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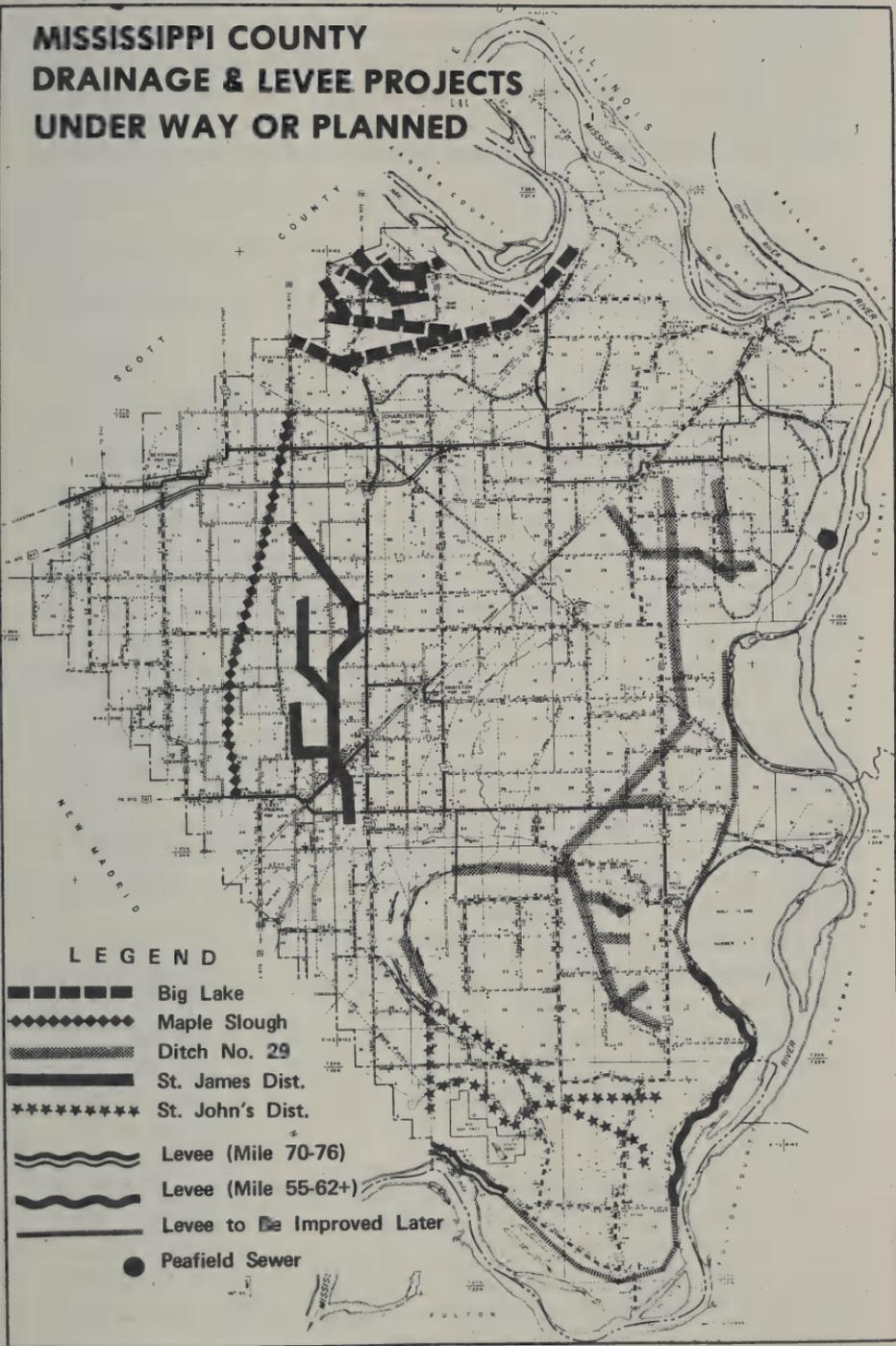
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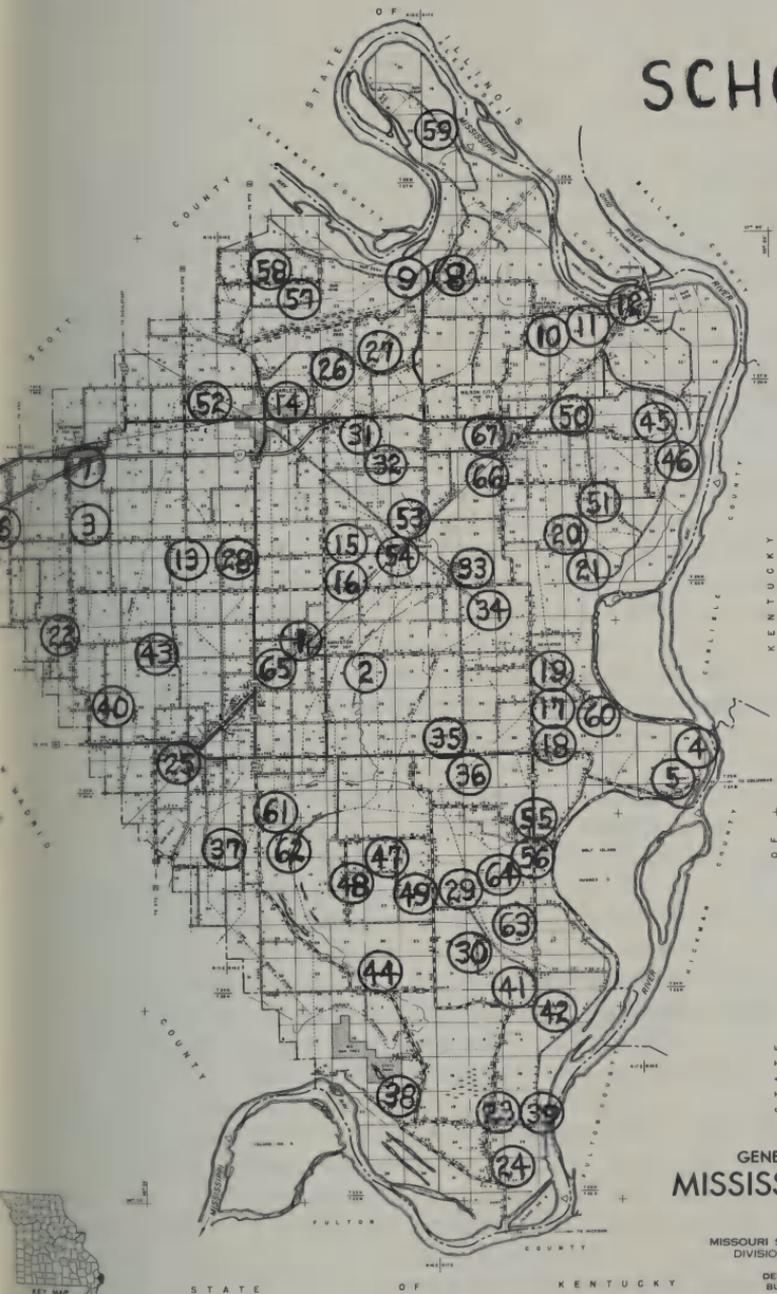
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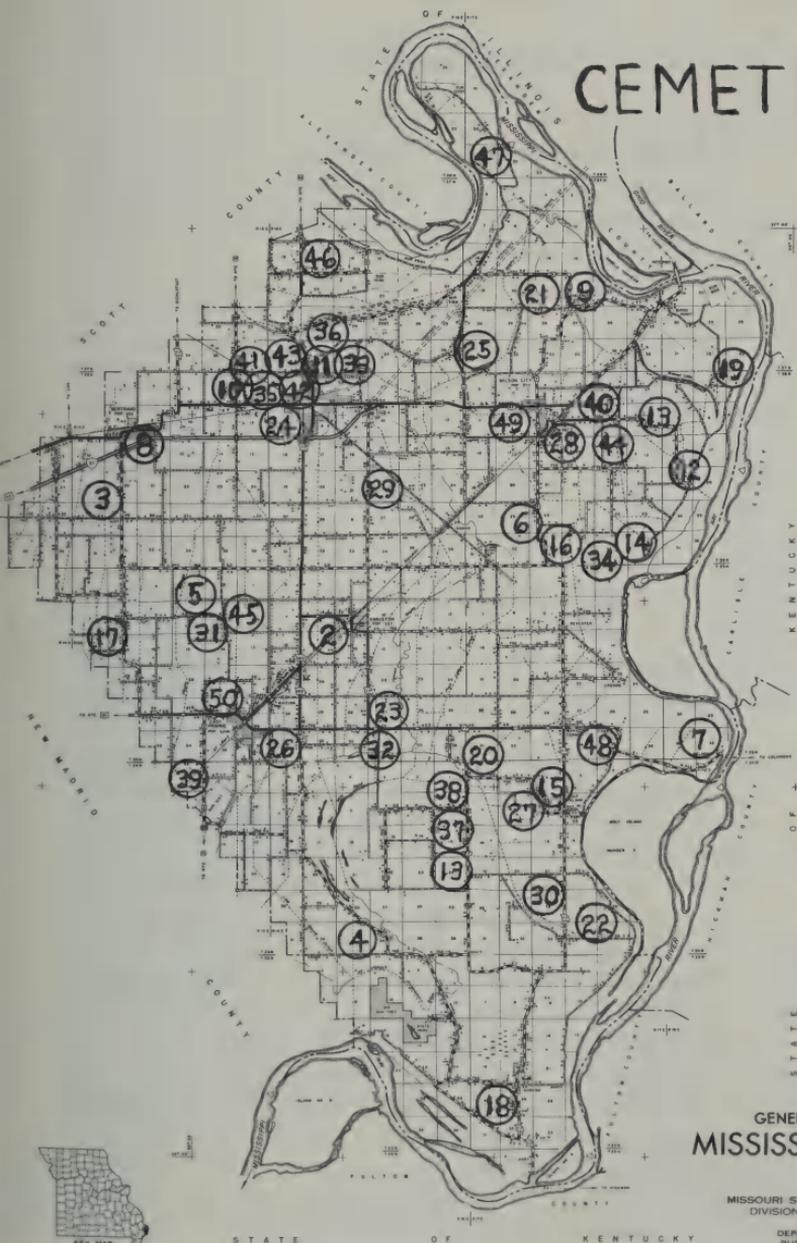


GENERAL HIGHWAY MAP MISSISSIPPI COUNTY MISSOURI

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APPENDIX C

BIOGRAPHICAL SECTION

Goodspeed's History of Southeast Missouri includes biographies of people living in Mississippi County in 1888. Most have not been included as the book is still available from Ramfre Press at Cape Girardeau, Missouri. A listing at the end gives those to be found in *Goodspeed*.

Information was mainly taken from five sources and is coded as follows:

- D - Douglas, Robert Sidney, *History of Southeast Missouri*
- H - Hunter, Stephen, *Joseph Hunter and Related Families*
- R - Reavis, L. U. *Productive Power, History, Growth and Advantages of Mississippi County*
- M - Shoemaker, Floyd, *Missouri and Missourians*
- N - *Newspapers*

Some family histories were submitted by individuals and are so credited.

(N) ADAMS, NEEL (1829 - June 31, 1892) who died in the Concord Settlement.

ALEXANDER, SCOTT (January 17, 1862 - January 11, 1933) was born in New Liberty, Owen County, Kentucky the son of J. J. and Mary (Tandy) Alexander. His education was obtained at institutions of his own state. It began in his native town and was supplemented by a four year course at Georgetown College in Georgetown, Kentucky. After graduation there he took a full course at a commercial college in Lexington where he graduated in 1887. His connection with the Charleston Bank began in 1887. In 1890, he married Maud Howlett (February 27, 1869 - June 1944) daughter of FRANK and REBECCA (LEE) HOWLETT. They had two daughters; LUCILE who married JOSEPH L. MATTHEWS of Sikeston, and DOROTHY who married DAVID THOMPSON of BUTLER, MISSOURI. He served on the CHARLESTON school board from 1899 - 1921. He was very active in the BAPTIST CHURCH and served as deacon for a number of years. (Information supplied by Dorothy Thompson, Charleston, Missouri.)

ANDREWS, OLAVE WALTER (March 30, 1851 - December 7, 1918) came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1874. He first married MATILDA LOEBE and they had one child, BESSIE. MATILDA died and in 1882 he married NETTIE LUTZ, daughter of IGNATIUS LUTZ and ELIZABETH LUTZ (November 3, 1864 - September 21, 1931). A son, IGNATIUS O. was born September 22, 1883, and a daughter, INEZ, on August 12, 1890. Mr. ANDREWS ran a bakery and confectionery and

made a soda fountain and bottled the first soda water sold in Southeast MISSOURI. He also patented a well point for pumps in the delta land which could not be stripped when pulling. At his death his daughter took over the business until the death of her mother in 1931. (Information supplied by Inez Andrews, Charleston, Missouri.)

(N) *ARMER, NOAH W.* (1857 - July, 1893) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, son of WILLIAM and SARAH RUSHING ARMER (1827 - July 1893). In 1866 he married KATY FRAWLEY. A daughter, ELOISE, was born August 21, 1887. He was buried at ARMER CEMETERY.

(N) *ASHBY, FRANK* (1893 ? - September 4, 1941) married EFFIE ANDERSON in 1916. He was survived by her and one son, RODERICK ASHBY.

(N) *ASHBY, FRANKLIN BENJAMIN, SR.* (1862? - July 4, 1940) moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY from ILLINOIS in 1881. He was survived by three sons; OSCAR, ALPHIE, and FRANK.

(N) *ATKINS, MRS. RACHAEL* (1817? - September 27, 1879)

(N) *AYCOCK, CHARLES BINGLEY* (October 13, 1870 - March 23, 1912) was born in CALLAWAY COUNTY, KENTUCKY, and came with his father to MISSOURI in 1874 settling in SCOTT COUNTY. When a young man he moved to EAST PRAIRIE. In March of 1898 he married SUSIE WILLIAMSON, daughter of WILLIAM WILLIAMSON. He was survived by his widow and three children; RUTH, CLARENCE and EUGENE.

(N) *BAILEY, EZEKIEL ("UNCLE ZEKE")* (1852 - 1936) was born in HARDIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY around 1876. He was at various time Justice of the Peace, City Assessor, Constable, and Deputy Sheriff. He was preceded in death by his wife and a daughter, MRS. CORDIA FRYE. He was survived by a son, HENRY BAILEY.

(N) *BAKER, DAVID* (May 24, 1829 - September 7, 1894) was born in CHARLOTTE, N. C., the son of JACOB AND ELMIRA (PEET) BAKER, both of whom were natives of NORTH CAROLINA. On November 20, 1851, he married MARGARET, a daughter of JOHN and SARAH (ANCELL) DAVIS, who were natives of NORTH CAROLINA. He then went to TENNESSEE, back to WOLF ISLAND for three years and then to the CONCORD settlement where he purchased eighty acres of heavily timbered land. In 1879 he moved to CHARLESTON where he bought several lots and a house. He died September 7, 1894, at the age of sixty-five. At the time of his death he had eight hundred acres of land. MR. and MRS. DAVID BAKER had three children only one of whom survived MR. BAKER — MRS. DR. A. A. BONDURANT.

(N) *BARKER, DR. ALONZO* (July 15, 1855 - November 25, 1895) was born near CAMDEN, BENTON COUNTY, TENNESSEE. He was raised on a farm. At the age of twenty-three or twenty-four he began the study of medicine, attending a course of lectures at VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY in the winter of 1879 and 1880. He then associated himself with DR. TUBBS of CAMDEN and in the fall attended a second course at the UNIVERSITY OF NASHVILLE from which he graduated in February of 1881. He returned to CAMDEN and resumed his practice but in December of 1881 moved to BERTRAND, MISSOURI, and built up a large practice. In the summer of 1893 he moved to CHARLESTON. He contracted small pox during the epidemic of 1895 and died at the age of forty. His wife, MAMIE, survived him.

(N) *BARTLETT, GEORGE H.* (1828? - November 2, 1880) was born on BARNARD'S RIDGE, MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. His wife SARAH died March 2, 1881.

(N) *BASTIAN, STEPHEN* (1825? - August 17, 1882) lived in CHARLESTON for twenty-five years and followed his trade of shoemaking.

(N) *BATTERTON, MRS. FANNIE* (1823? - December 14, 1901) was born in BOONE COUNTY. Her maiden name was CREWES. In 1840 she married GEORGE W. BATTERTON. Seven children survived her, one of them being MRS. I. M. FRANK of CHARLESTON.

BECK, J. ABNER (? -) was elected County Superintendent of Schools in 1935 and served until the office was abolished in 1967. During those years he belonged to numerous associations and served on various committees. He was on the Executive Committee of the Missouri State Teachers Association Public Relations Committee for thirteen years. He was appointed to the State Superintendent of Schools Advisory Committee from 1939 to 1947 and served on the National Education Association Public Relations Committee as a representative from Mississippi County from 1940-1944. He was a leader in establishing the state training center No. 38 in Charleston for mentally retarded children of Mississippi County and was U. S. Agricultural Statistician of the Doane Countywide Farm Panels in 1963. He was a member of the Southeast Missouri School Administrators Association from 1935-1967, and is presently a member of the Southeast Missouri District Teachers Association, Mississippi County Teachers Association, the Missouri County Superintendents Association, and the Southeast Missouri Division of Missouri Delta Development Commission Education Committee. He served on the Mississippi County Library Board as an ex-officio member from the time it was organized in 1947 until the office of County Superintendent of Schools was abolished. He has been active in many local clubs and was an Honorary Colonel on the Staff of Governors of Phil

M. Donnelly and John M. Dalton. He and his wife, Hazel, still reside in Charleston.

(H-N) *BECKWITH, THOMAS* (January 24, 1840 - June 7, 1913) was born at WOLF ISLAND in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY the second son of QUIROS and SUSAN JOHNSTON BECKWITH of FAIRFAX COUNTY, VIRGINIA. On February 1, 1870, he moved to CHARLESTON and followed farming as an occupation. When his father died in 1862 he left to THOMAS and his brother, QUIROS, a farm of eleven hundred acres, a wood yard and saw and grist mill and ninety-seven slaves. The floods of the MISSISSIPPI RIVER and the destruction of the war destroyed the value of the land and the brothers did not recover from their financial loss for many year. On March 11, 1862, he married LAURA SWANK (December 4, 1844 - April 5, 1909) and they had four children. A son, WILLIE, was killed while young and the daughters were LILLIE M. (November 26, 1864 - May 22, 1933), MINNIE L., and OLLIE L. who married W. CLARK RUSSELL. CLARK and OLLIE'S sons were WILLIE and TOM RUSSELL. THOMAS later married MARGARET VERNON HALLER and they had one daughter, SUSAN BECKWITH, who married COL. FRANK PHILLIPS. He was famous for his collection of Indian artifacts which are now in the MUSEUM OF SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY IN CAPE GIRARDEAU, MISSOURI, and was the author of "The Indian Mound Builders".

(H) *BECKWITH, QUIROS* (September 25, 1801 - ?) was born in VIRGINIA, the son of NEWMAN BECKWITH. He settled in MISSOURI. On April 2, 1839, he married SUSAN JOHNSTON who was born in NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, October 31, 1813. To this union five children were born, only two of whom survived the parents; QUIROS and THOMAS.

(H) *BECKWITH, MARMADUKE* (February 11, 1806 - March 29, 1881) was born in FAIRFAX COUNTY, VIRGINIA, the son of NEWMAN BECKWITH. He died at ARCADIA, MISSOURI. He was married twice. His first wife was a GRIF-FIN and his children by her were UNDERWOOD and LUCY. LUCY married a DR. TRAVIS. She and UNDERWOOD both died in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI, without issue. His second wife was CATHERINE HUNTER PRICE, daughter of ABRAHAM HUNTER. The children of this union were: ADANDA HUNTER BECKWITH, JUDITH ANN BECKWITH, RICHARD A. BECKWITH, THOMAS B. BECKWITH, and YANCY.

(H) *BECKWITH, QUIROS* (1847 - February 8, 1879) was the son of QUIROS born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI. He married SUSAN JAMES on August 6, 1866. She died July 4, 1879. To this union were born; QUIROS "ELMO" who married MOLLIE GATZ, half-sister of DR. GRINSTEAD, but had no issue, and JOHN HARDING "HAR-

DY". He died at WOLF ISLAND and was buried there. His only living son, QUIROS ELMO BECKWITH, was assistant cashier of the CAIRO NATIONAL BANK at CAIRO, ILLINOIS.

(H) *BECKWITH, JOHN HARDING* (1867 - ?) was the second son of QUIROS. He married JULIA WINBUSH of KENTUCKY on December 28, 1887. He died survived by his wife and one son who moved to KENTUCKY.

(H) *BECKWITH, NEWMAN* (October 14, 1767 - June 13, 1835) was the son of MARMADUKE and SYBEL ELLZEY BECKWITH. He was born in RICHMOND COUNTY, VIRGINIA, and moved to MISSOURI in 1812. He settled between NORFOLK and WOLF ISLAND, south of and opposite the mouth of the OHIO RIVER, in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He married JUDITH ANN NEALE, a daughter of RICHARD and FRANCES UNDERWOOD NEALE. She was born in Virginia and died in MISSOURI in 1830. She was an aunt of the mother of GENERAL "STONEWALL" JACKSON of the Confederate Army. They had the following children but only three survived the parents. NEWMAN BECKWITH and his seven sons and two daughters and wife moved to MISSOURI. Only two sons and one daughter had issue. Sons: UNDERWOOD, RICHARD, QUIROS, MARMADUKE, FRANCIS, MOUNTAIRE BARNES. Daughters: LUCY, SABINA. NEWMAN and SYBEL moved from FAIRFAX COUNTY, VIRGINIA to Southeast MISSOURI in the spring of 1812. With them were their children and slaves. They settled in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY.

(N) *BENNETT, TED* (August 2, 1888 - May 13, 1971) was born in HUNTINGTON, TENNESSEE, the son of RUBEN and ANNIE PHILLIPS BENNETT. His first marriage in 1912 was to PEARL BRADLEY who died in 1915. In 1918 he married HATTIE MAE LINDLEY who survived him. Also surviving were six daughters; MRS. VIRGINIA MAZINGO, MRS. ERCCELL DEBAUN, MRS. RUTH BYASEE, MRS. JESSIE MILLER, MRS. ANNIE GARRETT, and MRS. ILA MILLER, and three sons; RUBEN ARCHIE, HAROLD EUGENE and SAMUEL TEDDY. At the time of his death TED BENNETT was one of the few remaining pioneers of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He settled on a high ridge on the banks of JAMES BAYOU where he remained to raise his family. After a gravel road to JAMES BAYOU was completed he and his wife set up a "fish kitchen" of sorts. An iron kettle over an outdoor wood fire became the kitchen and hundreds of people have fond memories of "TED BENNETT fish fries." He was buried in DOGWOOD CEMETERY.

(N) *BERTHE, LUCIUS T.* (August 21, 1876 - January 5, 1950) was a civil and flood control engineer and a resident of CHARLESTON, MISSOURI, for forty years. He died at the age of seventy-three. He received his technical education at Drury

College and Purdue University. He was an authority in his field and had done a great deal of successful work in drainage, flood control, sewers, and pavements throughout his section of the state. He was born at Winona, Minnesota. He was survived by: MRS. RAMONA BENITA BERTHE, one son, CHARLES, three daughters, SUSAN, MRS. WALTER LUCAS and RAMONA.

(N) *BETHUNE, MRS. J. H. (JULIA)* (January 26, 1853 - September 9, 1902) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, the sister of GEORGE H. BRIDGES. She was married November 28, 1867. She was survived by her husband and four children; MRS. A. S. BARNES, JR., MRS. MARSHALL HALL, MISS ORA BETHUNE, BYRON BETHUNE, and two grandchildren, IRENE B. WILLIAMS and SYDNER HALL.

(H) *BIRD, ABRAM THOMPSON* (? - ?) was the son of THOMPSON BIRD, SR., and brother of MARY I. BIRD HORRELL. He married JULIA L. VON PHUL who was a sister of BENJAMIN VON PHUL. The VON PHULS came to MISSOURI from LOUISIANA. To this union were born; ELIZABETH, HENRY, THOMPSON, JOHN, and MARY.

(M) *BIRD, ABRAHAM* (? - ?) married MARY JONES on June 3, 1781, and brought his family down the Ohio River about 1795, and his place of settlement at the junction of the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers was given the name of BIRD'S POINT. Some years later ABRAHAM BIRD and his son, THOMPSON, both moved to LOUISIANA, and the resident representative of the family was another son, JOHN BIRD, who owned a large plantation at BIRD'S POINT. MARY JONES BIRD died in 1844 and is buried in the BIRD family cemetery where a stone marks her grave. This cemetery is near a place now called ALFALFA CENTER.

(H) *BIRD, ABRAHAM THOMPSON* (December 23, 1867 - October 11, 1947) was the son of STEPHEN and ALLIE HUNTER BIRD. He married ELLA EDMUNDSON, a daughter of JOHN EDMUNDSON of Sikeston, Missouri. They had two daughters; ELLA who married A. M. HOUSER, and LUCY who never married and who lives in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI.

(HMN) *BIRD, JOHN* (November 26, 1795 - September 20, 1868) was the youngest son of ABRAHAM BIRD, SR. and MARY JONES. He went with his parents to Louisiana, but later became the owner of the BIRD PLANTATION on the Mississippi River facing the mouth of the Ohio River. He died on this plantation and is buried in the BIRD family cemetery. He married his cousin, INGABO BYRD, at Maryville, Tennessee, March 20, 1799. The following children were born of this union and recorded in the family Bible: BETSY BIRD born March 29, 1825; ABRAHAM BIRD born October 3, 1827; THOMPSON BIRD born December 26, 1828 and died December 22, 1888;

WILLIAM BIRD born December 1830 and died September 12, 1871; JOHN BIRD, born March 1, 1834; STEPHEN BIRD born January 27, 1836 and married ALLIE HUNTER and after her death AMANDA HUNTER; MARY ELIZA BIRD born January 26, 1838 and died in 1861 or 62; NANCY EMILY BIRD born November 16, 1840 and married BEN F. HUNTER of Scott County, Missouri; JAMES BIRD born November 29, 1842; THOMAS BIRD born December 29, 1845 and died December 31, 1866; CLARA BIRD born April 24, 1849 and married DR. THOMAS J. EDWARDS of Union City, Tennessee; ANDREW J. BIRD born March 17, 1852 and married LUCY HUNTER. INGABO BYRD BIRD was born November 30, 1807 and died April 17, 1864 and is also buried in the family cemetery. JOHN BIRD was without question, just before the Civil War, one of the largest property owners in the State of Missouri. He had city and farm lands in ST. LOUIS, CAIRO, PADUCAH, COLUMBUS, KENTUCKY, and BATON ROUGE, and large acreage of land in MISSOURI, Illinois, Kentucky, and Louisiana. Each of his sugar plantations in Louisiana had a sugar mill. In addition he had a large estate in personal property, not counting the negroes, who were emancipated in Missouri and Louisiana.

(H) *BIRD, JOHN ABRAM* (January 23, 1866 - May 1943) was born at BIRD'S POINT, the son of WILLIAM and LUCY BIRD. He married IVA DONNELL and their children were; DONNELL, TOM and KITTY.

(H) *BIRD, LUCY KATHERINE* (October 10, 1856 - November 5, 1929) was the daughter of JOSEPH and NANCY H. HUNTER. On September 28, 1876, she married ANDREW JACKSON BIRD and they had one child, MARY KATHERINE "KATE".

(H) *BIRD, NANCY EMILY* (1840 - February 1922) was the daughter of JOHN BIRD and married BEN F. HUNTER of Scott County, Missouri.

(H) *BIRD, STEPHEN* (January 27, 1836 - February 7, 1912) was the son of JOHN and INGABO HUNTER BIRD. He was married twice. His first wife was ALTHEA "ALLIE" HUNTER (August 5, 1845 - October 1873), the daughter of ISAAC OGDEN and SUSAN HILL HUNTER. By this marriage he had a son, ABRAHAM THOMPSON BIRD. His second marriage was to AMANDA HUNTER. Their son was HUNTER BIRD. STEPHEN BIRD was born in Louisiana and spent his life on the BIRD PLANTATIONS. He operated a sawmill as part of his activity. He was noted for his shot with a rifle.

(N) *BIRD, THOMPSON* (Dec. 26, 1828 - December 18, 1897) was buried in the family grave yard on STEPHEN BIRD'S farm at BIRD'S POINT.

(H) *BIRD, WILLIAM* (December 9, 1830 - September 2, 1871) was the son of JOHN BIRD and married LUCY CATHERINE MILLER of EAST PRAIRIE (November 23, 1845

- May 13, 1926). They had two children; JOHN ABRAM and SALLIE INGABO who married DR. SAMUEL B. CARY of Union City, Tennessee.

(N) *BLACK, A.* (May 20, 1823 - March 1902) was born in Hungary. In 1844 he married ROSA NEIMAN (1822? - January 5, 1902) and came to the UNITED STATES in 1856. They moved to CHARLESTON in 1889. Four children and her husband survived MRS. BLACK.

(N) *BLEDSOE, WILLIAM* (September 26, 1882 - 1970) was born in NEW MADRID COUNTY but lived in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY sixty-five years. He was postmaster of EAST PRAIRIE for twenty-five years, retiring in 1958. On June 21, 1911, he married MEDA H. HALBROOK. He was survived by his wife and two daughters, MRS. VIRGINIA DAVIS and MRS. ANNETTE GIVENS.

(N) *BONDURANT, JOHN CONNELLY* (July 4, 1863 - September 1949) was born in JORDAN, KENTUCKY, the son of JOHN SIMPSON BONDURANT and JULIA DAVIS BONDURANT. He moved to CHARLESTON as a young man and was a member of the drug firm BONDURANT and OGILVIE for fifty years. He was survived by his wife EVA NUNNELLY BONDURANT; two sons, DR. ALPHEUS BONDURANT, DONALD BONDURANT, and one daughter, MRS. FRANK SEE.

(N) *BONDURANT, MRS. SALLIE* (December 16, 1862 - July 6, 1895) was born near MARTIN, WEAKLEY COUNTY, TENNESSEE. She was the eighth child of eleven born to RICHARD and SARAH WAGGONER. On March 23, 1887, she married J. C. BONDURANT, a young druggist of CHARLESTON and a native of KENTUCKY. They had four children, only one of whom survived her.

(N) *BONDURANT, DR. ALPHEUS* (October 3, 1892 - November 1959) was born in CHARLESTON the son of MR. and MRS. JOHN C. BONDURANT. He spent forty-five years in the service of U. S. hospitals. He was survived by his wife, MARGARET RANSOM BONDURANT and two sons, DR. JOHN C. BONDURANT and DONALD BONDURANT.

(N) *BONDURANT, MARY J.* (March 16, 1857 - November 1, 1929) was the daughter of DAVID BAKER. She married DR. A. A. BONDURANT. She was survived by DR. FLINT BONDURANT, MISS VELA BONDURANT, LONNIE BONDURANT, MRS. J. W. BRANSFORD, SIMPSON BONDURANT, and MRS. CARL F. SHUMAKER, all children.

(N) *BOONE, A. R.* (March 24, 1868 - October 10, 1945) was a son of FELTON BOONE of CLINTON, KENTUCKY. In 1896 he moved to CHARLESTON. He served two terms as STATE REPRESENTATIVE and for twelve years was county treasurer and later served as county superintendent of schools.

(N) *BOONE, MRS. AGNES W.* (May 12, 1829 - December

31, 1908) was born AGNES W. ALLOWAY in WILSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE. At the age of eighteen she married W. F. BOONE. In 1852 they moved to CLINTON, KENTUCKY, then in 1895 moved to CHARLESTON. They had thirteen children, ten of whom survived her; THOMAS L., B. A., WILLIAM F., SALLIE HICKS, J. J., J. A., A. R., MRS. J. E. BOWERS, and MISS KATE E. BOONE.

(N) *BOONE, JAMES A.* (January 3, 1853 - October 18, 1942) was born in CLINTON, KENTUCKY. He first came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY as a teacher of the DORENA SCHOOL. When his parents, MR. and MRS. W. F. BOONE moved to CHARLESTON he moved there and opened a law office. Surviving were a sister, MISS KATHERINE BOONE and brothers — A. R. BOONE, JOHN BOONE, JOE BOONE AND TOM BOONE.

(N) *BOONE, KATHERINE "MISS KATE"* (April 25, 1871 - 1969) was born at CLINTON, KENTUCKY, the youngest child of JUDGE and MRS. WILLIAM FENTON BOONE. Her great-great grandfather, BRYANT BOONE, was a brother of DANIEL BOONE. With her family she moved to CHARLESTON in 1893. She began voice studies at the age of sixteen, and gave voice and piano lessons for eighty-two years.

(N) *BOYCE, ROXIE MATTINGLY* (August 29, 1890 - July 2, 1918) was married to LAWRENCE E. BOYCE.

(N) *BRADLEY, JUDGE E. FRANKHAM* (1847? - October 1892) was killed when his mule overturned his cart. He held the office of JUDGE of the COUNTY COURT, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE and SCHOOL DIRECTOR OF ST. JAMES TOWNSHIP.

(N) *BREWER, HAWKINS* (? - August 24, 1880) died in LONG PRAIRIE TOWNSHIP.

(N) *BREWER, T. BEN.* (March 23, 1870 - March 14, 1928) was born near BERTRAND and for twenty-five years was a druggist in CHARLESTON. He was survived by his wife, one son, GRINSTEAD BREWER, and one brother, G. D. BREWER of BERTRAND.

(N) *BRIDGES, GEORGE HARDIN* (September 15, 1850 - June 27, 1928) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in the PINHOOK area and at the time of his death was the oldest living native born citizen of the county. In 1873 he married DORA PATTERSON (December 5, 1855 - 1933) who, with one son, DR. JAMES P. BRIDGES survived him and one grandson, GEORGE BETHUNE BRIDGES.

(N) *BRIDGES, JAMES H.* (July 23, 1824 - September 26, 1879) was born in SHELBY COUNTY, KENTUCKY and when he was about fourteen years of age came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He was married March 17, 1847, to MISS LAETITIA B. SIMMS. He was a member of the CITY COUNCIL.

(N) *BRIDWELL, DR. I. H.* (1835 - November 28, 1901).

(N) *BROWN, E. L. SR.* (April 10, 1845 - December 15, 1926) was born near HAW'S CHAPEL. In 1870 he married CLEOPATRA LANE of ALEXANDER COUNTY, ILLINOIS. They had four children, of whom one survived him, E. LINDSAY BROWN. In June of 1879 he married JULIA SIMON of ILLINOIS and they had two children. His widow and two sons, ALPHIE S. BROWN and ELBERT BROWN, survived him.

(N) *BROWN, FRANCIS M.* (December 25, 1811 - April 10, 1895) was born in PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, the son of FRANCIS M., SR. and ELLEN H. BROWN. His father was a native of PHILADELPHIA and his mother was born near CORK, IRELAND. In 1832 he came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and made a permanent settlement, his father having settled here in 1826. The family's first house was a log hut, rudely built in which they lived for several years. From 1850 to 1853 he kept a store and boardinghouse in CHARLESTON, after which he moved to a farm. At the time of his death he owned seven hundred acres of land. He was married four times. He first married JULIA SWEETEN on January 1, 1835, by whom he had six children only two of whom survived him; E. L. and MARY E. (MRS. JACOB DAVID, of CINCINNATI). His second wife was MARY SHEPPARD. His third wife was ELIZA SMITH, and his last wife was EMILY WHITE, daughter of THOMAS WHITE of TENNESSEE. He died at his home in TEXAS BEND at the age of eighty-three.

(N) *BROWN, HENRY MORTON* (November 14, 1867 - April 1948) was the son of JAMES M. BROWN and LAURA SAYERS BROWN. He married MAYME McELMURRY (October 20, 1876 - February 24, 1951), daughter of HENRY and MINNIE MAYBEE McELMURRY. He was survived by his wife and two daughters, MRS. WILSON HARRIS and MRS. MAX OSTNER, JR.

(N) *BROWN, JUDGE JAMES M.* (August 10, 1834 - September 3, 1897) was JUDGE of the PROBATE COURT for several years. He was also engaged in real estate and insurance business. In 1860 he married LAURA A. SAYERS. He was survived by his wife, a daughter, MRS. JOHN (ANNA) A. KIMMEL, and a son, HENRY MORTON BROWN.

(N) *BROWN, MARY ELIZABETH* (1862? - April 8, 1903) was born in GERMANY.

(N) *BROWNING, FRED* (January 28, 1862 - ?) was born at ROANOKE, NEW YORK. He came to CHARLESTON in March of 1889 and engaged in the photographic business for several years. He was appointed JUSTICE OF THE PEACE in 1906 and in 1908 was elected for a four year term to the same office. In 1909 he became CHARLESTON'S first POLICE JUDGE.

(N) *BRYANT, THOMAS* (1815? - January 24, 1885) died near BERTRAND.

(N) *BRYANT, W. C.* (December 6, 1858 - December 30, 1935) founded the *W. C. BRYANT MERCANTILE CO.* in CHARLESTON. He married *FANNIE SWANK* (1868 - June 15, 1926), daughter of *JAMES* and *RACHEL SWANK*. *MRS. BRYANT* was survived by her husband and two sons, *ERNEST E.* and *HARRY T.*

(N) *BURKE, "GRANDMA"* (1807? - July 1903) was the mother of *MRS. ELIZABETH LUTZ.*

(N) *BURNS, GEORGE C.* (November 15, 1845 - May 10, 1930) was born in LAWRENCE COUNTY, NEW YORK and came to CHARLESTON in 1868. He was the youngest of seven children of *OWEN* and *CATHERINE (COWEY) BURNS.* He married *MARY E. MUSHOLD* in 1876 and they had four children. He was married a second time to *MABEL MASSEY.* He was survived by two daughters; *MISS ELIZABETH BURNS* and *MRS. J. H. EDELEN* of *PARSONS, KANSAS,* and two sons, *WILLIAM A.* and *EDWARD J.*

(N) *BUSH, WILLIAM H.* (September 1, 1826 - December 1891) died at BERTRAND where he had lived for fifty years. He was married three times and had nine children, only four of whom survived him.

(HN) *BYRD, JAMES L.* (August 1869 - May 4, 1940) was born in CHARLESTON the son of *THOMAS H. BYRD.* He was educated at *VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY* in NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. He opened a retain lumber yard at CHARLESTON under the name of the *JAMES L. BYRD LUMBER COMPANY.* On December 5, 1894, he married *LUCY HUNTER* (March 29, 1874 - September 27, 1942), the daughter of *BEN FRANKLIN* and *NANCY EMILY BIRD HUNTER.* Their children were, *JAMES LANIER, JR.* and *THOMAS ALBERT.*

BYRD, JAMES LANIER (1896 -) was born in CHARLESTON, the son of *JAMES LANIER* and *LUCY NANCY HUNTER BYRD.* He went to school at Central College and then graduated from the University of Missouri. In 1923 he married *LUCILE FRISBY* and they have a son, *JIMMIE.* They still reside in Charleston.

BYRD, THOMAS HAYWARD (1840 - 1874) married *MARY ELIZABETH MOORE* (1847 - March 1916) and they had three children; *JAMES LANIER* (1869 - 1940), who married *LUCY HUNTER* (1874 - 1942) in 1894, *SUSAN ELIZABETH* (1871 -) who married *H. L. REID* in 1895, and then *ALFRED F. SMITH* in 1942 and *THOMAS JOSEPH* (1874 - 1899) who married *BELLE HOWLETT* in 1897.

(H) *BYRD, THOMAS ALBERT* (December 16, 1899 -) is the son of *JAMES LANIER* and *LUCY NANCY HUNTER BYRD.* He was educated at *WESTERN MILITARY ACADEMY* at ALTON, ILLINOIS. On June 2, 1930, he married *HELEN SWAYNE* of *HICKMAN, KENTUCKY,* and they had

two sons; THOMAS SWAYNE and HUGH HUNTER. He is now retired from the lumber business.

(N) *BYRNE, MRS. EMMA ALLEN* (? - November 4, 1939) was born in MEADE COUNTY, KENTUCKY and moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1878. She married J. D. BYRNE in January of 1891. Surviving were her husband and two sons, ROBERT B. and HUNTER V.

(N) *BYRNE, FRANCIS X.* (1815 - September 1, 1883) was born in MEADE COUNTY, KENTUCKY and moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1858 with his family. He died near GREENFIELD'S LANDING and was buried in TEXAS BEND CEMETERY.

(N) *CARTER, MRS. C. M.* (nee Sims) (1837? - March 23, 1897) was born in ROCKING COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA. She was married to JAMES W. CARTER and they had four children; J. F., WILLIAM L., G. M. and ROBERT R. She had lived in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY nineteen years.

(N) *CHANDLER, MRS. JULIA* (? - April 18, 1884) was the wife of WILLIAM R. CHANDLER. They moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1871 from MASSAC COUNTY, ILLINOIS. She was the first person buried at the then new ODD FELLOWS CEMETERY.

(N) *CHAPMAN, DR. A. W.* (January 28, 1857 - September 12, 1936) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He attended school in LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, and ST. LOUIS. He married MISS ROSE ROSENSTEIN around 1898. He was survived by his wife and two children, MISS HELEN and WILLIS CHAPMAN. Another daughter NAOMI, preceded him in death.

(N) *CHAPMAN, "UNCLE" WILLIS M.* (April 21, 1822 - April 1895 or 1896) was born in OHIO COUNTY, KENTUCKY, and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1849 and settled in the CONCORD COMMUNITY. In 1856 he married ANN MARY MARTIN (1834 - 1866) and they had three boys and one daughter. He was buried in the CONCORD CEMETERY. Only DR. A. W. CHAPMAN survived him.

CHAPMAN, WILLIS (May 10, 1899 - 1946) was survived by his wife, the former NADINE HUNTER, one daughter, MRS. TRAVIS WADE SHELBY, JR. and one sister, HELEN CHAPMAN.

(N) *CLACK, T. J.* (July 20, 1867 - ?) was president of the CLACK DRY GOODS and CLOTHING COMPANY which in 1909 was located on the corner of Main and Commercial in the Kenrick Building. He was born on a farm in SIMPSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, the son of MR. and MRS. T. B. CLACK. He came to CHARLESTON in 1889 and for five years was employed by G. B. STOTTS. In 1895 he went into business for himself. In 1894 he married MISS ELGIA HOWLETT, daughter of MR. and MRS. FRANK HOWLETT.

CLARKSON FAMILY

The CLARKSONS were pioneers. The founder of the family was WILLIAM CLARKSON, who was a landowner in FAYETTE COUNTY, then VIRGINIA in 1782. His origination was either ENGLAND or one of the older counties of VIRGINIA. His brothers, JOHN and JOSEPH were in HENRY COUNTY, VIRGINIA, at that time but they all went to MERCER COUNTY, KENTUCKY, where we find them in 1795. WILLIAM married (POLLY or MARY) MARTIN in 1798 and with his brothers bought land and were farmers there.

About 1820, WILLIAM and his family moved to DAVIESS COUNTY, KENTUCKY, where he bought ninety-six acres of land on an island in the OHIO RIVER in 1823.

His son JABEZ, born in 1801, in MERCER COUNTY, KENTUCKY, married CYNTHIA SMALL of DAVIESS COUNTY, KENTUCKY. They had children JOHN, JAMES, MARY, FRANCES, WARNER, and JABEZ. In 1833 JABEZ and family, along with his sister FRANCES and husband WILLIAM KENNEDY, JOSEPH DYSON, and JOHN and SALLY KENNEDY and children, WILLIAM, JOSEPH and DYSON, came down the OHIO RIVER on a flat boat to BIRD'S POINT. JABEZ located on the prairie north of where CHARLESTON now stands, was a farmer and had 1,200 acres at his death. He was married the second time to MANICA SHEPHERD, daughter of ISAAC SHEPHERD of CAPE GIRARDEAU COUNTY after CYNTHIA died in 1840. They had children MARGARET, HENRY, ISAAC TAYLOR, JESSIE and MONICA. JABEZ died in 1858.

JAMES D. was born in DAVIESS COUNTY, KENTUCKY, August 22, 1828, and died in September of 1892. He was the son of JABEZ CLARKSON and CYNTHIA SMALL. He was five when he came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He was a farmer and pioneer who did a great deal for the county. In 1863, he married FANNIE, daughter of HANSFORD and MARTHA (RANDOLPH) ROUSE. They were the parents of nine children, three surviving to adulthood, GEORGIA R. (MRS. J. L. OGILVIE), LOTA M. (MRS. KARL MARSHALL) (September 2, 1885 - 1960) and NORA M. (MRS. GEORGE F. DEWEY).

Another son of JABEZ'S, ISAAC TAYLOR CLARKSON, was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY November 12, 1848. He was the son of JABEZ and MANICA (SHEPHERD) CLARKSON. He was elected clerk of the CIRCUIT COURT in 1886. He also served as city clerk for one term and city councilman for several terms. On August 27, 1877, he married JENNIE ROUSE, daughter of HANSFORD and MARTHA (RANDOLPH) ROUSE, of HENDERSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY. JENNIE was the sister of FANNIE, wife of ISAAC'S half brother JAMES. JENNIE was a direct descendant of LOUIS ROUSE, who served in the VIRGINIA MILITIA

and NATHANIEL RANDOLPH, who was purchasing agent for GENERAL GEORGE ROGERS CLARK in the REVOLUTIONARY WAR. JENNIE and ISAAC had four surviving children, JULIA (MRS. MAHLEN POULTER), WELLA (MRS. HENRY GAINES), JABEZ, married to ETHEL SLAGLE, and FRANK TAYLOR CLARKSON, married to BERTHA DRURY. ISAAC died in 1906 and JENNIE married JAMES N. SLAGLE of ZALMA, MISSOURI. She died in 1914.

FRANK TAYLOR CLARKSON was born December 4, 1882, at CHARLESTON, MISSOURI. He married BERTHA MELINDA DRURY of BLOOMSDALE, MISSOURI. She was born June 14, 1883, and was the daughter of JULES and JOHANNA MARY (HIPES) DRURY. She died January 20, 1969, at ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI. They had two children — VIRGINIA DRUETTA (MRS. WALLER E. SPRAGUE) and KARL TAYLOR CLARKSON.

FRANK was married a second time to ISABELLE MARGARET LIVINGSTON, from POPLAR BLUFF, MISSOURI in 1938. She died in 1964 and he died at the age of eighty-nine at SIKESTON, MISSOURI. He was a farmer and clerk of the CIRCUIT COURT of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He spent many years as a railroad employee.

FRANK is survived by his son, KARL TAYLOR CLARKSON of LA MESA, CALIFORNIA. He married BILLA NADENE JONES of ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, in 1940. He is a veteran of PATTON'S THIRD ARMY in WORLD WAR II. He was a salesman in the automotive field most of his life.

The CLARKSON line with the CLARKSON name stops with him as there are no children of either ISAAC or JAMES descendants with the CLARKSON name. (Information furnished by Karl Clarkson, 5805 Severin Drive, La Mesa, California)

(N) *CLEVIDENCE, MRS. ELIZABETH* (1824? - March 1889) was the mother of JOHN CLEVIDENCE of BIG LAKE and ROBERT CLEVIDENCE of WOLF ISLAND and mother-in-law of E. C. LOONEY.

(N) *CLEVIDENCE, J. L.* (1878 - ?) was born in BULLITT COUNTY, KENTUCKY, son of ROBERT and AMANDA CLEVIDENCE. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1882. In 1906 he married BESSIE HAWKINS and they had two sons.

(N) *CLIFFORD, HARRY* (1884? - August 4, 1879) died at *FUGATE'S STATION*.

(N) *COCHRAN, H.S.* (1870 - ?) was born in BULLITT COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He was elected county collector of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1906 and was re-elected in 1910. He married MAMIE CRENSHAW and they had two daughters, MARGARET and MAMIE LEE.

(N) *CONYERS, JAMES* (1846? - March 28, 1881) was a

deputy sheriff.

(N) *COOPER, JOHN M.* (March 4, 1814 - July 31, 1886) was a native of IRELAND, born near BELFAST, who emigrated to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY at the age of seventeen. He was for a number of years land agent for the ST. LOUIS IRON MOUNTAIN and SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

(N) *COURTWAY, JOSEPH* (? - August 13, 1879)

COX, J. BETH (January 14, 1863 - 1935) was born at CALVERT CITY, KENTUCKY, and came to CHARLESTON in 1888 to build a barn for ALEC BOGARD in the CONCORD community. He started the elevator at BELMONT in 1889 and finished it in 1890. He married ALICE BARRY, niece of MR. BOGARD in January of 1890. He later built the RUSSELL & DEAL block for J. J. RUSSELL and the DEFIELD block and RUSSELL block in EAST PRAIRIE from 1905 to 1906. He was superintendent of building the RUSSELL HOTEL and CHARLESTON. All of his work was by the hour as he was too high in bidding. He would figure the cost plus 25% as builders do now. He and his wife had three children who died in infancy and a daughter, EUNICE, who married DEE JENNINGS. (Information furnished by Mrs. Dee Jennings, Charleston, Missouri.)

CRENSHAW FAMILY

JAMES CRENSAW was a Revolutionary War soldier who migrated from LOUISA COUNTY, VIRGINIA, to BULLITT COUNTY, KENTUCKY in the late 1700's with his family. His six children were: MARTHA, JOEL, OVERTON, COSBY, NELSON, and BLUFORD. COSBY CRENSHAW'S children later migrated to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI. They were: RICHARD (1804 - 1837) who married MARY JAMES (POLLY) MOORE (1803 - 1859); GRANDISON (1805 - 1878) who married JUDITH BRIDWELL (1816 - 1884); and CATHERINE (KITTY) (1809 - 1880) who married CHARLES W. MOORE (1814 - 1878).

JOSEPH COSBY (1830 - 1898) the son of RICHARD AND MARY MOORE CRENSHAW married MARTHA BRIDWELL (1832 - 1876) and they had nine children: JAMES, RICHARD, ISIAH ALBERT, MARY ELIZABETH, CHARLES S., HENRY MELVIN, MARVIN BRIDWELL, FANNY JOE, and JOSEPH.

MARY ELIZABETH (1861 - 1935) the daughter of RICHARD and MARY MOORE CRENSHAW married EDWIN P. DEAL (1859 - 1946) and their children were: HENRY; NELLIE ANDERSON (1883 - 1970) who married BUCKNER RAGSDALE (1880 - 1970) the parents of MARY SUE BIHR; ALMA LOIS; IDA BRIDWELL; MARION; and EDNA.

MARVIN BRIDWELL (1867 - 1934) the son of RICHARD and MARY MOORE CRENSHAW married LIZZIE CUMLEY (1871 - 1952) and their children were: COSBY

PERRY; MARTHA R.; CHARLES EARNEST; and MARVIN RICHARD (1907 -) who married ELISABETH WRIGHT (1910 -) the parents of MELVIN LOREN and MARVIN RICHARD, JR.

JOSEPH (1874 - 1935) the son of RICHARD and MARY MOORE CRENSHAW married LELA FINLEY (1884 -) and their children were: HENRY, who married VIRGINIA HAWKS; BRIDWELL who married MAXINE COLLINS; and MARY LELA who married CARL HOUGH.

COSBY PERRY (1890 - 1932) the son of MARVIN and LIZZIE CUMLEY CRENSHAW married ELLA MARTIN (1892 - 1972) and their children were: LOIS ELLEN who married OLLIEN DEWITT HARPER; MARVIN VERNON; and HAROLD MARSHALL.

The children of OLLIEN DEWITT and LOIS CRENSHAW HARPER are: ANNETTE, FRANCES, DIXIE JEAN, MARTHA, SHARON, GALEN DEWITT, MARGARET, and CHARLES WHALEN. (Information supplied by Marvin Richard "Dick" Crenshaw).

(N) *CULLISON, MAY* (October 13, 1877 - April 1939) was the daughter of JUDGE and MRS. W. T. MARSHALL. She was married to JAMES CULLISON. She was survived by her husband and a son, DR. JAMES CULLISON, JR.

(N) *CUMMINS, HENRY G.* (? - February 1883) was born in DAVIESS COUNTY, KENTUCKY, and moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1838.

(N) *DALTON, "UNCLE" THOMAS J.* (May 6, 1843 - January 13, 1917) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, the son of JOHN and LOUISIANA MATHEWS DALTON. On September 27, 1866, he married LAURA J. GRIGSBY (? - 1869). In 1869 he married MARY J. CHAPMAN. He was survived by three sons; ED, OTTO and GUY and two daughters, MRS. LAURA LLOYD and MRS. ORA WALLACE.

(N) *DANFORTH, L. D.* (December 15, 1851 - March 15, 1921) was born near CHARLESTON. He was survived by his wife, the former MARGARET COCKE, and two sons, JAMES A. of TEXARKANA, TEXAS, and DOUGLAS of CHARLESTON, and one daughter, MRS. FRANK FARR of PORTLAND, OREGON. Three brothers A. H., L. W. and R. C. preceded him in death.

(MN) *DANFORTH, JUDGE LEWIS W.* (June 10, 1837 - January 29, 1917) was born in HENDERSON, KENTUCKY the son of LEANDER F., a native of NEW YORK and JANE W. JONES DANFORTH, a VIRGINIAN. He grew up in the town of his birth and received a good education. His father was in the marble business and until he was twenty-two he worked with him. In 1859 the family moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI, and settled on a farm. He stayed there until 1862 when he moved to CHARLESTON. On September 25, 1861, he

married MISS MARY J. YATES, who died in May of 1914. To this union were born ten children, of whom six survived him; MRS. H. L. KENNISON (NETTIE) of PORTLAND, OREGON, GEORGE W. DANFORTH, MISS GRACE DANFORTH, MRS. OTIS W. JOSLYN (AUGUSTA), HENRY A. DANFORTH and MRS. W. V. MATTINGLY (EMMA). FLORENCE GLOVER, another daughter preceded him in death. After moving to CHARLESTON he embarked in the marble business and was later associated with his brother, A. H., in the mercantile business at Main and Commercial Streets where the BREWER DRUG STORE now stands. He later was associated with his son, H. A., in the lumber business. His interest in civic and political matters brought him into public life and in 1882 he was elected to the general assembly and re-elected in 1884. While serving as representative of the county MR. DANFORTH was chairman of the swamp lands committee. In the county he filled the offices of collector, deputy sheriff and coroner. At different times he was mayor of CHARLESTON and served in all about twelve years in that capacity. He was later a member of the city council and then presiding judge of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He served nine years as school director and was for four years a member of the board of regents of the SOUTHEASTERN NORMAL SCHOOL of CAPE GIRARDEAU. He was a large property owner in CHARLESTON having thirty or more houses which he rented.

(N) *DANFORTH, WILLIAM H.* (1870? - December 24, 1955) was born in CHARLESTON. He graduated from WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY in 1892 and began his business career in ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI. He started with the ROBINSON-DANFORTH CO. in 1894. Their mill produced horse and mule fodder. In 1932 he became board chairman of the RALSTON-PURINA CO., manufacturers of animal foods and breakfast cereals. In 1955 it had a total value in excess of \$30,000,000. He gave the ground for the present library building in CHARLESTON, MISSOURI, and the money to build the original building. He was also a benefactor to numerous churches, colleges and universities. He and his wife gave money for thirteen chapels in many parts of the county. He was survived by his wife, the former ADDA BUSH, one son, DONALD, and one daughter, MRS. RANDOLPH P. COMPTON.

(N) *DANIELS, MRS. SAMUEL P.* (? - April 13, 1881) died in WOLF ISLAND TOWNSHIP. She was the sister of MRS. MILES I. HOWLETT of the CONCORD area.

(N) *DAVIS, CLARENCE M.* (? 1869 - ?) was born in UNION COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He was educated at the LEXINGTON MILITARY ACADEMY and KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in March of 1897. He served as county treasurer 1902 - 1906, county clerk in 1906, and was re-elected in 1910.

(N) *DAVIS, JOHN C.* (October 9, 1848 - January 26, 1886) died at FISH LAKE settlement. He was the son-in-law of JUDGE DANIEL L. LOFLIN of CHARLESTON. He was born in CHARLESTON. He was the brother of ROBERT N. DAVIS of BIG LAKE and MRS. LEWIS MARTIN of PRICE'S LANDING.

(N) *DEAL, EDWIN JERE* (July 25, 1890 -) married MATTIE TROXELL, who was born April 30, 1891, and they had three children; JERRY, GEORGE and FRANCES who married NICHOLAS J. CHEPER III. MR. & MRS. DEAL live in COLUMBIA, MISSOURI.

(N) *DEAL, EDWIN JEREMIAH, SR.* (January 24, 1863 - April 24, 1935) was born at NEW OXFORD, ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, son of JEREMIAH WORTHINGTON DEAL and ISABEL (ALFRIGHT) DEAL. He moved to CHARLESTON in 1884 and taught school for a while. He studied law with J. J. RUSSELL. He married MATTIE BRIDWELL (November 18, 1867 - 1949). He was survived by his wife and five sons, E. J. DEAL, JR., HARMON, R. R., DON, and NELSON. He died at CAPE GIRARDEAU, MISSOURI.

(N) *DEAL or DIEHL, EDWIN P.* (August 20, 1832 - 1908) was born in ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA. He married EMMA BROWNWELL on August 19, 1862, and they had five children; ALICE (MRS. E. A. SWANK), ELLA E. (MRS. J. J. PARKER), JESSIE (MRS. C. A. DIEHL), PAULINE (MRS. E. A. COWDEN), and HOWARD BROWNWELL DIEHL. He was the son of PETER DIEHL who died April 13, 1887, at the age of eighty-four. EDWIN was wounded November 5, 1864, at CHARLESTON during the CIVIL WAR. He died at OLATHE, KANSAS.

(N) *DEAL, EDWIN PETER* (April 19, 1859 - 1946) was born in CHARLESTON, the son of HENRY J. and MELVINA DEAL. He entered PENNSYLVANIA COLLEGE, GETTYSBURG, in 1874. He married MARY CRENSHAW (1861 - 1935) in September of 1879. He served as collector of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and in 1906 was elected a member of the legislature and re-elected in 1908 and 1910. His eldest daughter, NELL, married W. B. RAGSDALE in November of 1909. Another daughter, MISS IDA, died in 1973.

(N) *DEAL, GEORGE* (February 24, 1750 - July 28, 1804)

(N) *DEAL or DIEHL, COL. HENRY J.* (December 1, 1829 - November 18, 1891) was born in OXFORD, PENNSYLVANIA, the son of PETER, who died in 1887, and MARY (SMYSER) DIEHL. He went west in 1850 and worked for a time on the steamboat, "PIKE NO. 2". While he was living in PADUCAH, KENTUCKY, in 1854, a sign painter spelled his name DEAL instead of DIEHL and he remarked, "The shorter the quicker", and assumed that spelling. DIEHLSTADT in SCOTT COUNTY was settled by JOHN KIRKPATRICK but early GERMAN

immigrants named it after COL. DEAL and retained the GERMAN spelling. He married MELVINA WALTERS (October 18, 1839 - March 9, 1892), the daughter of HARDIN B. and MARY R. (LOCKE) WALTERS on March 6, 1854. COL. and MRS. DEAL moved to CHARLESTON in 1856. For several years he was a contractor in ditching and building levees and later was contractor for the building of the CAIRO and FULTON RAILROAD. A brother, ANDREW, who was born around 1831 in PENNSYLVANIA died in KENTUCKY around 1892. HENRY J. and MELVINA had six sons, two of whom were still living in 1886; EDWIN P. and JOHN D. DEAL, state senator from the district that was later to become MISSISSIPPI COUNTY from 1864 - 1868 and state representative in 1881 and 1885.

(N) *DEAL OR DIEHL, JEREMIAH W.* (June 26, 1828 - 1905) was born in ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA. He married ISABELLA E. ALBRIGHT. He was survived by his wife and the following children: WILLIAM H., MERVIN S., IDA K. (MRS. JAMES ROSS), MISS ANNA, EDWIN JERE, S. MAY (MRS. F. D. BLOCKER), AMBER L. (MRS. C. C. BREAM), and LAURA A. (MRS. G. M. DIFFENDERFER).

(N) *DEAL, JOHN DANIEL* (July 29, 1870 - September 22, 1904) married ELLA GOODIN (August 20, 1883 - February 9, 1972), the daughter of MR. and MRS. ALBERT GOODIN I. He was survived by his wife, a daughter, MRS. HARVEY (MARY) DRAKE and her two daughters, MARY ELLA, wife of Major-General JOHN WAGGENER, and PEGGY, wife of WILLIAM McNEARY.

(N) *DEFIELD, D. E.* (? - January 22, 1918) was a native of CANADA, but resided in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY for many years. He was survived by his wife, two sons and three daughters; C. S. DEFIELD, E. D. DEFIELD, MRS. WILLIAM A. WYATT, MRS. J. F. CAMP and MRS. DEISINGER.

(N) *DEFIELD, C. S.* (January 20, 1874 - February 3, 1923) was born in BRIDGMAN, MICHIGAN. When he was fourteen his parents moved to KENTUCKY and the following year to SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI. In January of 1894 he married ANNIE WEBB and they settled in the WYATT community. Here he conducted a lumber business and did a profitable trade for several years. In 1902 he moved to EAST PRAIRIE and continued for seven years in the same line of work and also farmed. When the FARMERS' BANK was organized he was one of its chief promoters and a principal stockholder. He was at that time one of the richest men in EAST PRAIRIE. He and his wife had seven children; EMIL, CLYDE, TED, ELDRED, WEBB, TRESSA, DOROTHY, and ROWENA who died as an infant.

(N) *DEVER, JOHN L.* (March 8, 1860 - November 1929 or 1930) was born in SARATOGA, KENTUCKY, and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1880. He married ANNIE STEINBRAKER (February 1, 1868 - 1933). He was survived by his

wife, a half brother, ROY DEVER, and a half sister, MRS. JAMES MOON.

(N) DOYLE, R. A. was born in TENNESSEE and came to EAST PRAIRIE in 1886. In 1892 he graduated from the ST. LOUIS COLLEGE OF PHARMACY.

(N) DRANE, MARK A. (April 27, 1855 - 1919) was born in KENTUCKY and came to MISSOURI in 1875. He married a daughter of MR. and MRS. SAM OGILVIE. MRS. DRANE was born October 26, 1857, and died January, 1948, and was survived by a daughter, MRS. GARLAND NOLAND and two sons, BERT H. AND HARRY J.

DRINKWATER FAMILY

WILLIAM MARSHALL DRINKWATER and his wife CATHERINE RYAN DRINKWATER came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI about 1870. They came by boat from PERRY COUNTY, INDIANA to GREENFIELD LANDING in the northern part of the county where later there was a ferry boat across the MISSISSIPPI RIVER to the foot of 28th Street in CAIRO, ILLINOIS.

The river was their highway, they did business in CAIRO, ILLINOIS, bought their supplies there, did their banking and got their mail there and subscribed to the CINCINNATI ENQUIRER. It was a long time before they were oriented to a ST. LOUIS paper, shipping grain and livestock by river packet from THOMPSON'S LANDING and to CHARLESTON ten miles by dirt road.

WILLIAM (1835 - 1877) and CATHERINE (1835 - 1883) DRINKWATER brought to MISSOURI their four children; JOHN PERRY, FLORENCE PHOEBE, ALBERT CASPER, and ARTHUR J. A son, CLARENCE, was born in MISSOURI and lived only nine years (1870 - 1879).

JOHN PERRY DRINKWATER (1858 - 1901) married SARAH WEATHERHOLT and had a son, CLARENCE PERRY (1889 - 1965) and a son, ELMO, who died in infancy. He married NANNIE ADAMS and had a daughter, CLARA (1897 -), who married WILLIAM NEWNAM, and SHIRLEY, who died in infancy.

FLORENCE (1861 - 1909) married CHARLES A. GOODIN and they had three children who lived to adulthood. WILLIAM LEE GOODIN (1886 - 1961) married NELL FOGHEY and their son GEORGE ALBERT GOODIN died as a child, KATHRYN LOUELLEN (1888 - 1961) who married DR. C. IVAN BURFORD and HERBERT VEST GOODIN (1890-1940) who married MABLE SLACK. They lived in DETROIT, MICHIGAN.

ALBERT CASPER DRINKWATER (1864 - 1942) married MAUD STERETT (1877 - 1952). Their children are: GENEVA HALLIDAY (1897 -); ERCELL BONDURANT (1900 - 1964) who married GERALDINE TURNER and had one

son JOHN ALBERT DRINKWATER (1938 - 1960); MABEL FLORENCE (1901 -); ANNIE ALBERTA (1903 -) who married WILLIS W. MARSHALL, their son W. W. MARSHALL, JR. married ANN SUSAN BACON and they have four children SUSAN BALLOU, GEORGE CALVIN, ELIZABETH ANN and LAURA HAYLE: and ALBERT C. DRINKWATER, JR. (1905 -) who married MIRIAM McCUTCHEN, their daughter DIANA married MICHAL HOKE HALL and they have three children, BENJAMIN ALBERT, MICHAL WALKER and MIRIAM KATHERINE. Their son ALBERT C. DRINKWATER III married JUNE FINLEY and they have a son, JOHN ALBERT DRINKWATER II.

ARTHUR J. DRINKWATER (1866 - 1952) married LULU SICKMAN, EFFIE NELLIS and GRACE DRINKWATER and the children by his last marriage are: VIVIAN IRENE (1901 - 1945) who married E. HAROLD SMITH and their daughter STELLA GRACE married COL. S. B. HARDWICK and their children are ROBERT, MICHAEL, JILL and JOHN, and CARL WYATT. ARTHUR J. DRINKWATER, JR. (1903 -) who married GRACE WHITEHEAD; VIRGINIA DARE DRINKWATER (1907 -) who married ALBERT MATTINGLY whose son ARTHUR HERMAN MATTINGLY married DORIS MILLER and they have two daughters, ALLISON VIRGINIA and CARRIE. VIRGINIA DARE DRINKWATER married ELBERT FINLEY THOMPSON; and DOROTHY GRACE DRINKWATER (1911 -) married A. A. CERVANTES, JR. and had two children: A. A. CERVANTES III who married MARJORIE FICKLIN and they have three children: A. A. IV, KAREN and JOHN DRINKWATER FICKLIN CERVANTES, and CYNTHIA who married KIETH LARSEN and they have a daughter, AMY, and JAMES CRAWFORD DRAKE whose son is JAMES HARVEY DRAKE. (Information supplied by: Dr. Geneva Drinkwater, 203 East Lyman Avenue, Winter Park, Florida.)

(N) *DUCKES, BEN M.* (1818? - November 13, 1894) was a resident of CHARLESTON for forty years.

(N) *EDWARDS, J. E.* (? - December 1901) died at EAST PRAIRIE. He was buried in the W. O. W. Cemetery of that city.

(N) *ELDRIDGE, SAMUEL* (? - August 26, 1879)

(N) *ELKIN, E. G.* (1845? - October 14, 1933) was city marshall of CHARLESTON for many years. He died at the home of his son, GARRETT ELKIN.

(N) *FALKOFF, J. M.* (1872 - April 30, 1928) was born in LITHUNIA. In 1899 he established himself in business in EAST PRAIRIE. He was survived by two sons, SIMON and ISRAEL, and one daughter, ROSA F. FALKOFF.

(N) *FARIS, JOHN C.* (1830 - November 22, 1907) came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY as a young man and was a county official for thirty-five years. In 1853 he married MARTHA E. KERR of KENTUCKY. They were the parents of nine children.

(N) *FASSETT, MRS. CHARLOTTE ISABELLE* (February 11, 1854 - March 21, 1936) moved to CHARLESTON in 1889 and lived there all of her life. She married E. S. FASSETT on November 7, 1882. She was survived by three children; HERBERT, MISS TERRESSA FASSETT and MRS. LILLIAN MARTIN.

(N) *FINLEY, HOWARD L.* (February 15, 1891 - 1960) was born at BERTRAND, the son of HENRY L. and RACHEL FRANCES FINLEY. He went to school in CHARLESTON and to BIRMINGHAM SOUTHERN COLLEGE in ALABAMA. He travelled extensively and returned to EAST PRAIRIE in 1954. On October 6, 1954, he married MRS. ANNIE ROBERTS, who survived him.

(N) *FINLEY, DR. L. E.* (1852? - January 7, 1902) was at ANNISTON for a time and then came to CHARLESTON to practice. His wife and seven children survived him.

(N) *FINLEY, DR. F. L.* (1880 - ?) was born in MARSHALL COUNTY, KANSAS. He graduated from KENTUCKY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE in 1903. He practiced one year in BERTRAND and then moved to ANNISTON.

(N) *FISHER, C. H.* (1852 - ?) was born in WILLIAMSPORT, PENNSYLVANIA, the son of HERMAN J. and ELIZA FISHER. He came to MISSOURI in 1858 and to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1882. He was an employee of the IRON MOUNTAIN RAILROAD. After coming to BELMONT in 1890 he engaged in the mercantile business and was appointed postmaster. He married CAROLINE M. COONES in 1880. They had three daughters.

(M) *FLETCHER, WILLIAM ALEXANDER* (September 6, 1843 - ?) was the son of ALEXANDER FLETCHER and the father of DOUGLAS EDGAR FLETCHER. He was born in what is now MADISON COUNTY, MISSOURI, and became a farmer and member of Company E, Forty-seventh Missouri Infantry, and was on duty at PILOT KNOB and in other skirmishes in IRON COUNTY. After his return he figured prominently in the business life of his community, had large land interests, was the owner of a fine home in ARCADIA, and filled some public offices. He served as county sheriff and collector of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, when the two offices were held by one man, and became county clerk in 1886. In 1876 he married SADIE F. RINGO, of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI, whose people were very extensive landowners of that county and were also prominent in public affairs.

(N) *FOWLER, MRS. NANCY* (1837? - September 24, 1883) died at DOGWOOD RIDGE.

(N) FOX, MRS. INEZ (nee RUSHING) (1872? - January 21, 1903)

(N) GARWOOD, W. B. "BUCK" (April 18, 1859 - 1931) was born in HARDIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY to the CONCORD area in 1882. In 1883 he married SALLIE BOGARD to which union nine children were born. He was survived by his wife and four sons and two daughters; EZEKIA, FRANK, BESSIE, CORDIA, EVERETT, and ANCIL.

(N) GATY, ROBERT PRICE (December 24, 1859 - July 3, 1928) was born near BERTRAND. In 1887 he married JULIA ELIZA (July 3, 1869 - April 1940) and they had two sons and two daughters. He was survived by his wife and children; JOHN R. GATY, W. MORAY GATY, MRS. ALBERT J. (MAUDE) RUSHING and MRS. L. L. (ILEENE) VOELKER.

(N) GLOVER, MRS. FLORENCE DANFORTH (December 10, 1876 - June 6, 1902) died at the home of her parents, MR. and MRS. L. W. DANFORTH.

(N) GOLDER, DR. SOLOMON D. (December 23, 1823 - December 9, 1883) was born in DUCHESS COUNTY, NEW YORK. He graduated from the UNIVERSITY OF IOWA. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1852 as probably the first doctor. He had at least two children, J. E. and MACK.

GOLDER, MACK (March 12, 1855 - February 20, 1917) helped GEORGE MARTIN to start a paper, *The Enterprise*. A short time later he opened a news stand and book store which burned in 1885. After that he acted as a reporter for the newspapers of CHARLESTON.

(N) GOLIGHTLY, JAMES W. (1820? - July 1903).

GOODIN, ALBERT VERNON (October 17, 1839 - January 16, 1896) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. On August 17, 1870, he married SUSAN ANN MOORE (July 10, 1851 - March 22, 1936), daughter of JAMES L. MOORE and MARY JANE CHALFANT MOORE. To this union six children were born, one of whom died in infancy. Their children were: MARY JANE (1873 - 1943) who married DR. ROBERT MANN (1868 - 1931); ALBERT VERNON (1876 - 1952) who married FANNIE COX (1886 - ?) in 1907; ANNIE PARROTT (1880 - 1884); ELLA MINNIE (1883 - ?) who married JOHN D. DEAL (1870 - 1904) in 1902; and SUSAN MYRTLE (1889 -) who married DR. DAVID ENGLISH SMITH (1889 - 1944) in 1919.

GOODIN, ALBERT VERNON (1876 - 1952) was sent to NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, and attended the public schools there. In 1895 he returned to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY to manage the family farms. In 1907 he married FANNIE B. COX of NASHVILLE. Their children were: MYRTLE, wife of G. WYNN SMITH, JR. who had one son, GEORGE WYNN SMITH III; ALBERT VERNON who married VIRGINIA

WHITEHEAD and whose children are ALBERT, JOHN, LESTER and LEE; SAM COX who married JANE MULKEY and whose children are DOROTHY ANN, wife of CHARLES BRINK, and MYRTLE, wife of BRUCE AUSTIN; ANN who married R. Q. BROWN, JR. and whose children are SUZANNE BAILEY, MYRTLE and ROGER Q. He served on the board of the Methodist Church for many years, was a fifty year Mason, vice-president of the Mississippi County Bank, vice-president of the W. C. Bryant Mercantile Co., was on the board of the Charleston Bank, and was a board member of one of the levee districts.

(N) *GOODIN, FRANKLIN S.* (September 8, 1829 - December 1, 1892) was born in HARDIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, the son of JOHN and CATHERINE A. GOODIN. He moved with his parents to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1836. When he was nineteen his father died and he took over management of their farm. In 1857 he married SALLIE HARNED who lived only three years after their marriage. In 1865 he married JENNIE E. HAW (August 10, 1843 - October 2, 1923), daughter of REV. URIEL and CATHERINE A. HAW. They had six children. One son, FRANKLIN GOODIN JR. died in 1937. JOHN H. married FANNIE WILLEY, ALICE (March 13, 1875 - 1941) married FRANK STERRETT. Another son, VERNON, survived his parents.

(N) *GOODIN, CHARLES A.* (1855? - March 22, 1893) died in CHARLESTON. He was sheriff of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and left a wife and three children.

(N) *GOODIN, JACOB S.* (March 23, 1828 - July 17, 1902) was born in HARDIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, and had resided in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY since 1835. In 1857 he married ELIZA E. SWANK, daughter of JOHN SWANK. Two children survived him, ARTHUR S. and WILLIAM O., who was judge of the county court for twelve years.

(N) *GOODIN, OLIVER F.* (March 15, 1862 - July 20, 1924) was born in WACO, TEXAS. On September 14, 1892, he married FLORENCE McDONAUGH (April 6, 1862 - August 29, 1936) who was born in BATH, ENGLAND. They moved to CHARLESTON from BLODGETT in 1903. He served as director in the CHARLESTON BANK. He was survived by his wife, one daughter, MRS. HAROLD M. LEWIS, and three sons, OLIVER, CHARLES A. and W. RUSSELL.

(D) *GRAHAM, MRS. CLARA EDWARDS* (May 27, 1858 - 1954) was born in SALINE COUNTY on her father's farm. She was married in SALINE COUNTY, MISSOURI, on April 30, 1880, to PROFESSOR E. R. GRAHAM, then in charge of BONNE TERRE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

MRS. GRAHAM was the mother of two children: MILDRED VIRGINIA (? - 1956), who married DR. J. K. THROWER, of LAKE CHARLES, LOUISIANA; and ROBERT

EDWARDS, who died in 1902.

(N) *GRANT, H. B.* (1832 - December 22, 1896) died at BUCKEYE. He was born in ASHTABULA COUNTY, OHIO. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1887. He was president of the GRANT LUMBER COMPANY.

(N) *GREER, MRS. GEMIMA* (1829? - August 23, 1893) died at BERTRAND. She left four children; MRS. W. W. GATY, MRS. T. E. STRICKLAND, LUTHER and H. D. GREER.

(N) *GRIGSBY, AARON L.* (1840? - August 15, 1883).

(N) *GRIGSBY, A. W.* (May 4, 1819 - March 2, 1908) was born in OHIO COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY April 17, 1848. He married RACHEL ROWE in February of 1848.

(N) *GRISSOM, WILLIAM H.* (1879 - ?) was born in BERTRAND, MISSOURI. He graduated from the LEBANON LAW SCHOOL in TENNESSEE in 1910. He went to EAST PRAIRIE to practice law.

(N) *GUTHRIE, J. H.* (February 18, 1828 - December 13, 1906) came to MISSOURI in 1858. He married MARGARET A. BUSH in 1858. He was born in MADISON COUNTY, TENNESSEE.

(N) *GWALTNEY, SOLOMON* (November 21, 1846 - July 25, 1915) was born at NEWTON, OHIO, and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in the early 1800's. On August 22, 1875, he married FANNIE M. YANDELL (August 22, 1853 - June 21, 1930) of SYCUSBURG, KENTUCKY. To this union seven children were born, four of whom with his wife survived him; MRS. WILLIAM (NAOMI) BREWER, THOMAS W. GWALTNEY, JOHN M. GWALTNEY and WILLIAM S. GWALTNEY.

(N) *HALBROOK, ALBERT* (July 21, 1887 - 1966) was the son of GEORGE and LOTTIE KALFUS HALBROOK. On May 11, 1911, he married EMMA SWINGLE. He was survived by his wife and one daughter, MRS. CLACK GOLLADAY, one foster daughter, MRS. WILLIAM SIEVERT, and one sister, MRS. W. W. BLEDSOE.

(N) *HALE, MRS. VINA* (October 13, 1837 - January 27, 1897) died at RUSH'S RIDGE.

(N) *HANCOCK, HENRY* (April 17, 1839 - March 26, 1928) was born in HENDERSON, KENTUCKY and moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1856. During the CIVIL WAR he served for four years in Company E Eighth Missouri Cavalry, C. S. A. In 1856 he married RUTH CUMMINS who preceded him in death.

(RN) *HANDY, JUDGE NOAH* (July 6, 1804 - April 31, 1881) was born in SUMMERSET COUNTY, MARYLAND. On January 27, 1827, he married RACHEL R. GOSLEE, and in 1835 they came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI, and

settled on a farm. Through the kindness of JOSEPH MOORE, who had been in the county some years, he procured a log house. The floors were made of "puncheons", and the beds were made upon scaffolding attached to the wall. During the summer, Judge Handy purchased seven hundred acres of land, and in the fall moved to LOUISVILLE to spend the winter. He returned to MATTHEW'S PRAIRIE in the spring and began to improve more land he had purchased. He built a good house in the county, at what was then considered great expense, and soon had a magnificently improved farm of one thousand acres, which he called "Woodlawn". In 1840 he was elected one of the judges of the county court, and served in that capacity for twelve years. He was chairman of the first railroad meeting held in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He had only one child, a daughter, who married JOSEPH C. MOORE. In 1870 he gave up his farm to his daughter and son-in-law, and moved to CHARLESTON. He married again in 1875. He was buried at the family cemetery on the farm of JOSEPH C. MOORE.

(N) *HARPER, HANNAH THOMPSON* (September 23, 1886 - December 24, 1930) was survived by her husband FRED HARPER and one son, NORMAN.

(N) *HARRIS, D. E.* (August 14, 1826 - March 19, 1895) was a resident of BIRD'S POINT. He was born in TENNESSEE.

(N) *HARRISON, GEORGE WASHINGTON* (July 7, 1822 - May 1909) was born in JEFFERSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1852. He was married on January 27, 1847.

(N) *HART, JOHN* (June 12, 1836 - ?) was born in PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA. He came to MISSOURI June 12, 1865.

HAW, JOSEPH LINDSAY (March 26, 1836 - January 5, 1910) was the son of REV. URIEL and ELIZABETH MOORE HAW. He married MARY ANN VERNON (1839 - 1893) in 1861 and they had the following children: ELLA (1863 -) who married PEERS TAYLOR; ANNA LOU (1865 - 1942); MARVIN T. (1867 - 1942) who married NELLIE McSPADDEN (1872 -) in 1894; JULIA COLE (1870 -) who married JOE MOORE in 1894; URIEL PIERCE (1872 - 1942) who married MABLE HUNTER in 1901; LAURA WHIGHTMAN (1874 -) who married DR. WILLIAM WESTCOTT in 1900; EMMA VERNON (1876 - 1960) who married ARTHUR PEEL in 1906; JAMES MOORE HAW (1878 - 1958) who married MARY ALBERTA SMITH (1883 -) in 1904; JOSEPH LINDSEY HAW (1881 - 1940) who married IONE DENTON in 1915; and ALBERTA LEWIS (1884 -) who married MURRAY QUINN TANNER in 1906.

(N) *HAW, JAMES MOORE, SR.* (December 18, 1878 - April 24, 1958) was born in CHARLESTON the son of DR. JOSEPH LINDSAY HAW and MARY ANN VERNON HAW. He moved

to FARMINGTON, MISSOURI, with his parents in 1882. MR. HAW was educated in the public schools and at CARLETON COLLEGE in FARMINGTON. He graduated from the law department of the UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI in June, 1901, and located in CHARLESTON to practice law. In 1904 he married MARY A. SMITH, daughter of JAMES W. SMITH. He served two terms as city attorney of CHARLESTON and served as president of the CHARLESTON BOARD OF EDUCATION for nine years. He also served as Clerk of the Probate Court. He moved by appointment to the office of Assistant Prosecuting Attorney on January 1, 1905, and served in that office through 1908. He was appointed Prosecuting Attorney in 1908 and afterwards was elected to the office serving until 1915. He was appointed Judge of the Probate Court in 1953 and was elected to the office in 1955 until he resigned because of health in January of 1958. He was survived by his wife, one son, JAMES MOORE HAW, JR., born August 1, 1906, and two daughters, MRS. R. A. KLEMP and MRS. K. L. RUSSELL.

(N) HAY, LOWERY (1838? - February 20, 1896) was postmaster of CHARLESTON for four years. He was survived by a wife and one daughter, MRS. BUD SLACK, four sons and one brother.

HEARNES, WARREN E. was born July 24, 1923, the youngest of five children of MRS. EDNA MAE EASTMAN HEARNES and EARLE B. HEARNES of CHARLESTON. He was educated in the CHARLESTON public schools and was graduated from the UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT, NEW YORK, in 1946, with a B. S. degree, and from the UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI, COLUMBIA, in 1952 with A. B. and LL.B. degrees. During World War II, he was an enlisted man in Headquarters Company, 140th Infantry, 35th Division, 77th Anti-Aircraft, AWSP. He was commissioned a second lieutenant in the infantry of the regular army June 4, 1946, and advanced to first lieutenant December 12, 1947. He was retired December 31, 1949. Following his retirement, he was elected to the state legislature. He began the practice of law in EAST PRAIRIE in 1952, continuing through 1961. He was elected to the House of Representatives from MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1950, the youngest man at the time ever elected state representative from that county. Re-elected in 1952, 1954, 1956 and 1958, he was elected majority floor leader in 1957 and 1959. He became the 30th Secretary of State of MISSOURI January 9, 1961, and was elected GOVERNOR OF MISSOURI November 3, 1964. On January 11, 1965, he was inaugurated as the state's 46th chief executive. Following adoption of a constitutional amendment permitting governors to serve two consecutive four-year terms, he was reelected November 5, 1968, with more than sixth per cent of the popular vote, and was inaugurated January 13, 1969. In 1948, he married MISS BETTY

SUE COOPER, daughter of REV. & MRS. A. B. COOPER. They have three daughters — LYNN, LEIGH, and JULIA B. MR. AND MRS. HEARNES now reside in CHARLESTON. (Information from Missouri State Manual.)

HEGGIE FAMILY

ARCHIBALD HEGGIE (April 23, 1811 - December 25, 1888) and NANCY HEGGIE (October 19, 1820 - April 25, 1900), the daughter of MARTHA LEE (PATSY) and JOHN LOVE had three children: JAMES, an infant, died in 1836; JOHN THOMAS born in 1837; and MARTHA AYERS born in 1839.

JOHN T. HEGGIE (September 24, 1837 - May 5, 1923) and MARY RUSHING (December 3, 1841 - December 31, 1924), daughter of MAHALN ASHCROFT, were married May 31, 1860, and had the following children: SUSAN (LOLA) (June 13, 1861 - February 1936) who married S. L. LOVELACE; MATTIE (March 16, 1863 - January 28, 1951) who married an OLIVER; RICHARD A. (January 23, 1866 - April 13, 1947); ROBERT L. (June 9, 1868 - October 1933) who married ALICE DELINE; LILLIE M. (July 5, 1870 - November 22, 1947) who married L. F. WALTEMATE; a child who died at birth; FANNIE M. (August 1873 - February 4, 1898); MOLLIE (MARY ELLEN) (February 8, 1876 -) who married CHARLES E. FRENCH; JOHN P. (August 20, 1878 - January 18, 1951) who married LILLIAN CONNELLY; ARTHUR who died at the age of one; BESS (February 20, 1883 - March 7, 1970) who married JOHN MULKEY; and EULA (February 22, 1885 - October 11, 1968) who married O. C. BURROUGHS.

JOHN P. HEGGIE who married LILLIAN CONNELLY had five daughters: MARY who married E. CHARLES ROLWING; VIRGINIA who married FRANK S. HILL; JONNIE who married CLIFFORD G. MEHLER; RUTH ELLEN; and MARTHA. (Information supplied by Ruth Ellen Heggie, Charleston, Missouri.)

(N) HEQUEMBOURG, CHARLES (June 25, 1883 - 1961) was the son of FRANK H. and ADA BEDFORD HEQUEMBOURG. He served as County Assessor for several years. He was survived by his wife, CORRINE, whom he married April 27, 1904, three sons, FRANK, HENRI and CHARLES W. and four daughters, MRS. J. D. LUNSFORD, MRS. HAROLD GREEN, MRS. CARL MYERS, JR. and MRS. PHIL ATTEBERRY.

(N) HEQUEMBOURG, ADA BEDFORD. (August 3, 1863 - March 1944) was the daughter of MR. and MRS. ALFRED BEDFORD. She married FRANK HEQUEMBOURG who died April 6, 1924. She was survived by four sons; CHARLES W., FRANK D., McELROY B. and ALBERT C.

(N) HEQUEMBOURG, FRANK, JR. (April 8, 1887 - 1964) was the son of MR. and MRS. FRANK HEQUEMBOURG, SR. He was survived by his wife, MAE, a son, DOUGLAS, and two daughters, MRS. SID JOHNSON and

MRS. LLOYD BARKER. In his early days he ran a bus line between CHARLESTON and the southern end of the county. Then he became game warden. He worked at the job because he loved his work. His home place on North Sixth Street reflected his love of the outdoors. His pond was stocked with all manner of fish, frogs, turtles and even snakes. At one time he played host to an alligator. No one was ever surprised at any living creatures found on the place. At one time he had at least one shrub, bush, flower and three of every species native to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY growing on his place.

(N) *HESS, FERDINAND JAMES* (? - December 27, 1928) was born in TRENTON, TENNESSEE, the son of DR. NELSON I. and CATHERINE (HILL) HESS. He came to MISSOURI in 1875 and settled near WOLF ISLAND. From 1898 - 1902 he represented the county in the MISSOURI LEGISLATURE. He was judge of the county court at one time. On January 15, 1902, he married PRICE EMMA FARIS and they had two children, JACK and FERD. He was the brother of DR. J. H. HESS.

(N) *HIBBITTS, JOHN L.* (January 16, 1854 - April 18, 1933) was born at KNOB LICK and came to CHARLESTON around 1888. He worked for the IRON MOUNTAIN RAILROAD until he resigned to enter the transfer business with a step-son, SCOTT McELMURRY. His first wife, MINNIE McELMURRY, died around 1908 and he later married her sister, DOLLY MAYBEE. He was survived by his children, WILLIAM MAYBEE and MRS. WALLACE McINTYRE.

(N) *HIBBITTS, MRS. J. L.* (November 25, 1858 - October 10, 1902) on December 14, 1874, married THOMAS S. McELMURRY, who died April 1, 1886. They had two children, MRS. H. M. BROWN and SCOTT McELMURRY. She was married to J. L. HIBBITS in January of 1890. Three children were born, EDNA, WILLIAM and MAYBEE.

(N) *HINES, W. L.* (November 26, 1864 - ?) was born in HARDIN COUNTY, ILLINOIS. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1898 and in 1905 established a post office at DIRK.

(N) *HOLLAND, MRS. DEMASIOUS* (1833? - January 22, 1893) moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY from BALTIMORE, MARYLAND, at the close of the CIVIL WAR. Two sons and one daughter survived her.

(N) *HOLLOWAY, WILLIAM* (November 14, 1869 - April 1948) was born in MILBURN, KENTUCKY. He came to CHARLESTON with his parents at the age of four. He was the owner of the HOLLOWAY COTTON and GRAIN CO. He was survived by his wife, MRS. WILLIAM SWANK HOLLOWAY.

(N) *HOWLETT, JOHN L.* (October 25, 1836 - March 28, 1909) was born in BULLITT COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He came to MISSOURI in 1858 and on June 2, 1859, married ELIZABETH LEE (June 4, 1835 - March 2, 1885), daughter of

WILLIAM T. LEE, MRS. HOWLETT was survived by three children, STERLING P., LUKE and JOHN L., JR.

(N) *HOWLETT, FRANK* (January 24, 1841 - December 1920) was born in BULLITT COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1864. He married REBECCA JANE LEE on July 4, 1865. They had eight children, three of whom survived him, MRS. SCOTT ALEXANDER, MRS. T. J. CLACK, and MRS. C. C. TERRELL.

(N) *HOWLETT, MILES* (April 28, 1843 - November 29, 1907) was born in BULLITT COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1867 and was married to SUSIE MARTIN at WOLF ISLAND on February 14, 1868. Six children were born; LEONARD, FRANK, JOE, RUBY THOMPSON, OSA PRUETT, and MYRTLE WELKER.

(H) *HUNTER, CATHERINE* (December 25, 1824 - March 27, 1885) was the daughter of ABRAHAM and SARAH OGDEN HUNTER. She first married AMERICUS PRICE, but they had no children. On October 18, 1844, she married MARMADUKE BECKWITH. He and his father, NEWMAN, and several brothers had settled in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI around 1811 or 1812. Their children were: AMANDA HUNTER, JUDITH ANN, RICHARD A., THOMAS B. and YANCY.

(H) *HUNTER, THOMAS* (May 17, 1808 - July 1, 1863) was the son of JOSEPH and KATHERINE PHILLIPS HUNTER. He was in the Confederate Army during the CIVIL WAR and was wounded in the BATTLE OF BELMONT, and during the remainder of the war went with his brother, ABRAHAM, to MISSISSIPPI to the home of another brother, MILFORD. A stone on O'BRYAN'S RIDGE in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI, about a half mile from the MISSISSIPPI RIVER levee, marks their resting place. Two of their daughters are buried in the isolated cemetery. On December 18, 1830, he married ELIZA MYERS of BENTON, MISSOURI. Their children were; HANNAH and SARAH ANN who died in infancy, MARGARET ELIZABETH, NANNY CATHERINE, LAVINA, WILLIAM, and MARY "MOLLIE" ELIZA.

(H) *HUNTER, BEN F.* (? - ?) married MARY ELIZA BIRD (January 26, 1838 - February 1862) of BIRD'S POINT, MISSOURI, in April of 1860. They had a son, JOHN ABRAHAM, who died while attending school in CHARLESTON. (February 4, 1862 - January 30, 1875.) On April 23, 1867, he married NANCY EMILY BIRD a sister of his first wife (October 16, 1840 - February 10, 1922). They had five children; MARY BIRD, CLARA CATHERINE, STEPHEN BEN, LUCY NANCY, SARAH "SALLIE" INGABO.

(H) *HUNTER, ALBERT B.* (May 8, 1855 - March 25, 1930) was the son of SAMUEL and MARY LEWIS HUNTER. He married ELLA LESIEUR PACK on December 18, 1857, and they had three children: DAVID RILEY who married DELLA

BOLTON; NADINE who married WILLIE CHAPMAN; and HENRY CLAY (1881 - 1948) who married JESSIE SENICOE. The children of DAVID and DELLA were: NADINE, MARTHA ELLA, and ELMO. NADINE and WILLIS had one daughter, HELEN. HELEN married TRAVIS SHELBY and they have four daughters: DEBRA, SUSAN, BARBARA, and MARY TRAVIS.

(N) *HUSK, MATILDA* (October 21, 1810 - April 14, 1849) was the wife of JAMES HUSK.

(N) *HUTCHESON, JOHN VESTEL* (November 3, 1855 - January 31, 1941) was born in NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. He married LEE ANNE OWENS at CAIRO, ILLINOIS, August 28, 1890. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1869 and helped build the Cottonbelt railroad in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He was survived by his wife and one half brother, HARVEY HUTCHESON, and the following children: three sons, EM-MITT, RAYMOND, CLINT, and six daughters, MRS. C. A. DEPOYSTER, MRS. C. A. KUNZ, MRS. WALTER FIELDS, MRS. JACK WILLIAMS, MRS. HUNTER BYRNE and MRS. G. A. BONIFIELD.

(N) *HUTSON, GEORGE W.* (? - November 1885) was a pioneer of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY.

(N) *JACKSON, J. J.* (1828? - February 13, 1881) died near EAST PRAIRIE.

(D) *JAMES, M. T.* (June 1, 1877 - 1883) was born in CHARLESTON, MISSOURI, the son of H. C. JAMES and ALICE COURTWAY JAMES. His father had in his youth inherited from his mother a farm near CHARLESTON. He was the sole heir and his guardians sent him to school at STE. GENEVIEVE. When he attained his majority he sold his farm and went into the saloon business, which he followed until his death. He had two children, BEULAH and M. T. JAMES.

(N) *JECKO, T. J.* (? - ?) came from AL SAISE and settled in ST. LOUIS in 1824. He moved to CHARLESTON before 1858 and built the house which stood where a Recreation Parlor was later built. His daughter, CLARA JECKO RUSSELL, was born in a house where the Buckner-Ragsdale Store now stands.

(N) *JONES, SANFORD GREEN* ("SAM") (October 10, 1863 - April 12, 1945) died in the WOOL RIDGE community. He was born in TRIGG COUNTY, KENTUCKY, and moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY around 1895.

(M) *JOSLYN, OTIS* (August 5, 1835 - August 1914) was born in NEW HAMPSHIRE, and there engaged in the lumber business until 1869, when he moved to PORT HURON, MICHIGAN. In 1889 he came to MISSOURI and built the plant of the WARD LUMBER CO. at WHITING in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, remaining a resident of MISSOURI until 1899, when he returned to MICHIGAN. He married SARAH JANE LIBBY,

who was born at SACO, MAINE, January 16, 1842. OTIS W. JOSLYN, son of OTIS and SARAH LIBBY JOSLYN, was born in SACO, MAINE, September 14, 1869.

(M) *JOSLYN, OTIS WILBRA* (September 14, 1869 - January 8, 1949) was born in SACO, MAINE, the son of OTIS and SARAH LIBBY JOSLYN. Prior to this time, however, the family home had been established in MICHIGAN and he became an alumnus of the PORT HURON high school while later he spent two years as a student in the UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN at ANN ARBOR. Following the completion of his education he devoted seven years to the lumber business in association with his father, but was drawn to a professional career and became a law student under E. J. DEAL and JOSEPH J. RUSSELL, being admitted to the bar before receiving his BACHELOR of LAWS degree from the UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI in 1898. He began practice in CHARLESTON, where he for some time was the senior partner in the firm of JOSLYN & BOONE and later with his son in the firm of JOSLYN & JOSLYN. At one time he served as chairman of the county central committee and in 1932 was recalled to that office. From 1905 until 1909 he served as prosecuting attorney of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and afterward was city attorney. He was a member of the board of alderman and from 1913 to 1917 was mayor of CHARLESTON. For twenty years he served as a member of the CHARLESTON school board. He married AUGUSTA N. DANFORTH. He was survived by two sons, OTIS W. and L. D., and four daughters, MRS. CLYDE SHEPARD, MRS. E. M. SPARLING, MRS. GEORGE D. ROGERS, and MRS. GARLAND RUSSELL.

(D) *JOSLYN, CLARENCE L.* (April 10, 1877 - ?) was born at PORT HURON, MICHIGAN to OTIS and SARAH (LIBBY) JOSLYN. OTIS JOSLYN was a native of NEW HAMPSHIRE, born at SOUTH LYNDBORO, August 5, 1835. He was educated in his home town, where also he learned the lumber trade. In the course of his business he went to BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, where he engaged in the flour and feed business. There he met SARAH, who was born January 16, 1842, at SACO, MAINE. They were married in 1865. Their children were: OTIS W., born September 14, 1869; CLARENCE L.; BERTHA; and FRED L. In 1869 OTIS JOSLYN SR., moved to PORT HURON, MICHIGAN, and in 1889 he located in WHITING, MISSOURI, and remained there ten years. He built the sawmill in WHITING which was known as the WARD LUMBER COMPANY. In 1899 he went to SAGINAW, MICHIGAN.

CLARENCE L. JOSLYN, JR., attended school at PORT HURON, MICHIGAN, where he passed the first fourteen years of his life. He then accompanied his parents to WHITING and for the ensuing six years was in the employ of the WARD

LUMBER COMPANY. In the month of January, 1898, he accepted a position with the ST. LOUIS SOUTHWESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY at CAMPBELL, MISSOURI and the following year, he was moved to MALDEN, MISSOURI, where he worked as cashier and agent until 1905 when he was promoted to the position of traveling auditor for the railway company. On November 15, 1907, he married MISS INEZ SQUIRES. Her parents were RICHARD H. and MARGARET (KING) SQUIRES, of MALDEN, MISSOURI. MR. and MRS. JOSLYN had two children, a boy, HAROLD LEES, and a daughter, ELEANOR, born September 13, 1908.

(M) *JOSLYN, LEWIS DANFORTH* (November 14, 1907 -) is the youngest of six children of OTIS W. and AUGUSTA DANFORTH JOSLYN. He attended school in CHARLESTON and then entered the UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI where he won his BACHELOR OF ARTS and BACHELOR OF LAWS degrees. In his practice he was first associated with his father. In 1937 he married MARGARET GALLUP of WATERLOO, IOWA. MRS. JOSLYN graduated from MILLS COLLEGE in SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, and prior to her marriage was a teacher in STEPHENS COLLEGE and in the public schools of MOREHOUSE, MISSOURI. MR. JOSLYN was a member of the MISSOURI HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES from 1935 to 1939, prosecuting attorney of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY from 1941-1942, was senator from the 33rd district from 1941-1948, circuit judge from 1948-1949 and a member of the State Democratic Committee. They have two children, WALLACE DANFORTH and ANN LESE. He and his wife reside in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and he still practices law in CHARLESTON.

KENNEDY FAMILY

WILLIAM KENNEDY married FRANCES CLARKSON (1806 - 1847) in DAVIESS COUNTY, KENTUCKY in 1824. They came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1833 along with the JABEZ CLARKSON family. Their children were: JOHN D. (1828 - 1858) who married MARTHA ANN SHEPPARD; NANCY JANE (1831 - 1883) who married THOMAS SCOTT MCELMURRY; SARAH FRANCES (1837 - 1899) who married ABSALOM MCELMURRY; AMANDA G. (1840 -) who married THOMAS HARRISON; MARTHA E. (1843 -) who married DR. HENRY L. PETRIE. After WILLIAM'S death FRANCES married O. S. SIMMONS in 1849.

JOHN D. KENNEDY and MARTHA ANN had two children: JOHN WILLIAM (1853 - 1919) and JAMES BAILEY (1857 - 1903). When JOHN D. KENNEDY died MARTHA took her two small sons, aged three and seven, to EDNA, TEXAS, to live with her brothers, the SHEPPARDS. As young men JOHN WILLIAM KENNEDY and JAMES BAILEY KENNEDY went on cattle drives from EDNA, TEXAS, to DODGE CITY and

ABILENE, KANSAS. On their way back from the drives they would occasionally visit their aunts in CHARLESTON, AUNT SALLY (SARAH) MCELMURRY, and AUNT NANCY MCELMURRY. Consequently JAMES married and settled in MISSOURI, but JOHN W. married and lived in EDNA, TEXAS. JOHN D. lived to be thirty-one years of age. He was a farmer by trade.

NANCY JANE KENNEDY and THOMAS MCELMURRY had five children: MARY, THOMAS SCOTT, MARGARET, SALLY and WILLIAM. She died in CHARLESTON at the age of fifty-five and was buried at the OAK GROVE CEMETERY.

SARAH FRANCES KENNEDY and ABSALOM MCELMURRY married in 1853 and had one child, HENRY SCOTT.

JOHN WILLIAM KENNEDY (1853 - 1919) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and married ANNA LEE GISLER in 1885 in JACKSON COUNTY, TEXAS. Their children were: SALLY MARTHA (1887 - 1919); JAMES CARL (1888 - 1961); OBED BYRON (1890 - 1961); ANNA MABLE (1893 -); JOHN HUBERT (1895 - 1958); EARL JACOB (1897 - 1970); and ALBERT LUTHER (1899 -).

EARL JACOB KENNEDY (1897 - 1970) married BERTHA ZOOK KENNEDY in 1919. Their children were all born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and were: ALBERT E. (1921 -) who married ILENE RUSSELL; EARL CRAIG (1923 -) who married LORENA ROEDIGER; LA WANDA JEAN (1927 -) who married GEORGE A. RUSSELL; BETTY MABEL (1930 -) who married JAMES TRUE (deceased) and then HARRY NORMAN; BERRY GARNER (1933 -) who married AMARIE THOMPSON; JERRY ROOSEVELT (1933 -) who married YVONNE WOODRUFF; LARRY PARKS (1933 - 1933); NANCY JANE (1936 -) who married CHARLES MOORE.

JAMES BAILEY KENNEDY (1857 - 1903) was born and died in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He married CLARA GRAY and they had no children. His second marriage was to ELIZABETH HARRIET LEE. Their children were: JAMES GORDON (1889 - 1918) who married BERTHA MAY ZOOK; WILLIAM ARTHUR (1892 - 1958) who married EFFIE BARBRE; ISAAC TAYLOR (1895 - 1918) who married GLADYS ISHAMAEL.

JAMES GORDON KENNEDY and BERTHA MAY ZOOK were married in 1910 in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. Their children were: ROY LEE (1912 -) who married MADGE WILSON; and DOSS WILLIAM (1915 -) who married ESTHER STUEVE. (Information furnished by Mrs. Harry Norman, Route 2, Bloomfield, Missouri 63825).

(N) *KENRICK, GEORGE W.* (June 17, 1818 - June 20,

1894) was born in COUNTY WEXFORD, IRELAND, one of two children born to WILLIAM and FANNIE (WHITE) KENRICK, both of whom were natives of IRELAND. He was reared in IRELAND and learned the carpenter's trade. In 1842 he married EMILY WALKER and in that year they took passage at LIVERPOOL for AMERICA. In 1844 he moved to BIRD'S POINT, MISSOURI, where he resided about one year. Soon after he bought a trading boat and engaged in merchandising on the OHIO RIVER, going down the MISSISSIPPI below MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE. He made two trips which took him two years, after which he located his boat at CAIRO, ILLINOIS. Three years later he returned to BIRD'S POINT where he engaged in merchandising and hotel keeping. He also served as postmaster. In 1862 he moved to CHARLESTON. He served as postmaster of CHARLESTON, justice of the peace, lieutenant of the state militia, city alderman, and was mayor of the city several terms. His first wife died in 1850. In 1851 he married MARY RODNEY (1831? - 1885) by whom he had five children, four of whom survived him: GEORGE (- 1912), ALBERT (September 12, 1873 - April 24, 1924), MRS. EMMA WILSON, and MRS. FRANK E. BURROUGH. BENJAMIN (- 1886) preceded him in death. At the time of his death he was president of the MISSISSIPPI COUNTY BANK and a wealthy man.

(N) *KENRICK, WILLIAM* (1840? - October 21, 1902) was the father of BEN P. KENRICK and the half brother of GEORGE and ALBERT KENRICK.

(N) *KING, J. O.* (1864? - June 30, 1941) served three terms as sheriff. He moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY from KENTUCKY in 1888. He was survived by five daughters and one son.

(N) *KIRKPATRICK, CHARLES ELBERT* (January 9, 1871 - June 1956) was born in SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI, the son of JOHN and NANCY J. KIRKPATRICK. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1895. On July 2, 1908, he married KATHERINE STEINBRENNER and they had two children. He later married ETHEL SPARKS and they had one daughter. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge for more than fifty years. He served as city clerk, circuit clerk, mayor, and was police judge of CHARLESTON at the time of his death. He was survived by his wife and two daughters, MRS. CATHERINE EDWARDS and MRS. RAY BRYAN.

(N) *LAIR, FRANK DAVID* (June 4, 1869 - November 3, 1945) was born in SHELBINA, the son of MR. and MRS. JACOB LAIR. He owned furniture stores at CHARLESTON and SIKESTON. He married LELA BELLE ROWE who survived him along with three sons, FRANK D. LAIR, JR., WESLEY and JOHN J. and one daughter, MRS. HERMAN L. MATTINGLY, JR.

(N) *LA MONTAGUE, LOUIS* (? - January 28, 1896)

(N) *LANE, MRS. MAGGIE A.* (1847? - September 23,

1881) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and was a daughter of MRS. SALLIE SWANK and a sister of WILLIAM P. SWANK, MRS. THOMAS BECKWITH, MRS. DR. SIMPSON, MRS. JACOB S. GOODIN and MRS. QUINCY JOHNSON.

(N) *LANGSTON, CHARLES C.* (? - September 1, 1881) died at BERTRAND.

(N) *LANGSTON, LEONARD* (January 30, 1824 - March 22, 1880) was born in the state of NORTH CAROLINA. He died at his home near BERTRAND.

(N) *LEE, MILES T.* (May 28, 1833 - September 8, 1915) was born in BULLITT COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He came to MISSOURI March 26, 1846. He married ELIZABETH GREENWELL in September, 1850, and she died in 1881. Two children preceded MR. LEE in death. When he was nine years old his parents moved in a flat boat to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He was the only child. He was the son of JAMES and SALLIE LEE, and the grandson of HARRY and JACK LEE, lineal descendants of the LEES of VIRGINIA. On March 10, 1899, MR. LEE married GENIA HENDERSON. MILES T. LEE, JR. was their only child.

(N) *LEE, CLAY* (1869? - August 2, 1924) was born near LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY. He came to CHARLESTON at the age of twenty. He was survived by his wife, formerly EMMA FRANK, two brothers and two sisters.

(N) *LEE, DAVID F.* (1866 - ?) was born at WOLF ISLAND, the son of MR. and MRS. JOHN LEE. He, with his brother, was reared by his uncle and aunt, MR. and MRS. MILES T. LEE. MR. LEE'S education, besides the county schools, was received at a private school at ELIZABETHTOWN, KENTUCKY and at the Male and Female Institute at BARDSTOWN, NELSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He returned to WOLF ISLAND in 1883 and farmed. He was elected justice of the peace of his township, and also as clerk of the school board of his district. In 1906 he was appointed county judge of the second district to fill out the unexpired term of JUDGE J. K. THROWER, who died. He then served two terms in the same office. In the early 1900's he moved to CHARLESTON and in 1912 was elected COUNTY TREASURER.

(N) *LEE, WALTER LEONARD* (July 23, 1866 - August 1940) was born at PRICE'S LANDING. He married ABBESS ELIZABETH BUTLER (October 25, 1875 - November , 1942), daughter of LEWIS BUTLER. Their son, ROSS HERRINGTON LEE, died in 1924 as the result of an accident. He served two terms as county collector. He was survived by his wife and a foster son, ARTHUR LEE GOODIN.

(N) *LEE, WILLIAM GOODIN* (November 12, 1858 - February 23, 1933) was born in SCOTT COUNTY, son of

LEONARD and LOUISA M. LEE. He came to CHARLESTON about 1870. Besides him there were three other children; BELLE, WALTER L. and JOHN. Their father died when WILLIAM was three months old.

(N) *LINDSAY, JOHN W.* (March 13, 1842 - May 28, 1897) married SONORA TAYLOR in 1872 and they had four children. He was president of the MISSISSIPPI COUNTY BANK. He was survived by his children; JOHN W., SONORA, THOMAS, and LUCILLE.

(N) *LOEBE, DR. CONRAD* (November 27, 1827 - March 10, 1897) was born in GERMANY. He landed in NEW YORK in 1851 and went to CINCINNATI, OHIO. He was married February 26, 1854, in NEWPORT, KENTUCKY and then moved to HAVANNA, ILLINOIS. He went to NEW ORLEANS, then to ST. LOUIS and afterward to CAIRO, ILLINOIS, in 1860 and shortly after entered the UNION ARMY as a surgeon under GENERAL MCCORMICK. In December of 1867 he moved with his wife and five children to CHARLESTON where he followed the occupation of barber and later the drug business.

(N) *LOEBE, SIMON P.* (October 16, 1869 - April 15, 1949) was born in CAIRO, and was married to the former AMANDA JANE PRATT in 1892. After moving to CHARLESTON he had a varied career. When the first fire company was organized August 15, 1892, MR. LOEBE was appointed fire chief by MAYOR L. W. DANFORTH. He also served as MISSOURI PACIFIC freight agent and operated LOEBE'S OPERA HOUSE for many years. He built a new theatre in 1902 on the corner of Main and Cypress, later occupied by a service station, and operated it until 1914, when he sold it to American Photoplay Theatres. He served briefly as mayor of CHARLESTON and was editor and publisher of THE ENTERPRISE-COURIER until 1935. He was the first president of the FIRST SECURITY STATE BANK when it was chartered February 6, 1930, and held that position until his death. He was survived by three daughters; MILDRED PUTNAM, MARY STORY and DOROTHY EVANS.

(N) *LOFLIN, MRS. D. L.* (1834 - February 14, 1883) was born in MARSHALL COUNTY, KENTUCKY, and moved with her husband to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1860.

(N) *LOVE, CHARLES R.* (September 21, 1873 - November 30, 1930) was born in CAMDEN, BENTON COUNTY, TENNESSEE and moved, with his parents to BERTRAND, MISSOURI, at the age of two, at which place his father, WILLIAM S. LOVE, was engaged in the general mercantile and grain business until his death in 1906. His mother died when he was but a few months old. MR. LOVE'S primary education was received in the public schools of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He afterwards attended BELLEVUE COLLEGE, CALEDONIA, and CENTRAL COLLEGE, FAYETTE, MISSOURI, and then

taking a law course from the VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY at NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. After receiving his diploma and given a license to practice law, he returned to CHARLESTON in 1896 and continued to live there until the time of his death. He was survived by his wife, MRS. MABEL LOVE (? - August 1936), a daughter, MISS ELLEN, and a son, WILLIAM.

(N) *LOVE, DR. WILLIAM S.* (1883 - July 17, 1941) was born at the old LOVE home at BERTRAND the son of WILLIAM and SARAH E. LOVE. His father was born in NORTH CAROLINA and located in BERTRAND in 1873. In 1908 he married ADDIE LEO MCCALL of FRANKLIN, TENNESSEE. One son survived him, WILLIAM SPENCER LOVE.

(N) *LUSK, DR. W. H.* (? - 1920) was survived by his wife, who died in 1940, and one son, EARL.

(N) *LUTZ, IGNATIUS* (November 27, 1832 - May 8, 1897) was born in (WEICHER EDENKOHEN) GERMANY, then emigrated to AMERICA in 1852 and settled first in ST. LOUIS. He then went to CAPE GIRARDEAU and after a short time came to CHARLESTON in early 1859. He married ELIZABETH BURKE March 27, 1862, and ten children were the result of the union. Those surviving him were: MRS. SANDERSON of TEXAS; MRS. O. W. ANDREWS of CHARLESTON; MISS VERNE; HENRY GEORGE; CLAY; CHARLES; WILLIAM; and TILDEN. He was a member of the city council several times.

(N) *LUTZ, CHARLES I., SR.* (February 2, 1847 - July 12, 1940) was born in CHARLESTON the son of IGNATIUS and ELIZABETH LUTZ. He married MARTHA "MATTIE" HARRIS and they had seven children. He was survived by his wife and children, MRS. MARGARET SHELBY, MRS. EMMA RYDER, MRS. BARBARA BAKER, MISS FRANCIS LUTZ, CHARLES I., JR., CASPER, and RICHARD.

(N) *LYNN, WILLIAM PIPPIN* (March 8, 1842 - September 9, 1902) died at his home near ANNISTON. He was born in MONROE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, and moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1868. He was survived by his wife, ISABELLE, and two sons, HOMER and SAMUEL LYNN, and one daughter, MRS. LOTTIE BAKER.

(M) *MCDOWELL, JUDGE JAMES CLARENCE* (March 20, 1890 - 1972) was born at LEEMAN in CAPE GIRARDEAU COUNTY, MISSOURI, and was of IRISH lineage, his grandfather having been a native of IRELAND. His father, JAMES C. MCDOWELL, was a soldier of the CONFEDERATE ARMY, and soon after the close of the CIVIL WAR came to MISSOURI, where he spent his remaining days as a farmer. He died, however, when his son, JUDGE MCDOWELL was but three months old. The mother was a member of the Irwin family of NORTH CAROLINA. Beginning his

education in the rural schools, JUDGE MCDOWELL afterward entered the SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE at CAPE GIRARDEAU, where he won his BACHELOR OF SCIENCE degree in 1911. He then earned his law degree at the UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI. In June, 1917, he moved to CHARLESTON, MISSOURI. Three months later he was elected prosecuting attorney of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and filled that position from 1917 to 1925. With his retirement from office he formed a partnership with JUDGE BOONE that was terminated two years later and from 1927 he practiced independently until his elevation to the bench. He served as chairman of the Democratic executive committee of his county from 1928 until 1932. On the 29th of August, 1912, at CAPE GIRARDEAU, JUDGE MCDOWELL married CAROLYN SNIDER, and they had one daughter, ELAINE, who became the wife of JACK DENNY, a lawyer of GLASGOW, MISSOURI.

(N) *MCELMURRY, ABSALOM, JR.* (August 24, 1826 - July 23, 1915) was born in what is now MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, the son of ABSALOM MCELMURRY, SR. His parents came from VIRGINIA and were the first persons married in MATHEWS PRAIRIE with EDWARD N. MATHEWS performing the ceremony. He went to NEW MADRID, MISSOURI then to LOUISIANA and returned to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1853. On August 24th of that year he married SARAH F. KENNEDY. During the CIVIL WAR his mill was destroyed and he moved to the THOMAS BECKWITH farm then known as the DR. PETRIE place. His first and only child, HENRY, was born in 1872. He served as city marshall of CHARLESTON for three years. HENRY died in 1899 and MRS. MCELMURRY in the same year.

(N) *MCELMURRY, SCOTT A.* (January 26, 1880 - November 22, 1925) was born in CHARLESTON. He was married February 22, 1906, to ANNA KARNES (? - February 1941) of RED BUD, LOUISIANA, who with three daughters survived him; ANNA BELLE, MAYME, and DOROTHY.

(N) *MCFADDEN, JOSEPHINE* (December 31, 1868 - February 1940) married J. L. MCFADDEN at BELMONT. He died in 1908. She was survived by two sons, REV. E. C. MCFADDEN and DR. J. F. MCFADDEN, and two daughters, MYRTLE MCFADDEN and MRS. JOE H. MOORE.

(N) *MCLAIN, LUE VERNA* (September 12, 1880 - September 24, 1922) who maiden name was PRICE married J. C. MCCLAIN in 1901. They had five boys and three girls.

(N) *MCMIKLE, MRS. J. H.* (February 19, 1872 - January 13, 1903) was born SARAH CHRISTINIA BRODHACKER.

(N) *MCPHEETERS, JUDGE HUGH* (December 15, 1862 - August 30, 1928) was born in SALEM, INDIANA. On December 14, 1889, he married MAYME B. LEE. He was survived by his

wife and three children; DR. JAMES W., LEANDER B. and MISS LYNN MCPHEETERS.

(N) *MARABLE, JOHN* (? - March 9, 1950) died at the CAIRO, ILLINOIS hospital. He was owner and operator of the RUSSELL HOTEL at the time of his death.

(D) *MARBURY, HORATIO L.* (February 4, 1864 - November 20, 1875) was born at PRICE'S LANDING, SCOTT COUNTY. BENJAMIN MARBURY, his father, born at MC-MINNVILLE, TENNESSEE, on the 20th of September, 1840, was a man of broad education. His early training was in a literary school at LEAVENWORTH, TENNESSEE, and he afterward studied law, but finally decided in favor of medicine. He completed a course in the medical department of the VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY, NASHVILLE, in 1868. He located at TRACY CITY, TENNESSEE, and became surgeon of the SEWANEE COAL MINE as well as a general physician. In 1873 he moved to CHARLESTON, MISSOURI, where he practiced until his death.

BENJAMIN MARBURY was a soldier under the Confederate General, BRAXTON BRAGG. He was made a prisoner at FRANKLIN, escaped from the boat in which he was confined, and while a fugitive was taken to the home of WILLIAM M. LUSK, a SCOTT COUNTY farmer, who had a daughter RACHEL ANNA. They were married in May, 1862, and the three children born of their union were HORATIO L., of this biography; BENJAMIN H., a lawyer of FARMINGTON, MISSOURI; and DR. ALEXANDER B. MARBURY, a dentist at CHARLESTON, MISSOURI.

H. L. MARBURY obtained his early education in the public schools of CHARLESTON, MISSOURI, and in 1884 entered the BELLVIEW COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE OF CALEDONIA graduating from its commercial department in 1889. After working for some time he returned to that institution and took an advanced course which brought him the degree of B.S. He then taught for several years in REYMONDS (?), SCOTT and WASHINGTON COUNTIES. He enlisted for service in the SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR, joining the FORT SMITH, ARKANSAS, INFANTRY REGIMENT. After the war he returned to FORT SMITH, where he was mustered out and then went to CALEDONIA, MISSOURI. In 1903 H. L. MARBURY married MISS NELLIE GERTRUDE EVENS, of MINERAL POINT, MISSOURI. Their first child was WILLARD HORATIO MARBURY born in 1907.

(N) *MARSHALL, DR. ALVIS TAYLOR* (1878 - ?) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He graduated from MARION SIMS (BEAUMONT) COLLEGE in 1903. He practiced in ANNISTON, NEW MADRID, OKLAHOMA, CAMPBELL, PASCOLA, and then WYATT. IN 1908 he married MATTIE J. MATTHEWS of EAST ST. LOUIS.

(N) *MARTIN, DR. ALBERT J.* (September 5, 1870 - July 1958) was the son of DR. S. B. and MARY LONG MARTIN. He attended BEAUMONT MEDICAL COLLEGE in ST. LOUIS and in 1896 returned to EAST PRAIRIE to practice. On December 8, 1896, he married ANNIE MILLAR (December 25, 1879 - May 26, 1956). He was survived by two daughters, MRS. ROY WALDEN or WELDEN and MRS. JOSIE NEBBETT.

(N) *MARTIN, JOHN F.* (September 23, 1865 - November 21, 1918) was born in CHARLESTON. He received his education in the public schools and at the early age of nine years became associated with his brother, GEORGE W. MARTIN, in founding the CHARLESTON ENTERPRISE in 1874. Their paper was an amateur affair, but the persistence of the MARTIN boys won out and their paper continued until 1915, when it was merged with the COURIER. After the death of GEORGE MARTIN, JOHN F. became sole owner and publisher, and for many years conducted it with both daily and weekly editions. It was, at one time, the only daily publication in SOUTHEAST MISSOURI. In the late 90's, MR. MARTIN sold the ENTERPRISE, and later, in 1900, founded the COURIER, which he published until 1904 when it was purchased by E. H. SMITH. In 1910 he was elected a probate judge, re-elected again in 1914 and was planning to run for a third term at the time of his death. He was survived by his wife and one daughter.

(N) *MARTIN, MRS. NONCIE E.* (? - January 19, 1899) was the wife of the editor of the CHARLESTON DAILY ENTERPRISE. She was born NONCIE DELINE, the daughter of JUDGE LORENS DELINE. She was married September 28, 1891.

(N) *MARTIN, GEORGE W.* (November 2, 1859 - December 2, 1895) was born in CHARLESTON, the son of WILLIAM F. MARTIN who conducted and published the COURIER from 1858 to 1872. His father, at the time of his death, left six small children, GEORGE W., LENA A., ROBERT E., JOHN F., RICHARD V., HARRY, and their mother. GEORGE was around thirteen and the oldest. He had learned to set type in his father's office and was determined to establish a newspaper. He had no money, no office, and no press. He went to COL. H. J. DEAL and borrowed from him a small, crude job press. He moved this with a few types into his mother's smoke-house, and there the ENTERPRISE in 1875 had its origin. It was at first about ten by twelve inches. He enlarged his paper from time to time until it became one of the largest and best known in southeast MISSOURI. On May 9, 1881, he married ANNIE D. OGILVIE. Their children were: MONA, LURA, and EDNA. At the time of his death he had accumulated an estate of around \$15,000. He was clerk of the city for one year. He was postmaster for a time and later deputy postmaster. He contracted smallpox and died at the age of thirty-six.

(N) *MARTIN, JOSEPH F.* (1846 - February 16, 1902) married FLORENCE L. RUSH, daughter of ALFRED and LUCINDA (BREWER) RUSH in 1872. He was mayor and sheriff for a time.

(N) *MARTIN, MRS. MARY A.* (nee BAYNON) (1837? - April 10, 1902) died at CHARLESTON. She was a native of LONDON, ENGLAND, but lived in CHARLESTON since about 1847. She married WILLIAM F. MARTIN.

(N) *MARTIN, DR. SAM P.* (October 12, 1877 - October 1956) was the son of DR. SAMUEL P. and MAY LARUE MARTIN who had a general store in EAST PRAIRIE. He attended a subscription school taught by MISS MAGGIE DOYLE. He was further educated in MAYFIELD, KENTUCKY, CAPE GIRARDEAU NORMAL SCHOOL, DIXON ACADEMY IN TENNESSEE, ST. LOUIS COLLEGE OF PHARMACY and the UNIVERSITY of MISSOURI at COLUMBIA. In 1906 he returned to EAST PRAIRIE to practice medicine and on January 12, 1908, he married LUCY SIMMONS. They had two sons, DR. BRUCE C. MARTIN and DR. SAMUEL P. MARTIN III.

(N) *MATTINGLY, W. V.* (1866 - ?) was born in NELSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1880. He worked for the CHARLESTON LIVE STOCK COMPANY.

(N) *MATTINGLY, MRS. WILLIE* (January 27, 1866 - ?) was married to HERMAN MATTINGLY who preceded her in death as did two children, a daughter, MRS. ROXIE MATTINGLY BOYCE, and a son, ALBERT MATTINGLY. She was survived by two sons, HERMAN MATTINGLY and WILLIAM R. MATTINGLY, and a daughter, MRS. LAURA DUNAWAY.

(H) *MEDLEY, JOHN CHRISOSTOM* (? - ?) was the son of JAMES and was educated in BARDSTOWN, KENTUCKY, where he was reared by his grandfather, JOHN C. MEDLEY. He married ANN LUDLOW FORSYTHE (November 11, 1843 - March 30, 1881) and they had several children, including LYMAN FORSYTHE MEDLEY. He moved from KENTUCKY to ILLINOIS and then to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI, giving the name "MEDLEY'S LANDING" to a point opposite and south of the mouth of the OHIO RIVER between NORFOLK and WOLF ISLAND. Here he operated a store and bought grain.

LYMAN FORSYTHE MEDLEY (November 24, 1843 - March 30, 1881) studied law under JOSEPH C. MOORE. He was admitted to the bar and later moved to WAYNE COUNTY, MISSOURI. On December 5, 1866, he married AMANDA HUNTER BECKWITH (August 28, 1847 - April 4, 1927), daughter of MARMADUKE and CATHERINE HUNTER PRICE BECKWITH. She accompanied her grandfather,

ABRAHAM HUNTER, to the state of MISSISSIPPI during the CIVIL WAR. She became a refugee for having sung "The Bonny Blue Flag" at the closing exercises of a public school in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI. Their children were: HARRIETTA "HATTIE" ANN, LYMAN BECKWITH, MARY AMANDA, and ALTHEA "ALLIE" HUNTER.

(M) *MEDLEY, MARY* (? - ?) married STEPHEN B. HUNTER (son of BEN F. HUNTER and NANCY BIRD) in March, 1904, at PIEDMONT, MISSOURI. She was a descendant of NEWMAN BECKWITH, who with his wife, JUDITH ANN NEAL, and children, MARMADUKE, LUCY, UNDERWOOD, QUIROS, MOUNTAIR, RICHARD, and some slaves came from FAIRFAX COUNTY, VIRGINIA, down the OHIO to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI, in 1811. Of the children MARMADUKE married MRS. CATHERINE HUNTER PRICE, a daughter of COL. ABRAHAM HUNTER and thus MRS. STEPHEN B. HUNTER is a great-granddaughter of COLONEL ABRAHAM HUNTER while her husband was a grandson of the same ancestor. AMANDA BECKWITH, daughter of MARMADUKE BECKWITH, became the wife of LYMAN FORSYTHE MEDLEY, a son of JOHN C. MEDLEY and his wife, ANN LUDLOW FORSYTHE, who lived at MEDLEY'S LANDING in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI. The MEDLEY family came west from MARYLAND to KENTUCKY.

(N) *MEEK, HOWARD T.* (1834? - July 23, 1879).

(N) *MILLAR, ADAM* (November 9, 1811 - September 2, 1883) died at EAST PRAIRIE. He was born in SCIOTA COUNTY, OHIO, and lived there until 1840 when he and his parents (ABRAHAM and REBECCA MILLAR) moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and settled in EAST PRAIRIE. On November 5, 1879, he married MISS FANNIE M. KENRICK. He was buried in the family vault on the ISAAC MILLAR farm.

(N) *MILLAR, ABRAHAM* (UNCLE ABEL) (1817? - January 25, 1888) died at EAST PRAIRIE. He spent most of his life in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY coming there in 1835 in a wagon drawn by horses and with a few cooking utensils, a feather bed and eight dollars. In 1840 he married SARAH KENRICK and they had three children. One daughter married THOMPSON BIRD. He was buried in the grave yard near his home.

(N) *MILLAR, JOHN A.* (February 12, 1851 - September 16, 1941) was born in the MILLAR community, the son of ABRAHAM and SARAH (KENRICK) MILLAR, pioneer settlers who came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY from OHIO. On April 15, 1873, he married ANNA KALFUS (December 1, 1856 - January 1941), daughter of COLUMBUS CLAY and ELIZABETH FORMAN KALFUS. They had seven children. Their daughter, GERTRUDE, married C. D. MITCHELL, state representative from 1922-23. MITCHELL was killed in an

automobile accident October 19, 1924, as he was returning from ST. LOUIS with some friends. Their daughter, ANNIE S., married H. S. ROBERTS. Three daughters and two sons survived him; MRS. GERTRUDE MITCHELL (July 29, 1874 - April 1948), MRS. JOHN DREW, MRS. A. J. MARTIN, CLAY, and ED.

(N) *MILLAR, LUCIAN DAVIS* (November 18, 1858 - April 22, 1933) was the son of FRANKLIN and SUSAN MILLAR. He was born in the MILLAR district and spent his life in that area. In 1881 he married ADA L. WILKINSON who died August 3, 1917. He was survived by three daughters; MRS. JOE P. DOYLE, MRS. C. E. WHITE and MRS. RUBY MAGER.

(N) *MILLAR, SUSAN* (December 19, 1833 - April 8, 1922) was born in FREDERICK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, the daughter of JOHN H. and LUCINDA KENRICK. She married FRANKLIN S. MILLAR on April 25, 1855, and they moved to a farm near EAST PRAIRIE where she lived until her death. She was survived by one son, L. D. MILLAR.

(N) *MITCHELL, CARL D.* (March 19, 1873 - October 19, 1924) married GERTRUDE MILLAR in 1893, daughter of MR. and MRS. JOHN A. MILLAR. To this union was born one daughter, ANNIE (MRS. H. S. ROBERTS). He was the first mayor of EAST PRAIRIE and at the time of his death a member of the state legislature.

(N) *MITCHELL, D. D.* (March 24, 1845 - ?) was born in LIVINGSTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, the son of MR. and MRS. JAMES MITCHELL. In 1891 he moved to CHARLESTON and rented a hotel for seven years but in 1898 he erected the MITCHELL HOTEL. On November 15, 1865, he married MISS NANCY EDWARDS, a daughter of MR. and MRS. RICHARD EDWARDS of LIVINGSTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY. They had nine children, eight of whom were still living in 1909; MRS. KITTIE PARSONS, W. D. MITCHELL, URIEL F. MITCHELL, GEORGE H. MITCHELL, MRS. MILLIE FRAZIER, CHARLES MITCHELL, MRS. ORA SIDWELL, and MRS. LAWRENCE GUNTHER. MRS. MITCHELL died February 10, 1908.

(N) *MITCHELL, MRS. SARA J.* (December 25, 1840 - January 21, 1917) was the daughter of PETER and ELIZABETH ST. CLAIR. She married L. B. MITCHELL November 22, 1865, and they had nine children one of whom later moved from ARKANSAS to EAST PRAIRIE, MISSOURI; LEWIS EDWIN, JAMES ST. CLAIR, HOWARD GIST, CARL DEBERRY of EAST PRAIRIE, CIDYE ESTELLE, MARY VIRGINIA, FREDERICK POINTER, MRS. D. S. COLEMAN, and RALPH CLEVELAND.

(M) *MOORE, BEN BIRD* (November 23, 1893 -) was the second son of JAMES HANDY and MARY BIRD HUNTER MOORE. He was educated in the public schools of

CHARLESTON and at the UNIVERSITY of MISSOURI. On December 29, 1920, he married FAYE SMITH and they had the following children: BEN BIRD JUNIOR (1921 -), DOROTHY FAYETTE (1924 -), JOSEPH HANDY (1929 -). MR. and MRS. MOORE reside in CHARLESTON.

(M) *MOORE, JAMES HANDY* (November 3, 1865 - November 20, 1906) was born in CHARLESTON the son of JOSEPH C. and ELLA HANDY MOORE. He attended the BELEVUE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE at CALEDONIA, MISSOURI, winning his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1886, and in 1888 he won his Bachelor of Laws degree from VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY. For a few years he practiced law and then became cashier of the MISSISSIPPI COUNTY BANK. While with that institution he worked his way upward to the presidency and later resigned to become president of the SOUTHEAST MISSOURI TELEPHONE, LIGHT, POWER & ICE COMPANY. While engaged in the contracting business he built the first community dredge ditch in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He married MARY BIRD HUNTER (January 29, 1868 - May 31, 1949), daughter of BENJAMIN FRANKLIN and NANCY EMILY BIRD HUNTER. They had four children: JOSEPH HUNTER; BEN BIRD MOORE; PAULINE who married H. S. AUSTIN; and NAIDINE who married HUGH SWAYNE. He served as president of the levee board from its organization until his death at forty-one.

(R) *MOORE, JAMES LORENZA* (September 29, 1805 - 1883) was born in SUMMERSET COUNTY, MARYLAND, and in 1817 he emigrated with his father to KENTUCKY and remained there until he married MARY JANE CHALFANT (1809 - 1869) in 1831. He then came to MISSOURI and settled on MATHEW'S PRAIRIE, near the town of CHARLESTON. The first farm owned by JAMES L. MOORE was about two and a half miles south of CHARLESTON. On this he lived twenty-two years, and then moved to a place one mile west of CHARLESTON, where he lived three years then removing to a home in the northern part of CHARLESTON. In 1870 he was appointed treasurer of the county. JAMES and MARY JANE had three children: JOSEPH C. MOORE (1833 - 1910); MARY ELIZABETH (1847 - 1916) who married THOMAS HAYWARD BYRD (1840 - 1874); and SUSAN ANN (1851 - 1936) who married ALBERT VERNON GOODIN (1839 - 1896).

MOORE, JOSEPH C. (1775 - 1846) married MARGARET DARBY (? - 1817) in 1803. Their children were: ELIZABETH SHARP (1808 - 1842) who married REV. URIEL HAW (1799 - 1844) in 1832; ANN PURDY (1811 - ?) who married ISAAC VERNON; CHARLES WESLEY (1814 - 1876) who married CATHERINE CRENSHAW (1809 - 1880) in 1837; DANIEL ASBURY (1816 - 1839); and JAMES LORENZA.

(N) *MOORE, JOSEPH C.* (April 20, 1833 - June 4, 1910)

was born in MATHEW'S PRAIRIE, the son of JAMES L. and MARY JANE MOORE. On September 8, 1864, he married ELLA HANDY (1839 - September 1911) the daughter of JUDGE NOAH HANDY. They had four children: JAMES HANDY (1865 - 1906) who married MARY BYRD HUNTER; PAUL BYRD (1867-1932) who married MARGARET STEPHENS (1873 - 1847); "NELL" ELLA VIRGINIA (1873 - 1906) who married J. T. COOMBS; and JOSEPH ERNEST.

(M) *MOORE, JOSEPH HUNTER* (August 14, 1891 - September 21, 1973) was born at CHARLESTON, the son of JAMES HANDY and MARY BIRD HUNTER MOORE, and through collateral lines is related to the BIRD, HUNTER and HANDY families, all prominently connected with the pioneer history of southeastern MISSOURI. His great grandfather, JAMES LORENZA MOORE, and NOAH HANDY were from MARYLAND. His grandparents were JOSEPH CHALFANT and ELLA (HANDY) MOORE, the former member of the bar. His uncle, COLONEL PAUL B. MOORE, was a prominent lawyer and political leader of the state who served as secretary to GOVERNOR LON V. STEPHENS and was colonel on the staff of GOVERNOR WILLIAM STONE. JOSEPH HUNTER MOORE attended CULVER MILITARY ACADEMY in INDIANA and won his Bachelor of Arts degree upon the completion of the course of study at the UNIVERSITY of MISSOURI as a member of the class of 1914. In the same year he began farming several thousand acres of land in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. In April, 1932, he married CAROLINE "CARRIE" MCFADDEN, of BELMONT, MISSOURI, a daughter of JAMES F. MCFADDEN, a farmer and merchant. They had two children, JAMES HANDY MOORE (1932 -) and WILLIAM BIRD MOORE (1935 -). MR. MOORE served in the State Legislature and starting in 1915 he became active in levee district work serving for many years as agent for Levee District No. 3. He was also a long-time member of St. John District Levee Board.

(N) *MOORE, PAUL BYRD* (October 26, 1867 - June 2, 1932) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, the son of JOSEPH CHALFANT and ELLA HANDY MOORE. He graduated from VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY in 1890. In 1895 he married MARGARET STEPHENS and they had three children, LON V. (1909 - 1957), MARGARET (1900 -) and JOELLA (1905 -). He was a member of GOVERNOR STONE'S personal military staff and a member of the state legislature from 1892 to 1896. In 1906 he returned from JEFFERSON CITY to CHARLESTON and established a Republican newspaper and hired GEORGE NELSON STILLE as editor.

MOORE, PAUL HANDY (1898 -) is the grandson of JOSEPH CHALFANT MOORE and ELLA HANDY MOORE and son of JAMES T. COOMBS and ELLA VIRGINIA

COOMBS (August 30, 1873 - October 1, 1906), daughter of JOSEPH C. and ELLA H. MOORE. He married MARGARET CROCKETT, daughter of MEREDITH ADAIR EDWARDS and CHARLES J. CROCKETT. They have a son, CHARLES, and a daughter, MARY TAYLOR MOORE. PAUL HANDY MOORE served in both WORLD WARS and still resides in CHARLESTON.

(N) *MOSBY, COL. JEFF* (1815? - April 1880) was well known in CHARLESTON. He resided in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY for thirty-five years and was a soldier in the MEXICAN WAR.

(N) *MULKEY, MRS. BESS* (February 20, 1883 - March 7, 1970) was the daughter of JOHN T. and MARY RUSHING HEGGIE. JOHN L. MULKEY, her husband, died in January of 1926. She was survived by two daughters, MRS. SAM COX GOODIN and MRS. PRINCE MOXLEY. She was preceded in death by a son and two daughters.

(N) *MUNGER, JOHN* (? - March 2, 1918) was a native of PENNSYLVANIA and came to EAST PRAIRIE in 1891 to work for the WARD LUMBER COMPANY. When it closed he bought a farm. He was survived by his wife, four daughters; ANICE, BEULAH, GERTRUDE, and WILLIE, and two sons; HARVEY and JOSEPH ARNOLD.

(N) *NAIVE, J. H.* (October 10, 1824 - August 9, 1905) was born near NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. He married in the fall of 1845 and moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY where he resided until his death.

(N) *O'BRYAN, DANIEL* (August 10, 1878 - March 15, 1954) was a descendant of one of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY'S most prominent pioneer families. He was born in POPLAR BLUFF, the son of J. L. and ELIZABETH ARMSLEY O'BRYAN. He was admitted to the bar in VERNON COUNTY and was CITY ATTORNEY of NEVADA, MISSOURI, from 1906 to 1911. He moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and engaged in farming. He was elected to the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES for the 60th GENERAL ASSEMBLY and for several terms thereafter, serving a total of ten years. Two cousins survived him, MRS. FRED C. HURST of BERTRAND and WILLIAM R. O'BRYAN of BOONVILLE, MISSOURI. He was a graduate of WESTMINSTER COLLEGE at FULTON, MISSOURI.

(N) *O'BRYAN, JUDGE HARRY CLAY* (January 8, 1845 - June 19, 1921) was born in the state of MISSISSIPPI. He came to CHARLESTON in 1875 to practice law. He was CIRCUIT JUDGE for six years. He married KATE HESS of TENNESSEE and they had three children. His wife and one daughter, MRS. FRED HURST, survived him.

(N) *O'BRYAN, MRS. VALENTINE* (1825? - December 1885).

(N) *OGILVIE, SAMUEL* (March 12, 1820 - November 30,

1912) was born in WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE, and came to WOLF ISLAND in 1853. On December 18, 1856, he married SALLIE MCELMURRY. He later married MARY MCELMURRY (April 3, 1845 - December 18, 1932) who was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and who was the oldest native resident at the time of her death. He was survived by MRS. M. A. (AGGIE) DRANE, J. L., W. A., and T. M. OGILVIE by his first wife, and by LAURA OGILVIE, DR. FRED L. OGILVIE and DR. ROY K. OGILVIE by his second wife. He served as county sheriff and collector.

(N) *OGILVIE, J. L.* (September 1862 - April 1938) was the son of SAM and SALLY OGILVIE. He married GEORGIE C. (1868 - May 1939), daughter of JAMES D. and FANNIE (ROUSE) CLARKSON in 1890. He was survived by his wife and one son, JAMES CLARKSON OGILVIE.

(N) *OGILVIE, E. W.* (May 6, 1851 - November 21, 1922) was born in PADUCAH, KENTUCKY, the son of LEMUEL and MARTHA (WINSTEAD) OGILVIE. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1870 to engage in farming. In 1872 with SAMUEL OGILVIE he embarked in the mercantile business. In 1902 he founded the PEOPLE'S BANK. In 1875 he married EMMA OVERSTREET of KENTUCKY, and had two children. One died in infancy, ELMER died in 1912. His wife died a few years after their marriage. On November 22, 1900, he married MRS. KATE WILLIAMS of CINCINNATI, OHIO. He was survived by his wife and two grandchildren, EMMA and ELMER OGILVIE.

(N) *ORR, DR. ALFRED A.* (November 20, 1837 - November 24, 1924) was born in MAYFIELD, KENTUCKY. He came to CHARLESTON as a traveling dentist, practicing in KENTUCKY and SOUTHEAST MISSOURI. In 1876 he located permanently in CHARLESTON and on May 8, 1884, he married LULA DERMAN (February 28, 1856 - ?), daughter of MR. and MRS. FRED DERMAN who had moved to CHARLESTON from ST. LOUIS and were making their home at the WHIT-COMB HOTEL. Her father homesteaded a farm in what was known as SPANISH GRANT. She was survived by her sister's son, ETHELBERT KERRIGAN, his wife and two sons, WILLIAM and CHARLES KERRIGAN.

(N) *OSTNER, MAX L.* (June 25, 1867 - August 30, 1922) was born in ST. LOUIS. He moved to DIEHLSTADT as a young man. On December 23, 1892, he married SARAH LOUISE CAVANAH and had nine children, eight of whom survived him, MRS. HARRY BOND, MRS. WELLBORN ESTES, F. M., MISS HELEN, MARSHALL, JOHN, SARAH and LOUISE. He moved to CHARLESTON around 1907.

(N) *PARKS, JAMES* (1799? - November 20, 1884) had lived in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY since 1858.

(N) *PATRICK, JOHN* (1831? November 19, 1893) died

in the CONCORD settlement.

(N) *PATTERSON, DR. T. L.* (November 15, 1849 - July 21, 1907) was born in FLORENCE, ALABAMA. He lived in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY for around fifty years. He was first married to MARY MCELMURRY and they had two children, MRS. J. W. PRATT and one deceased. On October, 24, 1889, he married JENNIE DILWORTH of MISSISSIPPI and they had six children. He was survived by his wife and four children, TOM, ROB, JOHN, and JOE.

(N) *PENNY, JASPER BENJAMIN* (June 18, 1869 - 1961) was the son of JOHN and SUSAN PENNY. He graduated from the COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY in NASHVILLE and came to CHARLESTON in 1892. He continued to practice until 1960. He was survived by his wife, MOLLIE WILLS PENNY, and one son, GLENN PENNY of OHIO. Two sons and one daughter preceded him in death: ELMER, in 1949; MRS. MILTON KURRE in 1960; and EDGAR in 1961. When he came to CHARLESTON he was a partner of DR. ALFRED ORR.

(N) *PENNY MRS. W. H.* (? - February 1880) was the wife of the proprietor of the ST. CHARLES HOTEL.

(N) *POLSTON, PLEASANT* (? - March 10, 1881) died in JAMES BAYOU TOWNSHIP.

(N) *POTTINGER, HARDY B.* (1880 - August 26, 1941) was born at FARMINGTON and moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY at the age of eight. He was survived by his wife, EMMA DANIELS POTTINGER, whom he married in 1920 and by two sons, HARDY J. and JAMES. He was city marshall for four terms.

POWELL, JOHN AMOS (1850 - 1935) was born in PLATTSBURG, MISSOURI, the son of CHARLES and _____ POWELL. He married MARY EVA JONES (1860 - 1950), the daughter of THOMAS GOODWIN and _____ JONES. They had two sons, WILLIAM HAMPSTEAD and JOHN GOODWIN. JOHN AMOS POWELL moved to the ARMER community in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1912.

WILLIAM H. POWELL (1890 - 1972) married BLYTHE ELIZABETH ROWE (1892 -), daughter of GEORGE PARKER and ELIZABETH (ELMORE) ROWE, and they had three sons; HAMPSTEAD ROWE (1917 - 1973), REX HILLIARD (1918 - 1945) and JOHN PARKER (1930 - 1968).

JOHN G. POWELL (1894 - 1971) married RUTH GRESHAM, daughter of MILO and _____ GRESHAM and they had two daughters, RUTH WARD and MARY EMMA. (Information supplied by Mrs. William Powell, Malden, Missouri.)

(N) *PRESSON, REV. J. J.* (January 31, 1829 - May 29, 1909) was born in ANSON COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, son of SAMUEL and ANNA PRESSON. On December 23, 1851, he

married LOUISA J. GREER and in 1873 they came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. They had eleven children; SUSAN A., NEEDHAM W., LOUISIAN B., JOHN B., SAMUEL A., SARAH L., MARY J., EMMA BELLE, WILLIAM H., PRITCHETT and TELITHA C.

(N) *PRESSON, MATTHEW LEE* (1864? - February 12, 1966) died at the age of 102 and claimed to be the oldest living resident of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY.

(N) *PREUITT, CAPT. VALENTINE* (1830? - 1900?) at one time was a 49'er, a scout and a shotgun messenger for WELLS FARGO. On May 11, 1865, he married MARY JANE (June 12, 1846 - 1917), daughter of J. T. O. MORRISON of NEW MADRID, MISSOURI. They moved to CHARLESTON when there were only three stores. For many years they lived in a house that stood where the LAIR STORE later was built. He served as an officer in COMPANY M. FIRST MISSOURI VOLUNTEERS, U. S. CAVALRY DIVISION. He was survived by his wife and children: LULA; CAROLINE (March 21, 1876 - July 1940) who married RICHARD P. BERRY; THOMAS O.; BESSIE; and MAYME. He was a law enforcement officer in CHARLESTON and his luck or bravery or both were well known.

(N) *PUTNAM, E. R.* (February 22, 1891 - July 13, 1948) married MILDRED LOEBE on June 17, 1913. He was survived by his wife, a son, E. R. PUTNAM, JR. and a daughter, MRS. W. S. VANDIVORT.

(N) *PUTNAM, J. W.* came to CHARLESTON in 1903 from CHILLICOTHE, MISSOURI, and established the J. W. PUTNAM MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

(N) *RAFFETY, ULYSSES G.* (1885 - December 1918) was born in KENTUCKY and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1896 with his parents who made their home near WYATT. In February of 1908 he married JULIA NORRIS. They had three children. In 1912 he was made overseer of SENATOR HUNTER'S great land holdings in the northern part of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He then moved to BIRD'S MILL.

(N) *RAGSDALE, WILLIAM BUCKNER* (December 7, 1880 - May 21, 1960) was born in PARIS, MISSOURI, the son of FRANK V. and SUE BUCKNER RAGSDALE. It was he who provided the impetus through which the BUCKNER-RAGSDALE stores in CAPE GIRARDEAU, CHARLESTON and SIKESTON were established. The CAPE GIRARDEAU store opened on September 3, 1907. It was the first complete ready-to-wear store for the whole family in southeast MISSOURI. In 1913 the company further expanded, establishing a store at SIKESTON. In November of 1909 he married NELL DEAL (October 25, 1883 - August 22, 1970) daughter of EDWIN P. and MARY CRENSHAW DEAL. The following year they moved to CHARLESTON to make it their

permanent home. The store in CHARLESTON was opened in September of 1910. He was a member of the METHODIST CHURCH, affiliated with the KIWANIS CLUB and an active MASON. He was an active civic leader until his health began to fail. At the time of his death he was survived by his wife, a daughter, MRS. FRANK BIHR, a sister MRS. ROY NOEL of PARIS, MISSOURI, a granddaughter, DOROTHY BIHR, and a sister-in-law, IDA B. DEAL. Another daughter, DOROTHY DEAL RAGSDALE died in 1943.

(N) RAWLS, DR. E. J. (1843 - ?) was born in ROB COUNTY, TENNESSEE. He graduated from the UNIVERSITY OF NASHVILLE in 1869. He came to WYATT in 1889.

(N) REID, DR. HENRY LEACH (April 26, 1866 - February 5, 1925) was born in JEFFERSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, the son of W. T. and ELIZA RUSSELL REID. In 1894 he married SUE BYRD. He came to CHARLESTON in 1892. He was survived by his wife and two brothers, DR. C. W. REID, and JOE B. REID.

(N) REIN, ED C. (October 14, 1833 - August 13, 1927) was born in GERMANY. He came to the UNITED STATES in 1856 and to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1882. He was survived by two sons, ED C. JR. and a daughter, MRS. JACKSON.

(N) RINGO, JOSEPH M. (September 1829 - January 19, 1893) had been a resident of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OVER FORTY YEARS. He was born in HICKMAN COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He married FREDANIA MCGRAGOR February 21, 1854. Three boys and three girls survived him. He was a judge of the county court for four years and treasurer for four years.

(N) ROBERTS, HARRY SILVEY (August 18, 1884 - April 13, 1950) came to EAST PRAIRIE in 1910 as a miller for the EAST PRAIRIE MILLING COMPANY operated by U. A. SWINGLE. Two years later he and his father-in-law purchased the W. C. BRYANT MERCHANT CO. and opened it as the "FARMERS SUPPLY COMPANY." In 1923 he and E. C. DAVIS constructed EAST PRAIRIE'S first modern cotton gin and in 1924 the first electric powered cotton gin. He later owned many other interests and considerable farm land. He was survived by his wife, ANNIE ROBERTS, daughter of CARL DEBERRY and GERTRUDE MILLAR MITCHELL, and one daughter, MRS. SAM G. JONES (GERTRUDE).

(N) RODNEY, MARTIN VAN BUREN (1832? - October 24, 1897) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and lived there all of his life. On January 10, 1856, he married ELIZABETH HARRIS (July 9, 1837 - April 13, 1883), daughter of ALFRED E. and BARBARA HARRIS and they had nine children.

(N) RODNEY, WILLIAM (October 7, 1825 - July 1905) was born in LAWRENCE COUNTY, ARKANSAS, the son of JOHN RODNEY, who came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY from KEN-

TUCKY in 1811. His paternal grandfather settled in CAPE GIRARDEAU in 1798, having emigrated from ENGLAND. His maternal grandfather was from ENGLAND and settled at NORFOLK, in 1797. In 1853 WILLIAM located on the farm where he lived until his death. He married MARTHA V. HARRIS and they were the parents of three children; WALTER F., ALTHEA, and ELLA. He was also closely related to the KENRICK brothers.

ROLWING FAMILY

HENRICH HERMAN KOTTING was born in HENGELER in PRUSSIA, September 8, 1792, and married MARIA CHRISTINA ROLWING who was born in the same town on August 13, 1793. He took his wife's last name and moved to the UNITED STATES in 1846 supposedly to avoid serving in the PRUSSIAN ARMY. At his death around 1865 he was the first person to be buried in the TEXAS BEND CEMETERY. Their children were: BERNARD HENRICH, MARIA CATHERINA, CHRISTINA ADELHEID, JOANN HENRICH, JOANN HENDRINA, JOANN HERMANN, JOANN WILHELM, ANTON BERNARD, and JOANN GERHARD.

The oldest son, BERNARD HENRICH ROLWING (1814 - 1887) married ELIZABETH R. _____. They moved to CAPE GIRARDEAU after their marriage and their children were: CHRISTINA, HENRY H., MARY E., BERNARD GEORGE "BARNEY", JOSEPH A., CATHERINE MARIE "KATE" and HELENA.

BERNARD GEORGE "BARNEY" ROLWING (1858 - 1942) married CLARA M. OHMES and their children were GERTRUDE ELIZABETH, DOROTHY KATHERINE, FRANCIS DESALES, ERNEST CHARLES, MARY SCHOLASTICA and CLARA BERNADINE.

FRANCIS DESALES ROLWING (1902 - 1973) married MARGARET HUNTER and they had two sons: FRANCIS DAVID and THOMAS HUNTER.

ERNEST CHARLES ROLWING (1904 -) married MARY BRYANT HEGGIE and their children were: ERNEST CHARLES, JR., JOHN H. and MARY JEANNE.

JOSEPH A. "JOE" ROLWING (1861 - 1941) married SOPHIE KLIPFEL and their children were: OTTO JOSEPH, PAUL LAWRENCE, ELSIE MARY and CORNELIUS J.

OTTO JOSEPH ROLWING (1890 - 1941) married ETHEL MAY NEWCUM and their children were: NORBERT SAMUEL, MARY MARGARET, HELEN ANNE, MIRIAM DOLORES, FRIEDA "ROSEMARY", JOHN FRANCIS, MARK FIDELIS and DENIS PATRICK.

NORBERT SAMUEL ROLWING (1917 -) married ANNA CARMELITA LITTLE and their children were: CATHERINE ELIZABETH "BETTY", JOSEPH OTTO, STEPHEN MICHAEL, MARY EVELYN, JUDITH ELLEN,

RONALD EUGENE, and JEROME CHRISTOPHER.

PAUL LAWRENCE ROLWING (1892 -) married ELIZABETH WESSELS and their children were: CORNELIUS, HERMAN, RICHARD C., ROBERT JAMES, ALBERT EDWARD and MARY AGNES.

JOANN HENRICH "HENRY" ROLWING (1820 - 1869?), fourth child, married CENIA, born in GERMANY and their children were: HENRY, MARY B., HERMAN H., JOHN N. and GEORGE WILLIAM.

GEORGE WILLIAM ROLWING (1862 - 1935) married ANNIE FRANCES "FANNIE" BRINKMAN and their children were: ODELIA, WILLIAM HENRY, MINNIE SOPHIA, GERTRUDE B., STELLA, CLYDE J. and ADALBERT G.

WILLIAM HENRY ROLWING (1889 - 1959) married MARY CLAUDIA CARLISLE and their son was WILLIAM GEORGE.

JOANN GERHARD ROLWING, ninth child, (1834 - 1884) married MARIE ODILE MARCHILDON, born in QUEBEC and their children were: MARY EMMA, HENRY SEVERE, ZELIA EULALIE, CYRILLE ANTHONY, EDWARD GEORGE, GENEVIEVE EULALIE "JENNIE", and MYRTLE JUSTINE.

HENRY SEVERE ROLWING (1867 - 1939) married BEATRICE MARCHILDON and their children: MARTHA ODILE, EDWARD MERLIN "BILL", FRANCIS DESALES, MARY CHRISTINE, HENRY S. JR., "BUCK".

E. MERLIN ROLWING (1902 -) married ROSE B. MARBAUGH and their children were: ROBERT EUGENE, RICHARD JOSEPH, RAYMOND HUGH "JERRY", RUTH RAMONA, and RUSSELL CLYDE. (Information supplied by Betty Darnell, Charleston, Missouri.)

(N) ROSENSTEIN, SOL (August 25, 1842 - March 2, 1924) was born in FUSGENBERIN, BAVARIA. At the age of twenty-one he came to the UNITED STATES and then to CAIRO, ILLINOIS. He married BETTIE BLACK (1846? - July 23, 1924) in 1867 and the following year they came to CHARLESTON to start a mercantile business. He was survived by his wife and two daughters, MRS. A. S. HULIT and MRS. A. W. CHAPMAN.

(N) ROUSE, HANS (April 15, 1864 - May 15, 1897) was born in HENDERSON, KENTUCKY, the son of H. E. and MARTHA ROUSE. He was married at JONESBORO, ARKANSAS, to MISS MAUD DAVIS and they had one child, a boy.

(N) ROWE, EDGAR M. (December 5, 1870 - November 6, 1932) was born in CHARLESTON, the son of Dr. J. M. ROWE. He was appointed postmaster of CHARLESTON in 1898. He resigned a year later to accept a position with a stationery firm of ST. LOUIS as their traveling representative. He was survived by his wife and one son, THORNTON.

(N) ROWE, GEORGE P. (December 6, 1854 - December 8,

1939) was born in HOLLOW ROCK, TENNESSEE. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and married ELIZABETH ELMORE. They had eight children: MAUD who married GEORGE CAIN; CLAIR who never married; SETH who married JUANITA WHARRY; HOMER who married RUBY DITMORE; BERT who married PHOEBE SCHAPER; BLYTHE who married WILLIAM H. POWELL; GRACE who married F. T. CUTLIPH; and RUTH who married JULIAN E. THOMPSON. He and his brother, DR. JOHN M. ROWE, ran one of the largest and best stock farms in the county. They employed around thirty hands to help with their five hundred acre farm and handle horses, mules and cattle.

(N) *ROWE, DR. JOHN M.* (October 18, 1841 - January 2, 1919) was born in CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE, and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1874. In October of 1868 he married JOSEPHINE JORDAN and they had three children: EDGAR M., STELLA M. (MRS. E. H. SMITH) and WALTER S. JOSEPHINE died in 1875 and in 1878 he married JULIA RUSSELL (March 30, 1857 - October 1945), daughter of JOSEPH TWILLY and PATIENCE ANN RUSSELL. Her mother died when she was twelve and her father a few years later. She was raised by her older brother, JOSEPH J. RUSSELL. JOHN and JULIA ROWE had six children; CARL R., HERBERT, JOHN M. JR., LELA B. (MRS. F. D. LAIR), LURA D. and NEVA L. (MRS. S. P. SALMON). He was a lover of good horses. In 1897 as he was returning from a call his horse became frightened and threw him from his sulkey. He suffered a concussion but recovered. For one year he operated the CHARLESTON REPUBLICAN as editor until the paper was merged with the ENTERPRISE-COURIER in April of 1917.

(N) *ROWE, WALTER S.* (February 21, 1874 - November 16, 1937) was born in HOLLOW ROCK, TENNESSEE, the son of DR. and MRS. J. M. ROWE. He married BERTIE E. THOMPSON (July 13, 1875 - December 9, 1936) on December 10, 1895. He was survived by one son, MARION.

(N) *RUGGIERO, SALVATORE* (December 5, 1884 - July 1941) was born in ITALY and came to the UNITED STATES around 1891. He was known to CHARLESTON residents as "CHARLEY DAGO" and was a familiar figure offering peanuts and fruit on the streets of CHARLESTON. His stand was built under the old frame stairway of the old opera house at the northeast corner of Center and West Commercial Streets. Within a few years he purchased the building and then purchased other pieces of real estate. He became a substantial and well liked citizen and at his death left quite a sizable estate.

(N) *RUSH, ALFRED* (April 4, 1810 - April 30, 1895) was born in VIRGINIA and was taken by his parents to KENTUCKY when he was one year old, where they remained five years and then came to MISSOURI in 1816, where he lived for the

rest of his life. In January of 1845 he married LUCINDA BREWER, daughter of JANE PANQUE BREWER and ERWIN BREWER. Born to them were: LOUISA E. (BETTY) RUSH (July 1846 ?) who was the mother of I. N. SMITH; and RACHEL RUSH (October 1848 - ?) the mother of MRS. W. C. BRYANT, JOE JOHN, JAMES SWANK, and MRS. WALTER SHIVELY, and who was also the grandmother of E. E. and H. T. BRYANT. They had altogether nine children, five of whom survived him. His wife died in 1866.

(N) *RUSHING, WILLIS C.* (1849? - September 28, 1879).

(N) *RUSSELL, JOSEPH J.* (August 23, 1854 - October 19, 1922) was born on the RUSSELL farm west of CHARLESTON, the son of JOSEPH T. and PATIENCE RUSSELL. He attended the public school in CHARLESTON, the old CHARLESTON ACADEMY and graduated from the UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI at COLUMBIA in 1880 as valedictorian. On July 26, 1884, he married BELLE GROATH (November 8, 1861 - April 12, 1947) who was born in KENTUCKY. He was county SCHOOL COMMISSIONER in 1879, PROSECUTING ATTORNEY from 1881 to 1884, served as a MISSOURI STATE LEGISLATOR from 1886 to 1892 and a member of the UNITED STATES CONGRESS in 1908. He was survived by his wife, one brother, JOHN C. RUSSELL, and one sister, MRS. JULIA E. ROWE.

(N) *RUSSELL, MRS. FRANK* (December 5, 1858 - June 1944) was the daughter of MR. and MRS. FRANCIS JOSEPH JECKO. She was survived by her husband and five children by a former marriage; MRS. PAUL BAUR, MRS. WILLIAM KING, FRANK SCHUH, CARL SCHUH, and BRYAN SCHUH.

(N) *RUSSELL, JOHN C.* (December 7, 1860 - January 8, 1928) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY the son of JOSEPH T. and PATIENCE RUSSELL. In April of 1892 he married LILLIE SLACK who died without issue. In 1901 he married HARRIETT SEXTON of AMES, LOUISIANA. He was survived by his wife and two sons, JOHN JOE and FRANK.

(N) *RUSSELL, THOMAS THORNTON* (August 21, 1877 - 1907) was the son of MR. and MRS. H. M. RUSSELL of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He died in BARTLESVILLE INDIAN TERRITORY. He was survived by his mother and brothers, W. C., FRANK, ALBERT and JOHN G.

(N) *RUSSELL, W. CLARK* (January 8, 1870 - October 12, 1932) was born at BERTRAND. He studied law in the office of J. J. RUSSELL. He served as PROBATE JUDGE before moving to BOLLINGER COUNTY. He married OLLIE BECKWITH in 1898 who died in 1916. They had two sons, THOMAS BECKWITH RUSSELL and WILLIAM C. RUSSELL.

(N) *RYKER, A. J.* (January 4, 1855 - ?) was born in JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1880. He was appointed postmaster at EAST

PRAIRIE in 1897.

(N) *SALMON, NEVA ROWE* (December 18, 1889 - 1968) was the daughter of DR. JOHN M. and JULIA RUSSELL ROWE. She was married in February of 1913. She was survived by one daughter, MRS. C. O. RAINE, and one sister, MRS. F. D. LAIR, SR.

(N) *SCHUH, FRANK G.* (April 1856 - December 10, 1897) was born in CAIRO, ILLINOIS and moved to CHARLESTON in 1886 and opened a bakery. He married CLARA JECKO. Three boys and two girls survived him.

(N) *SCOTT, JAMES ERNEST* (January 1, 1893 - November 11, 1973) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, the son of WILLIAM J. and BELL SHELBY SCOTT. He married ORA C. COBB and after her death in 1962, he married the former EDNA DIENER, who survived him. He was also survived by a son, JAMES M. SCOTT. He was mayor of EAST PRAIRIE when the first water and sewer systems were installed. He was elected SHERIFF of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1940 and served in that position until he retired in 1959.

(N) *SCULLY, F. M.* (? - July 1903) was the father of MARK SCULLY.

(N) *SHELBY, ELBERT* (October 1, 1865 - June 14, 1925) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. On June 1, 1887, he married JOSEPHINE DELINE and they had four children, all of whom survived him; J. LOREN SHELBY, DR. M. H. SHELBY, MRS. MOORE SWANK and MISS ISABEL SHELBY.

(N) *SHELBY, JACOB LOREN "JULY"* (1889? - January 1972) was married to GRACE LEE on March 22, 1916. He was survived by his wife, one son, CHARLES ELBERT SHELBY, and one daughter, MRS. ART WILIOTT. He was city judge of CHARLESTON for seventeen years.

(N) *SHELBY, GEORGE U.* (July 13, 1892 - September 18, 1970) was the son of ISOM CLAY and ELIZABETH C. BARTLETT SHELBY. In March of 1913 he married JUANITA MARTIN who died January 3, 1957. On June 25, 1959, he married MRS. JUDITH WILKINSON BROWN. He was a prominent land owner, cotton ginner and grain dealer. He was survived by his wife, four daughters, MRS. GRINSTEAD BREWER, MRS. JAMES THURMOND, MRS. JOHN DER-NONCOURT, MRS. SAMUEL LOWREY, and a son, GEORGE U. SHELBY, JR.

(N) *SHELBY, JOHN D.* (September 4, 1851 - December 28, 1930) was POLICE JUDGE and JUSTICE OF THE PEACE for fifteen years prior to his death. He was survived by his wife and the following children: MRS. MONCY COLLINS, MISS JASMINE SHELBY, MRS. MABEL DUDLEY, MRS. MARY FARMER, MISS JEAN SHELBY, JOHN and HARDY.

(N) *SHELBY, MRS. JOSEPHINE* (November 23, 1854 -

December 19, 1897) married W. H. SHELBY and had five children.

SHEPPARD FAMILY

ISAAC SHEPPARD was born around 1775 and died around 1839 in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI. He came from NORTH CAROLINA in 1807. He was first married to MARGARET COX who was born around 1775 and died in 1822 in CAPE GIRARDEAU COUNTY. She was the daughter of WILLIAM COX, SR. The children of ISAAC and MARGARET SHEPPARD were: ELISHA (1791 - 1858) who married MALINDA BLOUNT; WILLIAM (1793 - 1844) who married DORCAS A. C. SHEPPARD; JOHN (1796 - 1866) who married ELIZABETH GREEN; a daughter (name unknown) who married JOHN GLASSCOCK; a daughter (name unknown) who married a MR. MASSEY; JESSE C. (- 1848) who married MRS. NANCY WILKERSON; DORCAS L. (1808 - 1867) who married JOHN H. SHEPPARD; MARGARET who married JOHN DUNCAN; MONICA E. (1811 - 1856) who married JABEZ CLARKSON; MENICE J. who married JOHN C. THOMAS; SURRELL; FRANK ALLEN JONES; and SOPHIA ELIZABETH. ISAAC SHEPPARD was married next to MARY LAMBERT on June 9, 1825, in UNION COUNTY, ILLINOIS. There is no record of children born to this union.

JOHN H. SHEPPARD, JR. (1801 - 1866) was the son of JOHN SHEPPARD, SR. and grandson of WILLIAM and JEMINAH JOHNSON SHEPPARD. WILLIAM died in ANSON COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA in 1801. JOHN H. SHEPPARD, JR.'s first wife was POLLY RENFROE (1803 - 1830). Their children were: BURRELL C. (1821 - 1871); MARTHA ANN (1823 - 1868) who married JOHN D. KENNEDY; HANNAH ADELINE (1827 - 1886) who married first HARRISON S. THOMPSON and second JOHN HARNESS. They were all born in CAPE GIRARDEAU COUNTY, MISSOURI. JOHN H. SHEPPARD, JR.'s second wife was DORCAS SHEPPARD, daughter of ISAAC SHEPPARD, and their children were: MARGARET S. (1832 - 1846); ISAAC JUDSON (1835 - 1862); CHARLOTTE (1837 - 1927) who married JOSIAH C. TRAYLOR; (CHARLOTTE joined the BAPTIST CHURCH in CHARLESTON and was baptized in HENSON LAKE in 1854) WILLIAM (1839 - 1870); JOHN (1841 - 1844); HAYWOOD (1844 - 1880) who married VIRGINIA A. LOUDERMILK; JAMES POLK (1846 - 1915) who married MARY FRANCES LOUDERMILK; MARY A. (1849 - 1849); LAURA (1850 - 1888) who married WILLIAM BENJAMIN MILBY. ALL were born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. (Information supplied by Mrs. Harry Norman, Bloomfield, Missouri 63825.)

(N) *SHERMAN, DR. J. S.* (August 18, 1855 - December 27, 1881) was born about four miles from CHARLESTON. He went to the local public schools, then to the UNIVERSITY OF

MISSOURI where he graduated in the Scientific Department in 1876. He entered the medical department of the STATE UNIVERSITY and was valedictorian of his graduating class. He returned to CHARLESTON and became associated with DR. J. L. HAW for a year then entered JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE in PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA and graduated in 1880. He again became associated with DR. HAW. He never married and at the time of his death left a father, sister and brother.

(N) *SHERMAN, WILLIAM* (March 15, 1826 - September 13, 1895) was born in JEFFERSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, the son of CHARLES R. and JULIA A. (PORTER) SHERMAN, both of whom were natives of MARYLAND. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and in 1851 married SALLIE SMITH (? - 1860), daughter of JAMES SMITH.

(N) *SIGMON, JAMES K.* (? - December 1901).

(M) *SIMPSON, HARRY GUNTER* (January 14, 1899 - 1971) was born in CHARLESTON, MISSOURI. His father, JOSHUA BURTON SIMPSON, was born in SUTTY COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, July 4, 1868, and was a son of WILLIAM BURTON SIMPSON, who was born in VIRGINIA and served as a captain of NORTH CAROLINA troops in the CONFEDERATE ARMY.

HARRY GUNTER SIMPSON attended the high school of CHARLESTON and was graduated with the BACHELOR OF ARTS degree from the UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI and taught school in CHARLESTON. In 1921 he became connected with the oil business as a filling station attendant but was soon made a salesman. In 1923 he organized the SIMPSON OIL CO. OF CHARLESTON, starting with a small bulk plant and one truck, and by 1943 had fourteen bulk plants and one hundred retail outlets. He had his own barge line, operating under the name of the SIMPSON TOWING COMPANY, and one river terminal at NEW MADRID and one at SULPHUS SPRINGS, MISSOURI. His sales district, both wholesale and retail, covered ST. LOUIS, ST. LOUIS COUNTY, JEFFERSON COUNTY and WASHINGTON COUNTY in MISSOURI and adjacent territory in western ILLINOIS, KENTUCKY and as far south as MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE. On the 26th of December, 1922, MR. SIMPSON married MISS GLADYS DANIELSON, of KANSAS CITY. She was a graduate of LINDENWOOD and the UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI. MR. and MRS. SIMPSON had one son, HARRY G. JR., who attended CHARLESTON HIGH SCHOOL and in 1942 completed the course at the SHATTUCK MILITARY and PREPARATORY SCHOOL at FARIBAULT, MINNESOTA. He then attended the UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI. HARRY G. JR. died in 1968. Mary Lee Simpson, a sister of Harry G. Sr., still resides in Charleston.

(N) *SIMPSON, DR. ABSALOM* (April 27, 1829 - July 23, 1904) was born in BUTLER COUNTY, KENTUCKY. In 1854 he entered the medical department of the UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE and graduated in 1856. He came to CHARLESTON in 1858 where he practiced medicine for forty-six years. In 1869 he went into the mercantile business. His first wife was ARABELLA LEE who died in 1860 and left one child, WILLIAM L. SIMPSON. In 1861 he married MRS. REBECCA (SWANK) MCFARLAND. Of this marriage there were six children; JOHN L., MRS. EFFIE RANDOLPH, HENRY L., MRS. F. J. WILKINSON, CORA G. and ALBERT D. He was survived by his wife and children.

JOHN L. had five children, LILA SIMPSON SNOW, LAWRENCE, CHARLES, JOHN and HALLIE WEST.

HENRY L. had a daughter, DAISY QUINN BAUERLE.

(N) *SIMPSON, A. D.* (March 17, 1876 - 1949) was the son of DR. and MRS. A. E. SIMPSON. He married MARY LYNCH _____ (May 1, 1889 - June 14, 1971) on June 23, 1909. In 1927 he became superintendent of the public schools of CHARLESTON and continued until 1947. MRS. SIMPSON was the daughter of DR. J. W. and MARTHA ELLEN CLACK LYNCH and was born in CHARLESTON. He was survived by his wife and two daughters, MARY ELLEN (MRS. CLIFTON BANTA) and CATHERINE JANE (MRS. JESSE FARMER) and one sister MRS. F. J. WILKINSON.

(N) *SIMPSON, JOHN L.* (November 26, 1861 - February 13, 1939) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, the son of DR. and MRS. A. E. SIMPSON. He was survived by three sons and a daughter; LAWRENCE, JOHN, CHARLES, and MRS. JEWELL WEST. MRS. THAD SNOW preceded him in death.

(N) *SIMPSON, LAWRENCE A.* (February 1889 - 1966) was the son of JOHN and FRANCES SIMPSON. He was survived by his wife, VERA, two brothers and a sister.

(N) *SLACK, RANDOLPH* (? - March 10, 1881) died at WOLF ISLAND. He was a long time resident of that area.

(N) *SLACK, MRS. VICTORIA* (? - February 21, 1880) was the wife of SILAS D. SLACK.

(N) *SLAGLE, JENNIE* (November 11, 1857 - 1915?) first married TAYLOR CLARKSON and later J. A. SLAGLE.

(N) *SMALL, MRS. LYCURGUS* (? - August 7, 1879) was the daughter of GEORGE WEAKLEY.

(N) *SMITH, DR. ALFRED FRANKLIN* (March 28, 1869 - March 7, 1962) was born near BERTRAND, the son of JAMES WASHINGTON and ALBERTA ENGLISH SMITH. He was an outstanding preacher of the SOUTHERN METHODIST CHURCH and later became editor of the CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE of the METHODIST CHURCH SOUTH in ST. LOUIS. He was married twice and had two daughters,

HORTENSE KIDDER and MILDRED LOUD, by his first wife. His second wife was SUSAN ELIZABETH BYRD (November 11, 1871 - July 11, 1955), the daughter of THOMAS HAYWOOD and MARY ELIZABETH (MOORE) BYRD.

(N) SMITH, DAVID ENGLISH (January 29, 1889 - May 5, 1944) was born at FAYETTE, MISSOURI, the son of JAMES WASHINGTON SMITH of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and ALBERTA ENGLISH SMITH. He served in the medical corp all during World War I. He was a resident physician in Charleston before moving to BONNE TERRE around 1924. He was survived by his wife, the former MYRTLE GOODIN, and two sons, DAVID ENGLISH SMITH, JR., ALBERT GOODIN SMITH, and one daughter, MARY ANN.

(N) SMITH, JAMES, SR. "UNCLE JIMMIE" (April 2, 1808 - October 25, 1902) was the oldest resident of the county at the time of his death and his home was used as the first METHODIST CHURCH in MATHEW'S PRAIRIE. On February 9, 1832, he married ELIZABETH SWANK. On March 22, 1849, he married ELIZABETH ANN MOORE (January 14, 1826 - May 10, 1923), a daughter of CHARLES and ELIZABETH (CHALFANT) MOORE. He was survived by his second wife and children, S. S. SMITH, JAMES W. SMITH and MRS. BETTIE BRIDWELL.

(N) SMITH, J. WASHINGTON (April 27, 1842 - 1910) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. On November 15, 1866, he married ALBERTA ENGLISH (1848 - 1913). Their children were: LILIE MAE; ALFRED FRANKLIN; STERLING PRICE; ARTHUR BEVERLY; MILDRED ELIZABETH; SUSAN ALICE; JAMES SIALS; MARY ALBERTA who married MOORE HAW; ELLA; WOODSON PARROTT; DAVID ENGLISH who married MYRTLE GOODIN; and ETHEL LEMAR.

SMITH, SILAS S. (1833 - June 25, 1933) was a native of HARDIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, and came to CHARLESTON with his family at the age of five. He married MARY ANN HAW (1834 - 1862) and they had no children. He then married COLUMBIA CLARK and their children were JAMES, ELLA and BETTY. He was married a third time to JENNIE SMITH and their children were FANNIE, MARY, JOSEPH BRIDWELL, and ALBERT WALKER. He farmed until 1880 when he moved to FARMINGTON and then to CAPE GIRARDEAU in 1906. He was ninety-nine at the time of his death and had expressed the desire to pass the century mark, which he missed by five months.

(N) SMITH, STELLA (? - May 21, 1922) was the owner of ENTERPRISE-COURIER at the time of her death. She was survived by her husband E. H. SMITH and two sons, E. HAROLD and ROYLAND, and two daughters, MRS. BEN MOORE and MISS LOIS SMITH.

(N) *SMITH, WOODSON* (September 7, 1886 - February 11, 1936) was born at FARMINGTON and came to CHARLESTON around 1901. For several years he was ditch supervisor of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. In 1917 he married AGNES ISHMAEL and they had two sons, WOODSON P. SMITH, JR. and DAVID VERNON SMITH.

(N) *SNOW, THAD* (November 1, 1881 - January 15, 1955) was born at GREENFIELD, INDIANA and in 1904 married BESS JACKSON. They had two children, HAL and PRISCILLA. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1910 after the death of his wife and married LILA SIMPSON (December 3, 1887 - May 17, 1937), daughter of MR. and MRS. J. L. SIMPSON. They had two daughters, FRANCES, who married BOB DELANEY and EMILY who married HARTWELL THOMPSON. He was a farmer, newspaper contributor, and author of the book "FROM MISSOURI". He later moved to VAN BUREN, MISSOURI where he was living at the time of his death.

(N) *STERETT, FRANK FOREST* (February 22, 1862 - 1946) was survived by three children; MRS. CORA STRICKLAND, MRS. ROY MILLER, and CLAUDE STERETT.

(N) *STEWART, JAMES CADE* (July 2, 1873 - April 5, 1933) was born in SMITHLAND, KENTUCKY, and came to CHARLESTON from ST. LOUIS around 1906 to engage in real estate. Prior to coming to CHARLESTON he was a captain of passenger boats on the MISSISSIPPI and TENNESSEE RIVERS. In 1902 he married GENEVIEVE ROLWING of THEBES, ILLINOIS, who died around 1928. Three daughters survived him.

(N) *STORY, A. W.* (April 10, 1858 - February 8, 1943) was born at STURGESS, KENTUCKY, and moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY around 1879. He was survived by one son, E. A. STORY, and one daughter, MRS. MAUDE FINLEY.

(N) *STORY, ERNEST A.* (July 27, 1891 - May 2, 1967) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and was married to the former MARY LOEBE, and they had three sons, ALBERT LOEBE STORY, now deceased, GEORGE G. STORY, and SAM E. STORY. He was president of STORY FARMS, INC., and was the second president of FIRST SECURITY STATE BANK, serving from 1949 to 1967. MR. STORY was elected to the CITY COUNCIL in the 1920's and served as mayor from 1929 to 1931.

(N) *STOTTS, FRANK* (? - February 21, 1896) died at SEDALIA, MISSOURI. He was the father of MARION, GEORGE, CHARLEY, and MRS. W. H. LUSK all of CHARLESTON.

(N) *STOTTS, FRANK M.* (June 8, 1885 - September 1940) was the son of MR. and MRS. FRANCIS MARCUS STOTTS. He was survived by his wife, LOUISE, and one daughter, MARY REID (MRS. DAVID DYER).

(N) *STOTTS, MRS. LILA IRWIN* (September 20, 1867 - August 9, 1894) was the wife of CHARLES A. STOTTS. They were married June 25, 1876.

(N) *SULLIVAN, MRS. CATHERINE* (1819? - May 29, 1881) was the mother of DAN SULLIVAN and MRS. H. C. STRAYER.

(N) *SUTHERLAND, FRANK R.* (1893? - November 27, 1950) was the assistant manager of the MCCUTCHEN THEATER and a lifelong resident of CHARLESTON.

SWANK, ABRAHAM VAN METER (1831 - 1872) married SUSAN MOORE (May 10, 1833 - February 16, 1918) and their children were: JULIA, CHARLEY, ELLA, EDGAR F., ALTHEA, JOE, BENJAMIN M., VERNON, and LILLIE.

SWANK, BENJAMIN J. (August 1866 - October 1950) married MAHALA MOSLEY in 1891 and their children were: CLYDE E. who married MARY WILKINSON; GLENN M. who married ESTELL MINOR; NOEL who married HALLIE REDMAN; RUEL J. who married EDNA BOUNDS; MARION who married CATHERINE SHELBY; MOORE C. who married JULIE KRIES; and BEN REID who married HELEN SLAGEL.

CLYDE E. who married MARY WILKINSON in November of 1916 had two children, MARIANNA and SALLIE LEE.

SWANK, JACOB (1776 - 1853) married ELIZABETH VAN METER (1780 - ?) and their children were: JOHN (1798 - ?), LETITIA (1799 - ?), JACOB (1804 - 1843), WILLIAM (1807 - ?), ELEANOR (1809 - ?), CATHERINE ANN (1812 - ?), ELIZABETH (1813 - 1841), SALLY (1816 - 1847), SILAS (1819 - ?), and DAVID (1823 - ?).

SWANK, JOHN (1798 - 1866) was born in HARDIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He married SALLY LEE (1803 - 1892) who was born in BULLITT COUNTY, KENTUCKY and their children were: ELIZABETH, WILLIAM PENN, LYDE, REBECCA, MARGARETA and CYRUS.

SWANK, SILAS (1819 - 1885) was first married to FANNY THOMPSON and their children were: JIM, MARY, WILLIAM B. and LIZZIE. In 1856 he married MRS. SARAH THOMPSON RANDALL (June 26, 1824 - August 7, 1901) and they had no children. "UNCLE SI" and "AUNT SARAH" lived in the BIG LAKE area.

(N) *SWINGLE, U.A.* (April 8, 1862 - September 14, 1941) was born in STEWARDSON, ILLINOIS, the son of SOLOMON and MARGARET SWINGLE. In 1889 he married CECELIA MAY MILLER. They moved to EAST PRAIRIE in 1906 to establish the E. P. MILLING COMPANY. His wife and two daughters, MRS. A. P. HALBROOK and MRS. J. H. NELSON survived him.

(N) *TARR, DR. G. H.* (1869 - ?) was born in MEADE

COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY when he was two years old. He was educated in CAPE GIRARDEAU, TUETOPULA COLLEGE in ILLINOIS and the UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE. He began practice in WOLF ISLAND, then LOUISVILLE and in 1908 back to BELMONT, MISSOURI. He married LEOTA FISHER in 1908.

(M) TAYLOR, DR. EDWARD LEE (January 15, 1915 - ?) spent his childhood and youth in CHARLESTON, MISSOURI, where he was graduated from high school. During that time he took a very active interest in BOY SCOUT work, being made an EAGLE SCOUT in 1930, with fifty-nine merit badges. He was associated with the CHARLESTON TROOP, the oldest BOY SCOUT troop in MISSOURI. He was born on a farm near VIENNA, ILLINOIS, a son of ERNEST EDWARD LEE and ANNA (HOWELL) TAYLOR. Ambitious to become a physician, he spent three years in the MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE, STATE COLLEGE and the UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE MEDICAL SCHOOL for his medical degree. He began his private practice at DYESS COLONY, ARKANSAS, and on October 20, 1939 he moved to STEELE, MISSOURI.

(N) THOMPSON, ELBERT W. (October 2, 1845 - September 1904 or 1905) was born in the TEXAS BEND community. On April 19, 1874, he married MARY JANE STRATTON (December 16, 1853 - April 5, 1941), the daughter of HARTWELL STRATTON. She was survived by four sons; HARTWELL, JULIAN, FRANK and CLAUDE, and four daughters; MRS. EMMA WHITE, MRS. L. C. LESLIE, MRS. ED MARSHALL and MRS. GARNETT WAGGENER.

(N) THOMPSON, MRS. MARTHA A. (nee BRADLEY) (April 7, 1829 - March 23, 1903) was born in CHRISTIAN COUNTY, KENTUCKY. At the age of thirteen she married D. W. THOMPSON. They had three children, ELOISE who died in infancy, the late MRS. JAMES MARTIN, and MRS. W. P. HOWLE of CHARLESTON.

(N) THROWER, HENRY J. (March 20, 1854 - July 28, 1906) was born near MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE, a son of REESE and NANCY THROWER. He came to MISSOURI at the age of twelve. He was first married to LUCINDA LITTLE and then to JOSEPHINE IRBY. To this union were born seven children, four of whom survived him, WILLIAM, VERGIL, BENNIE, and CLAIRE.

(N) TIDROW, MRS. CHARLES H. (1839? - July 29, 1879) died at BERTRAND.

(N) TRAVIS, DR. JACKSON L. (November 6, 1824 - January 18, 1881) died at his residence on BRATCHER'S LAKE, MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He was born in NORTH CAROLINA and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1853 and located at LUCAS' BEND. He was the oldest practitioner of medicine in the county at the time of his death.

(N) *TRAVIS, MARGARET* (January 14, 1862 - November 1940) was born in NEW ORLEANS but spent practically her entire life in CHARLESTON. She married JAMES TRAVIS who died in 1923. She was the only sister of JOE and SIMON LOEBE.

(N) *TRICKEY, CHARLES R.* (December 29, 1866 - June 1954) was born at NEELY'S LANDING in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, the son of THOMAS and ELIZABETH GRAMMAR TRICKEY. He moved to CHARLESTON in 1896 and in 1903 formed a partnership with BEN BREWER in the druggist business. On October 15, 1904, he married EMMA MULFORD (August 15, 1881 - July 4, 1948), daughter of MR. and MRS. MULFORD.

(N) *TYLER, FREDERICK W.* came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1890 as a farm laborer and in a few years owned 780 acres and all of BREWER'S LAKE. His wife died in 1892.

(N) *VAN LEAR, GEORGE W.* (August 12, 1858 - October 1938) married JESSIE FRANK who preceded him in death in 1922. He was survived by one daughter, MRS. EMORY MATTHEWS.

(N) *VERNON, DR. TINSLEY* (October 17, 1836 - January 25, 1884) came to CHARLESTON at an early age from HARDIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY. He studied medicine with DR. B. J. MOORE and attended ST. LOUIS MEDICAL COLLEGE in the fall and winter of 1859-60. During the CIVIL WAR he served with the medical department. At the close of the war he returned to CHARLESTON and made his home with his brother-in-law, DR. J. L. HAW. In 1870 he married MARY M. STOTTS of SEDALIA, MISSOURI, who died in 1879. They had two children. In 1881 he married MARY E. ANDERSON of COMMERCE. They had a daughter, MARY.

DR. FRANK STOTTS VERNON (May 24, 1871 - July 1947), son of TINSLEY and MARY STOTTS VERNON graduated from the COLLEGE OF MEDICINE, WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY at ST. LOUIS and practiced in CHARLESTON for fifty-four years. He was survived by his wife, ELLA, and one daughter, MRS. PAUL HUMMEL.

(RN) *WARD, COLONEL MESSER* (1837? - 1884) was born in KENTUCKY, the son of a farmer. After a preliminary course of reading the law he entered LOUISVILLE LAW SCHOOL and graduated with high honor. He then permanently located at CHARLESTON, MISSOURI, and began an active practice of his profession. When the war came he took the side of the SOUTH and joined the command of GEN. JEFF. THOMPSON, and soon became a colonel. He went through the entire war and when peace was made returned to his home in CHARLESTON and resumed his profession. He devoted himself to the cause of education in the county and was one of those instrumental in erecting the CHARLESTON ACADEMY. He was

elected president of the MISSISSIPPI-MECHANICAL and AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION. He was a candidate for CONGRESS in 1874 but was defeated because he would not support HORACE GREELEY for president. He married VIRGINIA RANDOL who died in CHARLESTON on February 13, 1881. VIRGINIA STREET was named for her. Their children were: MOLLY, who married ED. SHERMAN; MRS. HARRY HUMBY and GERTIE who never married. He is buried in OAK GROVE CEMETERY.

(N) *WEAKLEY, MRS. GEORGE* (1814? - August 7, 1879).

(N) *WELKER, MYRTLE* (October 30, 1888 - October 1926) was the daughter of MILES I. and SUE HOWLETT. She was born in CHARLESTON. She married WEB A. WELKER in 1911 and they had one daughter.

(R) *WHITCOMB, GEORGE* (October 1815 - July 10, 1872) was born in the state of MASSACHUSETTS, and received a fair education, and from early boyhood, had a great desire to read and study. His tastes were in the line of the law, but he was prevented by various circumstances from completing a regular legal course. He left MASSACHUSETTS in the year 1837 and came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. He located at a point on the MISSISSIPPI RIVER now the site of the town of BELMONT, and began to keep a ferry. He had gained a fair knowledge of law, and did some legal practice in the neighboring justice courts. On the organization of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, the COUNTY CLERK, GEORGE S. CRAVENS, appointed MR. WHITCOMB his deputy. He served in the capacity until 1847, when he was elected to succeed CRAVENS as COUNTY and CIRCUIT CLERK. This office he held until January, 1867, a period of twenty years. He was succeeded by J. H. BETHUNE, who had been DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK since 1858. He was a strong worker in behalf of the first railroad ever built through the country, and it was largely through his wisdom, that it was constructed on such favorable conditions. He was an active member of the MASONIC fraternity, and in the year 1862, was elected GRAND MASTER of the GRAND LODGE of MISSOURI. He died at the residence of J. H. BETHUNE, in CHARLESTON, and he had accumulated a large amount of property, being at his death the owner of not less than 15,000 acres of land. He left \$4,000 to a faithful colored boy, who had waited on him during the latter part of his life, and after some minor bequests, willed that the remainder of his property should be equally divided between the daughter of J. H. BETHUNE, and the son of J. G. WHITCOMB, of INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA.

(D) *WHITTEN, WILLIAM H.* (1870 - ?) was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY, MISSOURI, in 1870. His parents were both natives of ILLINOIS, where his mother died when WILLIAM was very young, and his father's death occurred in

August, 1900. He was brought up by his grandfather and an uncle, both of whom lived in southern ILLINOIS. In 1889 he married MISS ROSY GADAR.

(N) *WIGDOR, M. H.* (? - December 14, 1942) was born in LITHUANIA and came to CHARLESTON around 1890. He was the father of JULIUS WIGDOR.

(N) *WILKINSON, FERDINAND JACK* (January 13, 1863 - April 17, 1945) was the son of BAILY and JUDITH ANN WILKINSON and was educated in KENTUCKY, but some time later moved to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY. In January of 1892 he married ANNIE LAURIE SIMPSON (February 14, 1871 - June 1953), daughter of DR. ABSALOM SIMPSON. They had five children; ALBERT B., FERDINAND JACK, JR., JUDITH (MRS. E. RILEY BROWN, SR.) and MARY (MRS. CLYDE SWANK).

(N) *WILLIAMS, SILAS "UNCLE SI"* (November 20, 1841 - December 16, 1944) was the oldest citizen of MISSISSIPPI COUNTY in 1944. He was born in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY on the MOORE PLANTATION and was given to MRS. ELLA H. MOORE as a wedding present by her father. After the CIVIL WAR when he was given his freedom, the MOORE family gave him a small house.

(N) *WILSON, JOSEPH T.* (1850 - February 1897) came to MISSISSIPPI COUNTY around 1874 and in 1875 was admitted to the bar. He was CITY ATTORNEY of CHARLESTON for one year. He was born in SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI. In April of 1877 he married EMMA KENRICK.

(N) *WYATT, WILLIAM M.* (1853? - December 14, 1928) was born near WYATT and the town was later named for him. He was survived by his wife, two daughters, ALFA and ROSA LEE, and two sons, GEORGE and WILLIAM A.

(D) *YOUNG, JOHN A.* (1872 - ?) was the son of JOHN WILLIAM YOUNG, born in WOODBURY, KENTUCKY, in 1843 and SOPHRONIA ORANGE YOUNG born in BUTLER COUNTY, KENTUCKY in 1849. They had several children, namely: GUY; ANNIE (MRS. EUGENE LASSITER); MAUD (MRS. CLAUDE BOWMAN); CARR; MAGGIE (MRS. A. T. LANGSTON); ALPHIA; TULIA; CLYDE; and WILLIE who married PARHAM STONE and lived at DIEHLSTADT.

MR. and MRS. JOHN WILLIAM YOUNG left KENTUCKY in 1875, settling first in MILLERSVILLE, MISSOURI. Here JOHN W. YOUNG ran a blacksmith shop for fourteen years and also had a wagon works. He moved to BERTRAND, MISSOURI, in 1889 and continued the same occupation there.

Until JOHN A. YOUNG was eighteen he assisted his father in the blacksmith shop. He was three years old when his parents came to MISSOURI, so he obtained his education and experience in MISSOURI. From the age of eighteen until he was twenty-one, he clerked in a general store at BERTRAND. Here

he was married on May 18, 1893 to LILLIE BUSH, born May 10, 1874, in BERTRAND. For three years after his marriage JOHN A. YOUNG conducted a drug store in BERTRAND, of which he was the proprietor. He gave this up to accept a position as traveling salesman for the MCCORMICK HARVESTER COMPANY. After seven years of working for this corporation he moved to SIKESTON, MISSOURI. Their first child was HARRY C. YOUNG, born March 15, 1895.

ZOOK FAMILY

ALEXANDER CAMPBELL ZOOK (1849 - 1912) was born in KENTUCKY and died in MISSISSIPPI COUNTY and was the son of JACOB ZOOK. He married ANNIE CAROLINE DOUGHTY (1855 - 1942), daughter of ISAAC WALLACE DOUGHTY. Their children were: MARGARET REBECCA (1871 -); JACOB WALLACE (1872 - 1958) who married SARAH FRANCES PRIEST; GEORGE W. (1874 -); BERTIE A. (1876 -); ORVILLE OLIVER (1881 -); BOMER E. (1886 - 1953); OTIS A. (1896 - 1966); GEORGE L. (1883 - 1889); ESTHER; and THOMAS B. (1879 -).

JACOB WALLACE ZOOK (1872 - 1958) married SARAH PRIEST (1872 - 1959) daughter of JOHN WESLEY PRIEST of MAURY COUNTY, TENNESSEE. Their children were: CHESSIE B. (1892 -) who married HARRY ISHMAEL; BERTHA MAY (1894 - 1973) who first married JAMES GORDON KENNEDY and second EARL JACOB KENNEDY; LESSIE D. (1897 - 1935) who married BERTIE JACKSON; WILLIE WALLACE (1899 -); JULIAN ALEXANDER (1907 -); HETTIE MABEL (1902 -) who married REINHOLD MARTEN; and ELMO born in 1912 and who died young. (Information supplied by Mrs. Harry Norman, Bloomfield, Missouri, 63825.)

Biographies to be found in Goodspeed's History of Southeast Missouri.

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| Alexander, Scott | Forgey, James G. | Presson, Rev. James J. |
| Allstun, L. H. | French, Andrew J. | Price, Hiram |
| Armer, George W. | Fugate, James | Raidt, Basil M. |
| Armer, Noah W. | Goodin, Jacob S. | Randolph, William N. |
| Baker, David | Goodin, Franklin S. | Reeves, William H. |
| Baker, Frank | Goodin, Oliver M. | Rice, Frank B. |
| Beckwith, Thomas | Gray, James O. | Roberts, William T. |
| Bibb, Capt. James B. | Green, James S. | Rodney, William |
| Bird, Thompson | Greer, James A. | Rolwing, George |
| Bird, Stephen | Greer, Martin Luther | Rowe, Dr. John M. |
| Bird, John A. | Greer, John L. | Rushing, John |
| Bogard, A. C. | Griggs, Nathan M. | Rushing, Alfred J. |
| Bondurant, Dr. A. A. | Grinstead, Dr. W. F. | Rusk, David |
| Bradley, Elijah F. | Hainsworth, Rev. Henry | Russell, Joseph G. |
| Brewer, Nelson D. | Hainley, Jacob | Russell, James W. |
| Bridges, George H. | Hall, Alfred L. | Russell, Hon. Joseph J. |
| Brown, Francis M. | Harper, James W. | Shelley, Joseph R. |
| Brown, Judge James M. | Harper, William L. | Sherman, William |
| Bryant, Morgan W. | Harris, William M. | Sherman, Henry E. |
| Bryant, George A. | Heggie, John T. | Simpson, Dr. A. E. |
| Burns, George C. | Hess, Ferdinand J. | Slack, Charles M. |
| Bush, James L. | Howlett, John L. | Slack, William R. |
| Chapman, Willis M. | Hubbard, Charles J. | Slack, Loyd F. |
| Clayton, Solomon S. | Huff, Benjamin | Smith, James |
| Clarkson, James | Humphreys, William W. | Smith, Isaac N. |
| Clarkson, Isaac T. | Hurst, Charles F. | Smith, John W. |
| Coleman, Dr. Thomas J. | Jenkinson, Joseph H. | Smith, James B. |
| Coleman, Archibald D. | Jordan, Frank A. | Stratton, Dr. Hartwell |
| Collier, William | Kenrick, George W. | Strickland, Newton T. |
| Crenshaw, Joseph | Langsdale, Robert | Swank, William B. |
| Crenshaw, I. Albert | Lee, James A. | Tetwiler, S. G. |
| Crosswhaite, Francis M. | Lett, John | Thompson, William K. |
| Daley, Mrs. Frances M. | Lindsay, J. W. | Thompson, Elbert W. |
| Dalton, Thomas J. | Love, William | Thurman, John B. |
| Danforth, L. W. | Lynn, John F. | Travis, Dr. Jackson L. |
| Danforth, A. H. | McElmurry, Judge | Turley, Robert |
| Davis, Robert N. | Thomas S. | Vogley, Frederick A. |
| Davis, John T. | McElmurry, Absalom | Vowels, Robert |
| Dawson, John T. | Marshall, William T. | Waide, Col. Robert |
| Duncan, Robert W. | Martin, Dr. S. P. | Watkins, Joseph F. |
| Deal, Col. H. J. | Martin, Joseph F. | White, Jesse K. |
| Deal, Edwin P. | Martin, George W. | White, Benjamin C. |
| Deal, Edwin J. | Millar, Mrs. Fannie M. | Whitsell, James W. |
| Dever, John P. | Millar, John A. | Wilson, Dr. George W. |
| Farris, John C. | Mitchener, John N. | Yates, Haston |
| Forbs, Thomas B. | Ogilvie, Elijah, W. | |

APPENDIX D

COUNTY AND CITY OFFICIALS

This information was gathered from city and county minute books, the Official Manual of Missouri, and newspapers. Undoubtedly some of the dates are not exact and some officers for certain years are missing because they were not listed in the sources mentioned. The lists do, however, help to show those who served in county and city offices and who thus contributed to the history of Mississippi County. No records were available for East Prairie city officials.

Judges of the County Court

William Sayres	1845-46	William A. Rice	1862-65
Absalom McElmurry	1845-47	S. R. Allen	1862-65
James M. Overton	1845-47	A. E. Simpson	1863-65
Solomon W. Henson	1846-50	William F. Lee	1865-66
Noah Handy	1840-54	Barnard Banke	1865-58
W. G. Cooley	1847-50	Benjamin M. Dukes	1865-66
H. W. Molder	1850-54	Thomas S. McElmurry	1866-70
J. B. S. Hays	1850-54	James H. Naive	1866-72
William B. Bush	1854-58	A. E. Simpson	1868-69
Felix G. Harrison	1854-58	Benjamin M. Dukes	1869-70
Thomas S. McElmurry	1858-62	James M. Brown	1870-78
J. L. Shelby	1858-60	A. M. Holloway	1870-78
John A. Gardner	1860-62	William L. Shelby	1872-77
William Stratton	1862-63	J. M. Ringo	1877-80
Silas S. Smith	1878-80	Lewis W. Danforth	1907-14
William T. Marshall	1878-86	Tennessee Jackson	1907-12
Jacob S. Goodin	1880-94	David F. Lee	1906-10
Frank A. Jordan	1880-84	Elgin C. Davis	1911-14
George W. Hudson	1884-85	L. B. Presson	1913-22
M. V. Rodney	1885-86	John L. Vaughn	1915-22
William H. Lusk	1886-88	George W. Langsdale	1915-18
Ferd J. Hess	1886-88	L. D. Miller	1919-20
Robert Langsdale	1889-90	Lee Presson	1921-22
John C. Faris	1889-90	Hugh McPheeters	1923-28
William P. Swank	1891-93	A. C. Drinkwater	1923-28
Hal S. Henderson	1891-92	W. R. Hollick	1923-28
Robert A. Barry	1893-96	William C. Bryant	1929-30
Lewis W. Danforth	1895-98	Frank F. Sterrett	1929-32
Frank A. Hatton	1895-1900	William J. Melton	1929-30
William H. Reeves	1897-98	E. G. Gilmore	1931-34
J. W. Downing	1899-1900	Robert L. Fowlkes	1933-34
William T. Marshall	1899-1902	John S. Clevidence	1933-34
Joseph R. Bush	1901-02	William J. Melton	1935-46
Robert F. Davidson	1901-02	J. O. Bebout	1935-36
John A. Bird	1903-06	Edward Johnson	1935-40
Tennessee Jackson	1903-04	H. D. Sutherland	1937-38
John F. Lyon	1903-04	Karl W. Marshall	1939-46
Henry J. Thrower	1905-06	W. C. Bryant	1941-46
J. R. Oliver	1905-06	Miles T. Lee	1947-58
A. J. Drinkwater, Jr.	1947-54	W. H. Winchester, Jr.	1961-

Frank Johnson	1947-50	Richard Burke	1961-64
Wendell Choate	1951-56	W. C. Bryant	1961-64
W. H. Rolwing	1955-58	Gilbert Bryant	1965-70
Clifford E. Vowels	1957-58	Lloyd Hall	1965-
Woodrow J. Simmons	1959-60	Lindsay Hurley	1971-
Robert Wyman Beasley	1959-60	Harry B. Russell	1971-72
Clint Hutcheson	1959-60		

Circuit Judges

John D. Cook	1845-49	inclusive
Harrison Hough	1850-61	

No circuit court was held from May 24, 1861 to November 17, 1862 because of the Civil War.

Mason Grizzell	1862-65	James A. Finch	(appointed Oct. 3, 1912 - November 18, 1912)
Albert Jackson	1866-68	Frank Kelly	1913-40
David L. Hawkins	1869-80	James C. McDowell	1941-47
John D. Foster	1881-1886	L. D. Joslyn	1948-49
Harry C. O'Bryan	1887-92	R. B. Oliver III	1949-50
Henry C. Riley	1893-1910	D. W. Gilmore	1951-54
Charles B. Farris	1911-	Marshall Craig	1955-
to fall of 1912 when Judge Faris was elected to the Supreme Court and resigned as Circuit Judge.			

Probate Judges

James M. Brown	1880-86	George W. Kirk	1925-26
N. J. Ogilvie	1887- ?	Charles R. Love	1927-30
John T. Heggie	1893-94	Seth R. Rowe	1931-32
W. Clark Russell	1895-1904	Ben B. Guthrie	1933-46
Charles R. Love	1905-10	Thomas B. Russell	1947-52
John F. Martin	1911-18	J. Moore Haw	1953-58
J. M. Haw (appointed)	1919-20	Charles Franklin Reeves	1959-62
Lester S. Cain	1921-22	Tom J. Brown, Jr.	1963-
J. B. Sanders	1923-24		

Circuit Clerk and Recorder

Up to 1887 the offices of clerk of the county court, clerk of the circuit court and recorder were combined. In 1887 I. T. Clarkson was elected clerk of the circuit court and ex-officio recorder and the offices remained as such until 1942 at which time the office of recorder was created by reason of the county reaching a population of over 20,000.

George L. Cravens	1845-47	Charles E. Kirkpatrick	1911-18
George Whitcomb	1848-66	F. T. Clarkson	1919-22
J. H. Bethune	1867-82	Oscar I. Oliver	1923-30
William A. Bush	1883-86	Ellis W. Howlett	1931-50
Isaac T. Clarkson	1887-98	Oliver F. Goodin	1951-54
Mark A. Drane	1899-1910	Ellis W. Howlett	1955-

Clerk of the County Court

John Heggie	1886-90	George H. Bridges	1891-94
Enoch D. Bell	1895-98	Ben B. Guthrie	1915-26
John T. Heggie	1899-1906	Thomas W. Gwaltney	1927-34
M. A. Drane	1907-08	E. B. Hearnes	1935-38

Clarence M. Davis	1909-14	Woodrow J. Simmons	1939-54
		Arthur Lee Goodin	1955-

County Prosecuting Attorney

Prior to the year 1871 there appears no record of a Prosecuting Attorney.

George N. Hatcher	1871-74	William G. Lee	1893-94
Morris F. Taylor	1875-77	George S. Elliott	1895-96
Joseph T. Wilson	1878-80	William G. Lee	1897-1900
Joseph J. Russell	1881-84	Charles R. Love	1901-04
George S. Elliott	1885-92	Otis W. Joslyn	1905-08

O. W. Joslyn resigned during the summer of 1908 and J. M. Haw was appointed and served the remainder of 1908 and then took office as the elected prosecuting attorney in 1909.

James Moore Haw	1909-14	William G. Lee	1929-30
Claud S. Hale	1915-16	Frank K. Ashby	1931-34
Frank K. Ashby	1917-18	James Haw	1935-38
J. C. McDowell	1919-24	George B. Bridges	1939-40
Lester S. Cain	1925-28		

George B. Bridges was killed in an automobile accident on October 14, 1940 and L. Danforth Joslyn was appointed for the remainder of 1940.

Marshall Craig	1941-44
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Marshall Craig was inducted into the army on March 31, 1944, and J. M. Haw was appointed by him as acting prosecuting attorney and served until January 1, 1945, at which time T. B. Russell was appointed.

Tom B. Russell	1945-48	Roderic R. Ashby	1957-70
Roderic R. Ashby	1949-54	W. Clifton Banta, Jr.	1971-
Frank Reeves	1955-56		

Sheriff

The offices of Sheriff and Collector were consolidated as one office until the year 1872, at which time they were separated. They were again consolidated in 1878, but in 1886 they were again separated. Some of the following sheriffs were also collectors.

Joseph Dyson	1845-46	Samuel Ogilvie	1879-82
J. D. R. James	1847-48	William M. Harris	1883-84
John Barker	1849-51	Benjamin Huff	1885-88
Jonathan Mills	1852-55	Joshua Beauchamp	1889-90
William F. Myrick	1856-61	Charles A. Goodin	1891-92
No court was held from May 24, 1861 to November 17, 1862, during the Civil War.		Joseph F. Martin	1893-96
Charles Atcher	1862-64	George W. Ashby	1897-1900
L. W. Pritchett	1865-66	John D. Shelby	1901-04
Jacob L. Shelby	1867-68	Clarence S. DeField	1905-06
George W. Jackson	1869-71	George W. Cupp	1907-12
William P. Swank	1872-76	J. O. King	1913-16
Bird Fugate	1877-78	Howell B. King	1917-20
Jesse J. Jackson	1929-32	C. D. Jackson	1921-24
James O. King	1933-36	J. O. King	1925-28
		Walter R. Beck	1945-48
		J. Ernest Scott	1949-60

Walter R. Beck 1937-40
J. Ernest Scott 1941-44

Woodrow J. Simmons 1961-

County Collector

L. W. Danforth 1872-74
Samuel Ogilvie 1875-82
William A. Fletcher 1883- ?
William M. Harris ? -86
Miles T. Lee 1887-90
E. W. Ogilvie 1891-92
Francis M. Stotts 1893-98
Edwin P. Deal 1899-1902
George W. Ashby 1903-06

Henry S. Cochran 1907-14
Roy D. Strickland 1915-18
Mrs. Cora Strickland 1919-20
(Appointed)
William A. Wyatt 1921-30
Walter L. Lee 1931-34
E. G. Gilmore 1935-42
W. Moray Gaty 1943-50
Carl E. Wyatt 1951-

County Assessor

David McElmurry 1845-46
Charles F. Keesee 1846-47
George Whitcomb 1847-48
John R. Roberts 1849-50
H. G. Cummings 1851-52
James W. Lee 1853-54
William F. Myrick 1845-55
Thomas P. Chambers 1856-57
George H. Bridges 1887-90
Henry A. Walton 1891-92
Joshua Beauchamp 1893-94
William Holloway 1895-96
James W. Parks 1897-1908
L. D. Steele 1909-12

From 1857 to 1860 the county was assessed by districts.
James H. Bridges 1860-62
George M. Keyser 1863-64
James H. Naive 1865-66
James H. Bridges 1867-70
James M. Brown 1871-72
J. W. Parks 1873-86
Charles W. Hequembourg 1913-16
Roy W. Hough 1917-24
Oscar W. Wise 1925-28
Ward DeField 1929-36
Oscar T. Ashby 1937-40
Ed DeField 1941-

County Treasurer

Arthur R. Newman 1845-48
William Sayres 1849-50
John Sheppard 1851-60
C. C. Kalfus 1861-62
W. F. Lee 1863-64
Thomas S. McElmurry 1865-66
C. P. Cumley 1867-70
Franklin Howlett 1871-72
James L. Moore 1873-80
Joseph M. Ringo 1881-84
E. W. Ogilvie 1885-90

Hartwell Stratton 1891-92
John L. Howlett 1893-94
Edwin P. Deal 1895-98
James Smith, Jr. 1899-1902
Clarence M. Davis 1903-04
Alex R. Boone 1905-12
David F. Lee 1913-16
Frank M. See 1917-18
Alice G. Lee 1919-36
Norma F. Hisey 1937-66
Deema Atteberry 1967-

Coroner

James Fugate 1880-81
T. L. Patterson 1882-83
William P. Swank 1884-88
William P. Howle 1889-
William P. Howle 1905-06
Roy K. Ogilvie 1907-10
William P. Howle 1911-20
M. D. Howle 1921-22
F. S. Vernon 1923-32
Paul Hackney 1933-36

Thomas L. Patterson ? -96
E. J. Rauls 1897-98
Henry S. McElmurry 1898-1900
Frank S. Vernon 1901-04
Frank S. Vernon 1937-40
Travis Shelby 1941-44
John F. Nunnelee 1945-52
Travis Shelby 1953-56
Elgin McMikle 1957-

Public Administrator for the County

A. E. Simpson 1880-84 L. R. Millar 1917-20

David Baker	1885-94	Ben A. Rolwing	1921-24
W. T. Marshall	1895-96	Edwin J. Deal	1925-28
E. Jerry Deal	1897-1906	Edward J. Burns	1929-30
(None listed)	1907-08	E. Jerry Deal	1931-32
J. P. Barnhill	1909-12	Thomas B. Russell	1933-36
F. M. See	1913-16	None reported after 1936	

County Surveyor

Martin V. Rodney	1880-81	Paul A. Tanner	1921-28
William Wilbur	1881-84	Leonard G. Hogue	1929-32
Joseph G. Russell	1885-86	Paul A. Tanner	1933-38
William Wilbur	1887-88	(None reported)	1939-40
John C. O'Bryan	1889-1900	R. Wyman Beasley	1941-48
Charles S. Reynolds	1901-04	Frank D. Hequembourg, Jr.	1949-60
John C. O'Bryan	1905-12	Willis A. Downs	1961-64
Lucius T. Berthe	1913-16	Raymond D. Lee	1965-
Clyde E. Swank	1917-20		

Highway Engineer for the County

Harry H. Hudson	1915-16	Howard Pritchett	1949-52
Clyde Swank (Appointed)	1919-20	Harley E. Choate	1953-58
Paul A. Tanner	1921-26	O. D. Harper	1959-66
(None reported)	1927-32	Shelby Dick	1967-70
Paul A. Tanner	1932-36	Charles Perry	1971-72
R. W. Beasley	1937-48	Shelby Dick	1973-

Representatives to the Legislature (State)

William Sayres	1846-50	Paul Byrd Moore	1893-96
Dr. Hardin M. Ward	1851-54	Ferd J. Hess	1897-1902
Dr. B. J. Moore	1855-56	William G. Lee	1903-06
Dr. Hardin M. Ward	1857-58	Edwin P. Deal	1907-12
William A. Keyser	1859-60	A. R. Boone	1913-16
Robert White	1861-62	R. A. Barry	1917-22
Dr. B. J. Moore	1863-64	Carl D. Mitchell	1923-24
Dr. A. E. Simpson	1865-66	Joe H. Moore	1925-28
Robert Waide	1867-70	Robert A. Barry	1929-34
D. A. Edens	1871-72	L. D. Joslyn	1935-38
J. H. Guthrie	1873-76	Daniel O'Bryan	1939-48
Henry J. Deal	1877-80	Kelly Jackson	1949-50
William P. Swank	1881-82	Warren E. Hearnese	1951-60
L. W. Danforth	1883-86	David Rolwing	1961-68
J. J. Russell	1886-92	Frederick W. DeField	1969-

Mayor of Charleston

F. A. Randall	1880-81	R. R. Davis	1948-49
C. W. Hequembourg	1881-83	R. B. Patterson	1949-50
George H. Bridges	1883-84	W. Clifton Banta	1950-51
Mark A. Drane	1884-85	Paul Handy Moore	1951-52
Alfred Orr	1885-87	R. R. Davis	1952-53
Loren DeLine	1887-88	Max Friedman	1953-54
Alfred Orr	1888-92	Charles A. Goodin	1954-55
Lewis W. Danforth	1892-96	James Atteberry	1955-56
James A. Boone	1896-98	Max Friedman	1956-57
Lewis W. Danforth	1898-1900	C. I. Lutz, Jr.	1957-58
Joe F. Martin	1900-02	Carl Layton	1958-59
R. L. Shelby	1902-03	A. J. Drinkwater, Jr.	1959-60
Lewis W. Danforth	1903-06	E. R. Putnam, Jr.	1960-61
W. T. Marshall	1906-10	T. P. Fenton	1961-62

J. W. Putnam	1910-12	E. R. Putnam, Jr.	1962-63
George C. Burns	1912-13	B. G. Knight	1963-64
O. W. Joslyn	1913-17	P. J. Ponder, Jr.	1964-65
T. J. Johns	1917-21	R. B. Logan	1965-66
C. L. Joslyn	1921-28	Charles E. Wright	1966-67
Charles E. Kirkpatrick	1928-29	T. P. Fenton	1967-68
E. A. Story	1929-31	E. Paul Jackson	1968-69
C. W. Reid	1931-33	Joseph W. Layton	1969-70
E. E. Oliver	1933-39	R. Wyman Beasley	1970-71
W. R. McCracken	1939-48	Sam E. Story	1971-72
		Charles R. Williams	1972-73

City Clerk of Charleston

Mark A. Drane	1880-83	Roy D. Strickland	1910-15
William A. Burns	1883-84	E. E. Oliver	1915-19
George W. Martin	1884-85	A. E. O'Hara	1919-20
William A. Burns	1885-86	E. Harold Smith	1920-29
George H. Bridges	1886-87	Ellis W. Howlett	1929-30
Isaac T. Clarkson	1887-88	Oscar I. Oliver	1930-31
John C. Russell	1888-89	O. W. Joslyn (Acting)	1932-33
S. G. Tetwiler	1889-90	Doss B. Lee	1933-38
J. C. Russell	1890-92	J. F. Brown	1938-40
J. Beauchamp	1892-94	T. A. Zilafro	1940-66
Enoch D. Bell	1894-98	Faye Elliott	1966-69
Bailey Wilkinson	1898-99	Louise Cope	1969-
Charles E. Kirkpatrick	1899-1910		

City Attorney of Charleston

James A. Boone	1880-82	W. G. Lee	1896-99
George S. Elliott	1882-83	Charles R. Love	1899-1900
John T. Witham	1883-84	O. W. Joslyn	1900-05
W. N. Randolph	1884-85	J. Moore Haw	1905-09
James A. Boone	1885-86	W. G. Lee	1909-12
Harry J. Cantwell	1886-87	Linn Haw	1912-13
E. Jerry Deal	1887-92	Frank M. See	1913-17
W. G. Lee	1892-94	W. E. Small	1917-21
W. C. Russell	1894-95	O. W. Joslyn	1921-38
George S. Elliott	1895-96	W. E. Small	1938-41
T. B. Russell	1941-47	W. Clifton Banta	1951-
Richard R. Oliver	1947-51		

City Treasurer of Charleston

Sol Rosenstein	1880-93	E. F. Swank	1921-29
Scott Alexander	1893-96	C. L. Joslyn	1929-37
G. H. Bridges	1896-1907	Albert Mattingly	1937- ?
John F. Martin	1907-09	Ralph Boyd	? -56
W. I. Sidwell	1909-15	Robert Hearnese	1956-
S. A. McElmurry	1915-21		

Marshall or Chief of Police of Charleston

E. W. Ogilvie	1880-82	E. G. Elkin	1912-13
J. K. Sigmon	1882-83	A. D. Chase	1913-15
William McGee	1883-84	Ed Davis	1915-21
Edward E. Reeder	1884-85	J. O. King	1921-25
J. E. Golder	1885-86	Ed Davis	1925-26
John F. Hisey	1886-90	Jesse J. Jackson	1926-29
L. LaMontague	1890-92	Owen Cook	1929-33

R. D. Crenshaw	1892-93	H. B. Pottinger	1933-42
E. G. Elkin	1893-95	Frank Sutherland	1942- ?
John F. Hisey	1895-96	J. B. Malone	1950-52
T. S. Crumley	1896-98	Paul G. Long	1952-57
Elmo Frie	1898-1900	Guthrie Hunter	1957-68
E. G. Elkin	1900-06	Dolph Webb	1968-69
Hardy P. Pottinger	1906-12	Spencer Presson	1969-70
Stanley Mungle	1970-72	Bob Ritchie	1972-

City Collector of Charleston

Lloyd A. Smith	1893- ?	Eunice Marshall	1931-33
Elijah Scott	1907-09	Bess Mulkey	1933-53
O. E. Kirkpatrick	1909- ?	Mabel Morris	1953-58
Ollie F. Daniel	1915- ?	Bonnie Uthoff	1958-60
Alice Goodin	1919-21	Mabel Morris	1960-66
Byron Guthrie	1921- ?	Gail B. Davis	1966-
Cora Strickland	1929-31		

Assessor for Charleston

Charles Hequembourg	1909- ?	Ralph Boyd	1949-64
E. P. Cummins	1921- ?	Ed DeField	1964-71
E. Bailey	1929- ?	Wilda DeField	1971-
Elmer O. Penny	1931-49		

Police Judge of Charleston

Fred Browning	1909- ?	J. L. Shelby	1956-72
John D. Shelby	1929- ?	Frank Gillespie	1972-
Charles E. Kirkpatrick	1931-51		

Fire Chief of Charleston

T. W. Dunn	1934- ?	Joe Johnson (Acting)	1968-69
E. R. Lash	1938- ?	Joe Johnson	1969-
Henry Fox	1951-68		

Superintendent of Public Works of Charleston

T. W. Dunn	? -1961	Harley Wright	1968-
Richard Carr	1961-68		

Building Inspector of Charleston

Willis Downs	1970-		
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City Office Secretary of Charleston

Louise McFadden	1951- ?	Dianne Day	? -61
Bonnie Uthoff	? -58	Faye Elliott	1961-68
Nina Heppe	1958- ?	Gail B. Davis	1968-

City Manager of Charleston

Clyde E. Swank	1948-60	James Butts	1968-70
F. D. Hequembourg, Jr.	1960-66	Richard A. Martin	1970-
Richard Carr (Acting)	1966-68		

Councilmen of Charleston

1800 - C. W. Hequembourg, Louis LaMontague, James K. Sigmon, Louis W. Danforth, John Jones.

1881 - Louis LaMontague, George W. Kenrick, David Rusk,

- Louis Danforth, David Black.
- 1882 - Lorenzo D. Owen, Isaac Hisey, James A. Boone, James H. Brown, David Rusk.
- 1883 - Alfred A. Orr, S. G. Rosenstein, Isaac T. Clarkson, Valentine Preuitt, David Black.
- 1884 - Louis LaMontague, Edward P. Deal, Alfred A. Orr, David Baker, Frank G. Sheppard.
- 1885 - Louis LaMontague, James N. Randolph, Edward P. Deal, Charles M. Slack, E. E. Reeder.
- 1886 - R. R. Coulon, Charles M. Slack, David Baker, W. W. Ogilvie, William G. Lee.
- 1887 - David Baker, Joseph Hart, William G. Lee, John C. Russell, Alfred A. Orr.
- 1888 - H. J. Deal, A. H. Danforth, David Baker, J. W. Lindsay, George Jones.
- 1889 - J. W. Lindsay, J. R. Hagan, Ben Huff, F. B. Rice, William G. Lee.
- 1890 - L. W. Danforth, A. McElmurry, Joseph Hart, F. B. Rice, Ben Huff.
- 1891 - Ben Huff, Ab McElmurry, Frank Howlett, Dave Baker, John Rolwing.
- 1892 - John T. Heggie, James K. Sigmon, John F. Martin, John L. Howlett, S. G. Tetwiler.
- 1893 - J. T. Heggie, J. L. Howlett, J. K. Sigmon, George B. Stotts, Joseph Hart, David Baker.
- 1894 - John L. Howlett, John T. Heggie, James K. Sigmon, Joe Hart, George B. Stotts.
- 1895 - John L. Howlett, James K. Sigmon, Joe Hart, Austin Ball, A. C. Bogard.
- 1896 - E. W. Ogilvie, John S. Howlett, Joe Hart, James K. Sigmon, A. C. Bogard, Fred Browning.
- 1897 - A. C. Bogard, Fred Browning, F. J. Wilkinson, Joe Hart, Ben Huff, M. C. Pittman.
- 1898 - Joe Hart, Ben Huff, William Mattingly, R. L. Shelby, M. C. Pittman, R. L. Oliver.
- 1899 - M. C. Pittman, R. L. Oliver, R. L. Shelby, Joe Hart, William I. Mattingly, Ben Huff.
- 1900 - R. L. Shelby, George H. Bridges, M. C. Pittman, Joe Hart, R. L. Oliver, Fred Browning.
- 1901 - R. L. Oliver, J. Beth Cox, A. L. Irvin, M. C. Pittman, George H. Bridges, Joe Hart.
- 1902 - Sam Ogilvie, R. L. Oliver, J. Beth Cox, Price Howlett, F. J. Wilkinson, A. L. Irvin.
- 1903 - W. O. Cape, I. T. Clarkson, Price Howlett, George C. Burns, Sam Ogilvie, F. J. Wilkinson.
- 1904 - George C. Burns, E. J. Deal, J. L. Howlett, Jr., I. T. Clarkson, W. T. Marshall, George W. Langsdale.
- 1905 - J. L. Howlett, Jr., R. L. Oliver, George C. Burns, W. T. Marshall, E. J. Deal, George W. Langsdale.

- 1906 - George C. Burns, R. L. Oliver, E. J. Deal, Charles I. Lutz, J. L. Howlett, Jr., M. B. Harris.
- 1907 - Charles I. Lutz, James A. Boone, George C. Burns, E. J. Deal, J. T. Heggie, W. R. Byrum.
- 1908 - James A. Boone, E. J. Deal, Charles I. Lutz, W. R. Byrum, George C. Burns, J. T. Heggie.
- 1909 - R. C. Danforth, W. C. Bryant, James A. Boone, Paul B. Moore, George C. Burns, T. J. Johns.
- 1910 - Paul B. Moore, George C. Burns, R. L. Heggie, W. C. Bryant, E. E. Bigham, James A. Boone.
- 1911 - Thomas D. White, W. C. Bryant, E. E. Bigham, James A. Boone, George C. Burns, R. L. Heggie.
- 1912 - T. Jackson, Thomas D. White, R. L. Heggie, W. C. Bryant, E. E. Bigham, C. M. Davis.
- 1913 - F. D. Lair, E. E. Bigham, W. G. Lee, Thomas D. White, Luke Anderson, L. W. Danforth, H. M. Hart, James L. Byrd.
- 1914 - F. D. Lair, E. E. Bigham, Thomas D. White, H. M. Hart, James L. Byrd, F. J. Wilkinson, Tom Ford, W. G. Lee.
- 1915 - F. J. Wilkinson, Tom Ford, H. M. Hart, J. L. Byrd, Leonard Howlett, G. N. Sille, Gus Martin, Sam Cavitt.
- 1916 - F. J. Wilkinson, J. L. Byrd, Gus Martin, Sam Cavitt, L. Howlett, Ed Bingham, M. E. Heck, Ed Presson.
- 1917 - F. J. Wilkinson, T. J. Brown, H. M. Hart, Sam Cavitt, Ed Bingham, M. E. Hequembourg, Gus Martin, Ed Presson.
- 1918 - F. J. Wilkinson, Clarence Johnson, Sam Cavitt, H. M. Hart, G. U. Shelby, W. C. Bryant, T. J. Brown, R. L. Shelby.
- 1919 - F. J. Wilkinson, Clarence Johnson, C. L. Joslyn, George U. Shelby, H. M. Hart, Sam Cavitt, R. L. Shelby, W. C. Bryant.
- 1920 - R. L. Shelby, C. L. Joslyn, G. W. Gwaltney, H. M. Hart, Ray W. Gutzwiler, Sam Cavitt, E. C. Eldracker, O. A. Crenshaw.
- 1921 - E. A. Story, E. J. Deal, Jr., J. P. Heggie, T. M. Latimer, E. C. Eldracker, Sam Cavitt, A. J. Drinkwater, Ray W. Gutzwiler.
- 1922 - E. J. Deal, Jr., E. A. Story, J. P. Heggie, J. W. Rhine, T. M. Latimer, H. T. Bryant, Sam Cavitt, E. C. Eldracker.
- 1923 - E. A. Story, E. J. Deal, Jr., J. W. Rhine, J. P. Heggie, T. M. Latimer, C. H. Stanfill, Sam Cavitt, H. T. Bryant.
- 1924 - E. J. Deal, Jr., E. A. Story, J. P. Heggie, C. E. Swank, T. M. Latimer, H. T. Bryant, Sam Cavitt, C. H. Stanfill.
- 1925 - E. J. Deal, Jr., E. A. Story, J. P. Heggie, C. E. Swank, H. T. Bryant, C. H. Stanfill, T. M. Latimer, Sam Cavitt.
- 1926 - E. J. Deal, Jr., E. A. Story, G. C. Sutherlin, H. T. Bryant, J. P. Heggie, C. H. Stanfill, O. C. Burroughs, John A. Bird.

- 1927 - E. A. Story, E. J. Deal, Jr., H. T. Bryant, G. C. Sutherlin, John A. Bird, J. P. Heggie, Tom D. White, O. C. Burroughs.
- 1928 - C. W. Reid, Leonard Howlett, H. T. Bryant, G. C. Sutherlin, John A. Bird, Frank Cornell, John Wallace, Tom D. White.
- 1929 - E. J. Deal, Jr., F. D. Lair, Jr., W. R. Griffith, Ralph Carr, Paul H. Teal, C. W. Reid, H. T. Bryant, Henry Brasher.
- 1930 - C. W. Reid, H. T. Bryant, Frank Lair, Jr., E. J. Deal, Jr., George Cox, Ralph Carr, Henry Brasher, W. R. Griffith.
- 1931 - Charles Lutz, Charles Stanfill, L. F. May, T. Jackson, H. T. Bryant, Henry A. Brasher, George Cox.
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- 1966 - William G. Knight, P. J. Ponder, Jr., R. B. Logan, Jr., Dr. T. P. Fenton.
- 1967 - E. Paul Jackson, P. J. Ponder, Jr., William G. Knight, Joe Willis Layton.
- 1968 - Joe Willis Layton, T. P. Fenton, Wyman Beasley, Robert Yates.
- 1969 - Joe Willis Layton, R. Wyman Beasley, Sam E. Story, Robert T. Yates.
- 1970 - T. P. Fenton, Sam E. Story, R. Wyman Beasley, Robert T. Yates.

- 1971 - R. Wyman Beasley, Dr. T. P. Fenton, Charles R. Williams, Sam E. Story, Dr. Lowell Nicholas.
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