

From the castle of Ralf, Sir de Tirel 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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Therel, Therell, Thereil, Theril, Therill; Thirel, Thirrel, Thorvil, Thurvil, Tirel, Tirrel, Tirrell, Tiril, Tirril, Tirrill, Turel, Turrel,  
Turrell, Tyral, Tyrell, Tyrel, Tyrell, Tyril, Tyrill, Tyrral, Tyrrall, Tyrral, Tyrrill, etc.

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## Card of Thanks

Members of the TERRELL SOCIETY wish to extend a heartfelt **Thank You** to **Mr. William Y. TERRILL** [father of member #144, **Mr. Don C. TERRILL**] for contribution of 10 copies of their TERRILL FAMILY books to go to libraries selected to receive copies of books in the TERRELL LENDING LIBRARY DISTRIBUTION (If a book is not already there).

## Roger TERRILL of Milford Society

We have information that a society has been formed and is offering charter memberships. Purposes include 1) gather and coordinate info on Roger and Abigail UFFORD TERRILL and their descendents; and 2) help membership with their individual family searches. Possible special projects could include en-

gaging a genealogist in England to try to determine their origins which have thus far eluded all of us. Long range plans include publication of a thoroughly researched family history of that line. Everyone is welcome. You do not have to be a proven descendent of Roger TERRILL to join. Membership fee and dues \$7.00. More info from **Nancy Tyrrel Theodore, Research Coordinator; 1510 Cimarron Drive; Bismarck, ND 58501.**

## CALENDAR

*Upcoming Reunions & Family Events  
Send Us Yours Today!*

## Wingfield-Terrell Reunion?

It has been suggested that the TERRELL SOCIETY OF AMERICA, INC. hold a joint meeting/reunion with the WINGFIELD FAMILY SOCIETY in Atlanta, GA April 5-8, 1990.

It has also been suggested that your editor make the necessary arrangements on behalf of the TERRELL SOCIETY. However, due to personal problems, that will be almost impossible. Unless someone else in the Atlanta area agrees to host the reunion/meeting, we will not be able to pull off this joint venture, exciting as it sounds!

The WINGFIELD and TERRELL lines intermarried in VA and GA hundreds of years ago and there are thousands of persons who now share those lineages.

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Regardless of whether we can have a joint meeting, the following details are provided for those of you who may have WINGFIELD ancestry so that you may arrange to attend the WINGFIELD reunion if you desire.

The meeting will be held at the RAMADA RENAISSANCE HOTEL ATLANTA AIRPORT with members from all over the USA and England.

The schedule is as follows: April 5 - 3 pm Board Meeting; April 6 - Registration, 2 pm General Meeting, 6 pm Reception & Dinner; April 7 - All day tour of Wingfield homes in Washington, GA, 6:30 pm banquet; April 8 - 8 am Breakfast and Windup Meeting.

To be eligible for membership in the WINGFIELD society, it is required that "one be a WINGFIELD, be related to a WINGFIELD, or be married to a WINGFIELD descendent. It is not necessary that they have the name WINGFIELD." Goals of the WINGFIELD SOCIETY are similar to those of the TERRELL SOCIETY. Newsletter and some other publications are available.

Membership runs Jan 1, to Dec. 31 as with the TERRELL SOCIETY. Membership fee is \$25.00. Additional information and applications are available from **Wilsie WINGFIELD Carr; WINGFIELD FAMILY SOCIETY; 301 Belleview Blvd.; Belleair, FL 34616.**

## REVIEWS BY DAN



*Books and Periodicals  
of Genealogical Merit*

WINGFIELD NEWSLETTER, Vol III No. 3, Summer 1989; 6 pages 8 1/2 x 11; professionally typeset with screened magazine quality photos; published by **WINGFIELD FAMILY SOCIETY; 301 Belleview Blvd; Belleair, FL 34616**; editor appears to be Wilsie WINGFIELD CARR, President, but publication does not so state; articles include announcement of publish USA WINGFIELD FAMILY HISTORY; WINGFIELD reunion in AZ with photos; obit of Dr. William Lynn WINGFIELD of Marl Ridge; an appeal to members to donate a copy of *MUNIMENTS*

OF THE ANCIENT SAXON FAMILY OF WINGFIELD to their local library at a special price as well as purchase their own while the supply lasts; time chart of WINGFIELDS arriving in Canada pre-1896; member profile; new members, reunions, and other short interesting articles. A job very well done for an organization formed in 1987.

JOHNSON JOURNAL Vol 7, No. 3 no date; edited by Verna ELLIS P O Box 96 Boderick, CA 95605; 8 1/2 x 11, 16 pages; change to new format from 6x8 is welcomed because the print is now full size instead of reduced; 2 pages queries; 2 pages book reviews; list of names and addresses of 17 publications exchanging copies; remainder of issue filled with JOHNSON (and variants) from the COMPENDIUM OF AMERICAN GENEALOGY which was continued from previous issue and to succeeding issue.

## QUERIES

*Limited to two per member per year & limited to 50 words each maximum.*

Want ancestors, descendants, siblings, migration, birth, marriage, and Spanish American War info on Francis Oliver TERRELL b. 03/28/1867 KY; d. 11/17/1947 at Temple, Bell County, TX and his first spouse Martha Jane LYKINS b. 03/16/1865 at KY; d. 03/16/1935 at Pyron, Scurry County, TX. Also want info on ancestors, descendants, siblings, migration, birth, marriage, and activities as leader of TERRELL GANG [or TERRELL RAIDERS] in several states of Hasten Homer TERRELL b. 12/15/1892 at KY; d. 01/16/1935 at Bisbee, Cochise County, AZ; and his spouse Mary Melinda DIKES b. 03/18/1892 at Junction City, TX; d. 03/14/1943 at Douglas, Cochise County, AZ. #269 Millie E. WRIGHT; P O Box 427; Merlin, OR 97532.

Want info on ancestors, birth, & death of Nancy TERRELL b. 1820 near Yanceyville, Caswell County, NC; d. 10/27/1905 near Gleason, Weakley County, TN; and her first spouse, William NEWBERRY b. 11/15/1807 [Richmond county?] NC; d. 03/25/1885 near Gleason, Weakley County, TN; she was related to VAUGHNS of Weakley County. Also want info on ancestors, birth, & death of James Monroe TERRELL b. 06/10/ 1826 near Yanceyville, Caswell County, NC; d. 02/15/1913 at Gleason, TN; and his first spouse Angeline LONG b. 1841; d. 1921 at Gleason, TN; md. 01/17/1863 at Gleason, Weakley County,

TN; also another brother, John TERRELL. #310 Marian N. SMITH; 418 N Bailey ST; McKenzie, TN 38201.

Want info on descendants of James Terrell FONTAINE, b. 11/18/1776 at Louisa County, VA; d. at Brandenburg, Meade County, KY on 01/04/1840; and his first spouse, Deborah HOBBS, b. 1776 at Frederick County, MD; d. at Brandenburg, KY 11/04/1867; md. 12/31/1799 at Nelson County, KY; recorded in Marriage Register #1, page 71. #331 Mr. F. R. Harris; 6 Concord Lane; St. Louis, MO 63128.

Want info on ancestors, siblings, birth, death, whether she was Cherokee on Mahala BALES-BEALE b. c1816 in KY d. after 1880 census where she was 64 year of age in Lawrence County, IN; and her first spouse, Robert TERRILL b. c1802 in KY; d. at Lawrence County, IN c1876-1880; d/ 06/17/1840 in Lawrence County, IN. She had dau Mary BALES raised as a TERRILL; known children by name of TERRELL: William A., John, Abigail, & James H. Robert sold land in 1876, but was not on 1880 census with Mahala. #327 Roberta WILLETT; 2348 Schmitt Rd; Rose City, MI 48654.

Want ancestors, descendants, siblings, & birthplace of Adam TERRIL-TERRELL b. 09/19/1742 in RI? or NJ?; d. at Salem County, NJ 04/27/1790; and his first spouse, Mary THOMPSON, b. 09/13/1741 or 1745; d. in NJ 10/18/1787 or 1789; md. 12/29/1765; need proof that Mary THOMPSON was dau. of Benjamin and Anna NEWCOMB THOMPSON of Cumberland County, NJ. Also want info on ancestors, descendants, siblings, migration, birth, & death of Newcomb TERRELL b. ca1778 in NJ; d. probably Clinton County, OH ca 1843; and his first or second spouse, Jane JOHNSON b. ca 1795-98 in NC; d. in Clark Township, Clinton County OH 01/14/1877; md. 05/26/1814 at Hillsboro, Highland County, OH; recorded Book 1, page 109. Adam TERRELL & wife, Mary THOMPSON had a son Newcomb TERRIL b. 11/07/1778, Cumberland County NJ. Is Newcomb of Clinton County, OH that son? #312 Lola Terrell MULFORD; 1833 Buckingham Dr; Chesterfield, MO 63017.

Want info on ancestors, descendants, siblings, & migration of Elizabeth TERRIL b. 08/15/1792 either VA or NC; d. at Clark County IL 04/07/1840; and her



spouse, **Josiah CONNELLY** b. 08/21/1783 at Ashe County, NC; d. Clark County, IL 02/20/1870; md. 04/29/1813, probably in NC; moved from NC to IN ca1820 and to Clark County, IL 1832; records show her father as **William** & her mother as **Nancy**. #293 **Mrs. Eleanor N. HOWARD**; 503 East Main; Casey, IL 62420.

Want info on ancestors, descendents, siblings, migration of **Thomas "Tom" TERRELL** b. 03/01/1865 at NC; d. Cistern, Fayette County, TX 04/03/1945; and his spouse **Frances "Fannie" Adeline NITE** b. 12/11/1864 at Houston County, TX; d. at Cistern TX 11/30/1933; md. 08/02/1903 in Fayette County, TX; recorded in book 10, page 209. Also want ancestors, descendents, & siblings of **Ann Overton TERRELL** b. 09/03/1748 in Louisa County, VA; d. 11/30/1820 and her spouse **Col. Zachary LEWIS** b. 05/06/1731 at King & Queen County, VA; d. 07/21/1803 at Spotylvania County, VA; md. 05/08/1771. #335 **Sue RAGUZIN**; 5008 Briarbrook; Dickinson, TX, 77539.

Want info on ancestors, descendents, siblings, migration, birth, death, marriage, and other information on **Sarah HENDERSON** b. at Newcastle, IN; d. 06/20/1931; and her first spouse, **Joseph Pyle WIGGINS** d. 1882; md. 07/24/1867; a writer; she is quoted in publications including *THE COMPENDIUM OF THE FIRST FAMILIES OF AMERICA*, *THE VIRGINIA HISTORICAL MAGAZINE*, & *TERRELL GENEALOGY* by **Helen MEIER Smith**. She is a great granddaughter of **Mary Foster TERRELL** who md. **Reuben RUCKER** in Culpeper County, VA in 1785. I would like to know if Sarah HENDERSON WIGGINS has any writings on genealogy recorded, and if so, where? #315 **Mrs. Alice Rucker ALLEN**; 1514 Westover Road; Austin, TX 78703.

Want all children of **Achilles TERRILL** b. 1798 KY; d. before 1860 AR; and his spouse **Elizabeth OSBORNE** b. 1806 TN; d. 1886, TX; need parents of Elizabeth OSBORNE; proof/reference that Achilles was a son of **George** and **Martha STEVENSON TERRILL** and that this George was a son of **Robert Jr.** and **Judith TOWLES TERRILL**; TX Terrill descendents used to have this info. #325 **Mary Davidson DUNNELL**; 2208 NE 177th St.; Seattle, WA 98155.

## CHANGES

*Births, Marriages, Moves, Deaths*  
*You let us know: Who? When? Where?*

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## SETTLING PAINS

*The Colonial Years*

Submitted by Mrs. Millie E. WRIGHT #269

List of passengers on the **DOWNES** from port of London 12/25/1635

[the number following each passenger is his age]

Wm. ROLF, 20; Jo: LAWNDER, 16; Wm. ATWELL, 21; Hugh PERRY 27; Jo: STOTTER, 26; Rich R., HUGHES, 28; Tho: DAVIES, 17; Henry BENSON, 19; Jo: WELSH 35; Henry SOUTHWARD, 20; Ric R. NEWBOLT, 28; Lawrence KEYSIE, 28; James ROBINSON, 15; Ant: O POPE, 28; Griffinn EVANS, 40; James TERRILL, 20; Elizabeth COSSEN, 25; Jane HICKLES, 25; Henry VanLUCCOM, 24; Jo: KING, 30; Wm. FLATTER, 18; Jo: WESTON, 27; Tho: CLARK, 28; Wm. CONISBY, 31; Robert TISSALL, 30; Tho: UNVON, 19; Tristram FORD, 21; Elias CARPENTER, 20; Richard HAMES, 18; Thomas STRETER, 21; James LEE, 28; total passengers, 32. List does not give destination, but we know that one **James TERRELL** arrived in Virginia in the 1630s. (Source: *Passengers to America* page 72, & page 143 of a passenger list book without title shown on copy) ##

**TERRILL, Nathan**: son of John and Abigail, bapt. at Milford, 22 Oct. 1693; d. at North Stratford abt. 1754; m. at New Milford, 7 June 1721, **Ruth BUCK**. She m. (2) at Stratford, 17 Dec. 1754, **Benjamin BURTON**. Will 14 May 1746, proved 16 Aug. 1754; wife **Ruth**; eldest son **David**; dau. **Ruth SHERMAN**; dau. **Abigail TERRILL**; sons, **Daniel, Jonathan, Nathan, Asel, Hezekiah**; daus. **Comfort, Eunice, Lowis TERRILL**.

Distribution, 3 Sept. 1754: widow **Ruth**; **Ruth** wife of **William SHERMAN**; **Eunice** wife of **Joseph HALL**; **Daniel**; eldest son, **David**; **Johathan**; **Abigail TER-**

**RILL**; **Comfort**, wife of **Ebenezer Summers**; **Nathan**; **Lois TERRILL**; **Asabel**; **Hezekiah**. **Asael** and **Nathan** chose **William ODELL** for guardian; **Lois** chose **Gershom ODELL** who was appointed for **Hezekiah**.

Children, rec. New Milford: **David**, b. 22 Apr. 1723; res. Stratford 1754; md. **Ann ODELL**, dau **Hezekiah**. **Ruth**, b. 22 Nov 1724, d. 28 Mar. 1784 ae. 60 (g.s., Gaylordsville); m. (1) at New Milford, 18 Apr. 1743 **William SHERMAN**; m. (2) 28 Sept. 1756, **Dea. Benjamin GAYLORD**.

**Daniel**, b. 11 July 1726; res. Stratford 1757; m. at Trumbull 7 Dec 1748, **Mary R** — — —.

**Abigail**, b. 24 Mar 1728, d. 11 July 1757; m. at New Milford, 29 Jan 1745, **Paul TERRILL**.

**Jonathan**, b. 29 May 1730; res. Newtown 1754; est. distributed 15 Jan 1765, to eldest son **Oliver** and 2nd son **Amos**; m. **Abigail JACKSON**, bapt 1 July 1733, d. in 1764. Adm'n on her estate was granted, 13 Sept. 1764 to **Peter STEVENS** and **John JACKSON, Jr.**; **Adin JACKSON** was appointed guardian of **Amos**, and **Peter STEVENS** of **Oliver**, two **TERRILL** children of North Fairfield. **Amos** had a son **David-Sherwood** bapt at Easton, 3 Dec. 1791.

**Comfort**, b. 17, bapt. 30 Jan 1731/32; m. at Trumbull, 24 Jan. 1749/50 **Ebenezer SUMMERS**.

**Eunice**, b. 4, bapt. 8 June 1735; m. at Trumbull, 2 May 1754, **Joseph HALL**. (Footnote: I have not found a Joseph in either Fairfield or Wallingford HALL families to fit this marriage. Eunice's aunt **Bethia TERRILL** m. **Joseph HALL** of Wallingford, and their son **Ephraim HALL** had an unknown first wife **Eunice**.)

**Nathan**, b. 26 (?) bapt. 13 Feb. 1736/7, d. at Stratford in 1783; adm'n granted 7 Nov. 1783 to **Josiah LACEY**; m. **Elizabeth LYON**, dau. of **Nathaniel**. (Footnote: Two daus. of Nathan (**Anna & Elizabeth**) were named in the will of their gr. mother **LYON**. Nathan had two children bapt. at Huntington Epis. Church: **Elizabeth**, 30 May 1762; and **Nathaniel-Lyon**, 2 Sept. 1764.)

**Asabel**, b. 20, bapt. 23 Sept. 1739; res. New Milford 1760; m. at Easton, 21 Dec. 1763, **Hannah HOYT**. (Footnote: child, bapt. at Easton: **Jonathan**, bapt. 3 Nov. 1764) **Lois**, b. 27, bapt. 31 May 1741; m. at New Milford, 23 Sept 1761, **James GIDDINGS** of New Fairfield.

**Hezekiah**, b. [say 1743], d. abt. 1764. Distribution ordered to **Nathan, Asael, Ruth GAYLORD, David, Daniel**, heirs of **Jonathan**, heirs of **Abigail TYRREL, Comfort SUMMERS, Eunice HALL, Lois "GIDEONS."** (Source: *HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF THE FAMILIES OF OLD FAIRFIELD* pages 950-951) ##

**TERRILL, Nathaniel:** "from the Jerseys," he m. at Redding, 23 Jan 1770, **Abigail RUMSEY**; child bapt Redding, **Elias**, bapt. 6 May 1773. (Source: *HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF THE FAMILIES OF OLD FAIRFIELD* page 951) ##

## TERRILL-TURRILL

**Enoch** m. Feb 1769, **Sarah LACEY**. [Easton Church]  
**John** m. 17 Aug. 1769, **Deborah MIDDLEBROOK**. [Easton Church]

**Stephen**, m. May 1773, **Abigail HUBBELL**. [Easton Church]

**Anne** m. 27 Dec. 1773, **Daniel ROWLAND**. [Easton Church]

**Ephraim** m. Sept. 1790, **Deborah ROWELL** [Easton Church]; **Ephraim** d. at Trumbull, 3 Jan 183[-] ae. 63 (g.s.); his widow **Deborah** d. 24 Aug. 1855 ae. 80 (g.s.).  
**Nehemiah**, b. 5 Jan 1774; m. 5 Jan 1798, **Anne BEERS**. Child: **Sheldon**, b. 18 July 1798. [Weston rec.]

**Elijah** m. 16 July 1796, **Clara MEEKER**. [Fairfield Church. (Source: *HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF THE FAMILIES OF OLD FAIRFIELD* page 951) ##

The estate of **John SCOTT** of Wallingford, 8 Dec. 1713, was ordered distributed in eight equal shares to **Edmund**, **Samuel**, **George**, **David**, **Jonathan**, and **Robert SCOTT**; **Sarah** wife of **Roger TERRILL**, and **Robert RISDEN**. There is here something of a mystery. The six SCOTTs were brothers, sons of **Edmund SCOTT** of Farmington (prob. by his second wife **Elizabeth FULLER Upson**). They had a seventh brother, **Joseph**, who d. at Farmington in 1708, and was prob. father of the John whose estate was distributed. They had also two sisters (prob. half-sisters) on the paternal side, as well as **UPSON** half-brothers and sisters on the maternal side, who are not mentioned in the distribution, showing that only John's uncles and aunts of "whole blood" participated. It would likely appear that **Mrs. TERRILL** and **Robert RISDEN**, who participated, were connected on the side of **John SCOTT**'s mother. As a tentative hypothesis, **Robert RISDEN**'s sister, **Sarah**, md. **Roger TERRILL** of Woodbury; **Mary RISDEN** or another sister m. **Joseph SCOTT** and was mother of John. While possible, this theory is far from proven. (Source: *HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF THE FAMILIES OF OLD FAIRFIELD* page 503, footnote.) ##

**Elizabeth [SHERMAN?]**, bapt. 12 Oct. 1684; d. at Woodbury, 15 Apr. 1747; m. 23 July 1713, **Roger TERRILL**. [Elizabeth included in a list of children, previous page containing parents was not submitted. Next listing is for **SHERMAN, Nathaniel**.] (Source: *HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF THE FAMILIES OF OLD FAIRFIELD* page 544.) ##

**John MITCHELL**, son of **David**, Ens. Woodbury Trainband May 1705, deputy Woodbury 1709; m. **Elizabeth KNELL**, dau. of **Nicholas** of Stratford, b. 3 May 1653, D. at Woodbury, 19 Jan 1729/30. Settled in Woodbury; Ens. John d. 3 June 1732; will 1 Feb 1723/4 proved 3 July 1732; wife **Elizabeth**; sons **John** and **Knell**; daus. **Elizabeth SQUIRE** and **Martha HURD**. Son **Knell**, bapt. Apr. 1690/1, d. at Woodbury in 1746; will 10 July 1746, proved 8 Dec. 1746; m. **Martha TERRILL**, b. 19 Nov. 1697, d. 1 Oct 1730. (Source: *HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF THE FAMILIES OF OLD FAIRFIELD* page 417.) ##

**TERRELL, John J.**, 20: listed on page 83, *List of Colonial Soldiers of Virginia*. ##

## Revolutionary War Pension Applications

Submitted by **Mrs. Millie E. WRIGHT #269**

**TERREL, Elihu**; CT, S3773

**TERREL, Jared**; CT, S18625

**TERRELL, Asahel**; CT, NY, **Hannah BLACKMAN**, former wid. W17311; widow's second husband **Nehemiah BLACKMAN**, served in Rev.

**TERRELL, Enoch**; NJ; Nancy W874

**TERRELL, Joel**; NC; agcy & res., S14664

**TERRELL, Richmond**; VA R10459

**TERRELL, Simon**; NC S32008

**TERRELL, William**; NY S42467

**TERRELL, William**; SC(b. NC) S16550

**TERRIL, Ephraim**; CT S11528

**TERRIL, Presley**; Cont. VA S38430

**TERRILL, Amos**; MA R10458

**TERRILL, Hezekiah**; CT, Betsey W22393; BLWt, 36668-160-55

**TERRILL, Joel**; CT, Eunice W4353

**TERRILL, John**; Cont. CT; S37484

**TERRILL, Nathan**; CT; Dorothy W4083

**TERRILL, Stephen**; CT; S41234

(Source: *REVOLUTIONARY PENSION APPLICATIONS*, page 570.)####





**WAGONS WEST**  
*Revolutionary War to WWI*

# **WRECKING OF LOG CABIN NEAR HELTONVILLE REVIVES TALE OF INDIAN FIGHTING**

Submitted by **Mrs. Roberta WILLETT #327**

The wrecking of a log cabin last winter on the **Charles WHITE** farm near Heltonville [Pleasant Run Township, Lawrence county IN, R. Willett] revived a tale of hardy pioneers fighting off an Indian raid on their wilderness home.

The log cabin was built about 1820 of hand hewn poplar, ash, and walnut logs by **Edmund TERRELL**. Some of the huge logs taken out of the old building this winter are still as good as the day they were put up, the present owner says.

**TERRELL**, himself a native of Kentucky, came to Lawrence county a few years before 1820 and was killed in the Indian raid. His cabin stood beside an Indian trail that led from the white settlement at Leesville, several miles south, to an Indian camp near the headwaters of what is now called Henderson Creek.

At the time of the attack, **TERRELL** was working alone in the clearing near his home. A band of red men came up the trail, headed for the Indian village, and seeing that he was alone, attacked him. After killing and scalping him, they turned toward the house.

## **Door Bolted**

**TERRELL's** wife, **Sally**, and a daughter about 12 years old were the only members of the family at the cabin. They bolted the door and Mrs. **TERRELL** hid the girl behind some barrels and climbed upstairs. The Indians began to batter the door. As she heard the heavy oaken planks give way, Mrs. **TERRELL** leaped from the upstairs window with a feather bed wrapped around her. She ran across the field while the Indians stood in awe, watching the cumbersome creature run. Finally, some of the more adventurous braves loosed their arrows. Mrs. **TERRELL** was wounded, but managed to escape.

The savages entered the cabin, found the girl, and carried her away with them. The girl was barefooted

and the trail was rough and flinty. Her feet were soon bloody from the cuts of the stones. The Indians prodded her heels with sharpened sticks when she began to lag. At last, she could stand no more and collapsed on the trail. Some of the girl's captors were for killing her right there, but the will of the older warriors who favored taking her alive to the camp, prevailed. She was left with an old squaw who was ordered to doctor the girl's feet until she could be brought to camp.

## **Escape From Indians**

Alone with the squaw, the girl bided her time. One dark night when the old woman relaxed her vigilance, the girl slipped away. She found her way back over the trail to her home where she joined her mother. She grew to womanhood in the cabin.

The bottom logs of the building rotted away in recent years, making it sag. The descendents of the **TERRELLs** used it to house their stock and feed. ## Note: [by woman who sent clipping to Evelyn **DODDS** who lives in Arcadia, FL, 1989] "I have the old newspaper clipping about this old house and thought you might be interested in reading about it. The old log cabin was torn down around the beginning of the Second World War, but we found the old corner stones still in place about 1979. This is just a little additional family history." ####

# **Transfer of Edmund TERRELL Lands**

By **Roberta WILLETT**

I wrote to the woman who now owns the land where the log cabin stood. Her name is **Margaret ED-DINGTON**, Route #1, Box 364, Heltonville, IN 47436. She copied this information from her deed. Land grant from United States to **Edmund TERRILL** 1820.

Wife **Sarah TERRILL**.

Children: **Edmund, Joseph, Polly, Phebe, Robert, William, and June**.

In his will, he left his wife, **Edmund, Joseph, & Robert** each some land.

**Robert TERRILL** sold 20 acres to **Andrew BALES** in 1835.

**Andrew BALES** Dec. land went to **David McCullum BALES** in 1837.

**Joseph TERRILL** died and left wife, **Celia**; children **Robert & Jane** in 1838.

**Andrew BALES** Dec. to **James WINEFREY** 1847.  
**Arnold A. BALES** & wife **Betsy**; **David M. BALES** & wife **Hannah**; **Alexander BALES** & wife **Betsy**; **Ziba OWENS** and wife **Catherine** to **James WINFREY** all dated 1852. **James WENFREY** & wife **Penelope** to **Alexander FOX** dated 1852.

**Abraham FOX**, wife **Action** to **Henry CLARK** dated 1852.

**Martha BALES**, a parcel of land to **Henry CLARK** dated 1852.

**Robert TERRILL** (son of **Joseph**) died left widow **Mary**; children, **George** & **Celia** dated 1862. **Mary TERRILL** and **Celia TERRILL** to **Jane [TERRILL] RAMSEY** (dau. of **Joseph**) dated 1863.

**Henry CLARK** to **Jane [TERRILL] RAMSEY** dated 1870.

**Jane [TERRILL] RAMSEY** died and left the property to a daughter **Mary RAMSEY Stoltz Houshour** and a grandson, **William R. STOLTS** (Mary's son by former marriage, he d. 1926) dated 1920.

**Mary [RAMSEY] HOUSHOUR** to **Charles WHITE**, nephew, dated 1947.

**Charles WHITE** Dec. to **Harold** and **Margaret ED-DINGTON** dated 1956. #####

## TERRELL census records of Lawrence County IN

Extracted & Submitted by **Roberta WILLETT**

**1820**: page 19: **William TERREL** one male 18-25; one female 16-18

page 19: **John TERREL** one male 18-25; one female under 10, one female 16-18.

**1830**: page 71: **Robert TERRELL** 2 males under 5, 1 male 5-10, 1 male 20- 30; one female under 5, one female 20-30

page 71: **Sally TERELL** 2 males 20-30; one female 50-60

**1840**: page 231 **Selah TERRELL** 1 male under 5; one female under 5; one female 5-10, 2 females 10-15, one female 20-30, & one female 40- 50

page 231 **Robert TERRELL** one male 30-40; one female 20-30

**1850** Pleasant Run Township census: Household 1596: **Robert TAERRILL** age 48 born KY; wife, **Mahala** 40 born KY; **Tyera** (son) 17 born IN; **Polly** 14 born IN; **William** 7 born IN; & **John** 5 born IN.

**1860**, July 5, page 59, Pleasant Run Township, Heltonville Household 375: **Robert TERRALL** age 59 born KY; **Mahala** 47 born KY; **John** 14 born IN; **Abagel** 11 born IN; **Jane** 17 born IN; and **James** 8 born IN.

No **1870** Census, and I don't know why.

**1880** Pleasant Run Township Household 257: **TERREL, Mahaly** age 64, born KY, parents born KY; **Phebe J.** 35 born IN, parents born KY; **James H.** 25 born IN, parents born KY.

Household 257 (separate family) **TERREL, William** 37 born IN, parents born KY; **Mary** (wife) 39 birth places not listed; **George M.** 19, born in IN, parents born IN; **Leroy** 15, ditto; **Euretta** 10 ditto; **Mary E.** 10 months, ditto.

[Editor's Note] The preceding records confirm what I have told both readers and clients repeatedly — census records are “what the census taker thought someone told him!” It doesn't take a mathematical wizard to see that Mahala only aged 24 years (64-40) in the 30 years 1850-1880; and only 7 years between 1850 & 1860. While there is no reason to doubt the honesty of either census taker or researcher, the mathematics simply do not match. In cases like this, I usually give more credence to the earliest age — 1850 census in this case. First, the family was younger, memory was probably better. Second, in 1880 the age may have been given by another adult in the family who simply did not know how old Mahala was. It also points out that spelling means nothing. Note the different ways **TERRELL** is spelled when it obviously refers to the same family. Dan B. #####

## Robert TERRELL Family

(from group sheet by R. WILLETT)

**Robert TERRELL** was born c1802 in KY; married second 06/17/1840 in Lawrence county, IN to **Mahala BALES** born c1810-1816 in KY. He died between 01/10/1876 when he sold some land and the 1880 census in Lawrence county, IN. **Robert** was the son of **Edmund** and **Sarah TERRELL/TERRILL**. The parentage of Mahala BALES is unproven. Family tradition states that she was raped by an Indian and had a daughter named Mary BALES who was raised as a TERRELL after her mother married Robert TERRELL. No record has been found to either substantiate or deny this family tradition. Mary BALES TERRILL married Silas OWENS 03/16/1854 in Lawrence county, IN.

### Children of Robert

Son, **William A. TERRELL** was born 08/04/1842 in Pleasant Run Township, Lawrence county, IN; married by 1840 to **Mary J. OWENS**; died 05/22/1909; buried Gilgal Cemetery.

Son, **John TERRELL** born c1845 in same place.



Daughter, **Abigail TERRELL** born c1849 at same place.  
 Son **James H. TERRELL** born c1852 at same place.  
 Others in household in 1850:

**Tyera TERRELL**, son age 17 by Robert's first wife **Polly HENDERSON** whom he had married 12/16/1821.

**Polly (Mary) [BALES] TERRELL** 14; daughter of **Mahala BALES** prior to marriage to **TERRELL**.####

#### **TERRELL Burials - Lawrence Co. IN**

Submitted by **Roberta WILLETT**

##### **Huron Cemetery**

**Kitty TERRELL** (12/03/1845 - 07/13/1918)

##### **Gilgal Cemetery**

**William A. TERRILL** (08/04/1842 - 05/22/1909)

**Mary TERRILL** (09/01/1838 - 12/07/1910)

**Jane TERRILL** (03/16/1839 - 02/20/1919) ####

#### **TERRILL Land Transactions**

##### **Lawrence Co. IN**

Submitted by **Roberta WILLETT**

Book A, pg. 182: **Wm. TERRILL** from **Martin FLYNN** (date not listed)

Book P, pg 125-126: **Robert TERRILL & Mahala TERRILL** sold land (1) to **Tyre HENDERSON**; & (2) to **Jeremiah HENDERSON** both on 10/24/1851

Book U, pg. 142: **Wm. TERRELL** of Martin co. to **John TERRELL** of Lawrence co. 01/10/1860

Book V, pg. 400: the following sold land to **George W. JONES** and **Mary JONES** 07/08/1862; **John TERRELL - Mary TERRELL, George W. JONES - Mary JONES, Alfred WOOD or WARD - Sarah WOOD or WARD, Henry WOOD or WARD - Malinda WOOD or WARD, & Catherine WOOD or WARD.**

Book 1 pg 378: **Robert TERRELL & Mahala** his wife sold land to **John TERRELL** (sic) 11/09/1869.

Book 6 pg. 529: **Robert TERRELL - Mahala TERRELL & John TERRELL & Emma TERRELL** sold land to **Hiram TERRELL** 01/10/1876. ####

#### **TERRELL Marriages**

##### **Lawrence County IN**

Submitted by **Roberta WILLETT**

**John TERRELL** to **Peggy WORKMAN** 12/29/1818;  
**Robert TERRELL** to **Polly HENDERSON** 12/16/1821;

**Robert TERRELL** to **Mahala BALES** 06/17/1840.

#### **Liberty Church Notes**

##### **[Lawrence County IN?]**

Submitted by **Roberta WILLETT**

Deed: **John P. SCOTT** and **Cynthia SCOTT**, his wife, to **Wm. V. HOBSON, Noah FAUBION, Isaac HENSLEY, James M. HUFFINGTON, Nathaniel Dewitt TRUILEN**, Methodist Episcopal Church at now Liberty, one acre in south east corner of SE 1/2 of Sec. 3 pt, 54 R 2 east to build a meeting house. 06/19/1853.

**Wm. H. CORNELISS** was the preacher.

May 10, 1856; We, whose names are annexed, have met together to organize ourselves into a Church, to have the blessings of the Gospel administered among us. Taking the scripture contained in the Old and New Testaments for our only rule of faith and practice. Done in the presence of **Vandover WRAY**, Elder of the Christian Church. **Corbin FISH** and **Joseph TERRELL** were appointed deacons and **James CUMMINGS**, Church clerk, who served until 11/14/1869.

Charter Members: **Eli WRAY**, d.02/16/1870; **Elizabeth FISH** d. 06/22/1916; **Nathaniel WEDDLE**, excluded for immoral conduct; **Polly WEDDLE** dismissed by letter; **Joseph TERRELL** d. 04/23/1897; **Drusilla TERRELL** d. 12/30/1912; **Josephus WRAY** excluded for immoral conduct 08/12/1871; **Arthusa WRAY** d. 08/04/1912 - nearly excluded for fighting 08/09/1873; **Alexander H. WRAY** dismissed by letter; **Martha WRAY** dismissed by letter; **Jane FISH** d. 03/02/1881; **James CUMMINGS** d. 05/10/1890; **Corbin FISH** d. 04/01/1886; **Nancy C. FISH** d. 03/21/1896; **Avarilla OWENS** d. 10/18/1876; **David CROUCHER** d. 04/23/1880; **Polly CROUCHER** d.12/13/1880; **David CLAMPITT** d. 10/29/1864; & **Polly CLAMPITT** d. 01/28/1899.

There was no record of any business until 01/11/1868, except the names of 49 additions to the church. On 01/11/1868, the Church appointed **James CUMMINGS, Stephen FOUNTAIN, & Alfred OSBURN** as trustees and building committee. The records do not show when this large frame building was completed, but according to older citizens, it was dedicated in the fall of 1869. This building served for 63 years until a tornado wrecked it on 03/21/1932. The church continued to have services in a building on **Albert FISH's** farm. On July 18, 1932, work was begun on a new building. On Sept. 24, 1932, the building was completed and approved and paid for at the total cost of \$2500.00. On November 6, 1932, the

building was dedicated with a capacity crowd present and **Warren DENNISON** in charge of services. There is no record, but the older citizens say the first building was a log house which stood where the cemetery is now. ###

**ADDENDUM by editor:** (source, *Terrell Trails*, page 72) one **Edmund TERRILL** (03/21/1740 Orange co. VA—c11/15/1784 Culpeper co. VA) md. 11/26/1760 in Orange co. VA. to **Margaret "Peggy" WILLIS** (01/25/1741—c1812 VA or KY).

Their first child, **Elizabeth Plunkett TERRILL** (04/12/1862 — 02/18/1847) married 1784 to **William CORNELIUS**. She is buried Mt. Sinai cemetery, Aurora IN. (If he is the same **William CORNELISS** who was preacher at the founding of the above church, he was a very old man.)

The third child of Edmund & Peggy, **John TERRILL** (08/13/1768 — 10/11/1850 Howard co. MO) md. first **Rebecca CORNELIUS**, then married second **Mary LACY**.

Fourth child of Edmund and Peggy, **Edmund TERRILL**, (02/09/1770—?) md. first **Mary Jane MAXWELL**, & second **Elizabeth JONES**.

Fifth child, **Sarah TERRILL** (01/04/1772-74 — ?) md. 03/10/1790 in Orange county VA to **Augustine CORNELIUS**.

Seventh child, **Robert T. TERRILL** (04/03/1777 — 09/25/1827 Boone county KY) md. 03/03/1798-99 in VA to **Mary "Polly" LACY**.

Eighth child, **James TERRILL** (01/22/1779 — 1885(sic)) md 1821 to **Susan CAVE**.

Ninth child, **Nancy M. TERRILL** (06/22/1781 — 1826) md. 04/28/1803 **Thomas HENDERSON**.

For safety and other reasons, related families of that era frequently traveled and migrated in groups. While there was nothing submitted for this article to provide positive proof, the preponderance of evidence (similarity of both given and surnames) points to the possibility that the **Robert TERRILL** who md. **Polly HENDERSON**, and md. second **Mahala BALES** may have been a grandson of **Edmund and Peggy WILLIS TERRILL**. While the transfer of

**Edmund TERRILL** property to **BALES** does seem to indicate that **Robert TERRILL/TERRELL** was the son of the **Edmund TERRILL** killed by the Indians, none of the information reviewed for this article constitutes positive proof. He could have been a nephew, a cousin, or no relation.

If his father was the Edmund killed by the Indians and if the information on both accounts is correct, the major negative factor to the theory that he may have been the grandson of Edmund and Peggy WILLIS TERRILL is the name of the wife, Sarah "Sally." Neither wife listed for Edmund, son of Edmund and Peggy WILLIS TERRILL, was named Sarah or Sally.

Therefore, if he was grandson of Edmund & Peggy WILLIS TERRILL, it must have been by either John, Robert T., or James (if he was married before his 1821 marriage to Susan CAVE).

Question: could the Edmund TERRILL killed by the Indians have been born in KY and had sons born by c1800-1802?

Possibly, but not if he was the son of Edmund and Peggy WILLIS TERRILL. That Edmund was born in Orange county, VA.

Although **Daniel BOONE** led a group of settlers into what is now KY in 1773, the Indians forced them to turn back.

In 1774, **James HARROD** led a group into what is now KY from PA and established the settlement of **Harrodsburg**, Kentucky's first permanent white settlement.

**BOONE** led another group through the **Cumberland Gap** in 1775 and settled on the Kentucky river in a settlement he called Boonsborough.

In 1776, Kentucky became a county of Virginia and many Virginians poured into the Kentucky region. On June 1, 1792, Kentucky joined the Union as the 15th state. (source: *Worldbook Encyclopedia*)

Therefore, no one born in the state of Kentucky could have had children born c1802. Someone born in the Virginia county of Kentucky could have, if he was born almost immediately after county status was granted, and he married under age 23. Anyone born

in the **Kentucky Territory** could have had up to a two year edge.

**CONCLUSION:** The parentage of both Robert **TERRILL** who md. Mahala **BALES** and Edmund **TERRILL** who was killed by the Indians cannot be positively proven from the limited information reviewed here.

Your editor has digressed, pondered, surmised, and done a little research for the benefit of you who are beginners at genealogy.

The primary goal was to distribute some detailed information about the **Lawrence County Indiana TERRELLs**, and to show how that information could be weighed against other information in search of clues to previous and subsequent generations.

We hope you have found this example helpful in continuing your research on whichever line you are tracing. ###

## **TERRELL & Variants in Early Kentucky Census Index**

Submitted by Mrs. Millie E. Wright #269

### **First Census**

[This census was compiled from Tax Lists; the date following the name is the date of the tax list.]

**TERRIL, Henry**; Fayette county, 01/11/1790

**TERRILL, Edmond**; Madison county, 04/21/1789

**TERRILL, James**; Madison county, 04/11/1789

**TERRILL, Joseph**; Madison county, 04/07/1789

**TERRILL, Joseph**; Madison county, 04/11/1789

**TERRILL, Robert**; Madison county, 04/11/1789

### **Second Census**

**TERREL, Henry**; Clark county, 1800

**TERREL, Robert**; Henderson county, 10/01/1800

**TERRELL, George**; Madison county, 1800

**TERRELL, James**; Madison county, 08/12/1800

**TERRELL, Joseph**; Madison county, 1800

**TERRELL, Obadiah**; Livingston county, 1800

**TERRELL, Richard**; Jefferson county, 1800

**TERRELL, William**; Madison county, 1800

**TERRIL, Edmond**; Gerrard county, 08/06/1800

**TERRIL, Henry**; Gerrard county, 08/06/1800

**TERRIL, John**; Montgomery county, 08/22/1800

**TERRILL, Edmund**; Madison county, 10/01/1800

### **1820 Census**

**TERAULT?, John**; BLT county 196

**TEREL?, Michael**; NSN county 180

**TERREL?, Archabald**; WDF county 102A

**TERRELL, John**; WAS county 55A

**TERRELL, M C**; SHE county 137A

**TERRELL, Oliver**; GRD county 93A

**TERRELL, Robert**; WAS county 39A

**TERRELL, Thomas**; LNC county 37

**TERRELL, Timothy**; BTH county 206

**TERRELL, Zachariah**; SHE county 113A

**TERRELL?, James**; RCK county 84A

**TERRIL, ---**; MAD county 158

**TERRIL, David**; JES county 71

**TERRIL, Harry**; GRD county 118A

**TERRIL, Jos.**; GRD county 118A

**TERRIL, Presley**; WDF county 93A

**TERRIL, William**; MAD county 158

**TERRILL, Abner**; CBL county 19A

**TERRILL, Harry**; GRD county 86A

**TERRILL, John**; BBN county 94

**TERRILL, John**; GRD county 104A

**TERRILL, John J**; BBN county 128

**TERRILL, Lynch**; HRY county 188

**TERRILL, Robt.**; GRD county 107A

**TERRILL, Solomon**; KNX county 302

**TERRILL, Will**; KNX county 302

## **TERRELLs found in Kentucky Obituaries**

Submitted by Mrs. Millie E. WRIGHT

page 4: **Richard TERRELL** of Jefferson county; died in Lexington, Sunday Evening October 3, 1802. KG [Kentucky Gazette?] 10/5

page 102: **Preston TERRELL, Sr. & Preston TERRELL, Jr.** included in list of "white citizens of Versailles, Kentucky died of cholera in August 13, 1835." OR 8/19 [key to newspaper initials "OR" was not on page submitted. Your editor is not familiar enough with KY newspapers to even hazard a guess. There were 27 persons in the list of deaths besides the TERRELLs including one doctor and another doctor's wife.]



## TERRELLS Found in Kentucky Cemetery Records

Submitted by Mrs. Millie E. WRIGHT

page 356: **Zachariah TERRELL** 07/08/1779 – 03/04/1861; wife **Polly** (1792 – 07/26/1848) buried in Snider Graveyard, one mile east of Eden, in sight of road, Shelby county, KY.

page 358: **TERRELL GRAVEYARD** on **Albert YATES** farm, near Wilsonville, off Louisville road, Spencer county, KY. Five graves enclosed in rock wall. **Charlotte TERRELL** (11/09/1794 – 06/17/1850); **Micajah TERRELL, Sr.** (09/17/1781 – 09/10/1835); **Charlotte TERRELL** (01/02/1828 – 05/21/1840); **Micajah TERRELL, Jr.** (06/23/1821 – 10/30/1833); **Eleanor TERRELL** (11/22/1820 – 06/22/1835).

page 375: (name and location of cemetery not on page submitted) **Roswell TERRELL** (08/20/1856 – 07/20/1857) son of **W. E. & E. TERRELL**; **William TERRELL** (02/12/1832 – 02/11/1899) Father, **Emeline TERRELL** (11/29/1829 – 01/17/1903) Mother, all on one stone; **Dr. L. Otley PINDAR**, Mrs. **Emma TERRELL PINDAR**, no dates, same stone; **W. E. TERRELL** (03/08/1864 – 06/16/1916); Infant son of **W. E. and Anne TERRELL** (01/29 – 02/01/1908) #####

### TERRELLs on 1846 Republic of Texas Poll List Index

Submitted by Mrs. Millie E. WRIGHT

**TERRELL, Charles M.**; Tyler

**TERRELL, E. S.**; Fannin

**TERRELL, Henry**; Colorado

**TERRELL, James**; Cass

**TERRELL, John**; Lamar

**TERRELL, Julius**; Cass

**TERRELL, M. B.**; Washington

## THE TERRELL FAMILY OF LANCASTER COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA

Compiled by #144; Mr. **Don C. TERRILL**; Falls Church, Virginia

### GRACE TERRELL

1. In August 1798 **William NARRAMORE** "Planter" deeded to her a mare, six cattle, a feather bed and furniture, four pewter dishes, and a saddle "in con-

sideration of the Love, good will & affection which I have and do bear towards my loving friend **Grace TERRELL**."

2. In November 1807 **William NARRAMORE** deeded to her all of his personal property, including: His Negro woman **Lucy** and her child **Sam**, his cattle, his horse, his hogs, all of his household furniture in exchange for "a certain sum of money once borrowed of her in the amount of one hundred pound sterling and for certain causes besides..."

3. Listed in the 1820 census as living alone and over age 45.

4. No further record.

### WILLIAM TERRELL

1. Born 6 Aug 1760 "on the Neuse River in N. Carolina." (Could have been in Orange, Wake, Johnston or Wayne counties.)

2. Drafted into the S.C. militia in Dec 1778 at Lancaster District, Craven Co, S.C. into Capt. **Edward Cunningham's** Co. Placed in Gen. **Richardson's** militia at Munk's Corner. Discharged after one month. Drafted again Mar 1779 into Capt. **Benjamin Hale's** Company of Col. **Ely Cashaw's** Regiment. Marched to the S.C.-Ga. border about one mile from Augusta, Ga. Discharged in May 1779. Voluntarily enlisted in Capt. **William Deason's** Co in Maj. **Thompson's** Battalion in early May 1782. The unit then joined Gen. **Francis Marion's** army. Released from service on 12 Sep 1782.

3. Listed in 1820 census of Lancaster Co. Probably the brother of **Richmond TERRELL** of Lancaster Co.

4. Lived in Lancaster County until 1826, when he moved to DeKalb County, Georgia (sold his land in Lancaster County in 1826).

5. Filed pension papers for Revolutionary War service in Oct 1832.

6. Died on 4 July 1851 in DeKalb County, Georgia. His pension application indicates that he died without surviving heirs [children?].

7. In 1820 his family looked like this:  
He and his wife were over age 45.

- 1 male under 10
- 1 male 10-16
- 1 male 16-26
- 2 females 10-16
- 1 slave
- 3 free colored

8. The names of his children are unknown.

9. In his will, made in DeKalb County, Ga., in February 1851 and proved in court in July of the same year, William TERRELL left his estate to the following persons:

a. To **Sileta Hinson**, wife of **James Hinson** of the State of Alabama, three Negroes **Fanny**, **Frances** (infant daughter of Fanny), and **Rhoda**.

b. To "**Mary FORD** wife of my Grandson **William FORD**" a Negro man **Tom**, a Negro woman **Kate** and **Kate's** child **Salitha Camile**.

c. To "my Grandson **Colman FORD**" a Negro man **George**, a Negro man **Lud**, and a parcel of land located in DeKalb County.

d. To "my friend **William Ezzard**" of DeKalb County, Ga., three Negro men **Jack**, **Ben**, and **Jim** and a parcel of land in DeKalb County "to be held in trust by him for the use & benefit and behoof of my Great Grandson **William TERRELL** alias **William Terrell FORD**."

e. To use the remainder of his estate to pay off his debts and divide any surplus equally among **Sileta Hinson**, **Mary FORD**, **Colman FORD** and **William Ezzard** (for **William Terrell FORD**).

f. "I do hereby nominate and appoint my grandson **Colman FORD** my executor of this my last will & testament."

Witnessed by **William Carlisle**, **James Head**, **Robert Jones**.

### **RICHMOND TERRELL**

1. Born in 1755 in Virginia, died 13 Feb 1827, Lancaster Co, S.C.

2. Listed in 1820 census of Lancaster Co.

3. Probably the brother of **William TERRELL**. They served in the Revolutionary War together. Richmond entered service as a Private in the S.C. militia; promoted to Lieutenant.

4. He married **Catherine** \_\_\_\_\_ circa 1780, and she probably died between 1790-1800.

5. He had 5 children by 1790 and 9 by 1800.

6. He apparently remarried because by 1819 his wife's name is listed on deeds as "**Mary**."

7. Known children:

a. **Edward TERRELL**: Served as a Private in the War of 1812 together with his brother **John**. Both were mobilized in Capt. **John Montgomery's** Co. of Infantry, 2nd (McWille's) Regiment South Carolina Militia on 6 Oct 1814 and served for about 6 months at Haddrill's Point until being discharged at Charleston on 7 Mar 1815. He lived in Lancaster County until at least 1827. At that time he had 6 sons, the oldest of whom was over 18. His wife's name was **Elizabeth MASSEY TERRILL**, daughter of **Thomas & Jane MASSEY**. His known children were:

(1) **James TERRELL**, b. 1814.

(2) **Massey TERRELL**, m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Allen**.

(3) Dr. **Edward TERRELL, Jr.** Was this the same Dr. **Edward T. TERRELL** was was Asst. Surgeon of the 4th Texas Inf CSA during the Civil War?

(4) **Gracy Sessions TERRELL** (uncertain).

b. **Joseph TERRELL**. Born on 27 Oct 1792 in Lancaster Co, S.C., died 29 Apr 1837 near Florence in Lauderdale County, Alabama. Married **Tabitha HILTON** (b. 21 Nov 1791, S.C.) of Lancaster County on 13 Feb 1812. Served as a Private in the War of 1812. He was mobilized in Capt. **James Douglas's** Co of Infantry, 2nd (McWille's) Regiment South Carolina Militia on 6 Oct 1814 and served for about 6 months at Haddrill's Point until being discharged at Charleston on 6 Mar 1815. His brothers **Edward** and **John** were in Capt. **John Montgomery's** Co of the same regiment. Tabitha said that, as of 1814, Joseph appeared as follows: "5 ft. 8 in high, black hair, blue eyes, fair complexion." The family moved to Lauderdale County, Ala. in April 1822. **Tabitha TERRELL** and two of **Wyatt M. TERRELL's** children went to Scott County, Miss. to live with **Pinkney A. TERRELL** in Jan 1861. As of 1880 Tabitha was still living 5 miles S.E. of Utica in Hinds County, Mississippi. Their children:

(1) **Calvin TERRELL**, b. 26 Dec 1812, S.C.; m. (1) **Matilda THREET** (b. 1818, Tenn.; d. 1854, Lauderdale Co, Ala.) on 30 Apr 1835 at Lauderdale Co, Ala.,

m. (2) **Catherine T. Blalock** (b. 1837, S.C.) on 12 Oct 1855; d. 5 Aug 1864 of pneumonia. Children (as of 1860): **John TERRELL** (b. 1838, Ala.), **Joseph C. TERRELL** (b. Mar 1838, Ala.), **Pinkney A. TERRELL** (b. 1841, Ala.), **Richmond Bluford TERRELL** (b. Nov 1843, Ala.; d. Hardin Co, In.), **Sarah Elizabeth TERRELL** (b. Nov 1844, Ala.), **Thomas TERRELL** (b. 1846, Ala.), **William Perry TERRELL** (b. 9 Aug 1853, Ala.; d. 8 Apr 1911, Ala.), **Ronanna (Rosaner) TERRELL** (b. 10 Feb 1856, Ala.; d. 15 Sep 1907, Ala.), **Dennis TERRELL** (b. Jun 1858, Ala.; d. 1907).

(2) **Eliza TERRELL**, b. 22 Aug 1816; m. **Ransom Howell** on 2 May 1833 at Lauderdale Co, Ala.

(3) **Pinkney Ash TERRELL**, b. 17 Nov 1817, S.C., m. **Serina A. Parkman** (b. 24 Feb 1830, d. 4 Feb 1911) at Hinds Co, Miss. on 27 Nov 1854. Enlisted as Pvt. in 1st Bn. Miss. State Troops (12 mo, 1862-63) CSA on 15 Jul 1862; discharged on 20 Aug 1862 for "inability" (probably disability). Joined Capt. **Hall's** Miss. Reserve forces CSA as Pvt. at age 48 on 18 Aug 1864 at Enterprise, Scott Co, and served in that unit until end of the war. Died 25 Oct 1879 at Edwards, Miss. Children: **Octovene TERRELL** (b. 10 Sep 1855, d. 14 Sep 1855), **Joseph Calhoun TERRELL** (b. 4 Dec 1857, d. 7 Jul 1950).

(4) **Minerva TERRELL**, b. 18 Jan 1820.

(5) **Sylvanus TERRELL**, b. 4 Mar 1821; m. **Adeline Grimes** (b. 1822, Ala.) on 5 Jan 1845 at Lauderdale Co, Ala. Enlisted as Pvt. in Co D (or G) 1st Ark. Cav CSA (date unk.). Captured at Orleans, Green Co, Mo. on 18 Oct 1864. Temporarily interned at Springfield, Mo. until 21 Nov then transferred to Rock Island POW camp through St. Louis (arriving 24 Nov). Died at Rock Island on 18 Feb 1865 of "scrofulic ulcer." Buried at Rock Island in grave #1886 CC. Children (as of 1850): **Mary TERRELL** (b. 1843??, Ala.), **Nancy TERRELL** (b. 1845, Ala.), **Winston TERRELL** (b. 1849, Ala.).

(6) **Richmond B. TERRELL**, b. 13 Feb 1823, Ala.; m. **Sarah Jane Love** (b. 1828, Maury Co, Tenn.; d. after 1870, Maury Co, Tenn.) on 27 Dec 1848 at Lewis Co, Tenn.; died 30 Aug 1858. Children: **Celia Ellen TERRELL** (b. 1850, Ala.), **Tabitha TERRELL** (b. 1852, Ala., d. by Jun 1863), **Manerva Jane TERRELL** (b.

1854, Ala.), **Eli Joseph TERRELL** (b. 1856, Ala.), **John Richmond TERRELL** (b. 1847, Ala.).

(7) **George Washington TERRELL**, b. 4 Jul 1824, d. 3 Sep 1850.

(8) **Wyatt Monroe Maddox TERRELL**, b. 14 Oct 1825, Ala.; m. **Catherine Bryant** (b. 1827, Tenn., d. before 1900) on 31 Aug 1848 at Lauderdale Co, Ala., d. after 1900. Enlisted as Pvt. in Co D 28th Miss. Cav CSA on 5 May 1863 at Springhill, Tenn. and served together with his brothers **William**, **Joseph** and (Doctor) **Hilton**. He served until the end of the war, when his regiment surrendered on 4 May 1865 at Citronelle, Ala. Children (as of 1880): **James TERRELL** (b. 1849, Ala.), **Elizabeth Priseles TERRELL** (b. 27 Sep 1852), **Albert P. TERRELL** (b. 1852, Ala.), **George William TERRELL** (b. Sep 1854, Ala.).

(9) **William Carroll "Buck" TERRELL**, b. 1 Jun 1828, Lauderdale Co, Ala.; m. **Theresa A. Brock** (b. 20 Sep 1848, Utica, Miss., d. 20 Oct 1935, Utica, Miss.) at Utica, Miss.; d. 20 Jul 1914, Avoca, Texas. Enlisted as Pvt. in Co D 28th Miss. Cav CSA on 14 Aug 1862 at Greenville, Miss. and served together with his brothers **Wyatt**, **Joseph** and (Doctor) **Hilton**. He served until the end of the war, when his regiment surrendered on 4 May 1865 at Citronelle, Ala. At time of enlistment he listed his residence at Hinds Co, Miss. Children: **Minnie TERRELL** (b. 17 Nov 1864, d. 30 May 1960), **Eugene Walter TERRELL** (b. 8 Aug 1868, Utica, Miss., d. 26 Jun 1935, Pottsboro, Texas), **Forrest William TERRELL** (b. 7 Nov 1870, Utica, Miss., d. 28 Jun 1958, Stamford, Texas), **Eunice B. TERRELL** (b. 27 Dec 1872, Miss., 5 Sep 1967), **William Carroll TERRELL Jr.** (b. 19 Feb 1874, Miss., 22 Jun 1956), **Margaret TERRELL** (b. 25 Feb 1876, Utica, Miss., d. 10 Dec 1961), **Myra Ann TERRELL** (b. 4 Aug 1878, Miss., d. Feb 1971), **Anabelle TERRELL** (b. 20 Nov 1880, Utica, Miss., d. 8 May 1966).

(10) **Joseph Calhoun TERRELL**, b. 27 Jun 1831, Ala.; m. **Matti \_\_\_\_\_** (b. 1852, Miss.), d. after 1880. Enlisted as Pvt. in Co D 28th Miss. Cav CSA on 9 Mar 1862 at Greenville, Miss. and served together with his brothers **William**, **Wyatt** and (Doctor) **Hilton**. He served until the end of the war, when his regiment surrendered on 4 May 1865 at Citronelle, Ala. At time of enlistment he listed his residence as Washington Co, Miss. Joseph reappears in the 1870



census, living with his mother Tabitha in Hinds Co, Miss.

(11) **Doctor Hilton TERRELL**, b. 19 Sep 1832, Ala.; d. after 1880. Enlisted in Co D, 28th Miss. Cav as Pvt. on 29 Aug 1862 at Greenville, Miss. and served together with his brothers **William**, **Wyatt** and **Joseph**. Wounded about Sep or Oct 1864. He served until the end of the war, when his regiment surrendered on 4 May 1865 at Citronelle, Ala. At time of enlistment he listed his residence as Chicot Co, Ark. Appears in the 1870 census of Hinds Co, Miss. living in the same household of **Tabitha TERRELL** and **Joseph C. TERRELL**. Hilton appears again in the 1880 census of Hinds Co (b. 1835) with **Tabitha** in his household and also with the widow of **Andrew Jackson TERRELL**.

(12) **James Bear TERRELL**, b. Aug 1834, Ala., d. 19 Aug 1861.

(13) **Andrew Jackson TERRELL**, b. 10 May 1837; m. **Julia Ann "Puss" Clower** (b. 1845, Miss.) at Hinds Co, Miss. on 7 Apr 1864; d. 1870, Utica, Miss. Children (as of 1880): **Leon H. TERRELL** (b. 1867, Miss.), **Ellie D. TERRELL** (b. 1869, Miss.).

c. **John TERRELL**. Served as a Private in the War of 1812 together with his brother **Edward**. He was mobilized in Capt. **John Montgomery's** Co of Infantry, 2nd (McWille's) Regiment South Carolina Militia on 6 Oct 1814 and served for about 6 months at Haddrill's Point until being discharged at Charleston on 7 Mar 1815. Living in Lancaster County in 1820 with 4 males under age 10. Sold his lands in Lancaster County in 1827. No further record.

d. **Richmond R. TERRELL**, born 1797 in South Carolina, died Jan 1873 in Lancaster County. Married **Mary "Polly" HOUGH** (b. 1806, d. 1887, Lancaster Co.) in 1819. On 21 Jul 1871, while living at Pleasant Hill, S.C., Richmond filed a claim with the U.S. Govt for the loss of horses, cattle, hogs, corn, bacon, lard, fodder, flour, a wagon, clothing and poultry (total \$1,413) taken or destroyed by the Union Army during the Civil War, swearing that he was a loyal Union citizen during the War and gave no assistance to the Confederate Govt. His petition was apparently rejected. Their children were:

(1) **Sarah A. TERRELL**, b. 23 Aug 1820 Lancaster Co.; married **Hiram Howard Williams** (b. 14 Feb 1812, N.C., d. 1857, Bowie Co, Texas) on 14 Nov 1833 in S.C.; he fought for the Republic of Texas in 1836; moved his wife to Bowie Co, Texas about 1854; widowed in 1857; m. **Samuel Peoples** 1861-62; d. March 1869 or 1870. Children: (1st marriage) **William Monroe Williams** (b. 14 Mar 1838; S.C., d. 1 Jun 1921), **Mary Jane Williams** (b. 21 Jul 1846, S.C.; d. young), **John H. Williams** (b. 10 Sep 1848, S.C.), **Sarah "Sally" A. Williams** (b. 1850, S.C., lived Llano Co, Texas), **James R.C. Williams** (b. 1854, Texas; d. Rock Springs, Texas), **Martin Lemuel Williams** (b. 10 Aug 1855, Bowie Co, Texas). From 2nd marriage: **Darcy Wilber "Doss" Peoples** (b. 1862, Bowie, Texas).

(2) **Joseph TERRELL**, b. 29 Aug 1822, m. **Martha Jane Gregory** (b. 16 Aug 1830, S.C., d. 14 Sep 1884, Lauderdale Co, Miss.), moved to Meridian, Miss. Enlisted as Pvt. in Co C, 4th Miss. Cav CSA (later redesignated as 2nd Miss. Cav) on 18 Aug 1863 at Enterprise, Miss. At time of enlistment he listed his residence as Lauderdale Co, Miss. Died. 30 Apr 1882 at Lauderdale Co, Miss. Children: **Mary Jane TERRELL** (b. 14 Mar 1847, S.C.; d. 13 Dec 1852), **Richmond Fletcher TERRELL** (b. 6 Sep 1850, Miss.; d. 31 Jan 1916), **Ethelbred Orr TERRELL** (b. 22 Dec 1851, d. 12 Apr 1856), **William Joseph Jackson TERRELL** (b. 27 Jan 1854; d. 20 Jul 1943), **Rouchel Blair TERRELL** (b. 17 Dec 1856, Miss.; d. 30 Jun 1884), **Alonzo Casiabianca TERRELL** (b. 13 Apr 1850, Lauderdale Co, Ala.; d. 31 Mar 1926, Meridian, Miss.), **Isadore Virginia TERRELL** (b. 11 Dec 1860, Miss.; d. 1888).

(3) **Dorsey TERRELL**, b. 1824, m. **Araminta C.** (b. S.C.), moved to Meridian, Miss. about 1857-59. Children (as of 1860): **John C.C. TERRELL** (b. 1855, S.C.), **Samuel T. TERRELL** (b. 1857, Miss.), **Mary V. TERRELL** (b. 1859, Miss.).

(4) **Maldred A. TERRELL**, b. 1825, m. **Sally Gregory**, S.C. The only surviving evidence of his Confederate military service is a receipt which shows that "**Maddrd TERRELL**" was issued clothing as a member of Co G, 5th Ala. Cav CSA in Mar 1864. Children: **Richmond R. TERRELL** (b. 27 Jan 1871; d. 17 Aug 1925, Ala.)

(5) **Bilsie TERRELL**, b. 1834, m. **Jim Hearon** (Louisiana).

(6) **Jane TERRELL**, died young.

(7) **Grace H. TERRELL**, b. Oct 1837, m. **William Beckham HILTON** (b. 1834, S.C., d. before 1900) (brother of **David HILTON**, below), d. 1915. **William HILTON** enlisted as Pvt. in Co C, 15th (Lucas') Bn S.C. Heavy Artillery on 25 Jun 1864 at (?). He was captured at Cheraw, S.C. with his regiment on 6 Mar 1865 and sent to POW camp at Point Lookout, Md. He was released on 27 Jun 1865. At that time he listed his place of residence as Lancaster Co, S.C. (as of 1880): **Emily S. HILTON** (b. 1857, S.C.), **Amos HILTON** (b. 1859, S.C.), **Margaret HILTON** (b. 1861, S.C.), **Queen HILTON** (b. 1863, S.C.), **Miranda Catherine HILTON** (b. 1864, S.C.), **Leander HILTON** (b. 1867, S.C.), **Thomas M. HILTON** (b. Dec 1870, S.C.), **Joseph F. HILTON** (b. Apr 1871, S.C.), **Richard V. HILTON** (b. Mar 1873, S.C.), **Picket HILTON** (b. May 1875, S.C.).

(8) **Mary A. TERRELL**, b. 7 Nov 1840, m. **David R. HILTON** (b. 1825, S.C.). **David HILTON** enlisted as Pvt. in Co E, 12th S.C. Infantry at Lancaster on 15 Mar 1864. On 14 Apr 1864 he was sent to Jackson Hospital at Richmond, Va. with rubella. Returned to duty on 23 May 1864. Detailed as wagon master until the end of the war. Children (as of 1870): **Marion "Minor" HILTON** (b. Feb 1849, S.C.), **Wesley D. HILTON** (b. Aug 1852, S.C.), **Richmond HILTON** (b. 1856, S.C.), **Ezella HILTON** (b. 1857, S.C.), **Zadock E. HILTON** (b. Jun 1857, S.C.), **Leeanna HILTON** (b. 1863, S.C.).

(9) **Margaret Elizabeth TERRELL**, b. 7 Nov 1840, S.C.; m. **Amos HOUGH** (b. 25 Oct 1830, S.C.; d. 9 Aug 1915) in 1858, d. after 1900. **Amos HOUGH** enlisted as Pvt. in Co A, 7th Battalion (Enfield Rifles) S.C. Inf CSA at Lynch's Creek on 14 Nov 1861 together with his brother **Moses** (below). He served in that unit through the war, until its surrender at Greensboro, N.C. on 26 Apr 1865. No children.

(10) **Queen Anne TERRELL**, b. 8 Nov 1841, S.C.; d. 16 Jul 1918, Kershaw Co., S.C.; m. **Moses HOUGH Jr.** (b. 1 Mar 1832, S.C.; d. 25 Jun 1907, Bethume, S.C.) on 1 Mar 1860. **Moses** enlisted as Pvt. in Co A, 7th Battalion (Enfield Rifles) S.C. Inf CSA at Lynch's Creek on 14 Nov 1861. By 31 Dec 1861 he was

promoted to Corporal. By July 1862 he had been promoted to 4 Sergeant. By Feb 1864 he was promoted to 3 Sergeant. On 31 Dec 1864 he was commissioned as 2nd Lieutenant for "valor and skill." Wounded 4 times during his service, losing part of his hand. Cited for valor. Children: **R. Franklin HOUGH** (b. Jul 1866, S.C.), **William R. HOUGH** (b. Oct 1868, S.C.), **Alice HOUGH** (b. Feb 1871, S.C.), **Moses W. HOUGH** (b. Jan 1873, S.C.).

(11) **Emily TERRELL**, b. 1845, m. **John Seegers**.

(12) **Eliza Caroline TERRELL**, b. 1845, m. (1) **Joel WARD** (b. ca. 1826, Davidson Co, N.C., d. 1853, Lancaster Co, S.C.), (2) **Will James**, (3) **Will Copeland**. Children from 1st marriage: **Mary Elizabeth WARD**; & **Daniel Franklin WARD**.

(13) **Catherine "Kitty" TERRELL**, b. 1848, m. (1) ? , (2) **George J. HILTON** (b. 1860, S.C.). Children (as of 1880): (1st marriage): **Russell HILTON** (b. 1869, S.C.), **Alice HILTON** (b. 1876, S.C.). (2nd marriage): **Lilly HILTON** (b. 1878, S.C.).

(14) **Jeromie L. TERRELL**, b. Oct 1850, S.C., married **John C. HILTON** (b. Jun 1853, S.C., d. after 1910) (brother of **George HILTON**, below) in 1872, moved to Liveoak, Fla. 1882-88. She died after 1910. They had 7 children. Those known: **Sarah D. HILTON** (b. 1873, S.C.), **Franklin HILTON** (b. 1875, S.C.), **Samuel G. HILTON** (b. Jul 1878, S.C.), **George T. HILTON** (b. 1879, S.C.), **Mattie HILTON** (b. Jun 1882, S.C.), **Dena HILTON** (b. May 1888, Fla.).

e. **William TERRELL** (according to great-grandson **Fletcher R. TERRELL**, as reported in Dicken). No records.

f. **George TERRELL**. Born in 27 Dec 1806 in South Carolina, married **Mary Ann Fowler** (b. 8 Nov 1813, S.C., d. after 1880), moved to Lauderdale Co, Ala. by 1836. No records in Lancaster County. Appears on Lawrence County, Tenn. affidavit in Oct 1873 in support of **Tabitha TERRELL**'s application for a pension based on Joseph's military service in the War of 1812. George stated that "**Joseph TERRELL**, his brother, was a soldier in the War of 1812." Died after 1880. Their children:

(1) **Sarah Catherine TERRELL**, b. 7 Aug 1830, m. **Henry F. REDDING** (b. 1830, Ala.) on 4 Feb 1848 at

Lauderdale Co, Ala. She died after 1900. They had 7 children, 5 died before 1900. Known children: **George REDDING** (b. 1863, Ala.), **Jno. H. REDDING** (b. Sep 1870, Tenn.), **Nancy REDDING** (b. 1871, Ala.).

(2) **Margaret Elizabeth TERRELL**, b. 11 Dec 1832, N.C.; m. **Shelby THREET** on 13 Nov 1850. Known children: **Maggie THREET** (b. 1868, Tenn.).

(3) **Samuel James TERRELL**, b. 17 Dec 1835, Ala.; m. \_\_\_\_\_ **Fowler**.

(4) **Martha TERRELL**, b. 26 Nov 1836, m. **Wm. Hamm** on 19 Sep 1856.

(5) **Thasia Cordela TERRELL**, b. 20 Jun 1839, Ala.; m. **John A. Forehand** on 27 Aug 1856.

(6) **John R. TERRELL**, b. 7 Jun 1842, Ala.; m. (1) **Mary Jacobs** on 16 Jan 1868; m. (2) **Margaret Ramsey** on 2 Oct 1873; m. (3) **Rebecca Murphy** (b. Jun 1849, Ala.) on 20 Feb 1878. Children: **James H. TERRELL** (b. 1869, Tenn., d. before 1900), **Sarah R. TERRELL** (b. 1871, Tenn., d. before 1900), **Hattie L. TERRELL** (b. Nov 1886, Tenn.).

(7) **Mary Nancy TERRELL**, b. Jun 1842, Ala.; m. **Wm. B. STEPHENSON** (b. Aug 1840, Miss.) on 23 Aug 1860; d. 10 May 1916. They had 13 children, of whom 3 died before 1900. Known children: **Wm. H. STEVENSON** (b. 1864, Ala.), **Benjamin STEVENSON** (b. 1869, Ala.), **John C. STEVENSON** (b. 1870, Ala.), **James T. STEVENSON** (b. 1872, Ala.), **Joseph STEVENSON** (b. 1875, Ala.), **Marian STEVENSON** (b. 1877, Ala.), **Edward STEVENSON** (b. Aug 1879, Ala.), **Ruth N. STEVENSON** (b. Jun 1881, Ala.), **Samuel J. STEVENSON** (b. Dec 1883, Ala.), **Ned S. STEVENSON** (b. Feb 1888, Ala.).

(8) **Eliza Jane TERRELL**, b. 17 Jan 1845.

(9) **Rachel Ealom TERRELL**, b. 31 Dec 1850, Ala.

(10) **Harriet Malinda TERRELL**, b. 31 Dec 1855, Ala.

(11) **George W. TERRELL Jr.**, b. 30 Sep 1855, Ala.; m. **Martha J. \_\_\_\_\_** (b. Nov 1860, Tenn.) on 30 Sep 1855. Children (as of 1900): **John E. TERRELL** (b. Jan 1880, Tenn.), **Mabel TERRELL (Varrness)** (b.

Oct 1882, Tenn.), **Carl L. TERRELL** (b. Jan 1889, Tenn.), **Rosa TERRELL** (b. Mar 1896, Ark.).

**g. Andrew TERRELL** (according to great-grandson Fletcher R. TERRELL, as reported in Dicken). No records.

**h. Also four daughters.**

## SOURCES

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11. 1850 Census, Lauderdale Co, Ala., p. 247: **TERRELL, Calvin**; p. 283: **TERRELL, Tabitha**; p. 283: **TERRELL, Monroe**; p. 285: **TERRELL, Richman**; p. 355: **TERRELL, Sylvanus**.
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16. 1860 Census, Lauderdale Co, Miss., p. 30: **TERRELL, Dorsey**; p. 182: **TERRELL, Joseph**.
17. 1870 Census, Lauderdale Co, Ala, Florence, Ala., p. 467: **TERRELL, R.B.**; **TERRELL, Joe**; **TERRELL, S.E.**
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19. 1870 Census, Lancaster Co, S.C., p. 28/352: **TERRELL, Richm'd**; p.35/356: **HILTON, William**; p. 37/357: **HILTON, David**.



20. 1870 Census, Hinds Co., Miss., p. 433: **TERRELL, Wm. C.**; p. 434: **TERRELL, Joseph C.**; p. 434: **TERRELL, Andrew.**
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32. 1900 Census, Pulaski Co, Ark., E.D. 75, S. 15, L. 75: **TERRILL, Geo. W.** [Jr.].
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**TERRELL, Edward**, S.C. Militia  
**TERRELL, William**, S.C. Militia
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**HILTON, William B.**, Co C, 15th (Lucas') Bn S.C. Heavy Arty  
**HOUGH, Amos**, Co A, 7th Bn (Enfield Rifles) S.C. Inf  
**HOUGH, Moses**, Co H, 7th Bn (Enfield Rifles) S.C. Inf  
**TERRELL, H.**, Co D, 28th Miss. Cav  
**TERRELL, Joseph**, Co C, 4th Miss. Cav  
**TERRELL, Maddrd**, Co G, 5th Ala. Cav  
**TERRELL, P.A.**, 1st Bn, Miss. State Troops (12 mo., 1862-63)  
**TERRELL, P.A.**, Capt. Hall's Miss. Reserve  
**TERRELL, Sylvanis**, Co D. 1st Ark. Cav  
**TERRELL, W.C.**, Co D, 28th Miss. Cav  
**TERRELL, W.M.**, Co D, 28th Miss. Cav  
**TERRILL, J.C.**, Co D, 28th Miss. Cav
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41. Family Bible of **Henry F. REDDING** (regarding **George TERRELL** [1806-?]), the Bible itself has disappeared (borrowed and not returned), but the data was copied by Col. **William L. McDonald** (2207 Berry Ave., Florence, Ala. 36442), historian, Lauderdale County, Alabama.
42. Family Bible of **Pinkney Ashe TERRELL** (b. ca. 1843) possessed by Mrs. **Alice LONG Hardin** (9461 Wardlow, Shreveport, La. 71106).
43. Family Bible of **Joseph TERRELL** (b. 1822) as copied by Mrs. **Billie Jo TERRELL Carter** (1542 San Souci Road, Mobile, AL 36605), possessed by Mrs. **Barbara Frances TERRELL Sieber**, sister of Billie Jo. And, copied by Mrs. **Peggy B. TERRELL**, 5113 Bible Church Road, Spartanburg, SC 29303-9625.
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49. Lauderdale Co, Ala., Marriage Book 5, p. 409: **Wyatt Monroe TERRELL** and **Catherine BRYANT**, 31 Aug 1848.
50. Lauderdale Co, Ala., Wills & Estates Book 1821-1840, Inv. Rec. A2, p. 346: Petition for dower by **Tabitha TERRELL**, widow of **Joseph TERRELL**, 1 Feb 1838.
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sion, 1871- 1880\* (National Archives record group 56), Claim #13,045:

**TERRELL, Richmond R.**

52. Maury Co, Tenn., Guardian Bonds, Book A, pp. 158-160 (1863): Estate of **Richmond B. TERRILL**.

53. Family records of Mrs. **Sara L. Trigg** (3622 Robin Rd., Nashville, TN 37204): Ref **Richmond B. TERRELL**. ####

### Death of John TERRELL of Weakley Co. TN

Newspaper Gleaning by **Peggy McNatt**: *Dresden Enterprise* and *Sharon Tribune*: Oct. 1917; **John TERRELL**; aged Confederate Veteran d. at home in **TERRELL SCHOOLHOUSE** vicinity; long illness; 75 years; born and reared in the community; son of **Jeptha TERRELL**, pioneer citizen; never married; 1 brother Esq. **N. E. TERRELL**, and 1 sister, Mrs. **Mattie BAILEY**. (Source: *Newsletter of Weakley County Genealogical Society*, Martin TN, Vol 8, No 1, July 1989. Submitted by #325, Mrs. **Mary Davidson DUNNELL**)



### TERRELL Bible Records

Submitted on family group sheet from **Mary Lou TERRELL**, P O Box 129, Gerber CA 96035; Phone 916-385-1818; forwarded to us by Mrs. **Millie E. WRIGHT**.

**Norman J. TERRELL**, md. 09/18/1900 **Daisy Dean WHITE**

son: **Norman Delmer TERRELL** b.03/10/1904 md. 11/07/1924 **Edith TATUM**.

Children of **Norman Delmer & Edith TERRELL**:

**Warren Edward "Jim" TERRELL** b. 12/23/1925

**Glen Lee "Pete" TERRELL** b. 10/12/1927

**Daisy Jean TERRELL** (02/21/1933 - 10/29/1960)

**Billy Ray "Bub" TERRELL** (02/18/1937 - 09/13/1947) 10 yrs, 6 mos, 25 days. ####

### LETTERS

Most who contact us are looking for information on a specific **TERRELL** individual. These are a few that crossed your editor's desk recently.

I am seeking information on **William G. TERRELL** (c1829-c1900), a Washington correspondent for the *Cincinnati Commercial* in the late 1870's and 1880s. He was probably eldest son of **Williamson TERRELL** of Indiana. Married in the 1850's, he divorced in the 1870s in KY. There were two children from this marriage: **Charles**, who attended the Naval Academy; and **Augusta**, a daughter. Any information you can provide me on **TERRELL**, an early biographer of **Andrew JACKSON** and/or the above children will be greatly appreciated. **Mr. Harold D. Moser**; **THE PAPERS OF ANDREW JACKSON**; **Hoskins Library**; **The University of Tennessee**; **Knoxville, TN 37996-4000**; phone 615-974-0660.

My third greatgrandmother was an **Anna TERRELL** (1775 MD - 1853 TN). She was wife of **Zachariah LAY** (1765 - ? Fayette county TN). Son, **Elisha LAY**, was born in GA or TN in 1820; md. **Elizabeth INGRAM**. Son, **James Asbury LAY**, md. **Georgianna C. ANDREWS**. Daughter, **Lou Eire LAY** md. **Frank Cheatham JOHNSON**. Daughter, **Lou Eire JOHNSON**, md. **John Francis LAWSON**. Daughter, **Nina Louise LAWSON**, md. **Eugene S. BROWNING**. They had myself and my brother **Robert Eugene BROWNING**. Neither of us are married. I know this isn't much, but any help you can give will be appreciated. **Miss Elizabeth L. BROWNING**; 1220 **Tahati Drive**; **Crestwood, MO 63126**.

I am trying to locate information on my grandmother, **Eva Clarinda TERRELL** (02/15/1863 - ?) md. first **Fred LITTLE**, divorced and later md. **George SIVER**. She went to a Baptist church in Russell, IL, died and is buried in Russell. **W. W. TERRELL**, **Newt TERRELL**, and **Clem TERRELL** are presumably relatives, but exact relationship is not known. Grandmother is presumed to have been born in Wisconsin. Would appreciate information and details of membership. **Mr. Howard A. Little**; 775 E Baseline #18; **San Bernardino, CA 92140**.

Do you have any information on this family? **Samuel TERRIL** md. 08/17/1710 in Milford, New Haven county, CT to **Abigail BALDWIN** (christened

09/03/1682 in Milford) dau. of **Josiah & Mercy CAMP BALDWIN**. **Samuel TERRIL** was son of **Samuel TERRIL**. He and Abigail had son **Samuel TERRIL** b. 09/10/1711 in Milford. This info from *Families of Early Milford* page 737. **Barbara FARRIS**; P O Box 2; Carmichael, CA 95609.

I would like any information you have on any of the **TERRELLS** on the enclosed ancestor chart. **Adam TERRELL** b. Cumber county, NJ; son, **Newcomb TERRELL** b. 1778 NJ, md. 05/26/1814 to **Jane JOHNSON** b. NC; both d. in OH, she in Clark Township in 1877. Their daughter, **Rebecca TERRELL** (06/28/1827 Clinton OH – 11/05/1916 Glenwood, IA) md. **George Purtee ReVEAL** and had son, **William Newton ReVEAL** 01/14/1854 in Warren, IN. **Karen ReVEAL**; 1340 Manchester ST; National City, CA 92050.

I am interested in obtaining information about my grandparents, **Lenion Gerard** and **Mable Gray JACKSON TERRELL** who were last known to live at 964 Linam Ave, SE; Atlanta, GA. They were born in Greensboro, Green county, GA about 1900. I am interested in tracing their family tree as far as possible; would appreciate obtaining any information you have about these persons or their forebearers; and would like to know how I can search for them effectively. **Ahmad A. TERRELL**; 8 Production Way; Avenel, NJ 07001.

I saw your article *Family Organizations Need Committees* in the March/April *Genealogical Helper*. **Oneida TERRELL** (03/02/1804 NC – 03/25/1888 Banks county GA) m. **John WATERS** (06/01/1787 NC – 09/13/1863 Banks county GA) on 08/24/1821 in NC. Are you able to refer me to anyone who is working the same line in Hall and Banks counties, GA? **Paulette Chitwood**; P O Box 647; Atlanta, GA 30301.



Figure 1

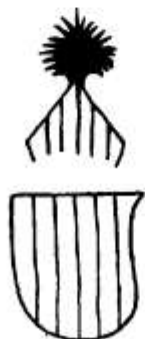
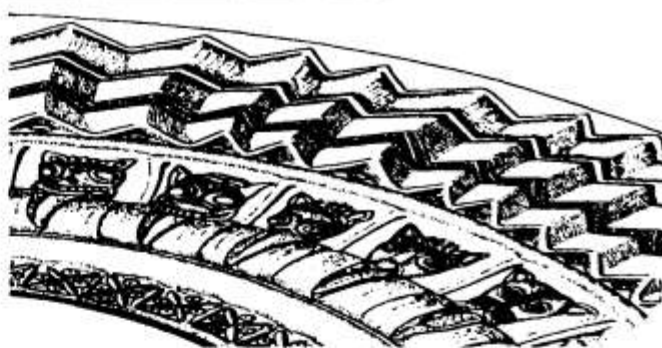


Figure 2



**Stone Age**  
The Proven; The Probable; The Possible;  
and the Mythological from Europe

## THE TERRAUL KNIGHTS OF VAUTRAVERS

*A Genealogical and Heraldic Study of a little known branch of this family.*

By **OLIVIER CLOTTU**; member of the *International Academy of Heraldry*. Taken from the Swiss heraldic archives, 1964 [Found on microfiche in the **Family History Library** of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints by Dan Brinson and translated from original French by Mrs. Kathryn E. Voelker #00060. Emphasis added.]

Several families of knights from the Travers valley in the country of Neuchatel bearing the name of **Vautravers** are evident as early as the 13th century. It is not certain that they have a common origin.<sup>1</sup> Two principal branches are distinguished by their coats of arms; one bears vertical alternating stripes with a band across, and the other a (fascie) horizontal band with a star at the top. It is the first which belongs to **Amedee** or **Ame de Vautravers**, Squire, noted from 1282 to 1308, who in 1301 holds in fief as a vassal [a person who held lands from a superior on conditions of homage and allegiance, usually in the form of military service] the fortified house of **Terraual at Motiers**. His descendants, especially since the 15th century, bear exclusively the name of this fief [land held on condition of service].

Perhaps the son of **Jean de Vautravers**, possessor of the feudal castle of Cerlier in 1381, then of Thielle in 1399<sup>2</sup>, **Guillaume (William) du Terraual** married in 1430 **Alexia de Bariscour**, from Landeron, and resided after that in the jurisdiction of the Lord of Landeron<sup>3</sup>. The count of Neuchatel granted him the estate of **Jean Daignie** situated at Cressier and named him possessor and receiver for the feudal castle of Landeron in 1431. He died before 1444. From the first marriage with **Henriette**, daughter of



**Foucad de Pierrefontaine**, he had had a son **Girard** and a daughter **Isabelle**, a nun at the Abbey at Migette near Leviers (Doubs); from the second marriage, there were several children including a son, **Jean**.

In 1466, **Guillaume de Berne**, prior of Morteau, made in the name of his nephews and nieces, children of the late **Guillaume du Terraul**, an agreement with **Girard du Terraul**, a paternal brother, concerning the debts contracted by their father to the lord of Neuchatel for the receipt of the Landeron estate. The constituents of **Guillaume de Berne** would take back all that **Guillaume du Terraul** owned in the jurisdictions of Landeron and Thielle, from Rochefort downstream "so much in inheritances, furniture, and debts" worth 950 gold florins; **Girard** takes on all that his father "could have in all the Vaultraver Verrieres, Mortaul and the district of Vennes, be it from Rochefort upstream," amounting to 200 gold florins. Fifteen years later, **Girard** having become impoverished, handed over to his brother **Jean** the upkeep and livelihood of the house of Terraul as well as the ecclesiastical benefits of their Saint Clement chapel founded in the church Saint Pierre of the priory of Motiers and all the rights and taxes that he possessed in the Travers valley<sup>4</sup>. **Girard Du Terraul** and his descendants remained settled at Motiers<sup>5</sup>.

**Jean du Terraul** divided his time between the vineyard of Neuchatel and the city of Fribourg. He owned Cressier "a house and its dependencies, vineyards, fields, meadows, crofts, rents, and income<sup>6</sup>." The tower of the stairway of this house still remains; a beautiful shield topped by a crowned helmet decorating it; the arms have been hammered. (see fig. 1) Having married **Elsi de Winkental**, widow of master **Henslin Brassa** of Fribourg, **Jean du Terraul** was received as a citizen of that city on January 9, 1462<sup>7</sup>. He does not seem to have resided permanently at Fribourg; we find him at the castle of Landeron in 1468 and as noble judge at the Audiences of the Count. In 1478 he promises to pay the Abbey of Hauterive the 12 flourins in gold that his wife had pledged for the repair of the chapel of this monastery<sup>8</sup>. The Terraul arms painted in the cloister of Hauterive is probably in memory of this liberality. The shield with six alternating vertical stripes, today very faded, is crowned by a bonnet [cloth hat] in form of a mitre [a tall pointed, folded cap worn by bishops during

sacred ceremonies], with arms [same vertical stripes as the shield], topped with a tuft of black feathers. (see fig. 2) Another shield in white or silver with a lively horse in black, could be that of **Elsi de Winkental**. From 1478 to 1491, **Jean du Terraul** is mayor of Neuchatel. From 1495, he lived exclusively in Fribourg. We see him there for the last time with his wife **Elsi** in 1503, when, for the purpose of aiding the institution of chant and choir at the church of Saint-Nicholas, both give to the first magistrate and the council of Fribourg half of the patronage of the church of Givisiez<sup>9</sup>. For this act is appended the seal of **Jean du Terraul** to the shield with six alternating vertical stripes. (see fig. 3)

**Jean du Terraul** left three sons, **Petremand**, **Jacques**, and **Ame**, whose morality conforms to that of their time.

**Petremand** or **Pierre**, probably the oldest, entered the priesthood. A Benedictine monk at Romainmotier, he became prior of the island of Saint-Pierre, then shortly afterward, in 1485, was named Abbot of Trub. His conduct was not edifying. In 1487, already, some gentlemen of Berne appealed to the Count of Neuchatel to obtain a reduction in the penalty required against the son of **Jean du Terraul** for violent crimes committed on the person of the concubine of the Abbot of Trub. The perpetrator [criminal] is probably **Jacques du Terraul**. Indeed, his father pays that same year 1487, thirty-six livres to the surgeon **Pierre Bergeret** "because of and for the expense and arrangements made for the servant of the Abbot of Trub on account of certain wounds and distress made to the nose, mouth, and tongue of said person."<sup>10</sup> The Abbot of Trub had germanized his name to vom Graben [terreaux = fosse = ditch or moat]. He died at the beginning of 1510. We know his seal affixed in 1501<sup>11</sup>; like that of his father, it bears six alternating vertical stripes (see fig. 4). **Petremand** is very probably father of **Apollonia vom Graben** whom he would have had in 1499 by a wife from Trachselwald. **Apollonia vom Graben**, in contrast to her father, led a



Figure 3



Figure 4



Plate 1

dignified and useful life. She married in succession four widowers provided with children who, all, were persons of importance.<sup>12</sup>

Her first husband, the reformer **Berchtold Haller** from Berne, wrote in 1529 to his friend **Bucer** at Strasbourg that he "had married a poor and

honorable woman of thirty years named Apollonia." Haller died in January 1536. The Council of Berne legitimized his widow the 28th of that same month. In October, she remarried, to the former knight-banneret **Peter Dittlinger**. Ten years later, widow again, she married again, to the bailiff of Lenzbourg, **Hans Kammerer**, member of the Petit Council. Having lost him, she finally married the director of the hospital of the island, **Georges de Romerstall**. Apollonia survived her last husband by 12 years and died, respected and without descendents, in 1574.

**Jacques du Terraul** received in 1495 the citizenship and its privileges of Fribourg and assigned it to his house at Balterswil in the parish of Tavel<sup>13</sup>. He spent most of his life at Cressier where his reputation was scarcely flattering; they characterized him as lecherous and dissipated. His father, in order to prevent him from entirely wasting his fortune, concluded an agreement with him and demanded in 1495 to gain possession of his property at Cressier<sup>14</sup>. Three years later, he made a new arrangement whereby the estate of Jacques would remain in the hands of Jacques' wife<sup>15</sup>. Finally, in 1505, Jacques handed over to his brother **Petremand**, abbot of Trub, and to **Henry Matter**, knight of Berne, his uncle, all the wealth that he possessed in the jurisdiction of the Castle of Landeron and County of Neuchatel for "by my foolishness and neglect I cannot maintain the said estate in good condition and such as I have been urged to do according to the content of letters of agreement made between my beloved father and myself."<sup>16</sup> **Jacques du Terraul**, cited again in 1518, dead before 1523, did not leave any children by his

three wives, **Pernette de Monsevelier**, **Marguerite Grueres**, and **Marguerite d'Englisberg**.<sup>17</sup> We do not know his seal.

**Ame du Terraul**, in German, **Emann Vom Graben**, the youngest of the family, obtained in 1508 citizenship and its privileges in Fribourg which his father had enjoyed, and assigned his right to the property that he possessed at the foot of the Stalden at Fribourg<sup>18</sup>. The title of **Corminboeuf** is conferred upon him in 1531 conjointly with **Loys d'Affrey** and the Brotherhood of the Holy Spirit of Fribourg<sup>19</sup>. Ame dictated his last wishes March 14, 1547, leaving his estate to **Jacob Heimo**, son of **Hans Heyman** the tailor of Fribourg and of his natural daughter whose first name we do not know. If his heir were to die without legitimate heirs, the fourth of the tithe of Givisiez that he shares with his cousin **Francois d'Affrey** and the Brotherhood of the Holy Spirit will revert to the latter<sup>20</sup>. The patrician family, **Heimo**, which descends from Jacob mentioned above, picked up the **Du Terraul** arms. They bear alternating vertical stripes of gold and blue on the top of the first stripe a grasshopper of sinople (green enamel) (numerous variants). These arms are self-explanatory; indeed "Heime" means grasshopper or cricket.

That which in any case, best recalls the passing existence of **Ame du Terraul** is the stained glass window which he had made for himself by a master glassmaker from Berne (**Plate 1**). This remarkable work, which was part of the collections of von Parpart and then La Roche, was purchased in 1962 by the National Swiss Museum<sup>21</sup>. The shield with six alternating vertical stripes of blue and gold supports an open helmet topped with a crown of gold. A lady dressed in red holds the shield; at her foot lies a little dog. This window, dated 1532 does not bear the name of its owner. It is identical with the drawing of a Bugnyet window of Fribourg, of 1531 which appears to have served as a model for it. Only **Ame du Terraul**, last survivor of his family at Fribourg at this date could have ordered this work.

The **Techtermann Armorial**, dating from the very beginning of the 17th century<sup>22</sup>, contains the blason [description of arms] du Terraul alias vom Graben of Fribourg. The shield, with six vertical alternating stripes of gold and blue, supports an open, crowned helmet topped by a cloth hat with vertical alternating stripes of gold and blue, climaxed by a little cross



Figure 5

formed from five balls of gold (fig. 5). In examining this beautiful design, the window of 1532 and the sculptured stone of Cressier (fig. 1), one can wonder if the crown of gold is not part of the crest.

It appeared interesting to us to evoke in these few pages the unpublished destiny of these vassals of Neuchatel in Swit-

zerland and to group their heraldic monuments.

#### FOOTNOTES

**Abbreviations:** A.E.N. Archives of the State Neuchatel; A.E.F. Archives of the State, Fribourg.

1. They have been studied by Mr. **Hughes Jequier** who, thanks to an extensive scrutiny of the available archives, succeeded in drawing up fragmentary genealogical tables. See: **Hughes Jequier**, *Le Val-de-Travers, from the Origins to the 14th Century*; Baconniere edition, 1962.

Note that a branch of the Vautravers, descending from **Ame** were settled in the 14th century in Franche-Comte where they played an influential role for more than 300 years. They bore arms of six vertical stripes in white or silver and blue; crest: a head of a swan or goose. On this subject, see: **R. de Lurion**, *Nobility of Franche-Comte*, Besancon, 1890; **General de Mesmay**, *Dictionnaire historique, biographique, et genealogique du Franche-Comte* (10 fascicules polycopies); **Jules Gauthier**, *Dominant Castle-owners of Franche-Comte 13th to 15th Century*, Besancon, 1903; **Jules & Leon Gauthier**, *Armorial of Franche-Comte*, Paris 1911. Jules Gauthier cites in his publication on the owners of castles in Franche-Comte a shield of **Jacques de Vautravers**, owner of Pontarlier in 1429 (in fact, Pontailier-sur-Saone, Cote d'Or) bearing un sautoir ecote acc. de trois croissants verses. This person, belonging to the branch from Neuchatel is well-known and has left his name to an estate: **Arthur Piaget**, *The Great Jacques de Vautravers*, Museum of Neuchatel, 1928, p. 199. We owe for information on the branch from Vautravers to **M. Meurgey de Tupigny**, from Paris, whom we thank here.

2.. His seal of 1370, kept in the archives of La Neuveville, containing six vertical stripes a la bande brochante, is reproduced in the *Armorial of Neuchatel*, vol II, p. 249, fig. 1124.

3.. Daughter of the late **Guillaume Blayer de Bariscour**, Squire of Landeron, and of **Isabelle de Berne**, of the same location. A.E.N. Marriage license drawn up by the notary **Henry Pigaukl**, minuit. II f<sup>c</sup> CXVII v<sup>c</sup>.

4. A.E.N. Henry Uldry, not., f<sup>c</sup> CLXXVI v<sup>c</sup>, *Annales de Boyve, Book II*, page 141: acte cite, dated on Monday before Saint-Michel, 1481.

5. **Jean-Rodolphe**, son of the late **Francois Mayor**, of Romainmotier, and of **Isabelle du Terraul**, ultimate heir of Du Terraul estate, was authorized by **Catherine de Gonzague** to take over the fief, the name, and the arms Du Terraul on September 19, 1609. The second family **Du Terraux**, which died out in the 19th century bore arms of blue with 3 vertical stripes of gold.

6. These possessions were sold before 1523 by **Jacques** and **Ame**, sons of **Jean du Terraul**, to **George de Rive**, governor of Neuchatel. They were sold again in 1537 for 1000 livres to **Hans Huguy** of Soleure; later they passed to others, to **Grimm**, then to **Arreggar**, likewise from Soleure. The house belongs today to **M. Edgar Ruedin**, of Cressier.

7. A.E.F., Grand Livre des Bourgeois, 2, f<sup>c</sup> 79. We owe all the information concerning the activities of **Jean du Terraul** and his sons in Fribourg to the kindness of **M. Hubert de Vevey**, of Fribourg, whom we thank here.

8. A.F.E., Hauterive, First Supplement, no.239

9. A.E.F., Geistliche Sachen, 74. Completing the gift of **Jean du Terraul**, **Loys d'Alley**, of Fribourg, husband of **Elisabeth Matter**, of Berne, and her parents, give for the same purpose the other half of the patronage of said church. The grandmother of **Elisabeth Matter** was a **Bariscour**.

10. A.E.N., Pierre de la Haye, not., f<sup>c</sup> VI<sup>xx</sup>XIII v<sup>c</sup>

11. A.E., Berne, Fonds Traschswald.

12.. Read on this subject the well-researched study by professor D.H. Turler: the Wife of the Reformer Haller.

13. A.E.F., Grand Livre des Bourgeois, 3, f<sup>c</sup> 104 v<sup>c</sup>.

14. A.E.N., Justice du Landeron, vol 5, premier fascicule, non folie.

15. A.E.N., ? year 1498.

16. A.E.N., parchement F 9, no. 3.

17. The first wife, daughter of donzel **Henry de Monsevelier**, a will in 1494 (Regle de la fabrique de l'eglise Saint-Maurice of Landeron, Archives du Landeron, N 10); the second wife, married in 1496, was the daughter of **Pierre Grueres** of Landeron (mention of her marriage contract of 18 May passed by the notary Jean de Larchet). The third wife, finally, noted in 1498, was daughter of the **Knight Dietrich of Engelsberg**, of



Fribourg.

18. A.E.F., Grand Livre des Bourgeois, 2<sup>e</sup> 111.

19. A.E.F., Haugrive, Prez, 88.

20. A.E.F., Haugrive, Prez, 91

21. The information concerning this stained glass window are borrowed from the work of **Dr. Jenny Schenider**: *Die Glasgemälde aus der Sammlung La Roche*. From the annual report of the Swiss National Museum, 1962, in Zurich. We thank the National Museum for having been so kind as to place at our disposal the photograph of the plate illustrating this work.

22. "A la Bibliotheque cantonale" at the University of Fribourg.

## MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY IN PROGRESS

It has been proposed that a membership directory be prepared listing all members, their current addresses and phone numbers. In order to make this most useful to our serious researchers, it has been proposed that we include an **ANCESTOR INDEX**.

This index will be derived from Members Lineage charts that have been submitted. We intend to include the name of the TERRELL or variant ancestors; birth place & date; death place and date; and spouse's name whenever such information is available on the charts.

This should prove very useful because you can look up your ancestor and immediately see whether any other member may be descended from the same ancestor. Due to differences in dates, unknown places of birth or death, etc. it may not always be possible to determine whether two listed ancestors of the same name are in fact the same person.

It is **anticipated** that the **price** of this booklet will be **\$10.00**.

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We have set Dec 31, 1989 as a cutoff date for including members in this booklet. If you have not completed and returned your lineage chart, please do so today. We don't want to leave anyone out.

The booklets should be ready by Spring or Summer, 1989. ####

## Troup County GA TERRELLS

**Joel H. TERRILL** md. **Elizabeth BATTLE** 02/15/1844 in Troup County, GA.

**Peter O. TERRILL** md. **Elizabeth PERKINS** 03/05/1840 in Troup County, GA. (Source: *Miscellaneous Records of Troup County GA*. binder in the Cultural Center Library, Thomasville, GA)

## TERRELLS of the South in Revolutionary War

The TERRELL variants listed here were found in *COLONIAL SOLDIERS OF THE SOUTH, 1732 --- 1774*.

**Hezekiah TERRELL, Jephtha TERRELL, & John TERRELL, Jun.** all appeared as privates in the Regiment of Col. **William Eaton**, Granville County, NC 10/08/1754. (Pages 724-725)

**Bry: TERRELL** listed as Capt. at a Council of War held at Col. **William Bryan's**, Johnston County, NC on the Neuse River, Monday 03/04/1770. (Page 870)

**W:m Hen: TERREL** listed on Maj. **Lawrence Washington's** copy of polls in Fairfax County, VA 06/13/1774. (Page 280) **W:m Henry TERRELL** on list of voters polled for Capt **John West**, Fairfax County VA 12/11/1755. (page 334) **W:m Henry TERRALL** on list of freeholders polled for Col. **G.W. Fairfax**, 12/11/1755, same county. (Page 336)

**James TERREH** (sic), Sgt., appears on payroll of the VA Regiment from Enlistment to 05/29/1754 according to Acct in possession of Mr. **Carlyle** then Commissary; enlisted May 14, paid 5 pounds.14.0. (page 608)

**John TERREL**, soldier, on muster of Capt. **Elias Delashmut's** Company, MD Militia for 52 days service to 08/13/1757. (Page 98)

**Sam:l TERRAL** private, Capt. **Stafford's** Company, 3rd. Battalion, His Majesty's Ship *Ludlow Castle*. belonging of Col. **Gooch's** Regiment, borne for victuals per order of Adm. **Vernon** Nov. 1740 through Nov. 1742/43. (Page 172)

To be Continued. ####