

Died 28 Jan. 1849 Where Liberty, Casey County, Kentucky

Will No will Buried Private Cemetery, Liberty, Kentucky

Disposed of property prior to death Sale 1853 at Liberty
Proved Where

Father William Bowman Mother Sarah, wife in will

Notes Came to Casey Co. ca 1805-1809; Sold land for the County Seat for \$500 and suggested its name, Liberty, 1808

Deed for 130 acres, north bank of Green River from Wm. Duvall dated, 21 Aug. 1807; Buckingham Co. Va. recorded at Liberty, Ky. 1808

Wife ELIZABETH ANN WILKERSON Date
called Betsey Res.

Born 17 Jul. 1779 Where Va.

Died 4 Jul. 1849 Where Liberty, Casey County, Kentucky

Will No will Buried Private Cemetery, with husband

Proved Where

Father James Wilkerson Mother No wife named in will at Liberty

will, 1818 at Liberty, Ky. names 10 children

KNOWN CHILDREN	B-BIRTH D-DEATH	MARRIED TO DATE AND PLACE OF RES.	B-BIRTH D-DEATH
1 Royal Marshall	b18 Nov. 1802 d27 Jan. 1891	Mary Alethaire Riney 6 Mar. 1828, Lebanon,	5 Jan. 1807 d18 Jun. 1893
2 Winston Res. Millerstown, 8 William Green	b1 May 1805 d23 Feb. 1892	Mary C. Fitzpatrick Liberty	b28 Oct. 1801 d6 Jan. 1896
4 Elizabeth Ann	b21 Apr. 1809 d13 Sept. 1887	Elizabeth Ann Moorman 8 Feb. 1834	b11 Jan. 1817 d9 Nov. 1897
5 All lived in Kentucky, except William G. Bowman, who removed with family of 9 children to Chariton Co. Mo. in 1857.	b10 Aug. 1812 d12 Mar. 1893	Dr. Robert Wilkinson 1832 New Haven	b18 May 1801 d9 Dec. 1870
6 Many Wilkinsons settled in Casey Co. Ky. also.	b		b
7 Lydia Bryant, born 1776 died 1846 is buried next to William and Elizabeth Ann Bowman. Could be	b		b
8	d		d
9 John, deceased in 1859, has 6 "unknown" children given a guardian	b		b

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I use these scratch pads because I get a good carbon copy from them. It was kind of you to write and I thank you for your courtesy.

I bought Mr Watkins' book on Casey Co. Ky. about 1940, and wrote to him. He told me the start of the "Bowman" tree" was mixed up, the brothers cited, being sons actually. He said the material had been supplied by Osborn Portman Bowman of Liberty, a grandson of the son, Winston. I corresponded with him and he corrected what I already had but I gained little new data.

Augusta Thomas, who compiled a book on the Pennsylvania Bowmans, put me in touch with Julius V. Bowman, of Louisville, a grandson of the son Royal

copies of pictures of the son
Wm Green Bowman and wife,
which he had, and letters of
theirs to the brother, Royal
marshall Bowman.

At any rate, I have put in
over thirty years of time
and I suspect considerable
money, trying to develop
this Liberty, Ky. Bowman
family of my husband's.
We have 10 grandchildren
three being Bowman sons,
and many Bowman cousins
and nephews, making this
quest worth while. By the
way Wm G Bowman lived at
Millerstown, Grayson Co. Ky. from
1834 to 1857 when he moved
to Chariton Co. Missouri.

I enclose a chart giving
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Margaret Frye's husband has worked at Liberty Ky for me this past year and has pretty well exhausted all records there, even circuit court papers - He still hasn't found any real settlement of the estate either W^m, or his wife, who both died in 1849 - The son, Winston, was the first judge starting under a new Kentucky constitution in 1850, so anything may have happened to such papers as a new office began.

This searching costs me \$3 an hour, so after \$200 was spent, and my husband died Feb 20, 1970, I have been too busy to continue.

If you have further data

copy of the 25 year Index to The Penna Dutchman - Folklife magazine, and requested some items on the Baumanns - Bowmans that I did not have.

one of these an 1872 article by J. Daniel Rupp, includes the name of Henry Bauman as one of the first settlers on the Duttoshilla Creek near the present site of Lebanon Pa.

also mentioned is Rev. Conrad Templeman as the Pastor of the Berg or Hill Church. This apparently is the same Rev. John Conrad Templeman Pastor of the muddy Creek Reformed Church that on Sept 8, 1732 baptized Susanna Bauman daughter of Henry and Catherine Bauman of Carl Zwop

Harry A. Diehl had previously reported the birth of Anna Marie (Mary) a daughter of Henry and Catherine Bauman on April 15, 1730 and her baptism on May 21, 1730 at the Cockeys Lutheran Church.

The Mennonite Research Journal on Wendel Bowman included as page 212/16 and 17 reported the settlement of three of his sons Jacob Christian and Peter on the banks of muddy Creek, Tubphocken Creek and the founding of Weaverland

items of information on Heinrich
or Henry and Catherine Bowman
but the above information would
be consistent with the Dec 10, 1740
grant of 238 A in Lebanon Twp
Lancaster Co.

Later records indicate that
when Henry Bowman was
naturalized in 1761 he still
owned the 238-(242 A) of land
in Lancaster Co. as well as some
144 A in Manheim, then York Co. Pa.

Since I will be 'out of town
for the next several weeks I
wished to pass along this new
information for any comments
you might have.

Sincerely
Austin Thoman