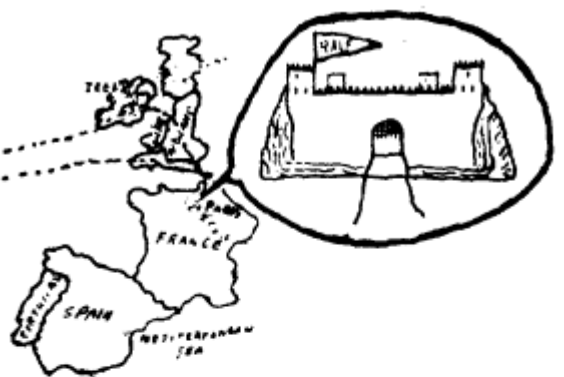




Terrell

Trails



From the castle of Rait, Sire de Tiroel near Paris France; to England; to Ireland; to the USA; and beyond-- these are some of the Terrell Trails upon the sands of time.

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CALENDAR

Upcoming Reunions & Family Events
Send Us Yours Today!

Wilson/Thomas Reunion (Absalom Terrell's Descendents) Second Saturday in October (12th) 1985; Noon; covered dish lunch; Masonic Lodge (behind Courthouse); Cairo, Georgia. All Terrell and related families welcome.

Third Annual Reunion of Descendents of John & Marian Terrell; Third Saturday in July 1986; Bruce Todd Residence; Westwood Calif (106 miles NW Reno Nevada) Descendents of all Terrells who migrated here from Europe and related families welcome; More Details & map later.

Second Annual Reunion of the Descendents of John & Marian Terrell

The second Annual Reunion of the Descendents of John & Marian Terrell was held June 1, 1985 at the Cain Center located in Athens, TX.

Those attending came from as far east as Georgia and as far west as California with most from within 150 miles of Athens.

After Registration, a business meeting was held in which it was decided that:

1. Membership in the Society would be on a calendar-year basis;

2. The newsletter, *Terrell Trails* would be sent only to those who joined the society until our membership grows to the point where we can go to offset printing of 1,000 or more copies per issue;

3. That the Society officers would each sign cards for access to the Society Bank account in case something should happen to the present Treasurer;

4. That Company President, Bruce Todd would locate a place in northern California for a mid-summer reunion next year and advise us of the time and place for early notification of members;

5. That efforts to get non-profit and if possible tax-exempt status for the Society would continue;

6. That Mrs. Susanne Hampton Foster would serve as Genealogy Committee Chairman with responsibilities for keeping up with who is researching whom [her address is 810 Baylor, Longview, TX 75601 ph. 214-236-7161; if you are working on a specific ancestral line please let her know so that she can keep track of it and not have a lot of duplication in our research];

7. That Society Secretary, Dan Brinson, be allowed to recoup over \$300 that he had personally invested for postage and printing in locating descendents and notifying them of the Society and Reunions as soon as funds were available [this was accomplished in July 1985];

8. It was pointed out to those attending that any excess donations received to cover this reunion expense would go into the general expense treasury of the Society and that no officer of the Society or other individual draws any salary or other compensation from Society donations.

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A covered dish lunch was graciously spread by our ladies and enjoyed by all.

After lunch, photographs were taken of the group as a whole and of the descendants of the respective branches of the family.

Those attending included: Mrs. Suzanne Foster & family of Longview TX; Mr & Mrs A. P. Terrell, Mr. Gerald Eugene Merewether, of Houston TX; Mr & Mrs William O. Terrell of Bullard TX; Miss Lillah Mae Terrell, Mr. & Mrs. James K. Sansom & family, Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy R. Lucas & family, Miss Mildred Cook, Mr. & Mrs. Melvin A. Mack, Miss Edna Terrell, Mr. & Mrs. H. L. Wilkerson [Host & Hostess], of Palestine TX; Mr. & Mrs. Willard O. Wilson of Dallas, TX; Rev. H. B. Ramsour, & Rev. Lee Ramsour, of Canton, TX; Mr & Mrs Billie A. Terrell & family of Hackett, AR; Mr & Mrs H. L. Couch, Miss Lula Mae Cook, of Childress, TX; Mr. & Mrs. L. O. Cummings of Dennison TX; Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Trousdale of Richardson, TX; Mr. & Mrs. James E. Wilson of Childersburg, AL; Mrs. Reba Wilson Richter of Tallahassee, FL; Mr. & Mrs.

Carl S. Pittman, Mr. & Mrs. Roy Smith,
of Lindale, TX; Dan & Brenda Brinson
of Douglasville, GA;
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STONE AGE

*The Proven; The Probable; The Possible;
and The Mythological from Europe*

Walter Garland Duke wrote a book in 1949 titled HENRY DUKE, COUNCILOR. Pages 398-400 contain the lineages from Pepin Le Gros of Heristal through 25 descendants ending with Sir Thomas Tyrrell, of Heron, Sheriff of Essex and Herts in England in 1460. The line of Ralf, Sire de Tirel continues:

109 Fulke De Tirel, md. the "noble lady" Orielda; in old age became a monk of St. Evroult which he endowed.

110 Sir Walter I de Tirel, b. c1010; Lord of Poix, Castellan of Pontoise, Viscount of Amiens, a Baron of France & England; Lord of Laingaham, Essex, and Kingsworthy and Avon, Hants, England. He built the castles of Poix and Famechon, in 1046; and Moyencourt in France; was present at the battle of Hastings 1066 with William the Conqueror his kinsman; md. Olga, a Saxon, from whom the continuing line is descended; afterwards md. in France, Alix, Lady of Fremontiers and of Famechon before 1046; In the Primal Church of Rouen, in 1030, he is mentioned as a wealthy nobleman; d. 1080.

111 Sir Walter II de Tirel; md. Ann de Clare, dau. Gislebert Crispin, Count d'Eu and Brionne who was a grandson of Richard I, 3d Duke of Normandy, and was murdered in 1040. Gislebert Crispin is stated to have married Arlotta, dau. of Fulbert de Croy, a blacksmith in Falaise, who was the mother of William the Conqueror by Robert II, "le Diable", 6th Duke of Normandy. Unless Gislebert Crispin married subsequently, Ann de Clare was half-sister to William The Conqueror; contrary-wise, she was no relation.

112 Sir Walter III de Tirel; Lord of Poix, Laingaham, Kingsworthy, and Avon and a Baron of France and England; Castellan of Pontoise 1091; was present at the siege of Jerusalem, First Crusade, 1096; accidentally killed William II,

Rufus, King of England 1087 -1100 by a glancing arrow while hunting in the New Forest; md. Adeliza, dau. of Richard Fitz-Gilbert, founder of House of Clare, and Rohaise de Bolebec who was dau. of Walter Giffard, the elder, Count of Longueville in Normandy, created in 1066 Earl of Buckingham, who was the owner of 107 lordships and commanded the army of King William, Rufus, of England, in Normandy in 1089; Sir Walter III de Tirel died in the Holy Land in 1136, Second Crusade.

113 Sir Hugh Tirel; Prince of Poix; md. Ada, dau. of Etienne de Champagne, Comte d'Aumale; sold Laingaham in England prior to joining the Second Crusade in 1146; died in 1159.

114 Sir Hugh Tyrrell; Lord of Poix and first Baron of Castleknock, Ireland, in 1173; was with "Strongbow" of Ireland in 1169; was Governor of Trim in 1183; was at the siege of Acre in 1191 (Third Cursade) and was known as "The Grecian Knight", one of "De Lacy's Barons". He md. Isabel de Viganacourt in 1161 and secondly Marie de Senarpont in 1173; died 1199; buried at Selincourt, Picardy, France. (continued next issue)

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SETTLING PAINS

The Colonial years.

Terrell, Agatha; Miss; (--1787+) dau of Micajah & Deborah Gardner T.; 09/20/1782 received at South River MM of Friends with parents on certificate from Cedar Creek MM VA dated 07/14/1782; 08/16/1783 family granted certificate to New Garden MM NC; (*Ency American Quaker Genealogy Vol VI p J42*); md. William Dicks 02/07/1787 Guilford County NC (*Ency. of American Quaker Genealogy, Vol I p. 577*) New Garden Monthly Meeting N. C.

Terrell, Aggatha AGGA; Miss; (12/17/1749--1769+) born Caroline County VA dau of David & Sarah Johnson T.; member of Cedar Creek Monthly Meeting of Friends; (*Ency American Quaker Genealogy Vol VI p 274*); Caroline Co, VA.

Terrell, Amelia; Miss; (c1796--) dau of Simon & Sarah Thompson T.; md. Thomas Hollingsworth.

WAGONS WEST *Revolutionary War to WWI*

TERRELL, JOHN (*Continued from previous issue*):

02/11/1811: John Terrell of Randolph Co. (*original name of Jasper Co. between formation 1807 & 1812*) GA sold unto Johnathan Hammond of Greene Co. GA for \$100.00, 50 acres in Greene Co. on the waters of Richland Creek bounded on the south and west by Prince on the north by Ralls?, and on the east by Baldwin. Signed John Terrell; witnesses William Hammond, Susannah x Hammond, George W. Dillard, J. P., recorded 06/30/1818. (*Greene Co. GA., Deed Book 66, 1818-1827; p76-77*)

02/14/1812, Thomason Welborn and Williamson Robey of Putnam Co., GA sold unto John Terrell of Randolph (*soon to be Jasper*) Co. GA for \$212.00, half of Land Lot 42, 15th. Dist. of Baldwin Co. at the time of survey, but now Randolph Co., containing 101-1/4 acres bounded by John Edwards, lying and being on the waters of Murder Creek. Signed Thomas Welborn, Williamson Robey, witnesses: John Wright, Williamson Boswell, Johnathan Hearne, J.P.; date recorded was not shown but was probably 05/04/1813. (*Jasper Co., GA. deed book 5, part 2, p.556-557*)

We believe our John Terrell was active in the Baptist church and possibly in some others when no Baptist church was available. One John Terril was charter member of Providence Baptist Church, Shadydale, Jasper Co., GA 12/15/1810; 04/22/1815, minutes mention three members including bro Terril - - -; 05/27/1815, Bro. John Terril refused to hear the church, the church thought him to be wrong and excluded him from us; 12/25/1819, restored bro. John Terril to fellowship; 01/22/1820, dismissed bro. John Terril at his request; 03/24/1821, received bro. John Terril by letter from Mirtle Springs Church.

Some time between 1821 and 1823, he moved to Henry Co., GA. 11/01/1823, John Terrell was commissioned Justice of the Peace, Henry Co., GA Dist. 552, Capt. Holden's Co. (*I believe dist 552 is now in Butts Co., indicating that he lived in SE section of original Henry Co. GA.*)

08/28/1828, the Justices of Inferior Court (*forerunners of Co. commis-*

sioners) Henry Co., GA. ordered a road built which later became known as Macon road, beginning at Camp's Ferry on South Ockmulgee River to McDonough to pass in front of . . . "Jesse Travis' land, William Copeland's, Harper's Ford on Walnut Creek, William Hooten's, James Sellars, Jesse Osline, between 7th and 8th dists. Henry Co. on the district line to R. Hull's, JOHN TERRELL'S, Daniel Nolley's, Mc Kibben's, Phillippi Meeting House (Baptist?), J. A. Ellis, Wolf Creek, R. Cheek, Moses Rossers, McCorley's, to McDonough. Later, possibly until today, it became known as North and South Ola Rd. (Minutes Henry Co., GA)

[TO BE CONTINUED]

JET AGE

WWI until NOW

TERRELL, ANNIE LOU (11/29/1886--10/08/1972) born Clayton Co. GA; daughter of Francis Leonard 1,012.10 & Frances Elizabeth Teague T.; reared on her father's farm; never married; died Clayton Co. GA; buried Philadelphia Cemetery.

TERRELL, ANTHONY LAIRD (06/27/1961--) probably born Fulton Co., GA; son of Ronald Marlin Terrell, Sr. and his first wife; married Kimberly Newton 08/12/1979; no further info.

TERRELL, BARBARA JACKSON (05/08/1931--) born Fulton County, GA; daughter of Lowell Sylvester & Eleanor Jackson Pace T.; reared in Clayton Co. GA; married 02/28/1954 at Hapeville Presbyterian Church, Fulton Co., GA to Thomas Frederick McDonald; mother of 5 children; teacher; address, 9725 Brown Rd, Jonesboro, GA 30236, ph. 404-478-9216.

WELCOME

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Reprints from other publications
Share yours with us please!

SEVEN-YEAR-OLD ARTIST



Patricia Faye Palmer, winner for first grade in the Tallapoosa County Art Contest, is the granddaughter of Lenora Theodore Palmer and Susan B. Palmer, with whom she has always made her home. Both grandparents are seasoned workers for Avondale Mills. Both started working in Sallie B. No. 2 in 1922 Susan B. in September and Theodore in October. Susan worked constantly in Sallie B. No. II until 1945. But Theodore stopped in 1936 and farmed until 1943 when he again returned to Sallie B. No. II where he has worked ever since until recently. When the Sallie B. workers were transferred to other departments he was sent to Eva Jane weave room third shift.

Patricia's mother worked from 1925 to 1942 in Central winder room.

Palmer (11/16/1913--03/25/1914). Their other daughters, Nora 'Dessie,' Avis Idelle, & Jewel Faye all are still living and have lovely families. Patricia is now Patricia Ludlum and lives in or near Macon, GA.

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MORE MEMBERS NEEDED!!!

Although the membership of the Terrell Society of America is slowly growing, we are still far short of the 100 or more members needed to make printing a newsletter economical. Additional applications and genealogical charts are enclosed with this issue. We are even enclosing a sample of a completed genealogical chart which goes all the way from the editor back to John Terrell. Although it was only necessary to go to my grandmother to connect with the Terrell name, the additional generations are for your information and to

The article at left appeared in a Sylacauga, Alabama newspaper about 1945/46. Those named in the article include Susan B. [Lou 'Beulah' Huett] Palmer (10/26/1895--09/03/1952) who was step-daughter of Margaret Lorena Terrell Huett Jacks Duncan, granddaughter of Absalom Terrell. Beulah was daughter of John Thomas Huett (11/04/1874--08/10/1902) and his first wife Susan Alice Wilson (11/20/1875--10/06/1900) daughter of Thomas Lorenza 'Dow' Wilson, all of Coosa County Alabama. Beulah married Linson Theodore Palmer (07/01/1889--?) on 11/24/1912 in Coosa County Alabama. They farmed a few years in Coosa County then moved to more lucrative employment in the textile mills in Sylacauga. Theodore and Beulah lost a daughter, Era Mozelle

help others complete their charts. It is not necessary for any applicant to duplicate any documents listed on the sample chart. Those of you who are still fortunate enough to have the TERRELL name really don't have to document anything, but it would help the Society's collection of documents if you could. Birth, marriage, death certificates as well as photocopies of Bible records all make up 'Terrell Trails upon the sands of time.' Please pass the extra applications and charts on to any relatives you see that are not included in the Charter Members list. Maybe if you share your *Terrell Trails* with them, they'll realize what we are trying to do and join us too! All who join us by the end of 1985 will get a copy of each issue of *Terrell Trails* for this year, so they won't be left out on our early history.

QUERIES

*Ancestor? Relative? Descendent?
Your LOST CONNECTION column
Limited to 2 per member per year
Subject to space available
Send us yours today!*

NOTE: These queries are on behalf of the Terrell Society at large, not Dan Brinson personally.

Seeking descendents of William Henry Terrell who married Sarah Ann Wright 08/26/1858, Pike Co. GA. Reply to Dan Brinson, Secretary, Terrell Society of America, P O Box 1354, Douglasville, GA 30133

Seeking descendents of 'General' Harrison H. Terrell who married Millie Evans? or Givens? Pike Co. GA. area 1860 or later. Reply to Dan Brinson, Secretary, Terrell Society of America, P O Box 1354, Douglasville, GA 30133

Seeking descendents of Thomas Jefferson Terrell who married Fannie Al-lum? Alhams? Pike Co. GA. area. Reply to Dan Brinson, Secretary, Terrell Society of America, P O Box 1354, Douglasville, GA 30133

Seeking descendents of Charles Benson Terrell who married Alice Dorsey (or Dawsey) Pike Co. GA area. Believed to have lived in Columbus, GA area. Reply to Dan Brinson, Secretary, Terrell Society of America, P O Box 1354, Douglasville, GA 30133

SETTLING PAINS

The Colonial years.

Terrell, Charles; Mr; Charles [Terrell? Furrell?] orphan bound to Rev. Mr. John Brown; (*Augusta Parish Vestry Book p. 237*); Augusta County, VA.

Terrell, Charles; Mr; (08/03/1748--1754+) born VA; son of Henry & Sarah Woodson T.; (*Ency. American Quaker Genealogy Vol VI p. 274*); Cedar Creek Monthly Meeting, VA.

Terrell, Charles L.; Mr; (--1789+) md. Sally Lynch 04/06/1789 Campbell County VA; (*Marriage Bonds*); (*Ency. American Quaker Genealogy Vol VI p. 858*); Campbell County, VA.

Terrell, Charles Lynch; Mr; (--1781+) son of Micajah & Sarah Lynch T.; 10/09/1779 complaint against him discontinued; 01/13/1781 member of Caroline Meeting reported that he 'has agreed to take the place of a soldier in a military capacity & also active in horse racing; under care of MM; 07/14/1781 condemned for misconduct; deferred; condemned again in 10th month; 11/10/1781 dismissed sundry disorders & military services; family listed in South River Monthly Meeting; (*Ency. American Quaker Genealogy Vol VI p. 276/341*); Cedar Creek Monthly Meeting, VA.

Terrell, Chiles TYRRILL; Mr; (--1783+) son of ? ? & Nancy ? T.; md. Margaret Peggy DOUGLAS Merriwether 02/20/1783 Louisa County VA; md. by bride's father, Rev. William Douglas; her second marriage; 6 children by her first to Nicholas Merriwether; 04/12/1783 dismissed by Cedar Creek Monthly Meeting of Friends VA; married out of unity; Children: James Hunter Tyrrell b. 09/08/1784 (*Douglas Register*); (*Ency American Quaker Genealogy Vol VI p 274/276*); Caroline & Louisa County, VA.

Terrell, Clark CLARKE; Mr; (11/29/1799-- 1799+) born Caroline County, VA; son of Matthew Peatross & Sarah 'Salley' Moorman T.; named for his grandfather Clark Moorman; member of Cedar Creek Monthly Meeting of Friends; 10/09/1813 w/mother granted certificate to Short Creek Monthly Meeting Orange County, VA.; (*Ency of American Quaker Genealogy Vol VI p. 274/277*); Caroline County, VA.

Terrell, David; Mr; (--1793+) possible son of David & Sarah of Caroline Co. VA; member of Cedar Creek MM; 02/23/1793 produced a certificate from South River MM to marry Patty Johnson; 03/09/1793 reported married to Patty Johnson; md. Patty Johnson 02/25/1793 Hanover County, VA; married in Cedar Creek Meeting House; wife dau. of Ashley & Martha Johnson of Louisa County VA; 06/18/1795 Patty wife of David Terrell granted certificate to South River MM VA; (*Ency. American Quaker Genealogy Vol VI p 274/276*); Campbell County, VA.

Terrell, David; Mr; (--1795+) gave joint surety with John Terrell in appointment of Thomas Terrell as guardian of Charles & Henry Terrell sons of Peter Terrell; (*Wilkes County GA. Estate Records*); (1795) in or near Wilkes County, GA.

Terrell, David; Mr; (03/11/1763--1769+) born Caroline Co. VA; son of David & Sarah Johnson T.; 01/19/1782 received by South River MM of Friends on certificate from Cedar Creek MM dated 08/24/1781; 06/15/1782 one David Terrell in South River MM reported married to Sarah Goode; 01/19/1793 one David Terrell of South River MM granted certificate to Cedar Creek Meeting to marry; 01/21/1794 David Terrell Jr. of South River condemned misconduct; 02/13/1796 Patty wife of David received on certificate from Cedar Creek MM dated 06/13/1795; 03/12/1796 one David Terrell under care of South River MM for dancing; 06/11/1796 one David Terrell Jr condemned for dancing and fiddling; acc & read at Hills Creek meeting; 12/08/1798 David Jr. disowned; paper read at Hills Creek Meeting; (*Ency. American Quaker Genealogy Vol VI p 274/342*); Caroline Co, VA.

Terrell, David Jr; Mr; (--1749+); son of David & ? ? T.; 01/11/1748/49 granted certificate to Friends MM at Green Spring Louisa County VA; (*Ency Quaker Genealogy Vol VI p 275*) Cedar Creek Monthly Meeting, VA.

Whatsoever good thing any man doeth, the same shall he receive of the Lord, whether he be bond or free. *Ephesians 6:8.*