian, and that some other persons to a
 pointed Guardian to said wards
 all of which is respectfully submitted
 This 15th day of February 1839

W. J. and P. J. O.

(Ohio County Court Set April Term 1854
This Settlement of the Accounts
of Anthony Walston Guardian &c was at this
Term of said Court approved and ordered to
be recorded Attest R. Seth Moseley C. D.
By Jon Nalle C. C.

Anthony Walston

To the
Settlement

N. J. Simpson & Co

Wm. S. Brown & Co

1855

Wm. S. Brown & Co

Apr 24 1856

Attest
R. Seth Moseley

From -
Ohio Co. Hdq. Settlements

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-64
DOCUMENTATION

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HUSBAND	Samuel C FERGUSON-180
WIFE	Christina KITTINGER-181

Yr of Birth 1802
Yr of Birth 1808

Samuellen (Samuella) Ferguson was born about 3 months after her father, Samuel C. Ferguson, died. Information on this family was taken from the Franklin Family Bible in the possession of a grand-daughter, Irene Franklin (now deceased) in Central City, Ky. She was married to William T. Franklin of Muhlenberg County, Ky.

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DOCUMENTATION

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HUSBAND Samuel C FERGUSON-180 Yr of Birth 1802
WIFE Christina KITTINGER-181 Yr of Birth 1808

wills of William & Rudolph Kittinger. Also Ohio Co Ky Deeds.

CHILD 1 - Mary E FERGUSON-183

No information found at this time other than the marriage of
Mary E. Ferguson to Bedford Phelps 16 Oct 1851, Ohio Co Ky.

CHILD 2 - William Thomas FERGUSON-162

William Thomas and wife Mary E. Gish Ferguson owned farm land in Ohio
Co. Ky in 1858. They later moved to McLean Co., Ky and owned both farm-
land and town lots in and near Island, Ky. Also reserved 3/4 of an acre
of one town lot as a graveyard, now (1992) known as the Methodist Church
Cemetery in Island, Ky. (Ref. Estate papers in Equity File Box E 440, and
Deed Book U pg 99 McLean Co. Ky.) W.T. Ferguson purchased his first land
in McLean Co., Ky., 14 Feb 1870 from Samuel Crumbaker and wife, Nancy
(wid) Gish Crumbaker (mother of Mary E. Gish Ferguson) Deed Book E pg 479
McLean County Ky.

He remained in Island, Ky until his death in 1907. He and his wife are
buried in the Island Methodist Church Cemetery.

The 1900 census of McLean County, Mag. Dist. 6, Island, Ky., Micro page
6B family 122 shows above family with William Thomas Ferguson m. 43 years
Mary E. (his wife) mother of 14 children with 9 living.

Information for this family obtained from: Marriage records of McLean, Ohio
and Muhlenberg counties, Ky. and Robertson Co., Tenn.- Records of Alice
Ferguson (now deceased) 1850 Ohio Co Ky Census and 1900 Census of McLean Co
Ky. Gish family Cemetery on the Ferguson farm in Island, Ky., Ohio and
McLean County Ky cemetery records and papers of Alden Ferguson of
Owensboro, Ky.

CHILD 3 - Laura E FERGUSON-185

CHILD 4 - Nancy J FERGUSON-187

Nancy J. Ferguson was never married. She is buried near her father
in the Kittinger family graveyard in Muhlenberg Co Ky and has a small
stone marking her grave.

CHILD 5 - Sarah (Sally) A FERGUSON-188

Sarah A. Ferguson (on her marriage license) first married William
Fentress of Ohio County, 30 Mar 1868. The 1880 Ohio Co Census lists
her as a widow, therefore he died before 1880. She next married
David Miller of Beaver Dam, Ky- marriage date unknown.

After her second marriage, she was always known as "Aunt Sally Miller"
and family tradition is that she gave the name Miller to her nephew's
son Paul Miller Ferguson.

Other marriages:

DAVID MILLER-190

CHILD 6 - Samuellen FERGUSON-191

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DOCUMENTATION

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HUSBAND Samuel C FERGUSON-180
WIFE Christina KITTINGER-181

Yr of Birth 1802
Yr of Birth 1808

HUSBAND - Samuel C FERGUSON-180

Samuel C. and wife Christina (Kittinger) Ferguson, were married in Muhlenberg Co. Ky and later moved to Ohio Co. Ky where their children were born. He was a farmer in Ohio Co. He died suddenly at age 43 while in Muhlenberg County and acting as Administrator of the estate of his father-in-law, William Kittinger. Samuel C. Ferguson died intestate. His estate settlement is filed in Settlement Box #327 in Ohio Co. Ky. He and his unmarried daughter, Nancy J., are buried in the Kittinger family grveyard in Muhlenberg County Kentucky.

It is known that the Ferguson family came to America from Scotland and many variations in spelling of surname have been found. At this time, parents and siblings of Samuel C. Ferguson have not been found. (1992)

It is believed that he is a son of Joseph Ferguson of Washington Co., Ky from which Marion Co., Ky was created in 1834 at the time Joseph died. The Marion Co., Ky Court House was burned in 1863 by Thomas Hunt Morgan and all records were destroyed. Research has been done in both Washington and Marion Counties, Ky., but the only clue so far is that daughters of Joseph and Elizabeth married Walstons, Raley (Raleigh), and Reed (Reid) and Samuel C. Ferguson was bondsman or surety on the application for license. He was also Administrator for the estate of George Raley who married Nancy Ferguson.

April 1994--Upon a recent visit to the Kirtley-Kittinger Cemetery in Muhlenberg Co., Ky, Bruce Ferguson, great great grandson of Samuel C. Ferguson, cleaned and took photos of the gravestone of Samuel C. Ferguson and found that the date of birth was 1 Oct 1802. Through the years, the birth date has been read as 1809.

WIFE - Christina KITTINGER-181

Christina (Christenia) Kittinger Ferguson remarried in 1849 to Rolla Tichenor of Ohio County Kentucky, but only lived with him a short time. Marriage agreement is recorded in Deed Book N pg. 152 in Ohio Co. Ky. In the 1880 census of Ohio Co. Ky she was listed as age 72 and living with her widowed daughter, Sallie Ferguson Fentress. After the death of her husband, Sallie married David Miller of Beaver Dam, Ky.

In the vital statistics card file in the office of WCK:FRA, Owensboro, Ky, the following was found. "Christenia Tichenor d. last Friday night of pneumonia fever. Int. in graveyard near New Hope (Muhlenberg Co Ky) from Equality News-Nov 25. Published in the Hartford Herald, Wednesday 6 December 1882". It is believed that she is buried in an unmarked grave beside her husband in the Kittinger family graveyard where her parents are also buried in Muhlenberg Co. Ky. This graveyard is near New Hope mentioned above. According to the above listed dates, Christina must have died about 1 Dec 1882.

Ref. Ohio Co. 1850 & 1880 census, McLean Co 1870 census, Muhl. & McLean Co Cemeteries, Ohio Co estate & Gdn. records, Franklin family Bible and

HUSBAND Samuel C FERGUSON-180
 WIFE Christina KITTINGER-181

Yr of Birth 1802
 Yr of Birth 1808

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Sarah (Sally) A FERGUSON-188

--- BORN: 12 Jan 1842 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky

F CHR.: PLACE:

DIED: 15 Mar 1917 PLACE: Island,McLean Co,Ky

BUR.: PLACE: Island,McLean Co,Ky,Bapt Cem

SPOUSE: William FENTRESS-189

MARR: 30 Mar 1868 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky

has other marriages
 MRIN: 67

6. NAME: Samuellen FERGUSON-191

--- BORN: 1846 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky

F CHR.: PLACE:

DIED: 28 Nov 1871 PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky

BUR.: PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky

SPOUSE: William T FRANKLIN-192

MARR: 2 Mar 1861 PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky

MRIN: 69

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-64

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HUSBAND Samuel C FERGUSON-180

BORN: 1 Oct 1802 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: 29 Sep 1845 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 BUR.: PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky,Kittinger Cem
 MARR: 22 Sep 1831 PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky
 FATHER: Joseph FERGUSON-462
 MOTHER: Elizabeth MARPLES-463

PARENTS' MRIN: 191

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WIFE Christina KITTINGER-181

BORN: 1808 PLACE: ,,Va
 CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: Nov 1882 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 BUR.: PLACE:
 FATHER: William KITTINGER-373
 MOTHER: Mary FERGUSON-374

PARENTS' MRIN: 152

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CHILDREN

1. NAME: Mary E FERGUSON-183

---- BORN: 1833 PLACE:
 F CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:
 SPOUSE: Bedford PHELPS-184
 MARR: 16 Oct 1851 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky

MRIN: 65

2. NAME: William Thomas FERGUSON-162

---- BORN: 14 Nov 1834 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 M CHR.: PLACE: ,,Baptist
 DIED: 4 Sep 1907 PLACE: Island,McLean Co,Ky
 BUR.: PLACE: Island,McLean Co,Ky
 SPOUSE: Mary E GISH-165
 MARR: 5 Aug 1856 PLACE: Springfield,Robertson Co,Tenn

MRIN: 56

3. NAME: Laura E FERGUSON-185

---- BORN: 1838 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 F CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:
 SPOUSE: John M WOODWARD-186
 MARR: 5 Sep 1854 PLACE: ,Ohio Co

MRIN: 66

4. NAME: Nancy J FERGUSON-187

---- BORN: 20 Jun 1840 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 F CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: 29 Oct 1868 PLACE: ,Ohio Co,Ky
 BUR.: PLACE: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky,Kittinger Cem
 SPOUSE:
 MARR: PLACE:

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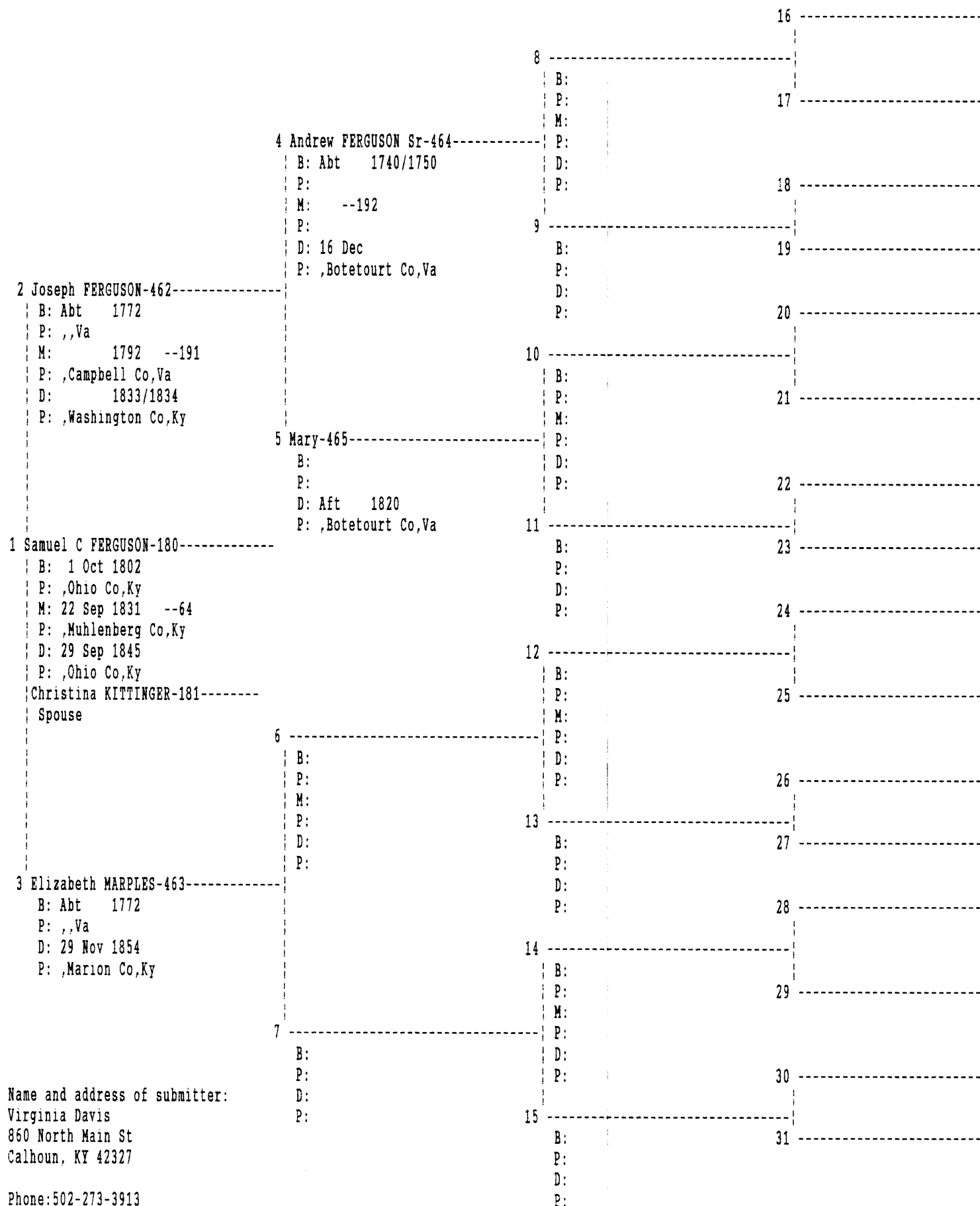
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PEDIGREE CHART

Chart No. 1



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			16 Samuel C FERGUSON-180-----
		8 William Thomas FERGUSON-162-----	
		B: 14 Nov 1834	
		P: ,Ohio Co,Ky	17 C KITTINGER-181-----
		M: 5 Aug 1856 --56	
		P: Springfield,R,Tenn	
		D: 4 Sep 1907	
		P: Island,McLean Co,Ky	18 John N GISH-195-----
	4 Samuel FERGUSON-159-----		
	B: 24 Sep 1868		
	P: ,Ohio Co,Ky		
	M: 20 Mar 1889 --54		
	P: ,McLean Co,Ky	9 Mary E GISH-165-----	
	D: 25 Jun 1940	B: 5 Feb 1841	19 Nancy OVERHULTZ-196-----
	P: Island,McLean Co,Ky	P: ,Muhlenberg Co,Ky	
		D: 24 Feb 1907	
		P: Island,McLean Co,Ky	20 Blancit SHACKLETT-88-----
2 William Clayton FERGUSON-5-----			
B: 24 Dec 1889			
P: Island,McLean Co,Ky			
M: 29 Jul 1909 --2			
P: Greenville,M,Ky			
D: 19 Dec 1961			
P: Owensboro,D,,ODCH Hos			
		10 Absalom Redmond SHACKLETT C-100--	
		B: 7 Dec 1826	
		P: ,Meade Co,Ky	21 Rachel ASHCRAFT-89-----
		M: 25 Jan 1849 --74	
		P: ,Meade Co,Ky	
		D: 27 Aug 1910	
		P: Island,McLean Co,Ky	22 George HUMPHREY-267-----
	5 Sophia Helen SHACKLETT-160-----		
	B: 24 Dec 1866		
	P: ,McLean Co,Ky		
	D: 6 Jul 1954		
	P: Owensboro,Daviness Co,Ky	11 Minerva JANE HUMPHREY-108-----	
		B: 26 Dec 1827	23 Barbara JENKINS-268-----
		P: ,Meade Co,Ky	
		D: 25 Jan 1883	
		P: Island,McLean Co,Ky	24 -----
1 Virginia Clay FERGUSON-1-----			
B: 29 Mar 1912			
P: Island,McLean Co,Ky			
M: 6 Sep 1937 --1			
P: Leitchfield,Grayson Co,Ky			
D:			
P:			
Wendell DAVIS-2-----			
Spouse			
		12 Isiah (Isaac) M.P. STEWART-282---	
		B: 11 Jan 1829	
		P: Jonesboro,W,Tenn.	25 -----
		M: 27 Jan 1850 --108	
		P: Dandridge,Jeff Co,Tenn	
		D: 3 Nov 1910	
		P: Madisonville,Hopkins Co,Ky	26 -----
	6 William Sherman STEWART-8-----		
	B: 29 Jun 1866		
	P: ,Hopkins Co,Ky		
	M: 25 Dec 1887 --3		
	P: ,Hopkins Co,Ky	13 Orlena EUDALEY-283-----	
	D: 5 Jun 1920	B: 20 May 1833	27 -----
	P: Mortons Gap,Hopkins Co,Ky	P: ,Jeff Co,Tenn	
		D: 20 Nov 1921	
		P: Madisonville,Hopkins Co,Ky	28 Alfred JONES-28-----
		14 Henry Thomas JONES-15-----	
		B: 9 Mar 1840	
		P: ,Bedford Co,Tenn	29 Edy (Eady) PARRISH-29-----
		M: 8 Feb 1866 --4	
		P: ,Carroll Co,Tenn	
		D: 14 Apr 1912	
		P: Mortons Gap,Hopkins Co,Ky	30 -----
	7 Lou Ella JONES Twin-9-----		
	B: 24 Dec 1866		
	P: Buena Vista,Carroll Co		
	D: 16 Feb 1943		
	P: Island,McLean Co,Ky	15 Mary Hester KING (wid. Moore)-16-	
		B: 20 Aug 1839	31 -----
		P: ,Carroll Co,Tenn	
		D: 9 Apr 1923	
		P: ,Hopkins Co,Ky	

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June 28, 1995

Dear Virginia,

Nothing had been added to the Ferguson family file since your daughter's group sheet on the family. I did a quick check on cemeteries, death abstracts, wills, land deed and miscellaneous information available at our library without success. On the family group sheet that you sent on Joseph Ferguson my hunch is that the family lived in and around Pleasant Run in the eastern end of now Marion Co. Eleanor Sandusky, (I haven't checked) is probably going to be daughter of one of the early Sanduskys (Sowdoski) that settled @ 1780's in this area. James (John) Reid (Reed) is going to be some kin probably to the Washington County court clerk of the early 1800's. William Walston may be a brother to Obediah or Anthony Walston. As you can see I'm guessing at a lot and will try to follow up on these theories but it may take me awhile. I'll not do more than \$20 in research before I let you know something. In the meantime, if you do not object I will put your information in the next quarterly (no cost) to see if any of our readers have any information that might be of help to you.

Sincerely,

Mary Ella Glasscock

*Henry + Annella
p10
B. Lynch
d. 1854 - Nov 29
age 82*

*Wm + Joseph Walston
married Ferguson*

June 26, 1995

Marion County Historical Society
201 East Main Street
Lebanon, KY 40033

Attn: Editor
Mary Ella Glasscock

Dear Editor:

For several years I have been trying to find the parents and siblings of my G G Grandfather Samuel C. Ferguson believed to have been born in or came into as a child in that part of Washington County which later became Marion County, Kentucky.

My E. Lytle
The Joseph Ferguson family has been recorded but not proven at this time as being a possible connection. (see notes in the print out of the Ferguson family enclosed.)

Our lead to Washington and Marion County came through a Guardian Settlement recorded in Ohio County by Anthony Walston, Guardian. (see copy enclosed) In Washington County Marriages of daughters of Joseph Ferguson, were found to have Samuel C. Ferguson as surety or Bondsman. Tax records of both counties have been checked.

If you or your organization (of which I am a member) could help us it would be most appreciated. Research fees will be paid.

Yours truly,

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P.S. My daughter left a family group sheet of Joseph Ferguson Family for your information last time she visited your Library.

Enc: My Pedigree Chart and Samuel C. Ferguson and Family with notes which you may use if it will help someone else.

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*(School teacher
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FAMILY GROUP NO.

Husband's Full Name

JOSEPH FERGUSON

This Information Obtained From:

CAMPBELL Co. VA MARRIAGES

Birth Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
ca. 1772		UNKNOWN		VIRGINIA	

WASHINGTON Co. Ky TAX LISTS + MARR. RECORDS

Marr.	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
1792		CAMPBELL Co., VA			

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Will probated	24 FEB 1834		WASHINGTON Co. Ky		

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WASHINGTON Co. Ky WILL BOOK

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	29 NOV 1854	MARION COUNTY, Ky			Age 82

Compiler BRUCE FERGUSON
Address 1805 LEWIS LANE
City, State OWENSEBORO, KY
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Places of Residence	Occupation	Church Affiliation	Military Rec.
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Wife's Full Maiden Name

ELIZABETH MARPLES

Other wives, if any. No. (1-12) etc. Make separate sheet for each marr.	His Father	Mother's Maiden Name
	ANDREW FERGUSON	UNK

Sex	Children's Names & Full Birth Dates in order of birth	Birth Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Child
M	1 JOHN FERGUSON	Birth	1793-1797	Probably, in VA			
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	14 FEB 1824	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	SALLY RAMSEY	Death	?				
M	2 THOMAS A. FERGUSON	Birth	1793-1797	Probably, in VA			
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	20 AUG 1825	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	JEMIMA PEAKE	Death	?				
F	3 MARY (POLLY) FERGUSON	Birth	1798-1799	in VIRGINIA			
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	26 OCT 1818	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	WILLIAM WALSTON	Death					
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 CENSUS of MARION Co, Ky			
F	4 NANCY FERGUSON	Birth	ca 1800				
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	27 MAY 1822	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	GEORGE RALEIGH	Death	?				
M	5 WILLIAM FERGUSON	Birth	1800-1805	Probably	WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	14 SEP 1826	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	ELEANOR SANDUSKY	Death	?				
M	6 SAMUEL C. FERGUSON	Birth	1808-1809	Probably	WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	22 SEP 1831	MULLENBERG Co, Ky			
	CHRISTINA KITTINGER	Death	29 SEP 1845				
		Burial	KITTINGER CEMETERY	MULLENBERG Co, Ky			
F	7 JANE FERGUSON	Birth	1808		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	30 MAY 1825	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	JOSEPH WALSTON	Death					
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 CENSUS of MARION Co, Ky			
F	8 MARGARET B. FERGUSON	Birth	ca 1813		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	24 OCT 1824	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	JAMES (JOHN) REID (REED)	Death		Moved to Ohio Co. W. Va.			
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 CENSUS of MARION Co, Ky			
F	9 ELIZABETH FERGUSON	Birth	ca 1813		WASHINGTON Co, Ky		
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	3 JUL 1832	WASHINGTON Co, Ky			
	DAVID ROLLINS	Death					
		Burial	ALIVE IN	1850 MARION Co, Ky CENSUS			
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	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.					
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The Tory pickets fired and fell back into camp. Although his troops were in the greatest disorder, Boyd pulled them together and put up a fight that lasted nearly an hour, according to Ward, and nearly two hours, according to Lossing. The Tories were finally routed with a loss of 40 killed (according to most authorities; Lossing says 70) and 70 captured. Boyd died of wounds that night. The attackers lost nine killed and 23 wounded; according

Lossing the latter were mortally wounded. The Tory prisoners were all convicted of high treason ("war crimes" is the more sophisticated modern counterpart). Five were hanged, the remainder were pardoned.

Boyd's strength in this action is generally given as 700; Ward says 300 of these reached Augusta to join Campbell. Pickens' strength is generally given as about 300. His victory prevented any serious rallying of Tories in the South for a long time and it also encouraged patriot militia to flock into Lincoln's camp at Purysburg, leading the latter to undertake his counteroffensive to liberate Ga. The victory opened up the back country and was a factor in Campbell's evacuation of Augusta. (See "Lincoln's Campaigns" under SOUTHERN THEATER, Mil. Opns.)

As for the conflicting accounts of Lossing and Ward mentioned earlier, it is most likely that Lossing's sources confused this action of Anderson with the Battle of Kettle Creek; otherwise, it is hard to explain why other accounts fail to mention an engagement in which the losses were as high as at Kettle Creek. This theory is supported by the fact that Heitman's list of battles shows both Cherokee Ford, S.C., and Kettle

*Some writers have stated erroneously that this was not Elijah Clarke but Thomas CLARK.

Creek, Ga., on 14 Feb. (Heitman, 681; A.A., 414). Strait's list of battles shows: "Cherokee Ford, or Kettle Creek, S.C." [sic]. Carr's Fort, 10 Feb., is the only other action listed by Heitman (and A.A.) during the period 10-14 Feb. in this area.

KICHLIN. See KACHLEIN.

KING GEORGE'S WAR, 1744-45. Mentioned under COLONIAL WARS, this was the American phase of the War of the AUSTRIAN SUCCESSION (1740-48).

KING WILLIAM'S WAR (1689-97). See COLONIAL WARS.

KING'S AMERICAN REGIMENT OF FOOT. See FANNING'S REGT.

KINGS BRIDGE, N.Y. The point at which the Post Road crossed Spuyten Duyvil Creek—which separates Manhattan from the Bronx—Kings Bridge was strategically important in the N.Y. Campaign and subsequently in the British defense of N.Y.C. It was an objective of American forces under Maj. Gen. Lincoln in the Operations against Manhattan at the start of the YORKTOWN CAMPAIGN, in July '81. The name is also variously spelled King's Bridge and Kingsbridge.

KINGS FERRY, N.Y. About 25 miles N. of N.Y.C. and half that distance S. of West Point, this Hudson River crossing was between Stony Point (on the W. bank) and Verplancks Point. It was strategically important as the southernmost crossing site that the Americans could safely use while the British held N.Y.C.

KINGS MOUNTAIN, S.C., 7 Oct. '80. After the fall of Charleston (12 May '80) Sir Henry Clinton appointed Maj. Patrick Ferguson of the 71st Highlanders Inspector of Militia in the Southern Provinces. Assisted by Maj. Geo. Hanger (until 6 Aug., when the latter took command of Tarleton's cavalry),

Ferguson raised about 4,000 Loyalist militia in the vicinity of Ninety-Six. As early as July Ferguson started pushing north to extend his operations. Meanwhile, the Tory leaders Morgan Bryan and John Moore had raised about 1,500 men in the Catawba District. About the same time Thomas ("Gamecock") Sumter was starting his partisan operations, and Col. Chas. McDowell, who commanded N.C. rebel militia, was calling for assistance from the "OVER MOUNTAIN MEN" across the Blue Ridge Mountains. Between 20 June and the Battle of Kings Mountain, 7 Oct., a number of raids and skirmishes took place in the region between the Catawba and Ninety-Six. The principal ones are mentioned under Mil. Opns. in the SOUTHERN THEATER, and only those connected with activities leading to the Battle of Kings Mountain will be mentioned here.

Chas. McDowell was what the historian Fisher calls "a rather inactive partisan leader," but he was joined by a couple of the other kind. Col. Isaac Shelby arrived with some 600 "over mountain men," and Col. Elijah Clarke was in the area with a force of Ga. and Carolina militia. Shelby captured THICKETTY FORT, S.C., 30 July. In two minor engagements around Wofford's Iron Works (Cedar Springs), 8 Aug. (also referred to as Old Iron Works), Clarke and Shelby gained no advantage, but they gave the Tories a good licking at MUSGROVE'S MILL, 18 Aug. They were considering an attack against Ninety-Six, about 30 miles away, when news of Gates's defeat at Camden, 16 Aug., prompted them to beat a hasty retreat. Ferguson got as close as 30 minutes behind them as they headed for Gilbert Town, but he was stopped by a message calling him to Camden. At British headquarters Ferguson was told by Cornwallis of the forthcoming invasion of N.C.

Cornwallis planned to lead the main portion of his field army from Camden north to Charlotte and Salisbury, an axis along which the strongest rebel resistance was expected. Around Cross Creek (now Fayetteville) on the Cape Fear River, over 100 miles east of Charlotte, strong Loyalist concentrations were located. West of the Catawba, in what was then Tryon county, N.C., there also were strong Loyalist elements. By this strategic penetration with his main force Cornwallis expected to link up the two Loyalist sections and then establish control over the rest of N.C. (Fisher, *Struggle*, II, 346, citing Stedman).

Ferguson had previously penetrated as far as Gilbert Town and maintained that he had sufficient Loyalist support in this region to control it. Cornwallis therefore authorized him to move with an independent force into this area, but he had misgivings which he expressed as follows in a letter to Clinton:

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On 8 Sept. Cornwallis marched north with his main body east of the Wateree, and with Tarleton's Legion, reinforced by one gun and a body of light infantry on the other side. At WAHAB'S PLANTATION, N.C., 21 Sept., Col. Wm. Davie surprised and defeated this flanking force and then dropped back to contest Cornwallis' capture of CHARLOTTE, 26 Sept. The army then stopped to wait for Ferguson to join them from the west.

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The Rev. Samuel Doak told the gathering the story of Gideon's uprising against the Midianites and, although it turned out to be a bit long for the occasion, suggested as a battle cry, "The sword of the Lord and of Gideon."

On 26 Sept. this impromptu army left Sycamore Shoals, the next day they plowed through deep snow on the crest of the mountains, and on the 30th they reached McDowell's plantation at Quaker Meadow (near modern Morgantown, N.C.), where Charles McDowell's 160 Burke Co. militia were assembling. While taking a day's rest after this 90-mile march they were joined by Col. Benj. Cleveland and Maj. Joseph Winston, who brought 350 N.C. militia from the upper Yadkin (Wilkes and Surry counties of N.C.). They also learned that Col. James Williams was raising forces to join them farther south. As they continued toward Gilbert Town, where Ferguson was reported still to be located, on 1 Oct. the expedition leaders sent Chas. McDowell to ask Gates in Hillsboro that Daniel Morgan or Wm. Davidson be assigned to command them. Meanwhile, having gotten their senior militia officer off the scene, on 2 Oct. they elected Wm. Campbell temporary commander of the combined forces. Maj. Joseph McDowell assumed command of his brother's regiment.

FERGUSON RETREATS

On 27 Sept. Ferguson started withdrawing south, having learned through agents of the rebels' approach and also having received a message two days earlier from Lt. Col. John Cruger, British commander at Ninety-Six, that Elijah Clarke's forces might be heading north from Augusta to reinforce the

other rebel expedition. On Green River, 30 Sept., Ferguson was joined by James Crawford and Samuel Chambers, who had deserted the patriots on the 27th; from them he got further information about the expedition, and he sent urgent requests to Cornwallis and Cruger for reinforcements. On 1 Oct. the British turned east toward Charlotte with a view to deceiving the rebels, who would expect them to continue south toward Ninety-Six. From Tate's Plantation on Buffalo Creek, 10 miles west of Kings Mountain, Ferguson wrote Cornwallis on 5 Oct.:

"I am on my march towards you, by a road leading from Cherokee Ford, north of Kings Mountain. Three or four hundred good soldiers, part dragoons, would finish this business. [Something] must be done soon. This is their last push in this quarter and they are extremely desolate and [c]owed."

Ferguson obviously was not particularly worried, because he had marched only four miles on 2 Oct., having decided there was no chance of cutting off Clarke. On the 6th, he wrote Cornwallis that he had stopped his retreat and was making a stand. "I arrived to day at Kings Mountain," his message said, "& have taken a post where I do not think I can be forced by a stronger enemy than that against us." What he did not know when he made this decision was that the British could send him no support. Cruger had written that he did not have enough men to garrison Ninety-Six properly, much less to send him reinforcements. Tarleton had been desperately ill with malaria the past two weeks; after leading the Legion into Charlotte, his second in command, Hanger, succumbed to the same disease; and now Cornwallis was incapacitated by a "feverish cold." On 6 Oct., therefore, Cornwallis answered Ferguson's message of the preceding

day: "Tarleton shall pass at some of the upper Fords, and clear the Country; for the present both he and his Corps want a few days rest."

The patriot army entered Gilbert Town on 3 Oct. and, fooled by Ferguson's change of direction, they lost his trail at Denard's Ford on the Broad River. The night of the 4th they camped at this place, where the enemy had been three nights before. On the 5th the rebels camped 12 miles farther south, at Alexander's Ford on Green River, where Ferguson had stopped five nights earlier. The next day they picked up the scent, however, and marched 21 miles to the Cowpens. (See COWPENS for description of place and origin of name.) Col. James Williams had started raising militia from both the Carolinas about 23 Sept., and he joined the expedition at Cowpens with about 400 men; his subordinate leaders were Wm. Hill, Edw. Lacey, James Hawthorne, Fred. Hambright, Wm. Chronicle, and Wm. Graham. Fisher says one reason Ferguson's change of route deceived the rebels was because "some of the South Carolina patriots under Williams . . . wanted Campbell's army to keep on southward, abandon their enterprise against Ferguson and attack Ninety-Six so as to help the patriots in that region protect their property from the loyalists." (*Struggle*, II, 352)

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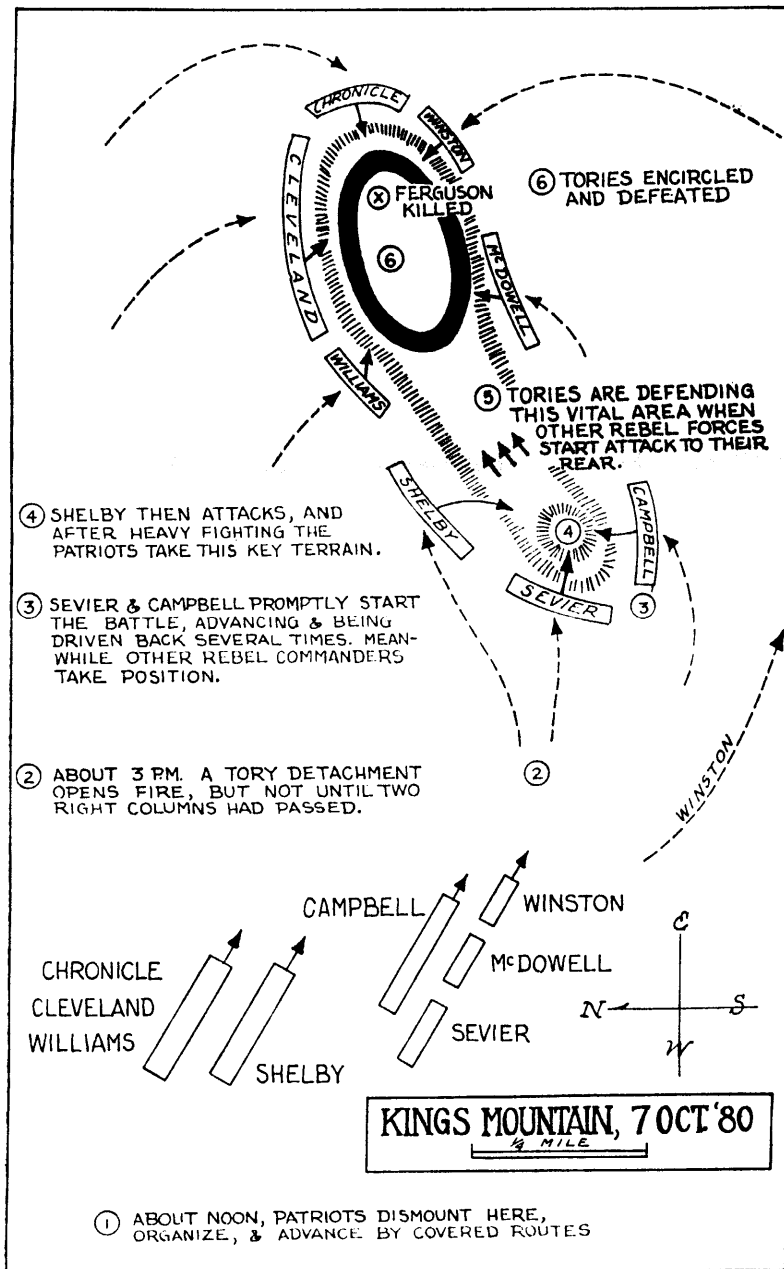
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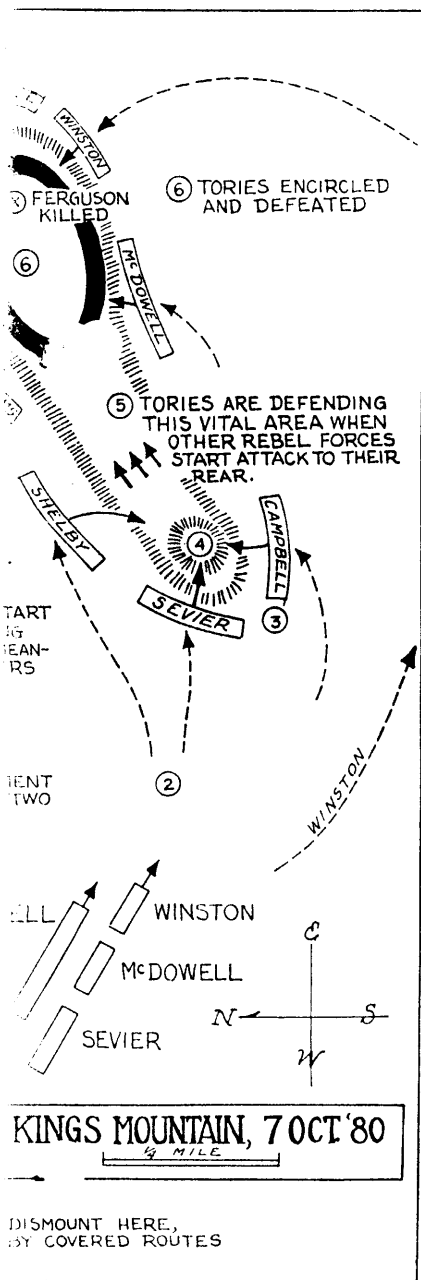
The rebels had followed Ferguson's route to the vicinity of Tate's Plantation near Buffalo Creek. Expecting to find enemy outposts to detect or contest their crossing of the Broad River, they detoured south to Cherokee Ford about two and a half miles below Tate's. They then followed the Ridge Road past present-day Antioch Church, thence north to a point on the modern state boundary some four miles W.N.W. of Kings Mountain, and then toward their objective. (N.P.S., *Kings Mtn.*, 18-19) About a mile away they halted, hitched their horses, broke up into four columns, and moved toward the assigned positions around the ridge. The approach was so skilfully conducted, and Ferguson's security measures so lax, that Shelby's command was within a quarter of a mile of the ridge when the first shots were fired by the Tories. Ferguson was completely surprised.

Shelby did not let his men return the enemy's fire until they had worked their way well up the slope. Campbell, meanwhile, was closing in from the opposite side, and the other forces were also moving, Indian fashion, into position. (See map) The weakness of Ferguson's planning now became apparent: the trees, boulders, and ravines on the slopes did not constitute an obstacle to the attackers but furnished ideal terrain for their infiltration tactics. But the man who had devoted so much effort to introducing the rifle into the British Army—who had invented the first true military rifle, and who was possibly the best marksman in the Army—this man, Ferguson, made another



strange error: he decided to defend Kings Mountain with the bayonet! First he sent his men in a bayonet charge against Shelby, who gave ground but whose over-mountain men thinned the Tory ranks as they fell back. Meanwhile, Campbell's Virginians made their way up the opposite side of the ridge and attacked. "Here they are, boys!" shouted their rugged giant of a leader. "Shout like hell and fight like devils." The air was shattered by human sounds that may well have been ancestor to the Confederate Yell (Fisher, *op. cit.*, 354); and it was also shattered by the inhuman sounds from hunting rifles with such pet names as "Sweet Lips" (see below). The Tories charged the Virginians, but they too dropped back, firing, and Sevier's men reached the crest. Soon the Tories were being pushed back from the "heel" and across the "arch" by the combined forces of Shelby, Campbell, and Sevier; and they were being pushed back toward the other rebel forces. Ferguson galloped from one threatened point to the next, signaling with his silver whistle, rallying his beleaguered Tories, and cutting down white flags that started to appear. By the time the defenders had been driven back to their camp area, where Ferguson hoped to make a successful stand, they found themselves in the open surrounded by riflemen who were almost within pistol range. When Ferguson suddenly tried to break through the rebel lines with a few officers he was shot from the saddle. A certain Robert Young claimed that his "Sweet Lips" killed Ferguson, but there were seven other bullets in the dying chieftain. Capt. Abraham DE PEYSTER took command of the hopeless situation. From the disorganized mass huddled around the wagons there came shots from those who tried to fight back and white flags from those who tried to sur-

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render. De Peyster finally put up a flag, and with great difficulty Shelby and Campbell stopped the rebel firing. As in other "massacres" (HAW RIVER, PAOLI, and WAXHAW, for example), it is hard to determine where the battle ended and the butchery began. The "Official Report" says demurely that after de Peyster's flag went up, "Our fire immediately ceased, and the enemy laid down their arms, the greatest part of them loaded. . . ." (*Op. cit.*) Fisher says that either the surrendered men or some returning foragers fired a shot that mortally wounded Col. James Williams, and that Campbell then ordered the riflemen around him to shoot into the prisoners; a young officer is quoted as saying, "We killed near a hundred of them and hardly could be restrained from killing the whole." (*Op. cit.*, 357) Unquestionably, atrocities were committed by the rebels, but the most balanced version, between the two extremes mentioned above, appears to be the following explanation by Shelby:

"It was some time before a complete cessation of the firing on our part could be effected. Our men who had been scattered in the battle were continually coming up and continued to fire, without comprehending in the heat of the moment what had happened; and some who had heard that at Buford's defeat [WAXHAW], the British had refused quarters . . . were willing to follow that bad example." (Quoted in S. & R., 419)

The action had lasted about an hour. On Sunday, 8 Oct., the victors left their camp on the battlefield and headed for Gilbert Town. Here 30 prisoners were convicted by a sort of early-day war crimes court, 12 were condemned to death, and nine were actually hanged. The other prisoners were entrusted to Cleveland's command and marched to

Hillsboro. The rest of the militia army broke up and went home.

NUMBERS AND LOSSES

The rebels lost 28 killed and 64 wounded among the 900 who participated in the battle. The "British" lost 157 killed, 163 who were too badly wounded to be evacuated, and another 698 who were marched off as prisoners. (Because of inadequate facilities for handling them, all but 60 of these escaped from Hillsboro within a few months.) The casualty figures for Ferguson's command add up to 1,018; if accurate, these indicate that the 200 foragers are included. Clinton says the rebels captured 14,000 stand of arms (*Amer. Reb.*, 227); this must be a typographical error; Ward says 1,500 were taken.

Strength of the rebel force that assembled at the Cowpens the day before the battle is estimated at between 1,400 and 1,790. (Ward, 741; N.P.S., 16) According to the figures given throughout the above account, which are confirmed by the "Official Report," the total was 1,790.

COMMENT

Fisher comments that, "taken in all its details [the battle] is a most striking evidence of the military incapacity of both Cornwallis and Ferguson." (*Op. cit.*, 358) The C. in C. permitted Ferguson to undertake an expedition about which he had the mental reservations expressed in the letter to Clinton (above); that he then "should have failed to send him any reinforcements and allowed him to remain with less than a thousand men seventy miles away for nearly a month, seems like very gross carelessness" (*Ibid.*) Ferguson's errors were political, strategic, and tactical, which is about as wrong as a soldier can get: he overestimated the

Tory support and underestimated the patriot resistance in his area of responsibility; he failed to retreat when faced with defeat in detail; he failed to out-post Kings Mountain, failed to fortify it for frontier-style fighting, and failed to see that his position was "more assailable by the rifle than defensible with the bayonet," as Henry Lee expressed it. (*Memoirs*, 200)

For the Southern militia Kings Mountain was their greatest hour, just as Bennington was for the Northern militia. A large number of small units rallied quickly, achieved unity of command, and destroyed their enemy in a remarkably businesslike manner. One common denominator of militia victories was in evidence in this action: a considerable number of outstanding leaders; and the remarkable thing is how successfully they worked together. Ferguson's tactical situation was ideally suited to the methods of these frontiersmen, whose concentric attack eliminated problems of coordination that would have been present in a more conventional battle plan, yet it is remarkable that all the attacking units were able to get into their assigned positions and attack almost simultaneously—this achievement is a tribute to the militia leaders. Bravery is another quality exhibited by the patriots, who sustained about 10 per cent casualties; considering the Indian-fighting, open-order nature of this action, this is a very respectable casualty figure and indicates that they worked for their victory.

Results of Kings Mountain were far-reaching. Sir Henry Clinton called it "the first link of a chain of evils that followed each other in regular succession until they at last ended in the total loss of America." The battle was the turning point of the war in the South: it tipped the balance of Whig-Tory armed support in favor of the rebel

cause; it made Cornwallis withdraw into S.C. (Winnsboro) and delayed his offensive three months (see comment on RAMSEUR'S MILL); it enabled Nathaniel Greene, immediately upon assuming command of the Southern Army (3 Dec. '80) to seize the initiative and keep it until the successful conclusion of his SOUTHERN CAMPAIGNS.

Bibliography. The standard authority is Lyman C. Draper, *King's Mountain And Its Heroes* (Cincinnati, 1881; New York, 1929). The National Park Service historical handbook, *Kings Mountain* (Washington, 1955), by Geo. C. Mackenzie and Rogers W. Young, is a brief but complete coverage that presents a number of facts and interpretations at variance with the standard accounts of the operation.

KINGSTON (Esopus), N.Y. Burned by British on 16 Oct. '77 in a sequel to CLINTON'S EXPED. Although Gordon, Stedman, and many other writers give 13 Oct. for the date that Vaughan and Wallace burned the town on the Hudson then known as Esopus, Nickerson believes the correct date is the 16th. (*Turning Point*, 480)

KIP'S BAY, N.Y. 15 Sept. '76. The faulty troop dispositions on Manhattan Island and the events leading up to the American rout at Kip's Bay are described under N.Y. CAMPAIGN.

As dawn broke on Sunday, 15 Sept., the Conn. militia troops under Col. Wm Douglas at Kip's Bay (where today's 34th St. reaches the East River) could see five British warships lying 200 yards off shore. They had heard these arrive before dawn; when American sentinels had relayed the prescribed cry of "All is well," British sailors had shouted back, "We'll alter your tune before tomorrow night." (Narrative of a Cont'l. private, now identified as Joseph Plumb Martin, cited by C. & M., 463)

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~~FARMER, McCAULEY, SLAUGHTER, DOWLING, CLEVINGER - John Farmer was born abt 1793 in KY and died bef 1860 in KY or TX. He lived in Jefferson Co., KY until 1850 with his wife, Sarah. His children were: Sarah m. Arthur McCauley; John; Rowena m. Presley F. Slaughter; Louisa m. Thornton Dowling and Lucretia/Laura Jane m. T. Jefferson Clevenger. The children were all born in KY. Sarah, his widow, age 68, was listed in the household of T. Jefferson Clevenger on 1860 census in Fannin Co., TX. Who were John Farmer's parents? What was the maiden name of his wife? Would appreciate hearing from anyone researching this line.~~
Anna Bentley CLEVINGER, 1625 NW 27th St., Lawton, OK 73505-3946

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WIFE

Full Maiden Name Catherine AMYX

Residence VA KY

Date of Birth Dec. 14, 1801 Place VA

Date of Marriage _____ Place _____

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc.
 Make separate sheet for each mar.

Church Affiliation _____

Occupation _____ Place KY

Date of Death Dec. 10, 1840 Place _____

Date of Burial _____ Place _____

Her Father's Name _____
Mathew Amyx 1779-1840

Her Mother's Maiden Name _____

Add. info. on wife's name Faubush

Full Name John Branstetter

Residence VA KY

Date of Birth Apr 11, 5 1791 Place VA

Date of Marriage 1820 Place Jackson Co. TN

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc.
 Make separate sheet for each mar.

Church Affiliation _____

Occupation Farmer Military Rec. WAR 1812

Date of Death July 27, 1878 Place Barren Co. KY

Date of Burial _____ Place _____

His Father's Name Michael Branstetter 1757-1811

His Mother's Maiden Name Mary 2nd md Abraham Ritter

Add. info. on Husband 2nd md Ann, 25, 1848 Mrs. Elizabeth
(Betsy Tudor) Huffman who dtd April 29, 1872

CHILDREN	Birth Date			Where Born	State or County	Marriage Date			Death Date			Burial Data		Full Name of Spouse		
	Day	Month	Year			Town	County	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year		Town	County
1	Mathew	Amyx	15	3	22	Summer	shce	1	4	5	1	11	04	Metc.	KY	Nancy A Huffman
2	Louisa	Jane	4	1	24						10	4	9	Metc.	KY	Joseph Ferguson
3	Michael	Preston	22	7	25	"	"	12	10	52	15	8	09	"	"	Mary A Smith
4	Elizabeth	Mary	23	7	28	"	"	19	11	46	23	2	92	"	"	James G Lemon
5	Madison	Johnson	16	5	30	Barren					15	10	55			single
6	Priscilla	Lucy	18	12	33	"	"				2	3	38			Mrs. Mary G (Pritsenberg)
7	John	Levi's	12	11	37	"	"	24	2	80	14	3	29			single
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COUNTY ANDERSON

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HUSBAND

Full Name William Engle Bowyer

Residence Anderson County, Ky.

Date of Birth 8 August 1819 Place Franklin County, Ky.

Date of Marriage 13 July 1846 Place Anderson County, Ky.

Other wives, if any, No. (1) (2) etc.
Make separate sheet for each mar.

Church Affiliation

Occupation Farmer Military Rec.

Date of Death 7 February 1887 Place

Date of Burial Place

His Father's Name Henry Bowyer

His Mother's Maiden Name Rebecca Bennett

Add. Info. on Husband

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

WIFE

Full Maiden Name Sarah Ann Tinsley

Residence Anderson County, Ky.

Date of Birth 8 June 1824 Place

Date of Marriage 13 July 1846 Place Anderson County, Ky.

Other husbands, if any No. (1) (2) etc.
Make separate sheet for each mar.

Church Affiliation

Occupation Housewife

Date of Death 4 February 1847 Place

Date of Burial Place

Her Father's Name Archibald Tinsley

Her Mother's Maiden Name Mary

Add. Info. on Wife

	CHILDREN			Where Born		Marriage Data		Death Data		Burial Data		State or Country		Full Name of Spouse
	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	
1	Sarah Elizabeth	22	Jan	1847	Anderson	Ky.	27	Apr	1912	Shelby	Ky.			Joseph Hammond
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 SOURCE OF INFORMATION Court Barren Co., Ky.
 Census records
 Wythe Co., Va. Records

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HUSBAND

Full Name Michael Branstetter
 Residence Germany (PA or MD) VA KY
 Date of Birth 26 April 1759 Place Froschen, Germany
 Date of Marriage _____ Place _____
 Occupation _____ Military Rec. _____
 Date of Death _____ 1811 Place Barren Co., Ky.
 Date of Burial _____ Place _____
 His Father's Name John Frederick Branstetter
 His Mother's Maiden Name Anna Barbara Mag
 Add. Info. on Husband: _____

WIFE

Full Maiden Name Mary
 Residence VA KY
 Date of Birth _____ Place _____
 Date of Marriage _____ Place _____
 Occupation _____
 Date of Death _____ Place _____
 Date of Burial _____ Place _____
 Her Father's Name _____
 Her Mother's Maiden Name _____
 Add. Info. on Wife _____

CHILDREN	Date of Birth		Where Born Town County	State of Country	Marriage Data		Death Data		Burial Data Town County	State of Country	Full Name of Spouse
	Day	Month			Year	Day	Month	Year			
1	Barbara	03	06	84							Joseph Newland Rachel (Snaveley or Willi)
2	Adam	17	05	87							Mary K. Boatwright
3	Michael	05	07	89							Milly Anderson Mm. Champerlain Robert Barnette*
4	Frederick	05	04	01							Catherine Amyx
5	Mary Ann	05	07	89							John Snavelly
6	John	05	04	01							Elizabeth
7	Elizabeth										Elizabeth Craig
8	Peter										Peter Branstetter
9	Henry										Fredrick Branstetter
10	Catherine	25	03	01							
11	Susanna	18	11	02							

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*m. (3) Henry Owings 8 Jun 1845

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD

HUSBAND

Full Name Abijah Brooks
 Residence Clark County, Ky.

Date of Birth 12 August 1759 Place Massachusetts

Date of Marriage 1791 Place _____

Other wives, if any, No. (1) (2) etc.
 Make separate sheet for each mar.

Church Affiliation _____

Occupation _____ Military Rec. Private in (1776)
American Revolution

Date of Death 5 November 1812 Place Clark County, Ky.

Date of Burial _____ Place Clark County, Ky.

His Father's Name _____

His Mother's Maiden Name _____

Add. Info. on Husband _____

WIFE

Full Maiden Name Nancy Strode

Residence Clark County, Ky.

Date of Birth 2 May 1770 Place _____

Date of Marriage 1791 Place _____

Other husbands, if any No. (1) (2) etc. (2) Jacob Wilson 6 Nov 1816 (Bond)
 Make separate sheet for each mar.

Church Affiliation _____

Occupation _____

Date of Death 6 July 1855 Place Clark County, Ky.

Date of Burial _____ Place Clark County, Ky.

Her Father's Name John Strode, Sr.

Her Mother's Maiden Name Mary Boyle (Boils, Boyles)

Add. Info. on Wife _____

	CHILDREN			Where Born		State of		Marriage Data		Death Data		Burial Data		State of	Full Name of Spouse	
	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	County	County	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			Town
1	Betsy	18	Feb	1792				8	May	1823						?
2	Elizabeth	19	May	1793				9	Sep	1823						John Ecton
3	Thomas	25	Nov	1794												
4	William	14	Feb	1796												
5	Henrietta	12	Jun	1797												
6	Samuel	11	Jan	1798												
7	Mary	27	Aug	1800												
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 Above birth dates; Court Order Book 3, p.365 - Clark Co., Ky. (OVER)

Fergusson-Hackwrench family trees.

Hello.

This is how i placed all the main heroes born and death dates, and relations between them.

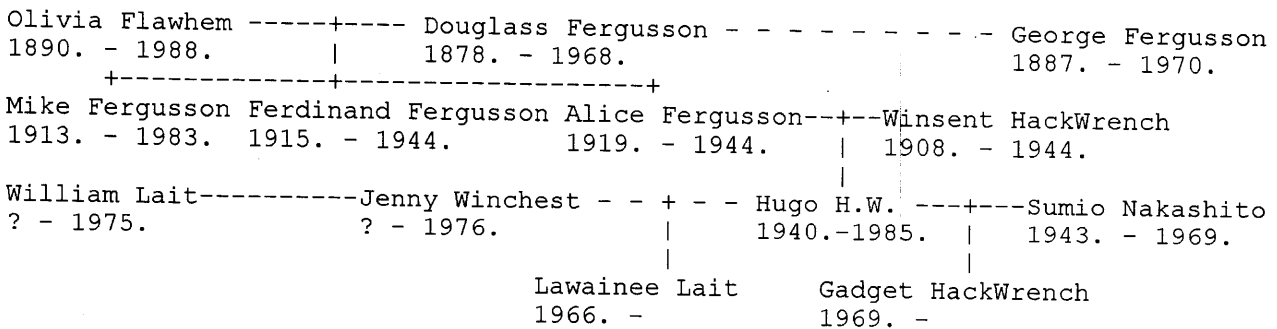
Info is based on some responses, i get from ranger-list members, and from show himself. What wasn't mentioned into show, is my pure fantasy and you can easily disagree with it :)

After some suggestions, and to make Monty parents into non-conflict with the others, i made all rangers and other sentient animals age at human rate.

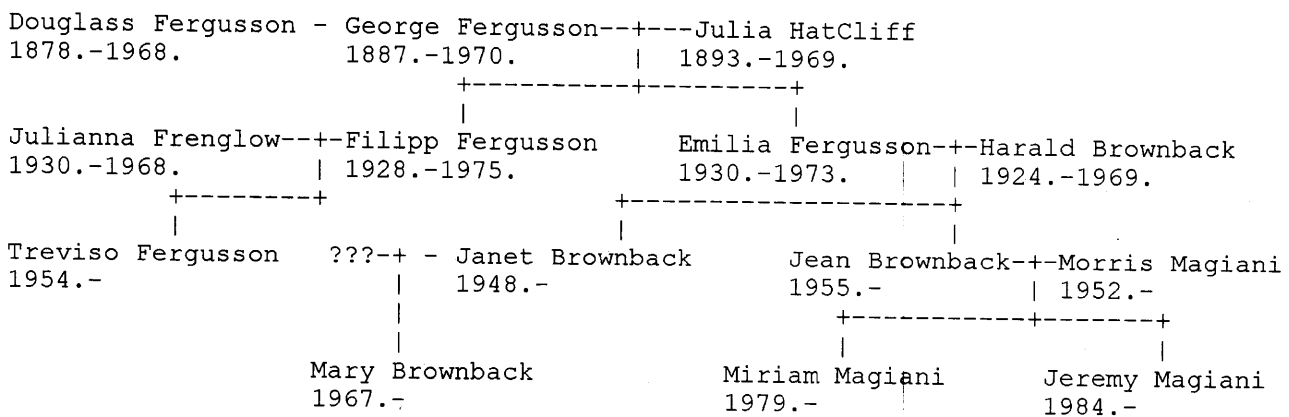
Note - For the reason of purists there are given full names of the people from story "Sisters". For those who cant deduct himself, there is explanations:

- 1) Jean Brownback into story is called "Gina". She get her name from her name-sister from "California clan". I found out exact syntax of writing it too late to start change it.
- 2) Trevizo Fergusson is the stamp collectionar Trifo. As you see from tree, he is straight men-to-men descendant from George Fergusson. Thus why he has so much inportance being so away from this world.
- 3) Janet Brownback had had some wery 'stormy' youth, remind from what is Mary. Remember Fransis saying - "Not you be one who will cast first stone."? I cant at moment say, who was Mary's father, but it get revealed later. Past always returns...
- 4) Magiani childrens will play some role later into story. Lets say, that they was at the burial of Olivia, but as good children (cries of denying!!!) they keep silent.

Family tree of descendants and their families from Douglass Fergusson.



Family tree of descendants and their families of George Fergusson.



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Josiah Ferguson

Born 1725 in perhaps Ireland

Died 1808 in Fayette County, Kentucky

Mother: ?

Father: ?

Married to: ?

Children: Thornton (Joshua), Judith, William, Mary, Jane, Thomas, Josiah, Elizabeth, Nancy, Catherine, Susannah, John

Sources:

GEDCOM of Laura Brown McKenzie

His relationship to me: great-great-great-great-great-great-grandfather



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William Ferguson

Born 11 August 1756 in Belfast, Ireland

Died 10 August 1839 in Grape Creek, Magoffin County, Kentucky

Mother: ?

Father: [Josiah Ferguson](#)

Married to: [Katherine Adkins Lemaster](#)

Children: Richard, Phebe, John, James, Jeneth, and [Alcy](#)

Sources:

GEDCOM of [Laura Brown McKenzie](#)

His relationship to me: great-great-great-great-great-grandfather



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