

Page or No.	Name	Age	Value of Property	Birthplace
9-65	DANIEL R. VARN	45	\$1,430.00	S. C.
	Margaret	40		S. C.
	G. V.	22		S. C.
	A. D.	20		S. C.
	Jane	17		S. C.
	Thomas	15		S. C.
	Susan	13		S. C.
	Jacob	11		S. C.
	Wesley	9		S. C.
	Mary	7		S. C.
Henry	5		S. C.	
13-66	H. D. VARN	50	\$5,250.00	S. C.
	Elizabeth Varn	43		S. C.
	Elizabeth R. Varn	37		S. C.
	Berry	15		S. C.
	Milca	12		S. C.
21-171	ISAAC VARN	40	\$6,575.00	S. C.
	Louisiana Varn	30		S. C.
	Robert A.	20		S. C.
	Ernest R.	19		S. C.
	Carson	18		S. C.
	John W.	17		S. C.
	Wiles A.	15		S. C.
	Curtis W.	13		S. C.
	Henry D.	11		S. C.
	Louisa F.	9		S. C.
	Lucina R.	8		S. C.
James C.	6		S. C.	
Aaron C.	3		S. C.	
George C.	3/12		S. C.	

U. S. CENSUS OF FLORIDA 1880
New River County, Florida 1880

9-66	ISAAC VARNES	60		S. C.
	Louise A. Varnes	45		Fla.
	Andrew A. V.	31		Fla.
	Isaac	18		Fla.
	Henry	16		Fla.
	John	12		Fla.
	Jacob	11		Fla.
	William	10		Fla.
28-268	GEORGE VARNES	53		S. C.
	Mary	45		Fla.
	Lucinda	18		Fla.
	William	16		Fla.
	Mary	14		Fla.
	Isaac	13		Fla.
	George	10		Fla.
	Aaron	8		Fla.
	Julia A.	6		Fla.
	M. rtha	4		Fla.
49-275	ASA VARNES	56		S. C.
	Ellen	40		Ga.
	Frances	4		Ga.
	Benjamin	2		Ga.
65-418	JACOB M. VARN	35		S. C.
	Vicy	22		Ga.
	Matilda	5		Fla.
	Henry	3		Fla.
Elizabeth	1		Fla.	

U. S. CENSUS RECORDS

COLLETON COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA 1890
(St. Bartholomew's Parish)

Page	Name	0	2	3	0	3	1	0
395	John Hise	0	2	0	2	0	3	1 0 1 0
395	Michael Hise	1	0	0	2	1	0	0 1 0 1
395	Jacob Hise	0	3	0	1	1	0	0 1 0 1 0
377	Phillip Byrne	1	0	0	1	0	0	0 1 0 0 1
387	John Lightly	2	0	1	1	1	0	0 1 1 1 1
387	David Lightly	2	3	1	0	2	1	1 0 0 1 1

COLLETON COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA 1810

636	Michael Myer	0	2	2	0	1	0	1 1 0 1
	Caldir Myer	0	1	0	0	0	0	0 1 0 1 0
	Achilles Rice	1	0	0	1	0	0	0 0 1 0 0
	Wm. Smith	4	0	1	0	1	0	0 0 1 0 0
	Wm. Smith	0	0	0	0	1	0	0 0 0 0 0
	Abraham Litsey	1	0	1	1	0	1	1 1 0 1 0

COLLETON COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA 1830
(St. Bartholomew's Parish)

	Charles Hiers	1	0	0	0	1	0	
	Aaron Varn	0	0	0	1	1	0	0 1 0 0 0 0 1
	John Lightsey	0	0	0	0	0	2	1 1 2 0 0 0 1
	George Lightsey	1	1	0	0	1	0	0 1 1 0 0 0
	Wm. Lightsey	0	1	0	0	0	1	0 1 1 0
	Sam'l Lightsey	1	1	0	0	1	0	0 1 1 1 0
	Wm'l Hiers	0	0	1	1	0	1	0 0 0 0 1
	Wm. Hiers	1	1	0	0	1	0	0 2 1 1 0
	Abra Hiers	1	0	0	1	0	1	0 1 1 1 0
	John Lightsey	0	0	0	1	0	1	0 1 1 3 1
	John Rice	0	0	0	0	1	0	0 1 1 1 1
	Wm. Barber*	1	1	0	0	1	0	0 0 0 1 0

*The Barbers, prominent attorneys of Waycross, descended from Wm. Barber and his wife, Anna Sarahannah Hiers, a daughter of Jacob Hiers.

COLLETON COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA 1850

	Varn, Aaron	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	Varn, Jacob	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1		
	Hiers, Michael	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
	Hiers, Abraham	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0		
	Hiers, Phillip	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
	Hiers, Wm.	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1		
	Lightsey, Wm.	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
	Lightsey, Stephen	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		
	Varn, William	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	Hiers, Charles	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
	Parker, Wm., Jr.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

DARRELL COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA 1860

	George Hiers	0	1	0	0			0	0	1
	Jacob Hiers	0	2	0	0	1		0	1	
	Richard Roberts	2	0	2	0	0		0	0	1 0 1
	James Sweet	1	1	0	1	0		0	1	1 0 2
	James Wasy	0	0	1	1	0		0	0	1 0 0
	John Lightsey	1	0	1	0	0		4	0	0 1 0
	David Lightsey	1	0	1	0	0		0	0	1 0 1

BERNELL COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA 1810

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321	Abraham Varn	1 0 1 0 0	0 0 1 0 0
321	John Lightsey	5 0 0 0 1	1 1 2 0 1
321	Christopher Hiers	0 0 3 0 1	3 2 1 0 1
321	George Hiers	0 0 0 1 0	1 1 0 0 0
322	David Hiers	0 0 2 0 0	0 0 1 0 0
322	John Varn	1 0 0 1 0	1 1 0 1 0
322	John Rice	2 0 0 1 0	1 1 0 0 1

BERNELL COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA 1820

George Varn	1 0 0 1 0 1	1 0 1 0 0 2
John Varn	1 0 0 1 0 1	0 0 0 0 1

BERNELL COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA 1830

Daniel Varn	2 0 0 0 1	0 2 0 0 1 0 1
Abraham Varn	0 0 0 1 0 1	0 0 0 0 0 0 1
George Varn	0 0 1 1 0 0 1	1 1 0 0 0 1
Frederic Varn	0 1 0 0 0 1	2 2 0 0 0 1
Christopher Hiers	0 1 1 1 0 1	1 3 1 0 0 1
George Hiers	0 2 1	1 4 0 0 0 1
Michael Hiers	0 0 1 0 0 0 1	0 0 1 1 0 0 1
Jacob Lightsey	0 0 0 0 1	0 0 0 1 1
John Rice	0 1 0 0 1 0 1	0 1 2 0 0 0 0 1
Stephen Hiers	3 1 0 0 0 1	0 0 0 0 0 1
Daniel Hiers	0 2 0 0 0 1	0 2 0 0 0 1

WALKER COUNTY, GEORGIA 1840

719th. Dist.	Benjamin Cornelius	1 0 1 0 0 1	2 1 1 0 0 1
"	John Rice	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1	(0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1)
"	Jacob Lightsey	1 0 1 0 1	1 2 0 0 0 1
524th.	Jacob Lightsey	1 1 0 1 0 1	1 0 0 0 1
"	John E. Sweat	1 0 0 0 1	0 0 0 0 1
"	William F. Sweat	0 0 0 0 1	1 0 0 0 1
"	Nathan Sweat	2 3 0 1 0 0 1	0 0 2 2 0 1
"	Samuel Sweat	2 0 0 0 1	1 3 1 0 1
"	William Sweat	1 2 0 2 0 0 0 1	1 2 1 1 0 1
"	James A. Sweat	1 0 0 0 1	2 1 2 0 1
"	Jonathan Knight	1 0 0 0 1	3 0 0 0 1
"	Williamby Whidden	2 1 0 0 0 1	1 2 1 0 0 1
"	Maxfield Whidden	2 0 0 0 0 1	1 1 0 0 0 1
"	James Whidden	0 0 0 0 1	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1
"	William H. Willingham	1 0 0 0 1	1 0 0 0 1

SONS OF JACOB VARN

The sons of Jacob Varn of the 1790 U. S. Census of South Carolina were probably:

No.	Name	Born according to U. S. Census	Probably born
1.	Benjamin Varn	Born 1765-1784	1769
2.	John Varn	" prior to 1775	1771
3.	George Varn	" prior to 1775	1773
4.	Jacob Varn	" 1770-1780	1775
5.	Frederick Varn	" 1774-1784	1778
6.	David Varn	" 1780-1790	1780
7.	John Varn	" 1780-1790	1781
8.	James Varn	" 1784-1794	1784
9.	Abraham Varn	" 1784-1794	1786

Benjamin Varn was over 16 years of age and had 1 female in his family (probably his wife) in the 1790 U. S. Census of South Carolina and he was probably 21 years of age when he married and he was therefore born about 1769. His father Jacob Varn of the 1790 U. S. Census of South Carolina was no doubt 21 years of age when Benjamin Varn was born and Jacob Varn was therefore born about 1748.

1850 United States Census of Hampton County, S. C.

107	Wiley	John	44	(1835)
"	"	Martha A.	40	
"	"	Thomas B.	0	
"	"	Frank B.	13	
"	"	Wm. S.	15	
"	"	Mary	13	
"	"	Jim. J.	15	
"	"	David	44	
"	"	Martha A.	5	
"	"	Wade Hampton	3	
"	"	Julia J.	7	
"	"	James J.	7	
118	Male	Wm. J.	55	(1815)
"	"	Mary J.	37	(1813)
"	"	Mary J.	12	
"	"	Par. G. B.	9	
"	Male	Indiana	30	
121	Male	Geo. G.	59	(1811) Probate Judge
"	"	George M.	55	
"	"	Marshall J.	29	
"	"	Sydney	13	
"	"	Ben F.	16	
"	"	Lilly B.	14	
"	"	Walter J.	14	
124	Wiley	Henry	50	(1829)
"	"	Martha B.	29	(2nd wife)
"	"	John Jr.	21	
"	"	James S.	13	
"	"	Mary B.	14	
"	"	Sara B.	11	
"	"	Ben J.	7	
"	James	Clara	11	(Grand daughter)
125	Wilmington	Wm. Edgar	70	(1816)
"	"	Maria C.	66	
"	"	Lavenia	18	
Wiley	H. Baker	19	(1831)	
"	"	Gusset	15	
"	"	Annie	8	
"	"	Mary	6	
"	"	Henry	4	
"	"	David	1	

1850 U. S. Census of Horry County, South Carolina

253	Wm	Henry F.	32	(1812)
"	"	Mary B.	31	
"	"	W. B.	10	male
"	"	Catherine	8	
"	"	J. B. S.	6	male
"	"	L. B.	3	male
"	"	Rebecca	4	
"	"	Henry C.	2	
304	Wm	Gabriel	52	(1818)
"	"	Ann	59	
"	"	James	25	
"	"	Aaron	20	
"	"	Leander	18	
"	"	David	16	
"	"	Mary	14	
"	Wesley	James	3	adopted

THE KNIGHT FAMILY

Compiled by Milton B. Wilson, Bartow, Florida

Many of the Knights of Georgia and Florida are descended from John Knight and Faney, his wife.

John Knight, a Revolutionary Soldier, lived in Wayne County, Georgia, and drew land in the 1811 Land Lottery. (See page 237, "Roster of Revolutionary Soldiers in Georgia", published by Georgia Society of D. A. B., 1931).

John Knight and Faney, his wife, had eight children among whom were:

1. William Knight
2. Jonathan Knight
3. Levi Knight
4. Abram (Abraham) Knight, the best man physically in Lowndes County; a fighter.
5. Samuel Knight, who married Mary Roberts, daughter of Richard Roberts, W. S. and his wife, Tabitha.

Wisher Siddens, progenitor of the Siddens family in South Florida, married Cecelia Knight, daughter of Rev. William A. Knight, affectionately called "Uncle Billy", who was related to the above Knight family, and Mary Knight, sister of Uncle Billy Knight, the Baptist Preacher, married William Hunter and their son, W. M. Hunter, was Sheriff of Wayne County, Georgia, 1814 and 1815; commissioned January 24, 1814. Their son, William M. Hunter, married Catherine Roberts, daughter of Richard Roberts, W. S. Mary (Knight) Hunter, after the death of her husband, William Hunter, married John L. Stewart.

The Knight family moved to Lowndes County, Georgia, after 1816.

The U. S. Census of Wayne County, Georgia for 1820 shows, among others, the following Knight heads of families:

1. Thomas Knight - age 25 to 35
2. Samuel Knight - age 35 to 45
3. W. A. Knight - age 25 to 35 - and also
4. Wisheh Siddens - age 25 to 35

The U. S. Census of 1830 for Lowndes County, Georgia, shows, among others the following Knight heads of families in Lowndes County, Georgia:

1. Jonathan Knight - age 65 to 70
2. Jonathan Knight - age 45 to 50
3. John Knight - age 35 to 40
4. Levi J. Knight
5. William A. Knight - age 50 to 55
6. William C. Knight - age 40 to 45
7. William Knight - age 40 to 45
8. Samuel Knight

Later some of the Knights and some of the Roberts moved to Hamilton County, Florida.

Faney Knight, (widow of John Knight), died Nov. 2, 1844.

REV. SAMUEL KNIGHT, son of John Knight, S. C., was born November, 1793, died May 3, 1879 at the home of his grandson, Thomas S. Knight, in Charlotte Harbor, Manatee County, Florida. Samuel Knight married Mary Roberts, daughter of Richard Roberts, S. C., and wife, Tobitha, in 1810.

Richard Roberts was born in North Carolina and died in Camden County, Georgia, on Oct. 7, 1820.

REVOLUTIONARY WAR. Richard Roberts served first in the militia of North Carolina under Captain Simon Bright, then re-enlisted and served until peace was declared under Captain J. C. Hall, Major Hardee Barriere, Clarke's 2nd Regiment of North Carolina. He was engaged in the battles of Great Bridge at Norfolk, Virginia, and in the battle of White Plains, and in the Southern Campaign under General Greene, and continued in the service until peace, having served seven years.

He applied for a pension March 11, 1819, at which time he was living in Wayne County, Georgia. The above data was obtained from papers on file in the office of Veterans Administration, Washington, D. C., in claim for pension \$383.39 based upon his service in the war of the Revolution. He was allowed pension on his said application dated March 11, 1819.

The Records of the General Accounting Office, Washington, D. C., concerning Richard Roberts, a pensioner of the Revolutionary War, Certificate No. 13965, Georgia Agency, show that on June 4, 1821, it was certified before a Notary Public in and for Camden County, Georgia, that Richard Roberts died on Oct. 7, 1820; that letters of administration on his estate were granted to William Hunter and Tobitha Roberts on June 4, 1821 by the Court of Ordinary for Camden County, Georgia, and that the last payment of pension, covering the period from Sept. 5, 1819 to Mar. 4, 1820, was made May 6, 1822, at the Pension Agency in Savannah, Georgia, to Edward Sherman, as Attorney for the Administrators.

Richard Roberts married Tobitha _____, born in North Carolina, died in 1841 in Hamilton County, Florida, near Jasper, Florida, at the home of her son-in-law, William H. Hunter, at an advanced age. Her funeral was preached by ("Uncle Billy") William A. Knight, the pioneer "Hardshell" Baptist Preacher of South Georgia in 1848, five years after her death.

Tobitha _____ Roberts was a small woman and was very feeble in her old age and her head trembled from palsy.

Richard Roberts and his wife, Tobitha, had children, as follows:

1. Mary Roberts, born 1793 in South Carolina, died May 6, 1875 in Manatee County, Florida, who married Rev. Samuel Knight.
2. Catherine Roberts, born 1795 in South Carolina, died _____ in Hamilton County, Florida, who, on Sept. 23, 1813, in Wayne County, Georgia, married William H. Hunter, whose mother was Mary (Knight) Hunter.

3. Milna Roberts, born 1803 in Georgia, died in Hamilton County, Florida, who, on July 28, 1824, in Wayne County, Georgia, married Archibald Rogans, and later moved to Hamilton County, Florida.
4. Joshua L. Roberts, born Mar. 31, 1811, in Georgia, died Jan. 2, 1882, in Hamilton County, Florida.
5. Wanderling Roberts, died young and unmarried.

Rev. Samuel Knight was a soldier in the three Seminole Indian wars.

Rev. Samuel Knight was a Methodist preacher, the first in South Florida. He moved to Hillaborough County, Florida, in 1844, and settled about four miles north of what is now called Plant City, near what is now known as Knight's Station. He had several slaves, some of whose names were Ike, Hannah, and Peter. He was also a farmer and stock raiser, and a blacksmith and wheelwright. He had a large stock of range cattle and was in good financial circumstances in the later years of his life.

Samuel Knight and Mary (Roberts) Knight had the following children:

1. Fatima Knight, born Feb. 18, 1811, died who married Enoch Collins, Mar. 9, 1827.
2. Moses Knight, born Feb. 25, 1813, died 1815.
3. Aaron Knight, born Feb. 26, 1818, died Apr. 6, 1842, who married Jane Varn, daughter of Frederic Varn, Sept. 30, 1840. Issue one child: Martha Ann Caroline, born Dec. 4, 1842.
4. Jesse Knight, born Aug. 18, 1817, died Oct. 4, 1811, who married Rebecca Caroline Varn, daughter of Frederic Varn; Oct. 1, 1840.
5. Thomas Knight, born Mar. 1, 1820, died 1822.
6. Joel Knight, born Feb. 24, 1824, died Sept. 17, 1879, who married Virginia Mitchell, Mar. 29, 1848, a sister of Henry L. Mitchell, Governor of Florida.
7. Fanny Knight, born May 9, 1825, died Dec. 11, 1898, who married 1st John S. Zipperer, on Apr. 13, 1842; 2nd Jacob Summerlin, in 1846.
8. Elizabeth Knight, born Mar. 1, 1827, died May 3, 1912, who married Elhannan McGill, Feb. 6, 1842.
9. Mary Knight, born Mar. 6, 1829, died Mar. 5, 1894, who married George Hambleton, Sept. 19, 1849.
10. Martha Knight, born Oct. 29, 1831, died who married Dr. Samuel Bryant Todd, Dec. 25, 1849.

REV. JOSEPH KNIGHT, son of Samuel, son of John Knight, E. S., was born in Wayne County, Georgia, Aug. 18, 1817, died in Manatee County, Florida, Oct. 4, 1911. He married Rebecca Caroline Varn, daughter of Frederic Varn and Sarah Riers, his wife, in Hamilton County, Florida, on Oct. 1, 1840. Frederic Varn was a son of John Varn and Ann Baker, his wife. The said Sarah Riers was the daughter of Jacob Riers, E. S., and Catherine Howard, his wife. Rebecca Caroline Varn was born in South Carolina, Nov. 27, 1823, died in Manatee County, Florida, Apr. 7, 1901.

Jesse Knight and Rebecca Caroline (Varn) Knight had the following children:

1. Sarah Jane Knight, born May 1, 1842, died who married Shadrick Hancock.
2. Marie Ann Knight, born Aug. 25, 1843, died Mar. 20, 1907, who married: 1st. Milton Washington Johnson, son of Abraham Johnson (Seasbe, E.S.) and Susannah (Bland) Johnson, his wife; 2nd. Wilson Brooks Brown (Robert, John, E.S.).
3. Aaron Washington Knight, born Oct. 7, 1845, died July 1, 1864, unmarried.
4. Mary Louisa Knight, born July 23, 1847, died Nov. 8, 1863.
5. William Samuel Knight, born Apr. 4, 1849, died who married Martha Ann Collins.
6. Levi Jonathan Knight, born Jan. 19, 1851, died who married Alice Parker.
7. Jesse Josiah Knight, born May 22, 1852, died who married Mary Will Krede.
8. James Zachariah Knight, born Jan. 21, 1854, died who married Jane Isabelle Hilder.
9. Frances Victoria Knight, born Sept. 26, 1855, died who married Charles Oliver Curry.
10. Martha Elizabeth Knight, born May 4, 1858, died who married Charles LeCount Love.
11. Caroline Rebecca Knight, born Feb. 29, 1860, died who married Alfred Franklin Krede.
12. Frederick Seebuck Knight, born Nov. 25, 1861, died, unmarried.
13. Florence Virginia Knight, born May 21, 1863, died who married John Harvey Hill.
14. Ella Alice Knight, born June 25, 1865, died who married: 1st. Theodora Livingston Sawyer; 2nd. Darwin G. Curry.
15. Milton Albert Knight, born June 27, 1867, died Aug. 14, 1890, single.

MARIA ANN KNIGHT, daughter of Jesse, son of Samuel, son of John, E.S., was born Aug. 25, 1843, died Mar. 20, 1907. On Sept. 2, 1858, she married Milton Washington Johnson, son of Abraham Johnson (Seasbe, E.S.) and Susannah Bland (E.S., E.S., E.S., James, James), his wife. Milton Washington Johnson was born in Sampson County, North Carolina, Jan. 18, 1828, died Aug. 13, 1867 in Hillsborough County, Florida.

Milton Washington Johnson served in the U. S. Army in the Seminole Indian War in Florida, as a First Lieutenant. He also served in the Southern Army in the Civil War as a First Lieutenant. On teaching Florida, with his mother and brother, Ezekiel Johnson, in 1840, he first settled on Lake Thonotassa in Hillsborough County, Florida; he later moved to what was then known as Alafia in Hillsborough County, Florida, where all of his children were born. He became quite prosperous and a large cattle owner, and was a large shipper of cattle to Cuba. He caught yellow fever and died Aug. 13, 1867.

Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson and Milton Washington Johnson, her husband, had the following children:

1. Susan Caroline Johnson, born Aug. 26, 1859, died Aug. 29, 1859.
2. Helen May Johnson, born Nov. 9, 1860, died
who married Charles Cooper Wilson, Jan. 31, 1883.
3. Mary Eugenia Johnson, born Mar. 2, 1862, died
who married George McChesney Craig, Apr. 3, 1893.
4. Albert Sydney Johnson, born July 26, 1863, died
who married Mar Gills Brewer, July 2, 1893.

After the death of Milton Washington Johnson, his widow, Maria Ann, married Wilson Brooks Brown (Robert, John, U.S.), on Dec. 22, 1869.

Wilson Brooks Brown was born Oct. 28, 1836, died

Maria Ann and her husband, Wilson Brooks Brown, had the following children:

5. Carlotta Lee Brown, born Mar. 10, 1871, died Nov. 21, 1958,
who married Will D. Jones.
6. John Raleigh Brown, born Feb. 15, 1872, died Apr. 4, 1922.
7. Robert Edward Brown, born May 4, 1873, died
who married Marie Kessner Campbell.
8. Thomas Yellair Brown, born Nov. 1, 1874, died
who married Lollie Matwen.
9. Frederick Franklin Brown, born Nov. 25, 1876, died May 18, 1908,
who married Edna McEwen.

MILTON WASHINGTON JOHNSON, daughter of Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson, daughter of Jesse Knight, son of Samuel Knight, was born at Mifflin Hillsborough County, Florida, Nov. 9, 1860. She married Charles Cooper Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, (Allen Wilson, Capt. James Wilson, U.S.), and Adeline Hendry, (James Edward, Wm., Robert, U.S.), Jan. 31, 1883. The said James Thomas Wilson was the son of Allen Wilson and Mary Hurst, his wife. Allen Wilson was the son of Capt. James Wilson, U.S., of Wilkes County, Georgia, and Ann Gordon, his wife. The said Mary Hurst was the daughter of Thomas Hurst and Serena Tilly, his wife. The said Thomas Hurst was the son of William Hurst, U.S. and Mary, his wife. The said Adeline Hendry was the daughter of James Edward Hendry and Lydia Carlton, his wife. The said James Edward Hendry was the son of William Hendry and Nancy McFell, his wife. The said William Hendry was the son of Robert Hendry, U.S. and Ann Lee, his wife. The said Nancy McFell was the daughter of James McFell, U.S. and Judith, his wife. The said Lydia Carlton was the daughter of Judge John Carlton and Nancy Ann Alderman, his wife. The said John Carlton was the son of Thomas Carlton, U.S., of Duplin County, North Carolina, and Martha, his wife. The said Nancy Ann Alderman was the daughter of David Alderman, U.S.

1. Pappoe Laura Wilson, born June 20, 1915, at Bartow, Florida, who married George William Ashley, March 2, 1944.
2. Helen Isabelle Wilson, born May 20, 1928, at Bartow, Florida.

PAPPOE LAURA WILSON, daughter of above Milton D. Wilson and Pappoe Valerie Lewis, his wife, was born at 1140 South Broadway, Bartow, Polk County, Florida on June 20, 1915.

On March 02, 1944, at Bartow, Florida, she married George William Ashley, born March 2, 1914, son of Otis Hedges Ashley and Audrey Brooks Fisher, his wife. The said Otis Hedges Ashley being the son of Hedges W. Ashley and Maria Young, his wife. The said Audrey Brooks Fisher being the daughter of Park Fisher and Effie Morrison, (Granville Price Morrison) his wife.

Children of George William Ashley and Pappoe Laura Wilson, his wife are: (as of this September 14, 1955):

1. Nathan Lewis Ashley, born July 9, 1946, at the Municipal Hospital at Bartow, Polk County, Florida.
2. Susannah Ashley, born March 2, 1949, at the Municipal Hospital, at Bartow, Polk County, Florida.

HELEN ISABELLE WILSON, daughter of above Milton D. Wilson and Pappoe Valerie Lewis, his wife, was born at 1140 South Broadway, Bartow, Polk County, Florida, on May 20, 1928.

On June 24, 1946, at Bartow, Florida she married Clarence Alexander Boswell, Jr., (III), son of Clarence Alexander Boswell, (II) and Margaret Phillips, his wife. The said Clarence Alexander Boswell (III), being the son of Clarence Alexander Boswell (William) and Susan Hood, his wife. The said Susan Hood being the daughter of William Hood and Mattie McQuinn, his wife.

Children of Helen Isabelle (Wilson) Boswell and Clarence Alexander Boswell, Jr., are (on this September 14, 1955):

1. unnamed boy, born and died December 24, 1948.
2. Pappoe Wilson Boswell, born February 17, 1951, at the Municipal Hospital at Lakeland, Polk County, Florida.
2. William Wilson Boswell, born December 3, 1952, at the Municipal Hospital, at Lakeland, Florida.
3. Clarence Alexander Boswell, born July 28, 1955, at the Municipal Hospital at Lakeland, Florida.

SOME DESCENDANTS
OF
RICHARD ROBERTS

Revolutionary Soldier Fred North Carolina

RICHARD ROBERTS, a Revolutionary Soldier, was born in North Carolina and died in DeKalb County, Georgia, on Oct. 7, 1820. He moved from North Carolina to South Carolina, where most of his children were born. He later moved to Georgia, about 1800.

REYNOLDS HENRY ROBERTS; Richard Roberts served first in the Militia of North Carolina under Captain Simon Bright, then re-enlisted and served until peace was declared, under Captain J. G. Hall, Major James Hargree, Clarke 2nd Regiment of North Carolina. He was engaged in the battles of Great Bridge at Norfolk,

Virginia, and in the battle of White Plains and in the Southern Campaign under General Greene and continued in the service "until Peace", having served seven years.

He applied for a pension March 11, 1819, at which time he was living in Wayne County, Georgia. The above data was obtained from papers on file in the office of Veterans Administration, Washington, D. C., in claim for pension No. 38329, based upon his service in the War of the Revolution. He was allowed pension on his said application dated March 11, 1819.

The Records of the Federal Accounting Office, Washington, D. C., concerning Richard Roberts, a pensioner of the Revolutionary War, Certificate No. 13905, Georgia Agency, show that on June 4, 1831, it was certified before a salary Public in and for Camden County, Georgia, that Richard Roberts died on October 7, 1820, that Letters of Administration on his estate were granted to William Hunter and Tobitha Roberts on June 4, 1831 by the Court of Ordinary for Camden County, Georgia, and that the last payment of pension covering the period from September 5, 1819, to March 4, 1820, was made May 6, 1831 at the pension Agency in Savannah, Georgia, to Edward Shearman, an Attorney for the Administrators.

Richard Roberts married Tobitha _____, born in North Carolina, died in 1841 in Hamilton County, Florida, near Jasper, Florida, at the home of her son-in-law William A. Hunter, at an advanced age. Her funeral was preached by ("Uncle Billy") William A. Knight, the pioneer "Hardshell" Baptist Preacher of South Georgia, in 1846, five years after her death.

Tobitha _____ Roberts was a small woman and was very feeble in her old age and her head troubled from palsy.

Richard Roberts and his wife, Tobitha, had children as follows:

1. Mary Roberts, born 1793 in South Carolina, died May 6, 1873 in Hamilton County, Florida, she married Rev. Samuel Knight.
2. Catherine Roberts, born 1795 in South Carolina, died in Hamilton County, Florida, she on Sept. 10, 1812 in Wayne County, Georgia, married William A. Hunter, whose mother was Mary (Knight) Hunter, a sister of Rev. William A. Knight.
3. Eliza Roberts, born 1803 in Georgia, died in Hamilton County, Florida, she, on July 18, 1823 in Wayne County, Georgia, married Franklin Legans, and later moved to Hamilton County, Florida.
4. George A. Roberts, born March 31, 1811 in Georgia, died Jan. 2, 1822 in Hamilton County, Florida, she married: Ist. Martha Bennett; 2nd. Nancy Lee, daughter of John Lee.
5. Wanderling Roberts, died young and unmarried.

MARY ROBERTS, daughter of Richard Roberts, P. S. and his wife Tobitha, was born 1793 in South Carolina, died May 6, 1873 in Hamilton County, Florida, daughter of Richard Roberts P. S. and Tobitha, his wife.

In 1810 she married Samuel Knight, born 1793 in Georgia, died May 3, 1879 at the home of his grandson Thomas Samuel Knight; Charlotte Harbor, Manatee (now Charlotte) County, Florida.

Samuel Knight resided in Wayne County, Georgia, near Waynesville, until about 1823 when he removed to Leonides County, Georgia; later, about 1843, he moved to Hillsborough County, Florida, and settled about four miles north of what is now Elant City, near what is now known as Knight's Station.

Samuel Knight served in the three Indian Wars in Georgia and Florida but was too old to serve in the Civil War.

Samuel Knight was a Methodist preacher, the first in North Florida.

Samuel Knight had several slaves, some of whose names were: Lev, Hannah, Mary and Peter. He was also a farmer and stock raiser and blacksmith and wheelwright. He had a large stock of range cattle, and was in good financial circumstances in the later years of his life.

The Will of Samuel Knight, dated Nov. 11, 1863, was probated Aug. 14, 1864, and is recorded in Probate Record No. 1 at page 490 of the Public Records of Manatee County, Florida. His two sons, Jesse Knight and Joel Knight, and his son-in-law, S. E. Todd, are named therein as executors.

Samuel Knight was a clean shaven man of fair complexion, of medium size, and about five feet ten inches in height. He studied his Bible constantly, and wore eye glasses. He was active and strong. He got up one night and went out into the yard where he was found dead next morning, probably from heart failure.

The brothers of Samuel Knight were Primitive Baptists. His wife, Mary Roberts, was formerly a Primitive Baptist but later joined the Methodist Church.

Samuel Knight and Mary (Roberts) Knight had the following children:

1. Fátima Knight, born Feb. 18, 1811, died about 1847, who married Lash Collins, March 9, 1827.
2. Moses Knight, born Feb. 25, 1813, died 1815.
3. Aaron Knight, born Feb. 24, 1815, died April 6, 1842, who married Jane Varn, daughter of Frederic Varn, Sept. 30, 1840. Issue, one child:
(a) Martha Ann Caroline, born Dec. 1, 1842.
4. Jesse Knight, born Aug. 18, 1817, died Oct. 4, 1911, who married Rebecca Caroline Varn, daughter of Frederic Varn, Oct. 1, 1840.
5. Thomas Knight, born March 1, 1820, died 1828.
6. Joel Knight, born Feb. 24, 1824, died Sept. 17, 1879, who married Virginia Mitchell, March 22, 1848, a sister of Henry L. Mitchell, Governor of Florida.
7. Nancy Knight, born May 9, 1825, died Dec. 11, 1896, who married:
1st. John Jacob Lipperer, on April 13, 1842;
2nd. Jacob Summerlin, in 1846.
8. Elizabeth Knight, born March 1, 1827, died May 3, 1912, who married Elhannan McGill, Feb. 6, 1846.
9. Mary Knight, born March 8, 1829, died March 3, 1894, who married George Hasbenton, Sept. 10, 1849.
10. Martha Knight, born Oct. 30, 1832, died
who married Dr. Samuel Bryant Todd, Oct. 25, 1849.

J. V. JESSE KNIGHT, son of Mary (Roberts) Knight, daughter of Richard Roberts, R. S., was born in Wayne County, Georgia, August 18, 1817, died in Hamilton County, Florida, October 4, 1811. He married Rebecca Caroline Varn, daughter of Frederic Varn and Sarah Hiers, his wife, in Hamilton County, Florida, on October 1, 1840. Frederic Varn was a son of John Varn and Ann Baker, his wife. The said Sarah Hiers was the daughter of Jacob Hiers, R. S. and Catherine Howard, his wife. Rebecca Caroline Varn, born in South Carolina, November 27, 1815, died in Duval County, Florida, April 7, 1901.

Jesse Knight and Rebecca Caroline (Varn) Knight had the following children:

1. Sarah Jane, born May 1, 1841, died _____ who married _____
2. Maria Ann, born August 25, 1843, died March 29, 1907, who married _____
3. Aaron Washington, born October 7, 1847, died July 4, 1864, unmarried.
4. Mary Louisa, born July 22, 1847, died November 8, 1863.
5. William Daniel, born April 4, 1849, died _____ who married _____
6. Levi Jonathan, born January 19, 1851, died _____ who married _____
7. George Washington, born May 27, 1852, died _____ who married _____
8. James Zachariah, born January 31, 1854, died _____ who married _____
9. Francis Victoria, born September 26, 1855, died _____ who married _____
10. Martha Elizabeth, born May 4, 1858, died _____ who married _____
11. Caroline Rebecca, born February 29, 1860, died _____ who married _____
12. Frederick Leback, born November 25, 1861, died unmarried.
13. Florence Virginia, born May 21, 1863, died _____ who married _____
14. Ella Alice, born June 25, 1865, died _____ who married _____
15. Milton Albert, born June 27, 1867, died August 14, 1897, unmarried.

MILTON A. KNIGHT, daughter of Jesse, son of Mary (Roberts) Knight, daughter of Richard Roberts, R. S., was born August 25, 1843, died March 29, 1907. On September 2, 1867, she married Milton Washington Johnson, son of Ephraim Johnson (Hoarke, R. S. Solomon), and Sarah H. Hild (Hoarke, R. S. Solomon), his wife. Milton Washington Johnson, was born in Sampson County, North Carolina, Jan. 18, 1828, died August 13, 1897 in Hillsborough County, Florida.

Milton Washington Johnson, served in the U. S. Army in the Seminole Indian War in Florida, as a First Lieutenant. He also served in the Southern Army in the Civil War as a First Lieutenant. On reaching Florida with his father and brother Mack Johnson, in 1840, he first settled on Lake Thonotassa, in Hillsborough County, Florida, where all of his children were born. He became quite prosperous and a large cattle owner, and was a large shipper of cattle to Cuba. He caught yellow fever and died August 13, 1897.

Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson and Wilton Washington Johnson, her husband, had the following children:

1. Susan Caroline, born August 26, 1859, died August 27, 1859.
2. Helen Mar, born November 9, 1860, died
3. Mary Sarcenia, born March 2, 1862, died
who married George McGeehan Craig, April 8, 1893.
4. Albert Sydney, born July 26, 1863, died
who married Mar Cilla Brewer, July 2, 1892.

After the death of Wilton Washington Johnson, his widow, Maria Ann married Wilson Brooks Brown, (Robert, John S. S.) on Dec. 23, 1869.

Wilson Brooks Brown, born October 28, 1836, died

Maria Ann and her husband Wilson Brooks Brown had the following children:

5. Carlett Lee, born March 10, 1871, who married Will C. Jones, she died November 21, 1930.
6. John Raleigh, born February 19, 1872, died April 4, 1882.
7. Robert Edward, born May 1, 1873, died
who married Jennie Keenan Campbell.
8. Thomas William, born November 1, 1874, died
who married Nellie Brown.
9. Frederick Franklin, born November 23, 1875, died May 19, 1908,
who married Edna Nelson.

Edna Nelson, daughter of Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson, daughter of Joseph Knight, son of Mary (Roberts) Knight, daughter of Richard Roberts, Sr., was born at Alafia, in Hillsborough County, Florida, October 25, 1860, and is now (1945) living in Bartow, Florida. She married Charles Cooper Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, (Allen Wilson, Capt. James Wilson, U. S.), and Adeline Hendry (James Edward, Sr., Robert S. S.) January 31, 1883. The said James Thomas Wilson was the son of Allen Wilson and Mary Hurst, his wife. Allen Wilson was the son of Capt. James Wilson, U. S. of Wifingham County, Georgia and Ann Gordon, his wife. The said Mary Hurst was the daughter of Thomas Hurst and Sarah Kelly, his wife. The said Thomas Hurst was the son of William Hurst, U. S. and Mary, his wife. The said Adeline Hendry was the daughter of James Edward Hendry and Polly Carlton, his wife. The said James Edward Hendry was the son of William Hendry and Nancy McFall, his wife. The said William Hendry was the son of Robert Hendry, U. S. and Ann Lee, his wife. The said Nancy McFall was the daughter of James McFall, U. S. and Lydia, his wife. The said Lydia Carlton was the daughter of Judge John Carlton and Nancy Ann Alderman, his wife. The said John Carlton was the son of George Carlton, U. S. of Duplin County, North Carolina and Martha his wife. The said Nancy Ann Alderman was the daughter of David Alderman U. S. (Daniel, Thomas, Sr.) and Jessica Hall his wife. Charles Cooper Wilson was born in Manatee County, Florida, December 25, 1855, died Nov. 29, 1907.

The children of Charles Cooper Wilson and Helen Mar (Johnson) Wilson are:

1. Bradley Carlisle Wilson, born January 1, 1884, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who married Edna Marie Boyd.

2. Flossie Genia, born January 31, 1885, died December 3, 1885.
3. Milton D. Wilson, born July 23, 1856, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who married Saphne Valerie Lewis, November 18, 1914.
4. Tommie Lee, born October 2, 1887, who married Judge Chester M. Higgins.
5. Chipley Charles, born September 24, 1897, died July 21, 1902.
6. Asa Lanna, born July 14, 1899, who married Robert C. Hutton.
7. Maurice James, born April 6, 1902, who married Eth Cannon.

MILTON D. WILSON, son of Helen War (Johnson) Wilson, daughter of Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson, daughter of Jesse Knight, son of Mary (Roberts) Knight, daughter of Richard Roberts, M. S., was born at Ft. Meade, Hall County, Florida, July 23, 1856. He married Saphne Valerie Lewis, daughter of Asa James Joshua Lewis and Isabelle Victoria (Johnson) Lewis, his wife, November 18, 1914. The above Asa James Joshua Lewis was the son of Asa Henry Lewis and Nancy (Browning) Lewis, his wife. The above Isabelle Victoria Johnson was the daughter of Solomon David Johnson, and Martha Ann (Swain) Johnson, his wife.

Children of Milton D. Wilson and Saphne Valerie (Lewis) Wilson, his wife, are:

1. Saphne Laura Wilson, born June 10, 1913, at Bartow, Florida, who married George William Ashley, March 9, 1944.
2. Helen Isabelle Wilson, born May 20, 1926, at Bartow, Florida.

KATHARINE A. ROBERTS, born Aug. 13, 1795 in south Carolina, daughter of Richard Roberts, M. S. and Rebitha, his wife. On September 23, 1812, in Wayne County, Georgia, she married William M. Hunter II, born October 21, 1793, at . He resided in Wayne and Camden Counties, Georgia and Hamilton County, Florida. He died in Hamilton County, Florida. He was Sheriff of Wayne County, Georgia 1814-1815 and was also a member of the Territorial Legislature of Florida from Hamilton County, Florida.

Issue:

1. Nancy A. Hunter, born Aug. 30, 1813, died Feb. 28, 1848, who married Judge Perry Green Hall.
2. William T. Hunter III, born May 25, 1816, died who married Mrs. Rachel (Knight) Hatcher, whose father was probably Thomas J. Knight.
3. Henry J. Hunter, born Mar. 2, 1818, died
4. Katharine B. Hunter, born Jan. 1820, died who married Thomas J. Stewart.
5. Harry W. Hunter, born Mar. 22, 1823, died who married Samuel Knight, brother of the above Mrs. Rachel (Knight) Hatcher.
6. Sarah J. Hunter, born May 29, 1824, died who married Thomas Knight, brother of above Samuel Knight.
7. Elizabeth Hunter, born Sept. 6, 1826, died who married John Pearson.
8. Miles W. Hunter, born Oct. 18, 1828, died
9. Richard W. Hunter, born July 28, 1832, died who married Matilda Telen.
10. James Hunter, born Sept. 26, 1834, died who married: 1st Mary Hendry (James Horton, John, Robert R.S.) and Miss Mary Atman, daughter of Tom Atman.
11. Eliza Harriet Hunter, born Aug. 20, 1839, died who married: 1st Henry J. Mason and Daniel B. Richardson

SILVIA ROBERTS, daughter of Richard Roberts, S. S. and
Tobitha, his wife, was born in Georgia in 1803.

On July 26, 1824, in Wayne County, Georgia, she married
Archibald Rogans. They later moved to Columbia County, Florida,
and the U. S. Census of 1840 for Columbia County, Florida, shows
them to be living in Columbia County, Florida, and to have been
quite prosperous as the census shows they had sixteen slaves at
that time.

Silvia (Roberts) Rogans later moved to Hamilton County,
Florida, where she died about 1858; see census of 1850 of
Hamilton County, Florida.

Archibald Rogans died about 1847.

Their children were:

1. James (J.) Rogans, born 1825.
2. Letitia Rogans, born 1828,
who married: 1st. _____, daughter of
John Lee, and Henrietta _____
(a) William Rogans, born 1852,
and Jane Porter.
3. John Rogans, born 1831,
who married _____, and had children
as follows:
(a) Henry Rogans
(b) John Rogans
(c) John Rogans
4. Lewis R. Rogans, born 1834,
5. Virginia Rogans, born 1836,
6. Fanny Rogans, born 1838,
who married John Walker.
7. Joseph S. Rogans, born 1840, died _____
who married Fellenue Johns, born 1839, died _____
daughter of Joseph and Johna Johns. Issues:
(a) Albert Rogans, born 1868.
(b) William Rogans, born 1870.
(c) Joel Rogans, born 1872.
(d) Ida Rogans, born 1874.
(e) Archibald Rogans, born 1876.
(f) Caroline Rogans, born 1878.
8. Mary Rogans, born 1841, died _____
who married Edward H. Lee, born 1828.
9. Elizabeth Rogans, born 1844, died _____
who married Joshua Lee, son of John Lee. Issues:
(a) Porter Lee
(b) Joe Lee
(c) Corrie Lee (Wife) _____
(d) Charles Lee
(e) Jessie Lee, who married Jacob Taylor.
(f) Kate Lee, born _____, who married _____
Adicks; she operates a Bakery at Jasper, Florida.
(1874)
10. Anne Rogans, born 1846, died _____

JAMES ROBERTS, son of Richard Roberts, S. S. and
Tobitha, his wife, was born in Georgia, March 31, 1811, died
January 3, 1882, in Hamilton County, Florida. He was partly raised

In order to obtain the date of last payment of pension, name and address of person paid, and possibly the date of death of this pensioner, you should apply to the Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, Records Division, this city, and obtain the following data:

Richard Roberts
Certificate No. 13325
Issued August 11, 1919
Rate \$8.00 per month
Commenced March 15, 1919
End of March 19, 1938
Capital money.

Years very true,
A. D. MILLER
I. O. MILLER
Executive Assistant
to the Administrator

In the last entry of George of 1827, Judith Roberts, as widow of a Revolutionary soldier, of Athens District, Camden County, Georgia, received a grant of \$10.00, District No. 3 of Camden County, Georgia.

GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE
Washington

Records Division
In reply to your letter
G-13325-17E

April 5, 1940

Mr. Milton S. Sloan
County Historian
Athens, Georgia
Sir:

In reply to your letter of February 6, 1940, wherein you request information concerning Richard Roberts, a pensioner of the Revolutionary War, Certificate No. 13325, Records Office, you are advised that the records of this office show that on June 4, 1822, it was certified before a Robert Miller in the War Camden County, Georgia, that the land was sold on October 7, 1820. Letters of Administration were granted to William Hunter and Judith Roberts on June 5, 1821, by the Court of Ordinary for Camden County, Georgia.

The last payment of pension, covering the period from September 5, 1939, to March 3, 1940, was made on May 6, 1939, at the General Agency in Savannah, Georgia, to Grand Marston, an attorney for the Administrator.

No further information has been found of record in this office.

Sincerely,

A. D. MILLER

I. O. MILLER
Asst. Chief, Records
Division

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- (2) Ephraim Johnson, (a Revolutionary Soldier), married Mary
- (3) Jacob Johnson, (a Revolutionary Soldier), married Elizabeth
- (4) Samuel Johnson

(5) Joseph Johnson, (Solomon), married Elizabeth (perhaps Elliot), lived in Johnson Co., N. C. on head of Clear Run; was a farmer and fur trading manufacturer.

Children:

- I. John Johnson, born 1797, died 1831, married Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson; age.
- II. Jacob Johnson, born 1792, died 1838, married St. Rachel Bland; age. Equilly Hill.
- III. Ephraim Johnson, born 1794.
- IV. Samuel Johnson, born 1796, died 1838, married Elizabeth Bland; age.
- V. William Johnson
- VI. Equilly Johnson

John Johnson and his two brothers Solomon and Ephraim Johnson served in the Revolutionary War as privates in Capt. Samuel Jones Company in the 10th North Carolina Regiment, all enlisted on Sept. 15, 1781 for 12 months. In this battle was the Johnson's names when at loss. Jacob Johnson also served as a member of Capt. Samuel Jones Company, and served for 12 months. His name as Jacob Johnson appears on a list dated Sept. 15, 1781, with a remark saying he present with the company.

- 11. Ephraim Johnson, (Solomon, Solomon), born 1796, died 1831, married Elizabeth Bland, daughter of William Bland (see above) and Mary Parker Bland, his wife, of Duplin Co., S. C.

Children:

- I. Jacob Johnson, born Sept. 15, 1815.
- II. Ephraim Johnson, born July 18, 1816, died Aug. 15, 1867. Ephraim Johnson and family started to Georgia in 1831. Ephraim Johnson died on the way at (Milledgeville) near Fayetteville, S. C. His wife married James Fisher and they finally settled in Mitchell County, Georgia, at Lake Thomasville about 1840.

WILLIAM WASHINGTON JOHNSON, (Ephraim, Jacob, Solomon),

was born in Johnson County, North Carolina, January 13, 1828, died in Milledgeville County, Florida, August 13, 1867. On September 2, 1855, he married Maria Ann Knight, daughter of James Knight (Samuel) and Rebecca Caroline Varn (Frederick, John), his wife. They had the following children:

- 1. James Caroline Johnson, born Aug. 25, 1856, died Aug. 20, 1899.
- 2. Helen Lee Johnson, born Nov. 9, 1859, (died Nov. 1913), who married Charles Cooper Wilson, Jan. 31, 1883.
- 3. Mary E. Jones Johnson, born March 3, 1862, died 1899, who married George McHenry Jones, April 3, 1867.
- 4. Albert Henry Johnson, born July 26, 1863, died 1899, who married Elizabeth Baker, July 4, 1898.

William Washington Johnson came with his mother and brother Jacob to Florida about 1850 and settled in Milledgeville County, Florida, on Lake Thomasville. He later moved to what was then and is now known as Lake, in Milledgeville County, Florida, where he had a large plant where all of his children were born. He became quite prosperous and was owner of one of the largest herds of cattle in South Florida and was a large shipper of cattle to Cuba and died Aug. 13, 1867. He served in the Florida Indian War as a first lieutenant, and he also served in the Confederate States Army as a first lieutenant in Capt. G. L. Turner's Cavalry Company, which was subsequently attached and sent to the 8th Florida Infantry. He had service in the 1st Battalion, 8th Florida Infantry until the close of the war.

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William H. H. left a will, dated March 19th, 1775, probated in Dublin County, N. C. in 1776 and recorded in Will Book A, page 25, which names all of the above children as devisees, and also names his grandsons James H. H., son of William H. H. and Rachel H. H., his wife. The appointees are John H. H. and James H. H. as trustees. The executors, Thomas Lee, Harry Powell and Rachel Powell. (You will note that Harry Powell and Rachel Powell were also trustees of the will of James H. H., dated Oct. 11, 1767.)

William H. H., son of William H. H., son of James H. H., son of James H. H., married Rachel H. H., and had the following children:

1. James H. H., who married Mrs. Rebecca H. H.; and, Rachel H. H.
2. William H. H., who married Mary H. H.
3. Elizabeth H. H., who married James H. H.

William H. H. was a member of the State of William H. H. and was appointed in Dublin County, N. C. He conveyed to his grandson James H. H., son of James H. H. and Rachel H. H., his wife, a certain property in Dublin County, N. C., by deed, dated April 2, 1811, recorded in Book 1, page 288, which deed was returned to the State of North Carolina, which deed was returned to the State of North Carolina, which deed was returned to the State of North Carolina. The deed was returned to the State of North Carolina, which deed was returned to the State of North Carolina. The deed was returned to the State of North Carolina, which deed was returned to the State of North Carolina.

James H. H., son of William H. H., son of James H. H., son of James H. H., was born in 1771 and died in 1850. He lived in Dublin County, N. C., and was a member of the State of North Carolina. He married Mary H. H., and they had the following children:

1. James H. H., who married Mrs. Rebecca H. H.; and, Rachel H. H.
2. William H. H., who married Mary H. H.
3. Elizabeth H. H., who married James H. H.
4. James H. H., who married Mrs. Rebecca H. H.; and, Rachel H. H.
5. William H. H., who married Mary H. H.
6. Elizabeth H. H., who married James H. H.

Mr. James H. H., son of William H. H., son of James H. H., son of James H. H., was born in 1771 and died in 1850. He lived in Dublin County, N. C., and was a member of the State of North Carolina. He married Mary H. H., and they had the following children:

My grandfather, William H. H., was a small man with very dark hair and blue eyes. He had a good education of 1800 years in Dublin County, N. C., and he lived in a very comfortable two-story residence, which he built in Dublin County, N. C. He had a large estate and was very rich. He was very kind and generous to his children and grandchildren. He was very kind and generous to his children and grandchildren. He was very kind and generous to his children and grandchildren. He was very kind and generous to his children and grandchildren.

SUSANNA BLIND, daughter of William Blind, (son, son, of James, James), was born 1800 in Duplin County, N. C., died Aug. 1887 at Lafia, in Hillsborough County, Florida. In 1824 she married Ephraim Johnson, born 1780, died 1845, son of Seaste Johnson, N. C., (Colonist), of Sa. ... County, N. C., and they had the following children born in ... County, N. C.:

- 1. Ansel Johnson, born Oct. 1, 1825, died Jan. 1, 1876, who married Lucinda Ann Miller.
- 2. Milton Washington Johnson, born July 13, 1828, died Aug. 13, 1897, who married Maria Ann Miller.

Susanna (Blind) Johnson and her husband, Ephraim Johnson, started to Georgia in 1835, but Ephraim Johnson died before they got out of the State, at Milledgeville, N. C., where he was buried. Susanna (Blind) Johnson then married Nathan Stephens, and they continued the journey, first going to Tennessee, then later to the Cherokee Purchase in Northwest Georgia, and later to Florida where they arrived about 1840 and settled at Lake Thomasville, in Hillsborough County, Florida.

After the death of Ephraim Johnson, his widow married Nathan Stephens and they had one child:

- 3. William Blind Stephens, who was born in Georgia in 1839. This success later became a tax collector of Putnam County, Florida, where he was working and killed to get the tax money he was collecting, in 1860. William Blind Stephens had one child:
 - 4. ... Stephens, who never married and died single.

WILSON WASHINGTON JOHNSON, (Susanna (Blind) Johnson, daughter, son, son, James), was born in Duplin County, North Carolina, January 18, 1820, died in Hillsborough County, Florida, August 13, 1897. On September 3, 1854, he married Maria Ann Miller, daughter of Seaste Miller, (Colonist), and Rebecca Caroline Wynn, (Frederick, John), his wife. They had the following children:

- 1. Susan Caroline Johnson, born Aug. 26, 1859, died Aug. 29, 1899.
- 2. Helen May Johnson, born Nov. 9, 1861, (alive Dec. 1943), who married Charles Cooper Gibson, Jan. 31, 1883.
- 3. Mary Agnes Johnson, born March 1, 1862, died ... who married George Buchanan Craig, April 3, 1887.
- 4. Albert Sydney Johnson, born July 26, 1863, died ... who married Mar Lilla Greer, July 2, 1893.

(See page ... Family Record, for continuation)