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11 OCT 1999

JEAN BAYLES AMSPACHER
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CHESAPEAKE, VA 23322-3552

Dear Cousin Jean,

The processing of your nice letter of 23 SEP 1999 has just been completed and I want to thank you for it. Quite a few bits of information you provided were new to me. Gradually the Benjamin U line in the federal U / Colwin U subclass is being improved. I hope we can continue this process.

In processing the details you sent the following questions or comments surfaced:

- #1 Re the husband of Lenora NMNU - I have it as M. LEVANDER DENNING. His monument seems to read L. VANDER DENNING?
- #2 Re James Bernard U - I have born 8 OCT 1884. His death certificate shows born 18 OCT 1885?
- #3 Lennie M. U b 13 MAR 1889 d 26 AVE F71 - is actually ALONZO MALCOLM U "Lennie", son of Charles H. U & gr of Benjamin U b 1830

#4 Is the middle initial for THONNIE H
"E" ?

#5 Re Bible Records - Did Dorothy Grace
Mary (H) JOSEPH DARIUS TURNER
or DARIUS FRANK TURNER ?

If you can shed any light on the above
for which there are questions I would appreciate
it. You mentioned you have some puzzle &
sent out from your trip. If I can be of help
please let me know. Also I am always pleased
to have more input.

I have recently been in contact with
a family descended from the CARTERS &
MORLINS of Warrick Co, NC. They arrived on
HECTOR'S Creek quite early. I was surprised &
pleased to learn that this creek is the
next one west of Hill's Creek. Some of these
families migrated to the Holly Springs / Apex
area of Wake Co, NC and then became mixed
with the Upchurch Family. My interaction with
several members of this family continues.

I don't seem to be sending you much
this time. Please let me know if you have
questions or if there is anything I can
send you.

Fall events are popping up rapidly. Our system named is complete and I hope all our loan will be in in a week or so. This week I will have two trips to the farm and one day will be devoted to the open house which our son is holding for his new Real Estate Brokerage Company. We spent part of yesterday shopping for a decorative piece for the office - our contribution to the open house. Also this week I hope to make significant progress on Vol 2 #4 of The Upchurch Bulletin.

If all goes well I hope Gallaine & I can spend about two weeks in NC doing family history stuff. With any luck I'll be able to drive down to see Neill's Creek Baptist Church for the first time.

Thanks Jean for your continued interest in our shared family history.

Sincerely yours
☺ Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

GLORIA JEAN BAYLES

XID-14680 ①

September 23, 1999

REC'D
25 SEP 1999

Jean Bayles Amspacher
521 Beauregard Drive
Chesapeake, VA 23322-3552

☐ Dear Cousin Phil,

☐ + ☐ I made a trip to Harnett County, NC in August as I mentioned in my last letter. Most of the
- gravestone photos enclosed were taken at Neill's Creek Cemetery. The stones of Great -Great
△ + △ + △ Grandfather Benjamin U. and his 2nd wife Catherine were in sad shape. Benjamin's could barely
△ be read. I did not see a gravestone for Arabella, his 1st wife and my ancestor. Some of the other
- photos I am still trying to identify. The Church was easy to find--right on hwy 210 out of
- Lillington. Sorry about the shadows on some of the photos, we got there at the wrong time of day.

△ + △ + △ The obituary on Worth Wayne Bayles you sent was that of my 1st cousin. His father was my
△ + △ father's youngest brother, James Verdon Bayles. He was called by his middle name, Wayne, and
△ was a character and loved to have a good time. In his teenage years there was a pop singer Fabian
△ + △ that he resembled, so he had quite a following of girlfriends. Sorry to say he did not take care of
△ himself in his adult life and his health suffered.

☐ + △ + △ I think I have just located Mary Elizabeth Wilson U. (wife of James Benj.) on the 1870 Harnett
△ + △ Co. census. There is a Mary E. Wilson age 13 living with the family of Sim/Simon Truelove.
△ The age is a little off but the family lives near the family of James. They were married by the
☐ 1880 census. I am now trying to find if this was my great-grandmother and what the connection
△ + ☐ to the family was. Her mother Sarah is not listed with household.

☐ + △ I went to visit my mother's sister Lucille U. Stinson this trip and was able to ask her some
- questions:

△ + △ + △ *She told me Aunt's Lillye and Ava died from pneumonia. They were in a church
- program at Christmas time and caught colds that got worse and neither one ever really recovered
△ + △ their strength after that. She said she heard they were never strong. Aunt Lucille could not tell
△ me much more about them as they died before she was born.*

△ + △ *↳ [JAMES BENJAMIN U]
△ + △ Her father was working on the back of a haying machine and developed breathing and
△ + △ lung problems and from there doctors said he had TB, he had not been sick before that she
- remembers.*

☐ + ☐ With what I know of "current family health" I think the past generations suffered with asthma and
- allergies which made them susceptible to breathing problems or as in the late 1800's and early
☐ 1900's lung problems. I was able to obtain his death certificate—copy enclosed.

△ + △ + △ + △ *↳ [JAMES BENJAMIN U]
△ + △ + △ Aunt Lucille also told me James & Mary U's oldest son Lonnie died as a small child.
△ + △ + △ She could not remember his age or what he died of, but did say she was sure he was buried in the
△ Buies Creek Cemetery with his parents and siblings.*

- ✓ (2)
- △ I went back to the Buies Creek Cemetery and made a photo of what I believe to be his gravestone. I
 - feel sure it is not a rock in the ground as this is not a rocky area and the placement in the family
 - plot makes it possible to be a grave. I have written to the county to try to find out where to get
 - the burial records for the cemetery since I think he died before 1913. I also made a photo of the
 - △+△ grave of Lenora U's husband L. Vander Denning at the same cemetery

The Hurricane Floyd brushed past us—we were lucky. We seem to be in a pocket that was spared a lot of damage. Less than an hour away is a town called Franklin—they are still underwater. A lot of roads had flooding and some are still closed. It is hard to believe how close we were to the damage brought this storm and were OK. This area had deep flooding in places that there is no record in recorded history of every flooding.

As usual I have rambled on. I better close for now and get this in the mail so you can see “our new treasures”.

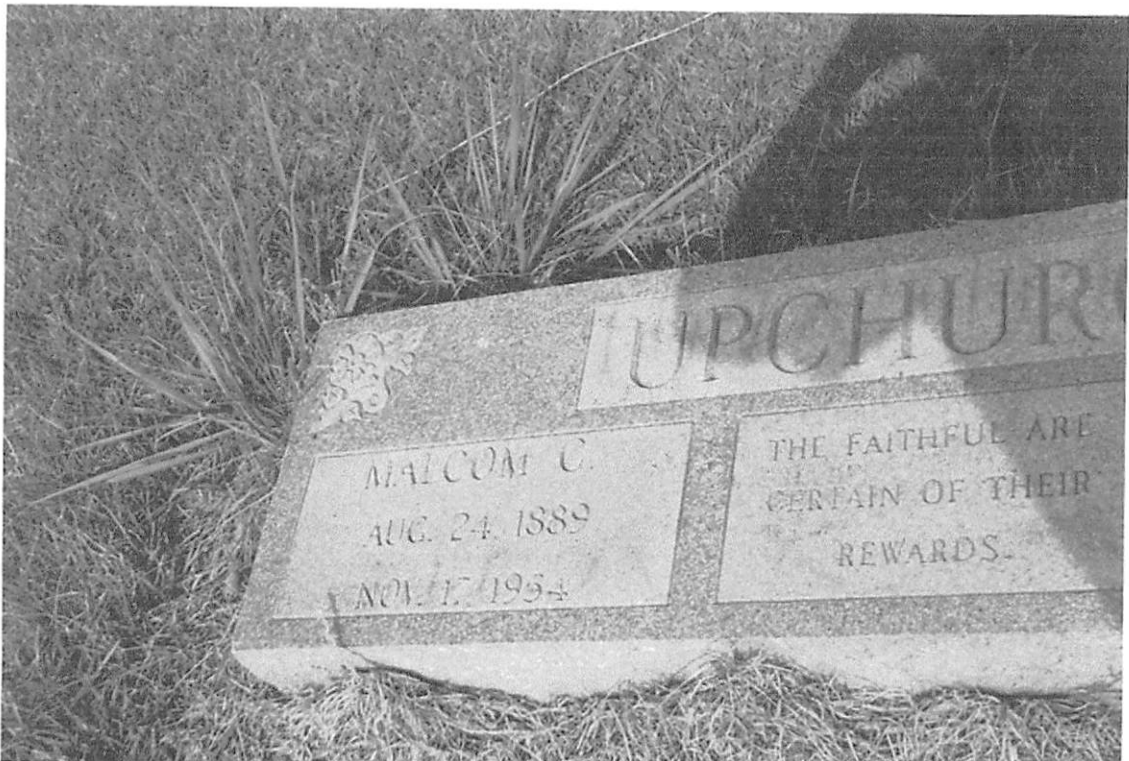
Sincerely,

Jean Bayles Amspacher

Niell's Creek Cemetery



Husband + wife [MARY ELECTA JOHNSON] Δ



[MALCOLM CALVIN U] Δ



Teillo Creek Cemetery "Ruby U."
 Δ [RUBY REID U.]



Teillo Creek Cem. [JOSEPH CALVIN U.] Δ

Neills Creek Cemetery



x Joseph Calvin



& wife

Δ JEANETTE COFFIELD

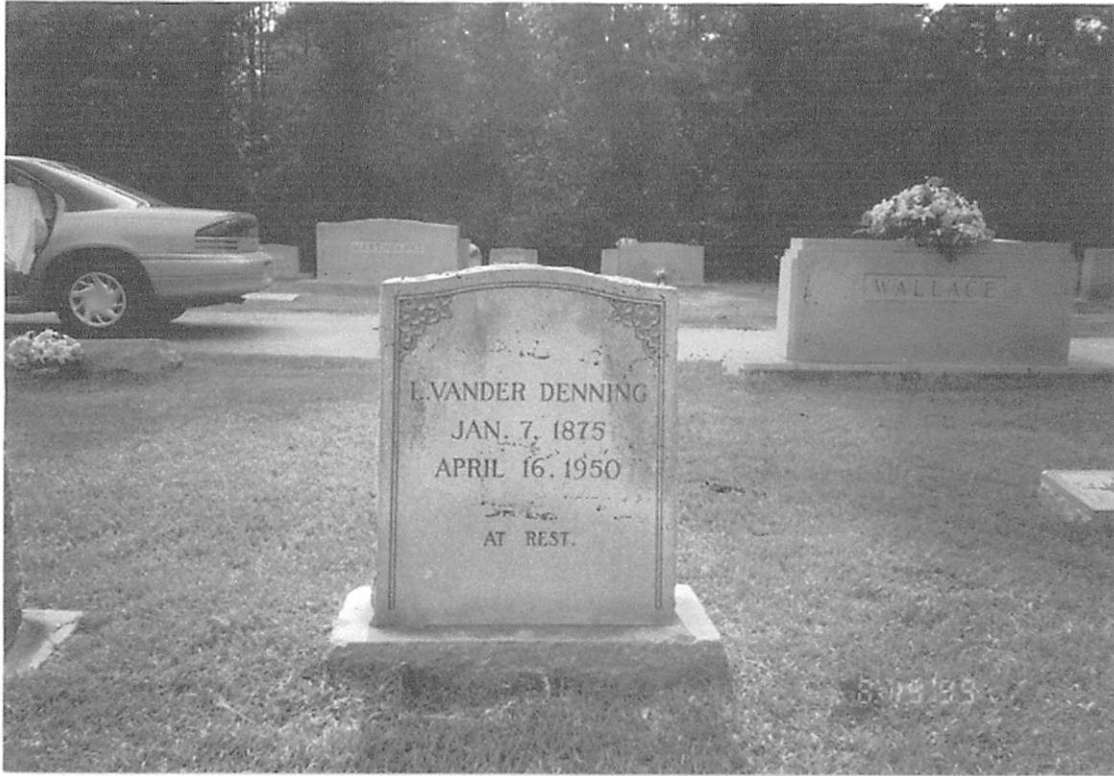
Niells Creek Cemetery



2nd wife of Benjamin
Stone Broken - death of death
Broken off



Benjamin U. - stone Broken
10/29/1830 - 11/19/1910



Buies Creek Cem. Husband of Lenora Upchurch Denning



Buies Creek Cem. James Benjamin Upchurch Family Plot
This broken stone maybe the grave of Zonnie U. Bonn 1875
Lucille Stinson (Upchurch dau. of James Bernard) says he died as a child and was buried with family.



Lannie -
Alonzo
Malcolm U/S
&
W. Rachel S. U
= Rachel U
Saul U



B.F. Upchurch
△ BENJAMIN FRANKLIN U

△ Thennie S. U

Neillo Creek Cemetery

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
HARNETT COUNTY
OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS

Copy placed
in the
book of the
deed - R.M.

NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

76

1 PLACE OF DEATH Registration District No. 432299
County Harnett State N.C. Register No. 1
Township Neels Creek or Village _____
City Buie's Creek No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its name instead of street and number)
2 FULL NAME James Bernard Upchurch
(a) Residence No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____
(Usual place of abode) (If nonresident give city or town and State)
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 Sex Male 4 Color or Race White 5 Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced (write the word) Married

5a If married, widowed, or divorced Husband of Opheelia Upchurch (or) Wife of _____

6 Date of Birth (month, day, and year) Oct. 18, 1885

7 Age 40 years 2 months 14 days If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.

8 Occupation of deceased (a) Trade, Profession, or particular kind of work Farmer (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) Farming (c) Name of employer _____

9 Birthplace (city or town) Harnett Co. N.C. (State or country)

10 Name of Father James Upchurch

11 Birthplace of Father (city or town) N.C. (State or country)

12 Maiden Name of Mother Mary Wilson

13 Birthplace of Mother (city or town) N.C. (State or country)

14 Informant C. H. Upchurch (Address)

15 Filed Jan 8, 1926 Effie Andrews REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 Date of Death (month, day, and year) Jan 2, 1926
17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan 1, 1926, to Jan 2, 1926 that I last saw him alive on Jan 2, 1926 and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 11 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Tuberculosis of Lung
(duration) 5 yrs. mos. ds.
Contributory (SECONDARY) (duration) 5 yrs. mos. ds.

18 Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? _____

Did an operation precede death? no Date of _____

Was there an autopsy? no

What test confirmed diagnosis? Physical Signs, X-ray
(Signed) J. F. McKay M. D.
, 19 _____ (Address) Buie's Creek N.C.

*State the Disease Causing Death, or in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means and Nature of Injury, and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal. (See reverse side for additional space.)

19 Place of Burial, Cremation, or removal Buie's Creek Date of Burial Jan 3, 1926

20 Undertaker Ben Parker Address Livingston

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Witness my hand and official seal this the 2nd day of Sept. 1999

Kimberly S. Hargrove
Register of Deeds
Harnett County

By: Nettie J. Cameron
Deputy/Assistant Register of Deeds

Placed in Bible File as WILLIAM E. JOHNSON BIBLE & moved from store - RPH

Grace married Joseph Durio Turner

Ophelia M. (Mitchell)

Parents of Ophelia

Sister of Ophelia

Children of J.B. + Ophelia

J.B. + Ophelia

2nd marriage

2nd marriage

Marriages

J. R. Mitchell	was married
to	F. A. Johnson
Dec 22 1892	174 - 9 - 4 - 94
J. R. Mitchell, Bond	Sept 30, 1863
F. A. Mitchell	July 13, 1870
J. B. Upchurch	Nov. 10, 1912.
Ophelia Mitchell	
Kenneth Clifford Matthews	Dec. 28. 1921
Mary Katherine Mitchell	
Mary married Caleb W. Bayles	Nov. 29. 1934
Grace D. Joseph Turner	Nov. 29. 1939
Lucille - William Stinson	Aug. 18
Ardgenilde Sugan	May 10, 1941
Pansy married Robert Stewart	Jan. 15. 1945
Ophelia M. Upchurch	April 4, 1937
Emmett Jackson	
Grace U. Turner + J. E. Brownell	Nov. 1949

Births

William F. Johnson Oct. 11th 1846
 Orpha Catherine Robinson June 7 1846

Delia Mitchell
 March 2, 1896

was Born
 1896

Mark Mitchell
 June 2, 1898

was Born
 Mitchell

John Benjamin
 was Born

June 10, 1901

Lucy Epchurch
 Mam Florence Epchurch

Aug. 15, 1913
 Nov 16, 1914

Dorothy Grace Epchurch
 James Reid Epchurch

Sept. 10, 1916
 Nov 8, 1918

Caro James Epchurch
 Nyl. Mitchell Matthews

Aug. 4, 1921
 October 8, 1922

Island Bowling Stewart
 Thomas Edward Braswell

July 13, 1915
 May 21, 1917

grand
 D. Ophelia

Sister
 of Ophelia

Brother
 of Ophelia

daughter
 of Ophelia

Son
 of Katherine
 + Ken
 Matthews

My
 Pansy
 and
 Grace

Deaths

William F. Johnson
1872

Ophelia Catherine Robinson Jan. 18, 1914

John Bunyan
Died

Mitchell
Oct 10 1901

J. B. Upchurch

Jan. 2, 1926

Neil Mitchell Matthews

Oct. 10 1922

J. R. Mitchell

Monday, August 14, 1944

Alice F. Mitchell

Sunday, June 23, 1959

Emmitt Jackson

Oct. 23 1956

Joseph D. Turner

Jan. 9, 1947

Kenneth Clifford Matthews

April 9, 1974 (Tuesday)

Grandparents of Ophelia

Brother of Ophelia

James Bernard
Son of Ken & Katherine

Parents of Ophelia

2nd husband of Ophelia

Husband of Grace

Husband of Katherine

Last name was Johnson

Born in Cumberland (Hermetts) NC

grandparents
Ophelia & Katherine
Mitchell

Born in GA
(Robinson)

grand children

Ophelia & James Bernard
Upchurch

FAMILY RECORD.

William E. Johnston
Born October 14, 1846
Died 1872

Ophelia Catherine Robinson
Born June 1846
Died Jan. 18 1914

William B. Johnston Jr. Aug. 18 1946
Annie Johnston July 1946
Gloria Jean Bayles Aug. 21 1945
Marsha Ann Bayles June 18 1957
Lula Day Upchurch Aug 31 1943
Virginia Reed Upchurch May 12 1946
James Bernard Stewart May 4 1946
Eva Katherine Stewart April 19 1949

Copy of Family Records

comparable to the one for mother Marye Bayler. [If this does not make sense let me know and I will explain it another way]. At the front of the Johnson file I did find an entry from Nans Anderson Asker. Enclosed is a copy of that entry and a copy of 3 letters I received from her. This may or may not have meaning for you. At that time I had only a Xerox copy of the book "Concerning our Ancestors - the Johnsons and their kin" by Ruth Betha Johnson - 1980. Just this spring I learned of a source for this book and recently purchased a copy (\$25). Unfortunately it has no index so I can't check for your individuals. This family was located in Johnston & Wake Counties, NC and their were intermarriage with the Upchurch & Mills families that interest me.

Re death certificates for Lillie & Anna - 10-15 years ago I spent some time in the State Archive/Library in Raleigh, NC. I seem to recall that certain county records had been centralized at the State level. Death records might have been one of them. You might check. My memory on this is a little fuzzy.

Re the father of Sarah Wilson - I read it as FURNIE - a not uncommon name for the

area and time.

I hope you have a successful trip to NC and that you might even find an item or two for me.

There are two items, not of great consequence, that I have been wanting to mention to you. - They are not of great consequence. They are:

. Re Neill's Creek Baptist Church - I have never been there. I was surprised to hear that my Uncle James Martin (He married my Aunt Ellie Upchurch) was the preacher at Neill's Creek for one year - about 1920[±]. I never knew Uncle James as he died early but knew Ellie well and her children. Did you know there is a History Book re Neill's Creek Baptist Church? I have a copy.

. Re your name AMSPACHER. My brother-in-law's name is ^{BILL} ALSPAUGH. I suspect the two trace back to a common German root somewhere. Bill is a fascinating character - but not interested in family history.

I don't know if this interests you but just in case I enclose herewith a copy of the 30-Page - 75 Item Booklet for your ancestor Jubal W (father of Calver W). This is really raw material

and includes a number of duplicates. In recent months I have added quite a few entries from some reference books I purchased. Jubal was certainly a very active individual. One time I hope we can weave a more rational story about him. It would be great to locate his land and his mill. He was a brother of my GGF Nathan 4, I. They grew up together as children in the Mecklenburg Creek Area of Southern Franklin Co, NC and married there.

At some future time I hope we can work together on placing Upchurch sites on a map of Warrick County, NC

I am in the process of installing a 3000 gallon waterway on one of our farms. Tom, our part-time worker, and I picked up roots from it until dark last night - so I am sore! We have one more evening of this and then Tom can polish it off himself. With any luck it will all be done on 31 AUG 1999.

With All Best Wishes.

Sincerely yours
 ☺ Phil Upchurch
 [ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

GLORIA JEAN BAYLES

XFD-146800

REC'D
25 AUG 1999

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August 17, 1999

Dear Cousin Phil,

Thanks for your letter of July 23rd, as with previous letters, I eagerly read it. The information on Calvin was appreciated and interesting. Some facts I was aware of, most were new. I still find it amazing that we can learn so much about our ancestors. I wish there were a way to learn about them as a person and not just by their impersonal transactions. At least we can be thankful for what we can learn.

I do have the obit on my grandmother Ophelia. We were very close and I still miss her. Her sister, Katherine, was married to Kenneth Clifford Matthews. Ophelia lived with them after her 2nd husband, Emmet Jackson of Sampson County, died. She helped in the care of their mother, Florence Ann Johnson Mitchell. I am fortunate that I can remember her also. I wish I had been old enough to ask questions about her life—we probably did and just don't remember. We were an inquisitive group. I treasure two pictures I have of Florence. One is when my cousins, Fay and Virginia and I were about 5-6-8. It was at Christmas; we were placed in and around the chair that Granny Florence was sitting in. We each held our new Christmas doll; it must have been about 1953-54. The other picture is a 4-generation picture (my most treasured). I was about a year old. Granny Florence was seated holding me and my grandmother Ophelia and my mother Mary were standing behind her. It was in the back yard at home. A regular house type chair was taken out for her to sit on. This was about 1946.

I was not able to obtain Lillye and Ava U's death certificate from Harnett County. I was told it was not in their records. Any suggestions?

□ + Δ + Δ I have received a copy of Sarah Wilson's death certificate (mother of Mary Elizabeth Wilson
Δ + Δ Upchurch). As I suspected Sarah is listed as single—not widowed or married—her father was
Δ + □ Wilson. The 1st name, Furiul (I think) is giving me some trouble. I have not been able to locate
Δ him in the NC census. Looks like they both may have been born in Sampson County. Sarah's
✓ mother is not listed; this leads me to believe that she had been dead for many years. As you will
see Joseph U. provided the information. I would love to know Sarah's story and how she over
Δ + □ came the hardships of raising a child alone. I do not remember my grandmother Ophelia ever
Δ + Δ mentioning Sarah, but she spoke of fondly of Mary E., my mother was named for her.

→ [P FORNIE - RPU]


I tried my Uncle Reid U again for information on Lonnie. He does not remember ever hearing about him. I suspect Lonnie died as a child. If only there was a 1890 census, I have a feeling he would not be listed. Since Ava U was the 1st buried in the family plot in 1905, I think Lonnie's death was before the cemetery was formed. Just to recheck, when I go back, I will carefully check to see if there is a broken gravestone. The only book I know of on Harnett Graves does not list Lonnie, which leads back to my belief that he died young—before 1905. I need to check the 1900 census.

I am off to Harnett tomorrow for 3 days (8/18-19-20), hoped to have more grave photos to send after this trip. The weather promises to be a little cooler. Our temperature here has been in the hi 90's with humidity pushing the heat index up to 115. It has been just too hot to do much outside!!! Two of my Bayles cousins and I are going ancestor visiting or in several cases ancestor hunting. I hope to get to Neill's Creek and get photos there as well as any other Upchurch graves I can find. With a little luck and the good weather promised we should cover a lot of the area.

I am enclosing descendents list for 4 of my other families that are in Cumberland/Harnett area. I find some these names often in the Upchurch line. The Stewart name shows up a lot. This line goes back to Scotland with Charles Stewart and Hannah Kirk being the 1st to arrive on our shores. This has been a very prolific family in past generations. My great grandfather David Stewart was married 3 time and we can account for 21 children and 2 stepchildren. Most of David's siblings had large families so many of the Harnett Stewart's are related. They have proven to be and interesting family line. Two of my lines join with David's 3rd wife Catherine Robinson. Their daughter Mary Stewart married Charles Bayles and one of their sons was my father, Coleman. Catherine was married to William Johnson before David. That union produced Florence Johnson. Florence married James Mitchell and their daughter Ophelia married James Bernard U, they produced my mother Mary. I find this seems to confuse people when I tell them my Great grandmother Katie is also my Great-Great grandmother. This is most likely more than you want to know—but it was the easiest way to print it off.

Hope you enjoy the rest of the summer. Looking forward to your next letter I am,

Sincerely



Jean Bayles Amspacher

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

HARNETT COUNTY

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS

B. Y. S.—Form 7

✓ **6** PLACE OF DEATH **North Carolina State Board of Health**
 County **Harnett** BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
 Township **Neill's Creek**
 or Town **Neill's Creek** CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
 Registration District No. **432298** Certificate No. **4**
 or City (No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)
 (If death occurs in a hospital, or other institution, give name instead of street number.)

2 FULL NAME **Sally Wilson**

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 MALE OR FEMALE **Female**
 4 COLOR OR RACE **White**
 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED **single**
 (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH **Oct. 22 1832**
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE **83 yrs. 6 mos. 8 ds.** If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.

8 OCCUPATION **Housekeeping**
 (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE **Sampson Co. N.C.**

PARENTS

10 NAME OF FATHER **Frankie Wilson**
 11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER **N.C.**
 (State or Country)
 12 NAME OF MOTHER BEFORE MARRIAGE **undiscovered**
 13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER **N.C.**
 (State or Country)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH **April 29 1916**
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from **Mar 1, 1916** to **Apr 29, 1916**
 that I last saw her alive on **Apr 14, 1916**
 and that death occurred on the date above stated, at **8 P. M.**
 The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Tubercular Heart Disease
 (Duration) _____ yrs. **2** mos. _____ ds.
 Contributory _____
 (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
 (Signed) **J. F. McKen** (M. D.)
 _____ 19____ (Address) **Neill's Creek**

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)
 At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
 In the _____ State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
 Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?
 Former or usual residence _____

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
 (Informant) **Jos. K. Church**
 (Address) **Neill's Creek N.C.**

15 Filed **May 1, 1916** **N. A. Stewart** Registrar.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL **Neill's Creek N.C.** DATE OF BURIAL **Apr 30, 1916**
 20 UNDERTAKER **Parker Bros.** ADDRESS **Wilmington N.C.**

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 This is to certify that this is a true and correct reproduction or abstract of the official record filed in this office.

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Witness my hand and official seal
 this the **16th** day of **July** 19**19**

Kimberly S. Hargrove
 Register of Deeds
 Harnett County
 By: **Nettie J. Comer**
 Deputy/Assistant Register of Deeds

○ See Profile of Glenna Jean Bayler - It's 17 AUG 1999 to RPH
The profile contains the death certificate of Sally Wilson
which yields the following information:

I. Subal U - Head of clan

A. Calum U

1. Benjamin U

a. James Benjamin U ind about 1874 ()

Δ Mary Elizabeth Wilson b. 27 AUG 1855,

Δ dau of the above mentioned "Sally

Δ Wilson" AKA Sarah Wilson

Δ b. Joseph Calum U

Δ The Death Certificate shows Sally Wilson (Sarah Wilson)

Δ b. 22 OCT 1832 () d. 29 APR 1916 age 83 yrs 6 mos 8 days. She

Δ was born in Sampson Co, NC, dau of FURNIE WILSON

- b NC & unknown mother b NC. Bur - Brier Creek, NC.

Δ Information supplied by Joe U (presumably her dau

Δ+Δ brother-in-law - Joseph Calum U - RPH) Sally is shown

Δ+Δ as single which GJB takes to mean Mary Elizabeth

- Wilson was born out of wedlock

Original
→ it was named for his grandfather

Descendants of Silvanus Johnson

17 AUG 1999 Gloria Jean Bayler to RPA
Cron-File
• SILVANUS JOHNSON
• JOHNSON FAMILY

Generation No. 1

1. SILVANUS² JOHNSON (*BENJAMIN¹*) was born Abt. 1786. He married (1) SARAH --?-. She was born Abt. 1796, and died Aft. 1860. He married (2) EDITH --?-. She died Bet. 1850 - 1860.

Children of SILVANUS JOHNSON and EDITH --?-- are:

- 2. i. HUGH A.³ JOHNSON, b. April 30, 1816, Harnett County, NC; d. Bet. 1870 - 1873, Harnett County, NC.
- ii. SARAH JOHNSON, b. Abt. 1831; m. LEWIS BRYANT BARNES; b. Abt. 1815; d. Bef. 1870.
- iii. MORRELLA JOHNSON, b. Abt. 1820.
- iv. LUCY JOHNSON, b. Abt. 1832; d. October 12, 1899; m. NEIL BARNES.

Notes for LUCY JOHNSON:
Twin of Rufus

- v. RUFUS JOHNSON, b. Abt. 1832.

Notes for RUFUS JOHNSON:
Twin of Lucy.

Generation No. 2

2. HUGH A.³ JOHNSON (*SILVANUS², BENJAMIN¹*) was born April 30, 1816 in Harnett County, NC, and died Bet. 1870 - 1873 in Harnett County, NC. He married ANGELINA BARNES, daughter of DAVID BARNES and BETHANIA NEWSOM. She was born February 05, 1819 in Harnett County, NC, and died Aft. 1894 in Harnett County, NC.

Children of HUGH JOHNSON and ANGELINA BARNES are:

- i. MARY⁴ JOHNSON, b. November 15, 1841.
- ii. LEWIS JOHNSON, b. January 1843; d. Bef. 1850.
- iii. LOUISA ETTA JOHNSON, b. January 25, 1844.
- iv. ELIZABETH D. JOHNSON, b. August 20, 1845.
- 3. → v. WILLIAM E. JOHNSON, b. October 14, 1846; d. Abt. 1872.
- vi. CIVIL ANN JOHNSON, b. April 08, 1848.
- vii. DAVID H. JOHNSON, b. May 26, 1849; d. March 1908.

Generation No. 3

3. WILLIAM E.⁴ JOHNSON (*HUGH A.³, SILVANUS², BENJAMIN¹*) was born October 14, 1846, and died Abt. 1872. He married ORPHIA CATHERINE ANN ROBINSON Bef. 1870 in NC, daughter of JOSEPH ROBINSON and ORPHIA --?-. She was born June 07, 1846 in GA, and died Abt. 1914 in Harnett County, NC.

Children of WILLIAM JOHNSON and ORPHIA ROBINSON are:

- i. FLORENCE ANN⁵ JOHNSON, b. July 13, 1870; d. June 23, 1959, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; m. JAMES REDOLFUS MITCHELL, December 22, 1892; b. September 30, 1863; d. August 14, 1944, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC..

More About FLORENCE ANN JOHNSON: - my mother's grandmother
Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

More About JAMES REDOLFUS MITCHELL:
Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

- ii. WILLIE DEMASCUS JOHNSON, b. March 01, 1873.

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Descendants of Charles Stewart

- CHARLES STEWART
- STEWART FAMILY

Generation No. 1

1. CHARLES² STEWART (JAMES¹) was born Abt. 1724 in Scotland, and died November 15, 1817 in Wake Co., NC. He married HANNAH KIRK Abt. 1748 in England. She was born Abt. 1732 in Wales, England, and died January 01, 1823 in Wake Co., NC.

Notes for CHARLES STEWART:

Charles and Hannah arrived in Isle of Wright County, VA in 1748. They worked for a year for a farmer named Spotsford.

More About CHARLES STEWART:

Burial: Kennebeck Church Angier

Notes for HANNAH KIRK:

She is thought to have already lived in Campbelton (Fayetteville) and was estranged from her family and sent back to England—see Harnett book #499

More About HANNAH KIRK:

Burial: Kennebeck Church Angier, NC

Children of CHARLES STEWART and HANNAH KIRK are:

- i. CHARLES³ STEWART, b. Abt. 1758, Wake Co., NC; m. ELIZABETH CLEMENTS.
2. ii. JOSEPH STEWART, b. Abt. 1762, Wake Co., NC; d. Abt. 1820, Wake Co., NC.
- iii. GEORGE STEWART, b. Abt. 1768, Wake Co., NC; d. Abt. 1831; m. REBECCA UTLEY, January 20, 1789.
- iv. JAMES STEWART, b. July 12, 1775, Wake Co., NC; d. August 1867, Wake Co., NC; m. MARY CUTTS.

Generation No. 2

2. JOSEPH³ STEWART (CHARLES², JAMES¹) was born Abt. 1762 in Wake Co., NC, and died Abt. 1820 in Wake Co., NC. He married ELIZABETH MATTHEWS, daughter of JACOB MATHEWS. She was born Abt. 1766, and died Abt. 1848.

Notes for JOSEPH STEWART:

According to Heritage of Harnett Co. he settled around Bethesaida Church and Hodges Chapel. They purchased two hundred and twenty acres on Black River on October 17, 1795 for 30 shillings.

Children of JOSEPH STEWART and ELIZABETH MATTHEWS are:

3. i. WILLIAM⁴ STEWART, b. April 20, 1788; d. Abt. 1876.
- ii. JESSE STEWART, b. January 22, 1791.
- iii. JOSEPH STEWART, b. Abt. 1793; d. Abt. 1860; m. WINIFRED RYALS, January 02, 1834.
- iv. CHARLES STEWART, b. Abt. 1795; m. SALLY WOODALL.
- v. JACOB STEWART, b. Abt. 1797; d. Abt. 1855; m. CYNTHIA CARD.

Notes for JACOB STEWART:

The Heritage of Harnett says: Jacob was murdered in 1855 by his nephew, Jacob "Jake" Johnson. Jake wanted to enter Jacob house but because he had chicken-pox he was not allowed in. Jake returned later confronted Jacob at a "log rolling" and pulled a gun and shot him.

- vi. MARY STEWART, b. Abt. 1800; d. Abt. 1880.
- vii. MARY ELIZABETH STEWART, b. Abt. 1805; m. DANIEL TURLINGTON.
- viii. JAMES STEWART, b. Abt. 1810; d. Abt. 1881; m. HARRIET WOODALL.
- ix. JOHN STEWART, b. Abt. 1812; d. Abt. 1888.

Generation No. 3

3. WILLIAM⁴ STEWART (JOSEPH³, CHARLES², JAMES¹) was born April 20, 1788, and died Abt. 1876. He married FRANCIS SMITH, daughter of WILLIAM SMITH. She was born Abt. 1788.

Children of WILLIAM STEWART and FRANCIS SMITH are:

- 4. i. DAVID⁵ STEWART, b. August 29, 1814, Cumberland Co, NC; d. December 07, 1901, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.
- ii. JOSEPH STEWART, b. December 24, 1816.
- iii. JESSE STEWART, b. March 03, 1818; d. October 22, 1901.
- iv. GILLIAM STEWART, b. February 10, 1820.
- v. LAZARUS SMITH STEWART, b. February 28, 1822; d. October 08, 1878.
- vi. WILLIAM ANDERSON STEWART, b. May 24, 1824; d. Bet. 1850 - 1859.
- vii. BETSY HAWKINS STEWART, b. June 12, 1826; d. June 12, 1889.
- viii. GEORGE WASHINGTON STEWART, b. August 10, 1828; d. October 01, 1900.

Generation No. 4

Re Dad - 3 wives and 21 children

4. DAVID⁵ STEWART (WILLIAM⁴, JOSEPH³, CHARLES², JAMES¹) was born August 29, 1814 in Cumberland Co, NC, and died December 07, 1901 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC. He married (1) CHINA HOCKADAY. She was born Abt. 1834, and died Abt. 1874 in Coats, Harnett County, NC. He married (2) RHODA MOORE January 23, 1837. She was born Abt. 1819, and died Abt. 1864 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC. He married (3) ORPHIA CATHERINE ANN ROBINSON Bef. 1877 in Harnett County, NC, daughter of JOSEPH ROBINSON and ORPHIA --?. She was born June 07, 1846 in GA, and died Abt. 1914 in Harnett County, NC.

Children of DAVID STEWART and CHINA HOCKADAY are:

2nd wife

- i. JAMES ALLISON⁶ STEWART, b. July 02, 1867; d. March 18, 1910, Heritage of Harnett article #508.
- ii. THOMAS HAMPTON STEWART, b. March 29, 1873; d. May 24, 1949, Heritage of Harnett article #508.
- iii. CHARLES RUFUS STEWART, b. April 30, 1873; d. March 30, 1956, Heritage of Harnett article #508.

Children of DAVID STEWART and RHODA MOORE are:

1st wife

- iv. EMILY⁶ STEWART, b. September 1837; d. May 07, 1922.
- v. ELIZABETH STEWART, b. November 24, 1838; d. May 07, 1922.

Notes for ELIZABETH STEWART:
Twin of Nancy

- vi. NANCY STEWART, b. November 24, 1838; d. July 24, 1917.

Notes for NANCY STEWART:
Twin of Elizabeth

- vii. WINIFRED STEWART, b. September 04, 1840.
- viii. SARAH STEWART, b. March 25, 1842; d. February 24, 1930.
- ix. JOHN WASHINGTON STEWART, b. January 15, 1844; d. November 28, 1910.
- x. JARMAN J. STEWART, b. Abt. 1845.
- xi. ARCHIBALD W. STEWART, b. January 13, 1848; d. March 04, 1911.
- xii. DAVID ALLEN STEWART, b. February 12, 1850; d. June 24, 1917.
- xiii. GEORGE DANIEL STEWART, b. March 24, 1852; d. September 24, 1935.
- xiv. WILLIAM ANDREW STEWART, b. September 26, 1856; d. March 09, 1929.
- xv. FRANCES STEWART, b. Abt. 1857; d. in infancy.
- xvi. RHODA FRANCES STEWART, b. February 24, 1859; d. August 31, 1921.

Children of DAVID STEWART and ORPHIA ROBINSON are:

3rd wife

- xvii. MILLIE DEMERIS⁶ STEWART, b. December 30, 1877; d. March 19, 1956; m. WILLIAM FARBER BEASLEY, February 07, 1893, Harnett County, NC.
- xviii. MARY ARTHEERA STEWART, b. January 23, 1879, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. December 30, 1960, Raleigh, NC; m. CHARLES WESLEY BAYLES, October 10, 1895, Coats, Harnett County, NC; b. June 25, 1871, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. July 09, 1970, Coats, Harnett County, NC.

2nd wife widow of William E. Johnson (parents of Florence)

my grand mother

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Notes for MARY ARTHEERA STEWART:

I have the old oak kitchen cabinet that belong to Molly. When I got it from the farm, at the time of the sale, the house had not been lived in for about 15 yrs. Family members had taken most of the other good furniture, but this cabinet had been painted green several time and looked to be in bad shape. When refinished it was found to be a lovely oak. I have use it many years.

More About MARY ARTHEERA STEWART:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

Notes for CHARLES WESLEY BAYLES:

Grandpa Charlie said he fell in love with Molly when she was 13. Her father David Stewart would not allow a marriage until she was 16.

I have been told ~~family~~ that Charlie called at the Stewart home to court Molly's sister Milly.

Charlie and brother Daniel inherited the land from father Offie.

More About CHARLES WESLEY BAYLES:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

- xix. JOSEPT HERBERT STEWART, b. March 24, 1883; d. October 10, 1960.
- xx. FLOYD ROBINSON STEWART, b. September 22, 1887; d. July 11, 1910, Harnett County, NC.

Notes for FLOYD ROBINSON STEWART:

was twin of Troy

- xxi. TROY STEWART, b. September 22, 1887; d. in infancy.

Notes for TROY STEWART:

Died as a baby.
Twin of Floyd Robinson Stewart

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Descendants of Kemp Mitchell

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- KEMP MITCHELL
- MITCHELL FAMILY

Generation No. 1

1. KEMP¹ MITCHELL¹ was born Abt. 1814 in Cumberland Co. NC, and died Bet. 1867 - 1870 in Cumberland Co. NC. He married SPICEY DENNING¹ December 21, 1848 in Cumberland Co., NC, daughter of JOEL DENNING and ELIZABETH JERNIGAN. She was born Abt. 1826 in Cumberland Co. NC, and died in Cumberland Co. NC.

Notes for KEMP MITCHELL:

Listed on 1850 NC census--Eastern Division page 98 family #1549. Name written as Rin. I believe this is Kemp because Spicey is listed as wife. His occupation is listed as laborer.

There are no children listed.

Kemp is not listed on the 1870 census. The names and ages of his children are based on the 1870 census.

Children of KEMP MITCHELL and SPICEY DENNING are:

2. i. WILLIAM JEFF² MITCHELL, b. Abt. 1853.
- ii. JULIUS MITCHELL, b. Abt. 1860.
3. iii. SUSAN MITCHELL, b. Aft. 1862.
4. iv. JAMES REDAHLFUS MITCHELL, b. September 30, 1863, Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC; d. August 14, 1944, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.
- v. J. J. MITCHELL, b. Abt. 1867.

Generation No. 2

2. WILLIAM JEFF² MITCHELL (KEMP¹)² was born Abt. 1853. He married BASHEBA COLVILLE².

Notes for WILLIAM JEFF MITCHELL:

1870 census lists a Jeff Mitchell age 17 living with a Turlington family.

More About WILLIAM JEFF MITCHELL:

Census: 1860, 8 years old

Children of WILLIAM MITCHELL and BASHEBA COLVILLE are:

- i. ELLEN³ MITCHELL².
- ii. GEORGE MITCHELL².

3. SUSAN² MITCHELL (KEMP¹)² was born Aft. 1862.

Notes for SUSAN MITCHELL:

Aunt Sis never married it is not known who was the father of her son

Child of SUSAN MITCHELL is:

5. i. DALLAS³ MITCHELL, b. Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC; d. Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC.

4. JAMES REDAHLFUS² MITCHELL (KEMP¹) was born September 30, 1863 in Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC, and died August 14, 1944 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC. He married FLORENCE ANN JOHNSON December 22, 1892, daughter of WILLIAM JOHNSON and ORPHIA ROBINSON. She was born July 13, 1870 in Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC, and died June 23, 1959 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.

Notes for JAMES REDAHLFUS MITCHELL:

According to NEIL'S WAY...by Hugh Matthews Dahl Mitchell was sherriff in Harnett. The story states it was at the time Ken Matthews was deputy and jailer and he was married to Katie. Best guess at the time would be after

1922 (Ken & Katie married Dec 1921) and before Aug 1944 when Dahl died.

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There is a book "Jernigan Reunion" that list his name as James Robert Adolphus.

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More About JAMES REDAHLFUS MITCHELL:

Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

Death Certificate: in file

Occupation: Farmer

More About FLORENCE ANN JOHNSON:

Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

Children of JAMES MITCHELL and FLORENCE JOHNSON are:

- 6. i. OPHELIA³ MITCHELL, b. March 02, 1896, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; d. March 28, 1982, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.
- 7. ii. MARY KATHERINE MITCHELL, b. June 02, 1898, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; d. December 16, 1983, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.
- iii. JOHN BENJAMIN MITCHELL, b. June 10, 1901, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; d. Abt. 1905, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.

Notes for JOHN BENJAMIN MITCHELL:

Developed blue bruised looking spots and died soon after.

Generation No. 3

5. DALLAS³ MITCHELL (SUSAN², KEMP¹) was born in Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC, and died in Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC. He married RENA --?-- in Harnett County, NC. She was born February 12, 1884 in Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC, and died July 08, 1968 in Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC.

Children of DALLAS MITCHELL and RENA --?-- are:

- i. DELMAR⁴ MITCHELL, b. Abt. 1912, Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC; m. IDA FAULKNER, Harnett County, NC; b. Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC; d. Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC.
- ii. IRA MITCHELL.
- iii. LOTTIE MITCHELL, m. WEAVER --?--.

6. OPHELIA³ MITCHELL (JAMES REDAHLFUS², KEMP¹) was born March 02, 1896 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC, and died March 28, 1982 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC. She married (1) JAMES BERNARD UPCHURCH November 10, 1912 in Harnett County, NC, son of JAMES UPCHURCH and MARY WILSON. He was born October 08, 1884 in Harnett County, NC, and died January 02, 1926 in Harnett County, Buies Creek, NC. She married (2) EMMIT JACKSON April 04, 1937. He was born in Sampson County, NC, and died Abt. 1955 in Sampson County, NC.

Notes for OPHELIA MITCHELL:

Did not have a middle name. As a child when I ask what her middle name was, she told me she did not have one because her parents could not think of anything ugly enough to go with Ophelia.

More About OPHELIA MITCHELL:

Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

Children of OPHELIA MITCHELL and JAMES UPCHURCH are:

- i. LUCILLE EDNA⁴ UPCHURCH, b. August 15, 1913, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; m. WILLIAM BIRD STINSON; b. September 28, 1912; d. July 1985, Wake Co, NC..
- ii. MARY FLORENCE UPCHURCH, b. November 16, 1914, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; d. January 28, 1987, Virginia Beach, VA; m. COLEMAN WATSON BAYLES, November 28, 1934, Dillon, SC; b. January 12, 1912, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. June 26, 1995, Chesapeake, VA.

More About MARY FLORENCE UPCHURCH:

1 Burial: January 31, 1987, Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

1 D 1 1 More About COLEMAN WATSON BAYLES:

1 Burial: June 29, 1995, Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

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D + D iii. DOROTHY GRACE UPCHURCH, b. September 10, 1916, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; m. (1) DERIUS FRANK TURNER, November 29, 1934; d. January 09, 1947; m. (2) EDWARD BRASWELL, Abt. 1952, Durham, NC.

D + D iv. JAMES REID UPCHURCH, b. November 08, 1918, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; m. ADA GREGORY, May 10, 1941; b. June 24, 1918, Harnett County, Buies Creek, NC; d. February 02, 1977, Harnett County, Buies Creek, NC.

1 D 1 1 More About ADA GREGORY:
1 Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

D + D v. CARO PANSY UPCHURCH, b. August 04, 1921, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; m. (1) VICTOR BEAL; d. Abt. 1987; m. (2) GARLAND BOWLING STEWART, January 15, 1945; b. July 13, 1915; d. April 1979, Durham, NC..

7. MARY KATHERINE³ MITCHELL (*JAMES REDAHLFUS², KEMP¹*) was born June 02, 1898 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC, and died December 16, 1983 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC. She married KENNETH CILFORD MATTHEWS December 28, 1921, son of NEIL MATTHEWS and ANNIE STEWART. He was born September 06, 1898 in Harnett County, NC, and died April 09, 1974 in Coats, Harnett County, NC.

Notes for MARY KATHERINE MITCHELL:

Aunt Katie gave me her china, Hampshire by Royal Dalton. She also gave me some of her silver dinner ware, Chantilly by Gorham. I also, have a small pink cameo her parents gave her when she finished school. She also, gave me a pendent she won in a spelling contest.

Notes for KENNETH CILFORD MATTHEWS:

Grave stone says year of birth 1898, Social Security records shows 1897. I beleive 1898 is correct because Aunt Katie was born in 1898 and I was told she was a few months older than Ken.

Child of MARY MITCHELL and KENNETH MATTHEWS is:

- i. NEAL MITCHELL⁴ MATTHEWS, b. October 08, 1922; d. October 10, 1922, Lillington, Harnett County, NC.

Endnotes

- 1. *Death Certificate of Son.*
- 2. Lillian Jernigan Worley, *Jernigan's Reunion*, (published in 1971).

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 Descendants of Hugh A. Johnson New-File D-1
 • HUGH A. JOHNSON
 • JOHNSON FAMILY

Generation No. 1

1. HUGH A.³ JOHNSON (*SILVANUS², BENJAMIN¹*) was born April 30, 1816 in Harnett County, NC, and died Bet. 1870 - 1873 in Harnett County, NC. He married ANGELINA BARNES September 09, 1841 in Cumberland Co., NC, daughter of DAVID BARNES and BETHANIA NEWSOM. She was born February 05, 1819 in Harnett County, NC, and died Aft. 1894 in Harnett County, NC.

Marriage Notes for HUGH JOHNSON and ANGELINA BARNES:
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- Children of HUGH JOHNSON and ANGELINA BARNES are:
- i. MARY⁴ JOHNSON, b. November 15, 1841.
 - ii. LEWIS JOHNSON, b. January 1843; d. Bef. 1850.
 - iii. LOUISA ETTA JOHNSON, b. January 25, 1844.
 - iv. ELIZABETH D. JOHNSON, b. August 20, 1845.
2. v. WILLIAM E. JOHNSON, b. October 14, 1846; d. Abt. 1872.
- vi. CIVIL ANN JOHNSON, b. April 08, 1848.
 - vii. DAVID H. JOHNSON, b. May 26, 1849; d. March 1908.

Generation No. 2

2. WILLIAM E.⁴ JOHNSON (*HUGH A.³, SILVANUS², BENJAMIN¹*) was born October 14, 1846, and died Abt. 1872. He married ORPHIA CATHERINE ANN ROBINSON Bef. 1870 in NC, daughter of JOSEPH ROBINSON and ORPHIA BOSSER. She was born June 07, 1846 in Georgia, and died January 08, 1914 in Harnett County, NC.

More About ORPHIA CATHERINE ANN ROBINSON:
 Cause of Death: pneumonia
 Death Certificate: On file

- Children of WILLIAM JOHNSON and ORPHIA ROBINSON are:
- 3. i. FLORENCE ANN⁵ JOHNSON, b. July 13, 1870, Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC; d. June 23, 1959, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.
 - ii. WILLIE DEMASCUS JOHNSON, b. March 01, 1873.

my great grand mother

Generation No. 3

3. FLORENCE ANN⁵ JOHNSON (*WILLIAM E.⁴, HUGH A.³, SILVANUS², BENJAMIN¹*) was born July 13, 1870 in Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC, and died June 23, 1959 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC. She married JAMES REDAHLFUS MITCHELL December 22, 1892, son of KEMP MITCHELL and SPICEY DENNING. He was born September 30, 1863 in Harnett Co., Buies Creek, NC, and died August 14, 1944 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.

More About FLORENCE ANN JOHNSON:
 Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

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More About JAMES REDAHLFUS MITCHELL:

Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

Death Certificate: in file

Occupation: Farmer

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More About OPHELIA MITCHELL:
 Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

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- iii. JOHN BENJAMIN MITCHELL, b. June 10, 1901, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; d. Abt. 1905, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.

Notes for JOHN BENJAMIN MITCHELL:
 Developed blue bruised looking spots and died soon after.

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• SOLOMON BAYLES
• BAYLES FAMILY

Descendants of Solomon Bayles

Generation No. 1

1. SOLOMON¹ BAYLES was born Abt. 1792 in NC, and died Bet. 1850 - 1860 in Coats, Harnett County, NC. He married NANCY HOWARD Bef. 1826. She was born Abt. 1803 in NC, and died Aft. 1880 in Coats, Harnett County, NC.

Notes for SOLOMON BAYLES:
He 1st appeared on the 1820 Cumberland County census. No record before

More About SOLOMON BAYLES:
Census: Not listed on 1860

Notes for NANCY HOWARD:
1870 Census she is living with son William and family.
1880 Census living with daughter Caroline in Grove Township page 9 age is 77
Name is listed as Bales

Children of SOLOMON BAYLES and NANCY HOWARD are:

- 2. i. THEOPHILUS² BAYLES, b. Abt. 1826, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. Aft. 1880, Coats, Harnett County, NC.
- 3. ii. NANCY BAYLES, b. Abt. 1828.
- iii. ALLEY BAYLES, b. Abt. 1830, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. Bet. 1870 - 1874; m. JOHN BYRD.
- iv. JOHN J. BAYLES, b. Abt. 1834.

Notes for JOHN J. BAYLES:
Book on Confederate soldiers Co. F. 15 Regiment, N.C. Troops
Resided in Harnett County where he enlisted at age 27, May 18, 1861. Present or accounted for until discharged on September 20, 1861 by reason of disability

- v. CAROLINE BAYLES, b. Abt. 1836.

Notes for CAROLINE BAYLES:
Never married

- vi. JAMES W. BAYLES, b. Abt. 1837.

Notes for JAMES W. BAYLES:
Book on Confederate Soldiers 1861-1865 Co. F 15 Regiment N. C. Troops
Private, Born in Harnett County where he resided as a farmer prior to enlisting in Harnett County at age 25, May 18, 1861. Present or accounted for until wounded in the right hand at Sharpsburg, Md. Sept. 17, 1862. Right forefinger amputated. Returned to duty in Jan-February, 1863, but was discharged on March 18, 1863, by reason of "numerous abscesses forming on hand and arm, the flexor muscles of the hand have been contracted so as to render his arm and hand permanently disabled"

- vii. WILLIAM B. BAYLES, b. Bet. 1838 - 1841; m. ELIZABETH CROWDER, Aft. 1870.
- viii. JENNET ISABEL BAYLES, b. June 21, 1842; m. HENRY TART, Bef. 1868; b. January 25, 1845, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. July 1914, Coats, Harnett County, NC.

Notes for HENRY TART:
See #522 Heritage of Harnett for children.

Generation No. 2

2. THEOPHILUS² BAYLES (SOLOMON¹) was born Abt. 1826 in Coats, Harnett County, NC, and died Aft. 1880 in Coats, Harnett County, NC. He married LOUISA JORDAN February 07, 1855 in Coats, Harnett County, NC, daughter of GREEN JORDAN and MIDDY MATTHEWS. She was born Abt. 1830 in Johnston County, NC, and died

Abt. 1909 in Coats, Harnett County, NC.

Notes for THEOPHILUS BAYLES:

Buried in a uncared for cemetery. Grave marker missing

Book on Confederate Soldiers: 1861-1865 Co. E, 5th Regiment N. C. State Troops .

Bayles, Theophilus, Private, Born in Harnett Cunty and was by occupation a shoemaker prior to enlisting in Harnett County at age 38, October 11, 1864, for the war. Present or accounted for until November 4, 1864, when he was "sent to hospital". No further records.

More About THEOPHILUS BAYLES:

Burial: Coats, Harnett County, NC

Notes for LOUISA JORDAN:

1850 NC census living with parents and brother, age listed as 17.

According to Aunt Thetis: lived with son Charles, broke her leg late in life. She got hooked on morphine and the Dr keep her supplied.

Should be listed on census with Charlie and Molly after Offie died.

name pronounced Lou-i-z

Marriage Notes for THEOPHILUS BAYLES and LOUISA JORDAN:

IGI Record for Theophilus Bales & Louisa Jordan 7 Feb 1855 Cumberland, NC

Batch number M516002 and Marriage Records of Cumberland County, North Carolina page 5

Children of THEOPHILUS BAYLES and LOUISA JORDAN are:

- i. L. C.³ BAYLES, b. Abt. 1856; d. Bef. 1860 - 1870.
- ii. NANCY C. BAYLES, b. Abt. 1858.
- iii. MARY ANN BAYLES, b. August 04, 1860; d. January 29, 1943; m. TROY A. PARKER, Coats, Harnett County, NC; b. April 01, 1860; d. July 08, 1917, Coats, Harnett County, NC..
- iv. EMILY JANE BAYLES, b. Abt. 1864; m. TART --?--.
- 4. v. DANIEL W. BAYLES, b. May 24, 1868; d. Abt. 1931, Harnett County, NC.
- 5. vi. CHARLES WESLEY BAYLES, b. June 25, 1871, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. July 09, 1970, Coats, Harnett County, NC.

3. NANCY² BAYLES (SOLOMON¹) was born Abt. 1828. She married --?-- Bef. 1860. He died Bef. 1870.

Child of NANCY BAYLES and --?-- is:

- i. L.³ BAYLES, b. Abt. 1863.

Generation No. 3

4. DANIEL W.³ BAYLES (THEOPHILUS², SOLOMON¹) was born May 24, 1868, and died Abt. 1931 in Harnett County, NC. He married J. EMMA DENNING.

More About DANIEL W. BAYLES:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

Children of DANIEL BAYLES and J. DENNING are:

- i. AVA⁴ BAYLES, b. June 27, 1894, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. March 12, 1986, Coats, Harnett County, NC; m. JAMES BRONNIE PAGE; b. November 10, 1883; d. November 1967.
- ii. IVA BAYLES.
- iii. BEVIE BAYLES, b. September 06, 1909, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. January 13, 1976, Coats, Harnett County, NC; m. J. W. DIXON; b. March 01. 1905; d. August 19. 1971.

Notes for BEVIE BAYLES:

Social Security Index list DOB as Sept 7, 1909

- iv. BERNICE E. BAYLES, b. July 08, 1916.
- v. J. C. BAYLES.
- vi. T. C. BAYLES.

5. CHARLES WESLEY³ BAYLES (*THEOPHILUS², SOLOMON¹*) was born June 25, 1871 in Coats, Harnett County, NC, and died July 09, 1970 in Coats, Harnett County, NC. He married MARY ARTHEERA STEWART October 10, 1895 in Coats, Harnett County, NC, daughter of DAVID STEWART and ORPHIA ROBINSON. She was born January 23, 1879 in Coats, Harnett County, NC, and died December 30, 1960 in Raleigh, NC.

Notes for CHARLES WESLEY BAYLES:

Grandpa Charlie said he fell in love with Molly when she was 13. Her father David Stewart would not allow a marriage until she was 16.

I have been told family that Charlie called at the Stewart home to court Molly's sister Milly.

Charlie and brother Daniel inherited the land from father Offie.

More About CHARLES WESLEY BAYLES:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

Notes for MARY ARTHEERA STEWART:

I have the old oak kitchen cabinet that belong to Molly. When I got it from the farm, at the time of the sale, the house had not been lived in for about 15 yrs. Family members had taken most of the other good furniture, but this cabinet had been painted green several time and looked to be in bad shape. When refinished it was found to be a lovely oak. I have use it many years.

More About MARY ARTHEERA STEWART:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

Children of CHARLES BAYLES and MARY STEWART are:

- i. DAVID BURT⁴ BAYLES, b. May 24, 1898, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. August 25, 1969, Erwin, Harnett County, NC; m. MARY CORNELIA LEWIS; b. October 06, 1905, NC; d. July 27, 1995, Harnett County, NC.

More About DAVID BURT BAYLES:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

More About MARY CORNELIA LEWIS:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

- ii. CHARLES BROOK BAYLES, b. April 22, 1903, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. May 16, 1987, Moncks Corner, SC; m. VIRGINIA PEARL POLLARD; b. Harnett County, NC; d. Moncks Corner, SC.

More About CHARLES BROOK BAYLES:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

More About VIRGINIA PEARL POLLARD:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

- iii. THEOPHILUS WORTH BAYLES, b. April 11, 1906, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. June 18, 1987, Durham, NC; m. NOLA CLELLIE CASH, May 11, 1927, Durham, NC; b. December 23, 1905; d. September 1973.

More About THEOPHILUS WORTH BAYLES:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

- iv. SEAMAN WESLEY BAYLES, b. January 02, 1909; d. January 02, 1937.

More About SEAMAN WESLEY BAYLES:

Burial: Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

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v. COLEMAN WATSON BAYLES, b. January 12, 1912, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. June 26, 1995, Chesapeake, VA; m. MARY FLORENCE UPCHURCH, November 28, 1934, Dillon, SC; b. November 16, 1914, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; d. January 28, 1987, Virginia Beach, VA.

More About COLEMAN WATSON BAYLES:

Burial: June 29, 1995, Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

More About MARY FLORENCE UPCHURCH:

Burial: January 31, 1987, Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

vi. JAMES VERDON BAYLES, b. June 09, 1914, Coats, Harnett County, NC; d. August 13, 1981, Fuquay, NC; m. DOROTHY ROBERTS.

vii. THETIS CATHERINE BAYLES, b. February 28, 1917; m. WAYLAND MCDUFFIE.

GLORIA JEAN BAYLES

XII-14680 ①

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6 EAGLES WAY LANE

LAKE ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI 63367-2240

23 JUL 1999

JEAN BAYLES AMSPACHER
521 BEAUREGARD DRIVE
CHESAPEAKE, VA 23322-3552

Dear Cousin Jean,

Thanks for your letter of 15 JUL 1999 which I have now finished processing. Copies of all the photographs, etc. have been placed in all the appropriate binders.

I will look forward to the additional information you are seeking whenever it becomes available. Your dedication to pursuit of family history is admirable. My spouse is like yours - family history is not her "thing". However, she is an angel and helps me in my work on family history. In exchange I do whatever she tells me to do. This would be true in any case. Tell Jim spouse who help/tolerate their mate in the pursuit of family history get extra kumone prints from St Peter!

Thanks for your personal history. I know you are looking forward to your TN retirement home. That is beautiful country. Sallaine too likes some cold weather - few seasons really.

Enclosed in Item ① from my Broph or Ophelia
NMN Mitchell - just in case you did not get this
Notice that it came to me in 1982

I have rechecked my files on Fannie U (XFD-
14719) and it consists of one entry - copy enclosed.
I have 17 individuals named LONNIE W PCHURCH.
Hope you can find more details. The 1900 & 1910 Census
records would be a fair bet - probably in NC
- but which county - probably Johnston or Wake.

Just so you will have something extra
from me I enclose herewith my 14-Page
39 Item Biopic on your ancestor Calvin U (XFD-14646)
He was the Greatgrandfather of James Bernard U,
your Grandfather. Calvin U headed the Calvin U
Substan in the Jubal U Class or the
Jubal U/Calvin U Substan as usually written.
I don't know how much interest this is
to you but it does set the stage for me
to exchange more news if you are
so inclined. Let me know if you have
questions.

Since your Bayler / Wyburns / Stewart / Mitchell
ancestors seem to come from central NC or

did my Upchurch / Cray / Ray / Edwards ancestor
perhaps we will run across more information
to exchange. The Johnsons also hold promise
I have a fair amount on that family. If
you want to send me a sketch of your
narrow ancestral line I'll do some spot
checking in my files to see if I encounter
relevant information.

I'll look forward to hearing from
you and to helping each other some
more.

Sincerely yours
① Phil Upchurch
{ ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH }

GLORIA JEAN BAYLES

XID-14680 ①

July 15, 1999

REC'D
16 JUL 1999
Note: Copies of all monuments / certificates, etc placed in all appropriate envelopes - RMA 23 JUL 1999

Jean Bayles Amspacher
521 Beaufregard Drive
Chesapeake, VA 23322-3552

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Dear Cousin Phil,

As in the past, your last letter was a wonderful surprise package. I enjoyed receiving all the information and it added much to my knowledge of my Upchurch ancestors.

□+□ I wish I knew more about the Upchurch line, facts are very hard to find. My Upchurch branch is not "close" therefore they are not willing to provide much information. My mother and
□+□ grandmother where not close to the Upchurch family. Ophelia remarried and moved to Sampson
△+△ County in 1934—no Upchurch's there. She seemed to feel resentment that Bun's family did not
△+△ help during his long illness. She was fortunate that her parents were still alive and able to help
□+□+□ raise the 5 children. I remember my grandmother Ophelia spoke well of Mary & Jim U. She had
□+□ my Grandmother Mary's solid oak rolling pen. I now have it and use it proudly. I know both
□+□ grandmothers would be pleased that it still makes pie crust. Grandmother warned me I had to
△ use it or it would dry up. She was right, it has a beautiful shine.

△ I ordered and just received a copy of the death certificate for my great grandmother, Mary
△+□+□ Elizabeth Wilson Upchurch, wife of James Benjamin. I have enclosed a copy for you. I had
□ hoped to find her father's name listed since I know her mother, Sarah, is buried in the family plot,
□+□ but as you will see the line is blank. I have just ordered a death certificate for Sarah to see if her
□+□ parents are listed as Wilson. Wilson is listed as her maiden name. Since Mary was alive at
□ Sarah's death maybe more info will be there. It is unusual for unmarried women at that time in
□ history to raise a child. The family has been a bit dull up to this point—maybe I have found a
□ little scandal! I will let you know what I find in my next letter.

□+□+□+□ I have also ordered death certificates for Jim and Mary's daughters, Ava and Lillye, in hopes of
□ finding their middle names. They should arrive next week. I would love to know what happened
□ to my grandfather's brother Lonnie. Harnett County records start with 1903, so anything before
□ that I am not sure where to look. If there are any bible records I have not been able to locate
□ them. Maybe descendents of the other children have them. I hope to find a way to connect some
— others. Any suggestions?

△+△ Also enclosed are some more gravestone photos: Jefferson and Virginia Horton U., their son and
△+△+△+△ daughter-in-law, Ben and Lela Parker U., Charles Herbert and Mary Etta Stewart U. Marian and
△ Simeon Upchurch (not sure exactly where they fit in), but they all are buried in the Buies Creek
□ Cemetery in Lillington. That should finish the Upchurch's in Buies Creek Cemetery. Somehow I
□+□ missed Lenora U. Denning's husband; I will get that photo on my next trip.

□+□ I am working on the question list you sent, but so far do not have much to add. Hopefully I will
□ by my next letter.

That is about all the new information I have, so I will tell you a little about myself. As you know from records, I am the oldest child of Mary and Coleman Bayles. I graduated from high school in 1963 and after a year in business school went to work. I have worked as a bookkeeper most of my working career. I now work for a division of Lockheed Martin in Chesapeake, Virginia. My husband, Jim, has 2 daughters from a previous marriage. We do not have any children together.

* Simeon Address U, son of John Christopher U & jr of Benjamin U b OCT 1830

As a child I enjoyed horseback riding and was lucky enough to have a horse. My sister, Marsha, still enjoys riding and has several horses on her farm in Galax, VA. That is in the lower western side of the state in the mountains. I don't get to see her often as it is about a 6-hour drive. We usually get together in May when we stop on our way to Tennessee or at our Bayles Family Reunion in NC.

We hope to retire to Maryville, TN (near Knoxville). We both prefer the cooler mountain weather. We already have our land and hope to build in about 4 years. Then Marsha and I will be about 3 hrs apart. I enjoy sewing and of course family history. We live near Norfolk-Virginia Beach area. It is a tourist and military area in the lower eastern part of the state. Jim is retired military and now works for the government.

My grandfather Bayles (he lived to be 99yrs old) use to keep his grandchildren entertained with stories of family. Much of it was retained in the back of my memory and at times odd bits of information work its way out to the surface. I think he would be proud of what I have recorded on his family. All "my families" are entered twined. They all came from the same or surrounding counties and Bayles, Upchurch, Stewart, Mitchell names run through each line. Most families were in the area back to the 1700's.

I have always had an interest in "where I came from". I can remember asking questions even as a child, and was fascinated that my great-great grandmother Johnson was also my great grandmother Stewart. Now of course it is not such a mystery. Grandma Katie married William Johnson and had 2 daughters. He died in 1872 and she married a neighbor, David Stewart (she was his 3rd wife) and had 5 more children. My mother's grandmother was in the 1st set of children and my father's mother was in the 2nd set of children. I wish I could have known Katie (she died in 1914). She came from Georgia in 1864 with her mother and siblings to live in NC. I bet she had some great stories!

I am enjoying computers and the Internet now. We have 2 computers at home so we each can have one. Jim says he is not very interested in family history. I find he is more interested than he admits. I often hear him tell someone about a "bit of information I just found and the steps I took to find it".

Looking forward to hearing from you,

Sincerely,



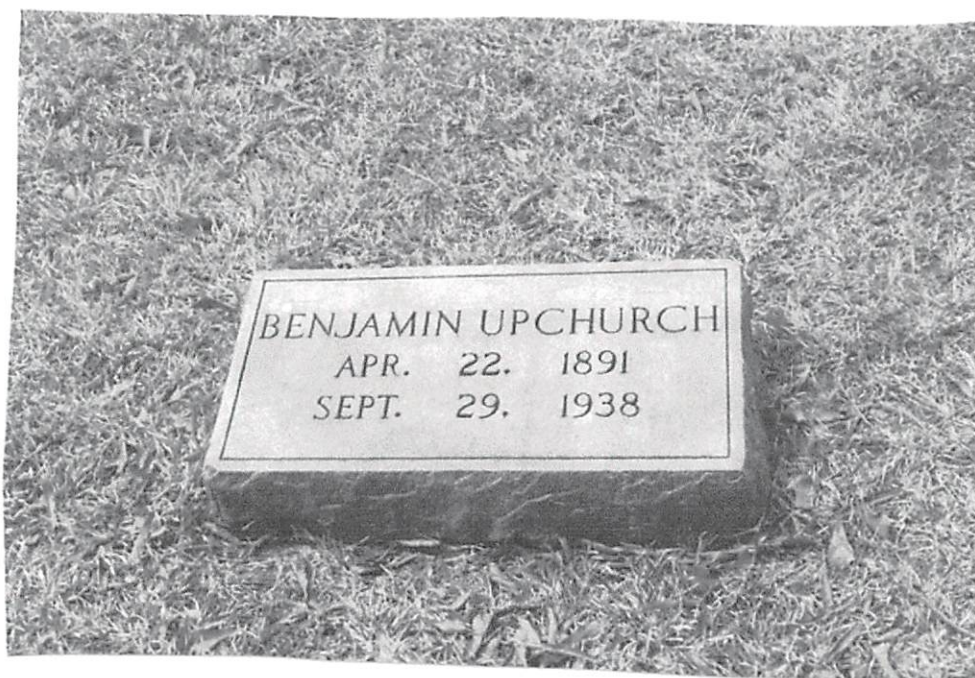
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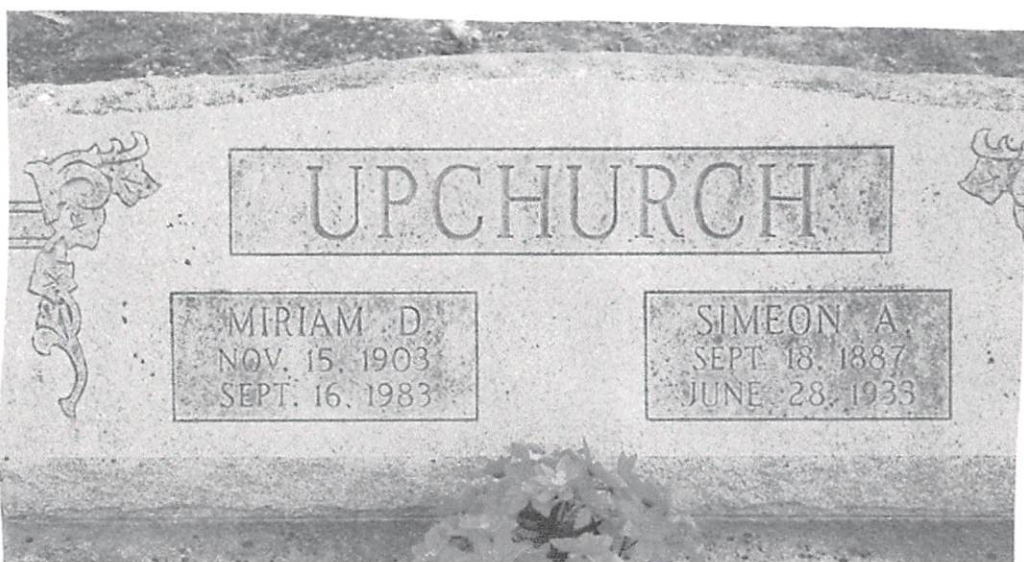
LELA P. UPCHURCH
JAN. 30, 1891
NOV. 19, 1986

wife of
↓



BENJAMIN UPCHURCH
APR. 22, 1891
SEPT. 29, 1938

Son of
Jefferson D.
&
Virginia



UPCHURCH

MIRIAM D.
NOV. 15, 1903
SEPT. 16, 1983

SIMEON A.
SEPT. 18, 1887
JUNE 28, 1933

Buies
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Hammett Co NE

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Son of
James
Benjamin U.
grandson
of Benj.



Son of
Benjamin
& Arabella
Jefferson Davis U.
Virginia Horton

CERTIFICATION OF VITAL RECORD

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
HARNETT COUNTY
OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS

Wife of
James Bernal
Upchurch

B. V. S. Form 7

1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Harnett
Township Neill's Creek
or Town Buies Creek

North Carolina State Board of Health
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration District No. 43-2298 Certificate No. 3

2 FULL NAME Mary Elizabeth Upchurch

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

3 MALE OR FEMALE Female
4 COLOR OR RACE White
5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, or DIVORCED married
(Write the word)

16 DATE OF DEATH Nov 12 1918
(Month) (Day) (Year)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Dec 27 1855
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from
Nov 12 1918 to Nov 12 1918
that I last saw her alive on Nov 12 1918
and that death occurred on the date above stated, at 5:30 p. m.

7 AGE 63 yrs. 2 mos. 15 ds.
IF LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Cerebral Hemorrhage
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

Contributory
(Signed) J. F. Meigs M. D.
, 19 (Address) Buies Creek

9 BIRTHPLACE Harnett Co. N.C.

PARENTS
10 NAME OF FATHER
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER N.C. (State or Country)
12 NAME OF MOTHER BEFORE MARRIAGE Sarah Wilson
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER N.C. (State or Country)

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) J. B. Upchurch
(Address) Buies Creek

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (for Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)
At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?
Former or usual residence

15 Filed Dec 30 1918 J. H. Taylor Registrar.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Buies Creek DATE OF BURIAL Nov 12 1918
20 UNDERTAKER Parker Bros. ADDRESS Lidington N.C.

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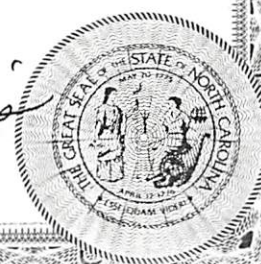
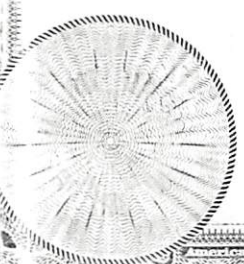
Kimberly S. Hargrove
Register of Deeds
Harnett County

Witness my hand and official seal
this the 6th day of July 19 1918

By: Annita P. Davis
Deputy/Assistant Register of Deeds

DHHS 3914 (REVISED 6/98) NC VITAL RECORDS

Any alteration or erasure voids this certificate. Do not accept unless on security paper with Vital Records seal clearly embossed in left corner.



GLORIA JEAN BAYLES

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G. JEAN AMSPACHER
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5 JUN 1999

Dear Cousin Jean,

I was very excited to get your letter of 31 MAY 1999 and the associated family information I have now-or-then put other things aside to process your letter and now have all the details extracted and properly recorded.

I went over all past copies of the UB and have identified on an enclosed sheet the issues you might find most useful. Mostly, these will help you get a feel for what we have been doing in the UB and a feel for our heritage in the Mallowin Creek Area of Franklin Co, NC. It was disappointing to learn again that we have published so little on Jubal H & his descendants. We do have more material in hand now and it is time to give more attention to him. You can order some, none or all of the issues listed. If you do order I'll send some supplementary material which has not yet appeared in the UB.

Any additional details you can obtain on the James Bernard U family will be appreciated. I have now tracked up one generation and enclose a set of questions on James Benjamin U & his children. Any answer you have or can get will be appreciated.

As a bonus I enclose herewith a copy of my 11 Page 23 Item **Biofile on Benjamin U XFD-14648**. He was the GF of your GF James Bernard U - or your GGGF. As usual, any correction or addition you have will be appreciated.

Please do continue to send photos of gravestones

I experienced hard times similar to those your mother experienced. We lost our 43 acre farm (where I was born) during the depression. Like your mother I did not know we were poor and did not feel badly because of our situation. It all makes for great stories. We had lunch with our daughter today & I told her the story about your mother's artistic ability. My wife and her siblings have a similar ability (I have none). We have a 17 year old granddaughter who is artistic. She gave us a pencil sketch of mother Theresa which we have framed. She teaches herself to play the violin - but thinks her parents are dumb - Typical!!

I have ordered the Harnett Co, Heritage Book. Thanks for the information

Jean, we no doubt have a lot more to share and I look forward to our continued exchanges. Could you tell me a little about yourself. It is not necessary but it helps in exchange to know a little about a persons background, interests, where they have lived, etc.

With All Best Wishes

Sincerely yours

☺ Phil Upchurch

{ ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH }

MISSING DETAILS ON JAMES 4 JUN 1999 (4)
BENJAMIN UPCIURCH & HIS CHILDREN

1) For James Benjamin U

- a) was he born in Harnett Co, NC?
- b) when did he marry (about 1874)?
- c) where did he marry?
- d) Did he have just seven children?

2) For Lannie U

- a) what was his full name?
- b) when was he born?
- c) was he born in Harnett Co, NC?
- d) when & where did he die & where buried?
- e) Did he ever marry/have children? If so, details?

3) For Lenora UMN

- a) was she born in Harnett Co, NC?
- b) where did she die?
- c) when & where did she marry?
- d) Did she have just 4 children?
- e) For M. LEVANDER DENNING
 - i) what does the "M" stand for?
 - ii) when and where was he born?
 - iii) when and where did he die?

4) For Lillye B. U

- a) what does the "B" stand for?
- b) was she born in Harnett Co, NC?
- c) where did she die?

5) For AVA D. U

- a) what does the "D" stand for?
- b) was she born in Harnett Co, NC?
- c) where did she die?

6) For Charles Herbert U

a) was he born in Harnett Co, NC?

b) where did he die?

c) when and where did he marry?

d) Did he have just three children?

e) For Mary Edna Stewart

i) where was she born?

ii) where did she die?

iii) where is she buried?

7) For James Bernard U - All OK for he & his wife & number of children. Some details on descendants missing.

8) For Maude U

a) what was her full maiden name?

b) when in JUL 1893 was she born?

c) was she born in Harnett Co, NC?

d) when did she die?

e) where did she die?

f) what is the name of cemetery in which she is buried?

g) when and where did she marry?

h) Did she have just two children?

i) For Cooper Hall, Sr

i) what was his full name?

ii) when & where was he born?

iii) when & where did he die?

iv) where is he buried?

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Issues of the U^B (Vol/Issue) Having some bearing on Jubal U, I (Head of Uplund's Class No 6) - For Elona Jean (Daughter) Amspacher

I looked through the Index of all U^B issues going back over the last 19 years and suggest the following issues (Vol/Issue) as having possible interest for Jean. (Listed more or less in priority order):

7/1 - outline of the Jubal U, I Class - to the extent then known

15/3 - Mentions help needed on Jubal U, I.

3/3 - Missing Link # 10

1/1 - Gets you started

2/1 - About the Uplund's of Massasin Creek Area

8/2 - More about Massasin Creek "High Ground Triangle"

13/2 - The Land of Richard U, II (Common Ancestor of Jean & Phil)

13/4 - Land of Richard U, III (Brother of Jubal U, I)

15/4 - The 4 Letters of Michael U, I - original Uplund settlers in America

GLORIA JEAN BAYLES

XFD-14680

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May 31, 1999

LY OF THIS PG PLACED IN KUDD FILE

REC'D 3 JUN 1999

G. Jean Amspacher
521 Beauregard Drive
Chesapeake, VA
23322-3552

Dear Cousin Phil,

Words can not express how pleased I was with your last letter and all the information it contained. I will look forward to whatever information you will share; and yes, if you can tell me which vol's of the UB covers my line I would like to purchase them. I received the UB and enjoyed reading it. I look forward to future issues and learning about our family. I have read the two more than once and will keep them for future reference.

I do not know much about the English side, so I look forward to Englandia. As children we would ask, "Where did our family come from and how did the Upchurch name come about?" My mother and siblings were great storytellers. They made up a tall tale about the family coming from England and being great horse thieves. Their "tale" was that our ancestors were the best horse thieves in England. They could out run the sheriff and would hide up in the church, so they were given the name Upchurch in honor of this great accomplished. At least now I know they came from England, but it is disappointing to learn they were just ordinary people. I have not been able to find a "great horse thief" in the bunch.

I have been busy compiling "things" for you. As you look through the pages, you will see notes-- I did this to help you as well as help me remember why I was sending it. I am sending more Upchurch gravestone photos for Buies Creek Cemetery. Some of these I already sent, some are better pictures and some are new from my last trip to Buies Creek. So far as I can tell, I have photos of most of the Upchurch graves in the Buies Creek Cemetery to date, but somehow I missed Charles Herbert and wife and Jefferson Davis and wife. I know I made photos, but put "them away" and don't remember where. It was cold, rainy and windy on my last trip to Buies Creek, now I know how a ghost in a cemetery feels. I know you must receive a lot of information in the mail and if you do not want grave photos please let met know.

As for the question sheet you sent--I made notes in red of what I could. I will keep a copy and as new information arrives I will add it. Unfortunately my branch does not have much knowledge of the Upchurch line and not willing to give up current facts. I did find a few pictures from the early 1940's and am sending them. Also, there is a picture of the James Bernard's grandchildren taken about 1954. Now that I am learning to "scan" it is easy to share old pictures that I was unwilling to send away to copy. Enclosed are copies of death certificates for my parents Mary U. and Coleman Bayles and a copy of their marriage license. Thank you so much for sending a copy of James U's death certificate it was a wonderful surprise as I turned the pages of your letter. I did find an error that I sent you. James U. was born on Aug 18 not Aug 15—see photo.

↳ [JAMES BENJAMIN U]

As for the picture of Jefferson Davis & Virginia, I will try to scan a better copy. On the copy I will put the name and address of the person who submitted article #575.

I was interest to learn that Johnston County had a book similar to Harnett. I will look for a copy. My Jordan line (my fathers' maternal grandfather) came from there. He was Green Jordan, born 1804, son of Nicholas Jordan. Both sides of my family are from old Cumberland area. So lines ended up in Johnston, Franklin, Harnett and Wake. It is easy to get side tracked when looking for

one ancestor and I stumble across "the other side of the family." I am learning to try to keep organized. I have set up surname folders and try to put what ever I find in the file until I can work on it. I am very lucky to have grown up hearing stories and names of my ancestors. It has made my search a little easier sometimes. I am finding both sides of my family have Johnson, Stewart, Bayles, Upchurch and Mitchell.

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- A little family history.

Δ+Δ+Δ James Bernard worked as a store clerk in a drug according to his son, Reid. Since he had been sick and unable to work for a long time they were poor. Mama told me they did not realize how poor they were because no one else had much either. After "Bun" died, my grandmother Ophelia did not have means to take care of the 5 children. James Redoluphs "Dol" and Florence Ann (Johnson) Mitchell, (her parents) went in the wagon to their home and loaded all to go and live with them. They moved from the town of Buies Creek to the country of Buies Creek. Since grandpa Dol was a farmer there was now plenty of food. She told me even though times were hard they never went hungry and always felt loved and wanted by their grandparents. They helped with the farm when they could. Ophelia helped cook for the farm hands.

Δ Mama had a bit of artist in her but no one else seem to share her talent even in the next generation. There are 3 pastel chalk pictures she did when she was about 12-13 years old that survived.

Δ+Δ+Δ+Δ Guess the rest were not kept. I have one, my sister has one and a Bayles cousin that my mother was very close to has the 3rd. For a young child they are wonderful, however she was not allowed to pursue "this useless pastime." Many years later my father encouraged her to try again. She took lessons in oil painting. Family members now share her paintings. Several years before her death, she put the name of who was to inherit her work on the back of each picture. Of course my sister and I had 1st choice. Mama's oil paintings are proudly displayed.

- On medical history:

Δ+Δ Mama was diagnosed with Diabetes in her 50's. About the same time, her oldest sister Lucille and cousin Una Earl (daughter of Charles Herbert) both discovered they also had it. They thought it must have come from the Upchurch side since Una Earl had it too. Do you know of any other family members with diabetes. Would be interesting to know if their theory was correct.

I have rambled on enough for now, so I will close and start "gathering and scanning" so I can get this in the mail. I hope you find something new in what I am sending. Sharing the information I find gives as much pleasure as finding it.

Please write when you can.

Sincerely

Jean

Jean Amspacher

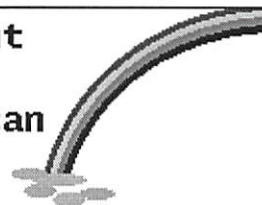
#'s refer to Upchurch articles in Heritage of Hammett

Sidewalk chalks worked great - it washes off

For taking photos of tombstones

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"Jean Amspacher" <gjampacher@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Bettye, I am not sure if either book can still be purchased. You might
>be able to get copies by inter library loan. Here is the info from the
>books.

>
>THE HERITAGE OF HARNETT COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA VOLUME 1, 1993 published
>by The Heritage of Harnett Book Committee in cooperation with Delmar
>Printing. The address in the book is The Heritage of Harnett County
>P.O.Box 241, Erwin, NC 28339. I paid about \$50.00 for this and feel it
>was worth it. Lots of info on the area as it changed through the years
>and of course interesting family stories. If this address is no longer
>good you might try the Chamber of Commerce or Harnett Genealogy Society.

>
> Jean

THE HERITAGE OF HARNETT COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA VOLUME 1 is available through
the Coats (NC) Museum. Price is \$50.00 + \$3 tax. Shipping is extra. There
are 15-20 copies still available for sale.

If you're not familiar with these types of books, they start with a series
of articles documenting different aspects of the county's history. Then
there are approximately 500 articles submitted by individuals documenting a
portion of their family histories, some quite detailed.

Individuals are not indexed, but each occurrence of a surname is indexed.
Ones relatives might turn up in anyone's article, as a spouse, so the index
is still a significant help.

If your family has deep roots in Harnett County, HHC can be of invaluable
assistance. I've spent hundreds of profitable hours with my copy. It can
turn up many unexpected and interesting links to other families and people
(but you can also find links that cause you to say, "Oh no! I'm not related
to them, am I?!")

Another valuable aspect of the Harnett book is that the contributor's
addresses are listed, thus if you find a lead, there is a ready point of
contact for further inquires. Of course in the last six years some of the
contributors have passed away.

If you're interested, you can contact:

Coats Museum
c/o Christine Parrish
1469 Johnston County Road
Benson, NC 27504
(910) 897-8352

Christine is a volunteer at the museum (and my mom :-)

Russell

On the Heritage of Harnett

Print outs from the

NC Harnett - 4@rootsweb.com

mail list -

Hope you find the Book

*order
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1999*


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The Heritage of Harnett Co. is still available. I was in the Chamber of Commerce in Angier in Harnett Co. week before last and they did have a book there, though they had none to sell. They told me the book was \$55.00. They also have, at that location, two books on the history of Angier, "Voices of Yesteryear" and "More Voices of Yesteryear. These sell for \$5.00 each. The first is mainly the history of Angier. The second has lots of information on the early citizens of Angier. If your research leads you to this area, the books are well worth the price.

Gail Shearin-Dupree



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MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY
OF JAMES BERNARD UPTON

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Δ1) For James Bernard U

- a) where in NC did he marry? *Wilmington*
- b) Did he have just 4 children? - 5 children ^① Lucille, ^② Mary, ^③ Grace, ^④ Reuel & ^⑤ Pansy

Δ2) For Lucille Edna U

- a) when and where did she marry?
- b) Did she have just 2 children? *yes*
- Δ c) For William Bird Stinson, Sr:
 - i) when was he born? *NC -*
 - ii) when in JUN 1985 did he die?
 - iii) where is he buried? *July-Aug, Virginia, NC*
- Δ d) For William Bird Stinson, Jr:
 - i) when and where was he born? *NC - July-Aug - Virginia*
 - ii) Did he marry/have children? If so, details? *None*
- Δ e) For Ariadne Stinson - *July-Aug - Virginia, NC*
 - i) what was her full maiden name? *?*
 - ii) where is she buried? *West Va - lived in Elkton, W. VA*
 - iii) Did she have children? If so, details? *- 1 daughter*
 - iv) For Joe Tingles
 - (I) what is his full name? *Joseph*
 - (II) when and where was he born? *Elkton W. VA*

Δ3) For Mary Florence U

- a) where was she born? *Bowie Creek NC*
- b) Did she have just 2 children? *yes*
- Δ c) For Marsha Ann Bayler
 - i) when and where was she married the 1st time? *Va Beach Va*
 - ii) where was she married the 2nd time? *Va Beach Va*
 - iii) Did she have just one child? *yes*
- d) For Ronald Wayne Andrews, Sr.
 - i) when was he born? *nonfatal, Va*
- e) For David Sitcher
 - i) what is his full name? *unkn*
 - ii) when and where was he born? *Boston, MASS.*
- f) For Joseph Hamman
 - i) what is his full name?
 - ii) when was he born?

□ 3) For Mary Florence U - CONTINUED

g) For Ronald Wayne Andrews, Jr

i) where was he born?

ii) did he marry / have children? If so, details? more

nonfolk, Va wife Yrieta? Calif - married 1997

h) For Glora Jean Bayler

i) where were you born? nonfolk VA

ii) do you have children? If so, details? more

△ 4) Dorothy Grace U

a) where was she born?

Berries creek NC

b) where did she marry the 1st time?

Dillon, SC - same day as sister Mary - Durham NC

c) when and where did she marry the 2nd time?

Durham NC

d) For Berius Frank Turner

i) when and where was he born?

ii) when did he die and where buried? abt 1947 Durham NC

e) For Edward Braswell

i) what was his full name?

ii) when and where was he born?

iii) Is he still living? If not, details? yes

△ 5) For James Reed U

a) where did he marry the 1st time?

Berries creek NC

b) when and where did he marry the 2nd time?

Berries creek NC

c) did he have first two children? yes

d) For Lula Faye U

i) where was she born? Berries creek NC

ii) when and where did she marry? yes

iii) did she have first 3 children? yes

iv) what is the full name of Conrad Smith and when and where was he born? unknown

v) what are the full names of her 3 children and when and where were they born?

vi) did any of her children marry / have children? If so, details?

my parent went with them to act as witness and secretly married. kept it quite about 1 month



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5) For James Reid U - CONTINUED

e) For Virginia Reid U

- i) when in MAY 1946 was she born?
- ii) where was she born?
- iii) when & where was she married the 1st time?
- iv) when & where was she married the 2nd time?
- v) did she have just 2 children?
- vi) when and where was Howard Ray Lee born?
- viii) For Robert Branters

- (I) what is his full name?
- (II) when and where was he born?
- (X) what are the full names of her children, and when and where were they born?
- (Y) did any of her children marry/have children? If so, details?

6) For Caro Pansy U

- a) when & where did she marry the 1st time?
- b) when did she marry the 2nd time? Durham
nc
- c) did she have just 2 children? yes

d) For Victor Beal

- i) what was his full name?
- ii) when & where born?
- iii) when & where did & where married? Durham
nc

e) For Garland Bowling Stewart

- i) when born?
- ii) when in APR 1919 died & where buried? Durham
nc

f) For James Stewart

- i) what was his full name?
- ii) when in MAY 1946 born & where born?
- iii) did he marry/have children? If so, details?

g) For Katherine Stewart

- i) what is her full maiden name?
- ii) when & where born?
- iii) did she marry/have children? If so, details?

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MARRIAGE LICENSE

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
County of Dillon

Whereas, It has been made to appear to me, JOE CABELL DAVIS, Judge,
of Probate for Dillon County, upon oath

that Clement Bayles of Catoe, SC.

and Mary Upchurch of Boon's Creek, SC.

are legally capacitated to contract matrimony, and their ages are respectively,
23 years and 30 years

and 0 months; and their race is white

and their nationality is American

These are, therefore, to authorize any person qualified to perform marriage
ceremonies to perform the marriage ceremony for the persons above named, and
for so doing this shall be sufficient warrant.

Given under my Hand and Seal, this 29th day of

Nov. A. D. 1936

Joe Cabell Davis
Judge of Probate for Dillon County.

Copies of 14-889
Placed in register
of the town

Certificate

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That B. Frank Edwards did
this day perform the marriage ceremony for the within named persons at Dillon
South Carolina, this 29th day of Nov A. D. 1894

Signatures of Contracting Parties

Cecemon Beyers
Mary L. Edwards

B. Frank Edwards

I, JOE CABELL DAVIS, Judge of Probate for Dillon
County, South Carolina, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of the
~~Affidavits to Obtain License, Marriage License, and Certificate of Performance of Ceremony~~
issued to the within named persons, and which are now on file in this office.

Witness my hand and Seal of the Probate Court of Dillon County, South Carolina, this the

29th day of Nov 1894 by B. Frank Edwards - Clerk

Joe Cabell Davis
Judge of Probate

COLEMAN W. BAYLES

DATE OF DEATH 6/26/95	AGE 83	IF UNDER 1 YEAR months days	IF UNDER 1 DAY hours minutes	DATE OF BIRTH 1/12/12	WAS DECEDENT EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? yes no
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PLACE OF DEATH 7 NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION OF DEATH (if none, so state) Chesapeake General Hospital	DOA <input type="checkbox"/>	Out Pat Emer Rm <input type="checkbox"/>	Inpatient <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	8 COUNTY OF DEATH (if independent city, leave blank) 10
9 CITY OR TOWN OF DEATH Chesapeake	inside city or town limits? yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/>	10 STREET ADDRESS OR RT NO OF PLACE OF DEATH 736 Battlefield Blvd		

USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEDENT 11 STATE (OR FOREIGN COUNTRY) OF DECEDENT'S RESIDENCE Virginia	12 COUNTY OF DECEDENT'S RESIDENCE (if independent city, leave blank)
13 CITY OR TOWN OF RESIDENCE Chesapeake	14 STREET ADDRESS OR RT NO OF RESIDENCE 220 Rainbow Lane APT328
	ZIP CODE 23320

PERSONAL DATA OF DECEDENT 15 NAME OF DECEDENT'S FATHER Charles W. Bayles	16 MAIDEN NAME OF DECEDENT'S MOTHER Mary A. Stewart
17 RACE OF DECEDENT Caucasian	18 OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? If yes, specify Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, etc <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> yes
	19 EDUCATION (Specify only highest grade completed) Elementary/Secondary (0-12) 9th College (1-4 or 5+)

20 CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY USA	21 BIRTHPLACE (state or country) N. Carolina	22 NEVER MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED <input type="checkbox"/>	23 IF MARRIED OR WIDOWED, NAME OF SPOUSE (if divorced leave blank) Mary F. Bayles
		MARRIED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input type="checkbox"/>	
24 SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 238-09-6774	25 USUAL OR LAST OCCUPATION Aircraft Mech	26 KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Norfolk Naval Base	27 INFORMANT - OR SOURCE OF INFORMATION daughter

CAUSE OF DEATH 28 PART I. Enter the diseases, injuries, or complications that caused the death. Do not enter the mode of dying, such as cardiac arrest, respiratory arrest, shock, or heart failure. List only one cause on each line. IMMEDIATE CAUSE (Final disease or condition resulting in death) → (A) <i>Circumstances of Lung</i> DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):	INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH 3 days
Sequentially list conditions, if any, leading to immediate cause. Enter UNDERLYING CAUSE (Disease or injury that initiated events resulting in death) LAST (B) _____ DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):	
(C) _____ PART II. Other significant conditions contributing to death but not resulting in the underlying cause given in Part I <i>COPD</i>	28a. AUTOPSY? AUTHORIZED BY: yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

28b IF FEMALE, WAS THERE A PREGNANCY IN PAST 3 MONTHS? yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> unknown <input type="checkbox"/>	28c IF EXTERNAL CAUSE, IT WAS PRIMARY <input type="checkbox"/> or CONTRIBUTING <input type="checkbox"/> TO CAUSE OF DEATH	28d DESCRIBE HOW INJURY RELATING TO DEATH OCCURRED
28e TIME OF INJURY (mo) (day) (year) A M P M	28f INJURY OCCURRED while at work <input type="checkbox"/> not while at work <input type="checkbox"/>	28g PLACE OF INJURY (home, farm, factory, street, office, blog, etc.) 28h (city or town) (county) (state)

28. To the best of my knowledge, death occurred at _____ (a.m.) (p.m.) on the date and place and from the cause(s) stated

ACTUAL SIGNATURE: *Charles H. W. Bayles MD* DATE SIGNED: *3 July 95*

NAME OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN: *L. H. HARVE MD* ADDRESS OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN: *120 Progress Dr. UVA, VA*

FUNERAL DIRECTOR 29. BURIAL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMOVAL <input type="checkbox"/> CREMATION <input type="checkbox"/>	30 PLACE OF BURIAL, REMOVAL, ETC Greenwood Cemetery Dunn, NC
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31. (Signature of funeral director or person legally filing this certificate) <i>[Signature]</i>	NAME OF FUNERAL HOME AND ADDRESS Altmeyer Funeral Home 7518 Sewells Pt. Rd. Nflk
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REGISTRAR 32. (Signature of registrar) <i>[Signature]</i>	DATE RECORD FILED 7-7-95
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DECEDENT

PLACE OF DEATH

USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEDENT

PERSONAL DATA OF DECEDENT

PHYSICIAN:

FUNERAL DIRECTOR

REGISTRAR

REGISTRATION AREA NUMBER 217	CERTIFICATE NUMBER	STATE FILE NUMBER
1. FULL NAME OF DECEASED (first) (middle) (last) Mary Upchurch Bayles		
2. SEX male <input type="checkbox"/> female <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		3. RACE White
4. DATE OF DEATH (mo.) (day) (year) Jan. 28, 1987	5. AGE 72 years	6. DATE OF BIRTH (mo.) (day) (year) Nov. 16, 1914
8. NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION OF DEATH (if none, so state) Leigh Memorial Hospital		7. WAS DECEDENT EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10. CITY OR TOWN OF DEATH Norfolk		11. STREET ADDRESS OR RT. NO. OF PLACE OF DEATH 830 Kempsville Road
12. STATE (OR FOREIGN COUNTRY) OF DECEASED'S RESIDENCE Virginia		13. COUNTY OF DECEASED'S RESIDENCE (if independent city, leave blank)
14. CITY OR TOWN OF RESIDENCE Virginia Beach		16. STREET ADDRESS OR RT. NO. OF RESIDENCE 5552 N. Sunland Drive
14. CITY OR TOWN OF RESIDENCE (continued) ZIP CODE 23464		
16. NAME OF FATHER OF DECEASED Bernard Upchurch		17. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER OF DECEASED Ophelia Mitchell
18. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY USA	19. BIRTHPLACE (state or country) North Carolina	20. NEVER MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input type="checkbox"/>
22. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 228-20-7752	23. USUAL OR LAST OCCUPATION Homemaker	24. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Home
25. INFORMANT—OR SOURCE OF INFORMATION Husband		
26. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (A), (B), and (C). PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY:		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH
IMMEDIATE CAUSE (A) Cardiogenic Shock		3 days
DUE TO (B) Anterior wall MI		3 days
DUE TO (C) Atherosclerotic Vascular Disease		years
PART II OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I (A)		26a. AUTOPSY? AUTHORIZED BY: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B
26b. IF FEMALE, WAS THERE A PREGNANCY IN PAST 3 MONTHS? yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> unknown <input type="checkbox"/>	26c. IF EXTERNAL CAUSE, IT WAS PRIMARY <input type="checkbox"/> OR CONTRIBUTING <input type="checkbox"/> TO CAUSE OF DEATH NOTE: IF EXTERNAL CAUSE, NOTIFY MED. EXAMINER	26d. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY RELATING TO DEATH OCCURRED
26e. TIME OF INJURY (mo.) (day) (year) A.M. _____ P.M. _____	26f. INJURY OCCURRED while at work <input type="checkbox"/> not while at work <input type="checkbox"/>	26g. PLACE OF INJURY (home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)
26h. (city or town) (county) (state)		
26i. To the best of my knowledge, death occurred at _____ (a.m.) (p.m.) on the date and place and from the cause(s) stated.		
ACTUAL SIGNATURE Donald C. Edelheit, MD.	DATE SIGNED: 2-2-87	
NAME OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN (Type or Print) Donald C. Edelheit, MD.	ADDRESS OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN 15201 Providence Rd Va Beach VA 23464	
27. BURIAL REMOVAL CREMATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	28. PLACE OF BURIAL, REMOVAL, ETC. (name of cemetery or crematory) (city or county) (state) Greenwood Cemetery, Dunn, N.C.	
29. (Signature of funeral director or person filing this certificate) Michael J. ...	NAME OF FUNERAL HOME AND ADDRESS: Hollomon-Brown, 6568 Indian River Rd. Va. Beach, Va.	
30. (Signature of registrar) Nelle ...	DATE RECORD FILED: FEB. 6 1987	

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RAISED SEAL REQUIRED HERE

Copy placed in register of the husband & her parents

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North Carolina State Board of Health
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

PLACE OF BIRTH
 County Harnett
 Township Neilly Creek
 Town Brier's Creek Registration District No. 43-2298 File No. 12
 City _____ Registered No. 12
 FULL NAME OF CHILD Mary Florence Cipekurch St. _____
 Sex Girl Twin, triplet or other? _____ Number in order of birth 1 Parents married? _____ Date of birth Nov 16
 (To be answered only in event of plural births) (Month) (Day) (Year)

FATHER		MOTHER	
FULL NAME <u>James Bernard Cipekurch</u>	FULL MAIDEN NAME <u>Okhelia Mitchell</u>		
RESIDENCE <u>Brier's Creek N.C.</u>	RESIDENCE <u>Brier's Creek N.C.</u>		
COLOR <u>white</u> AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY <u>26</u> (Years)	COLOR <u>white</u> AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY <u>15</u> (Years)		
BIRTHPLACE <u>Harnett Co. N.C.</u>	BIRTHPLACE <u>Harnett Co. N.C.</u>		
OCCUPATION <u>Farmer</u>	OCCUPATION <u>Housewife</u>		
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENTS <u>High school</u>	EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENTS <u>High school</u>		
Number of children born to this mother, including present birth. <u>2</u>	Number of children of this mother now living. <u>2</u>		

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE

I hereby certify that I attended the birth of this child, who was Born alive at 3 P.M. on the date above stated.
 (Born alive or Stillborn)

(Signature) J. W. McKay Physician
 (Physician or Midwife)

Address Brier's Creek, N.C.
 Filed Dec 8, 1914 N.A. Stewart

Given name added from a supplemental report _____
 _____, 19____
 REGISTRAR

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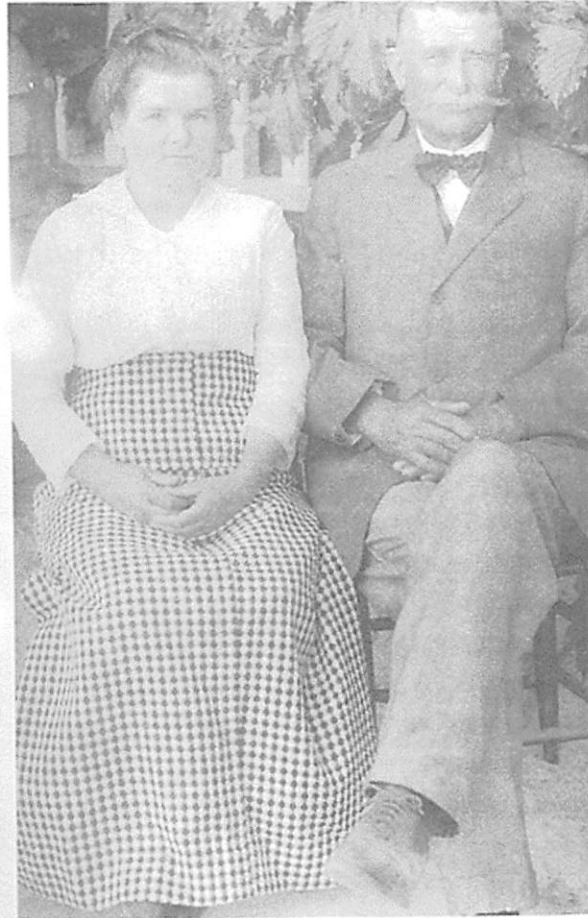
N. B.—In case of more than one child at a birth, a SEPARATE RETURN must be made for each, and the number of each, in order of birth, stated

NORTH CAROLINA
HARNETT COUNTY.

I, Inez Harrington, Register of Deeds of Harnett County, do hereby certify that this is a true copy of that certain birth registered in Book 1414, Page 202 of the Public Registry of Harnett County.

1914. Witness my hand and official seal this 14 day of Aug

Copied in Register of the Child & parent of Inez Harrington, Register of Deeds, Harnett County, North Carolina



Virginia Horton Upchurch and Jefferson David Upchurch

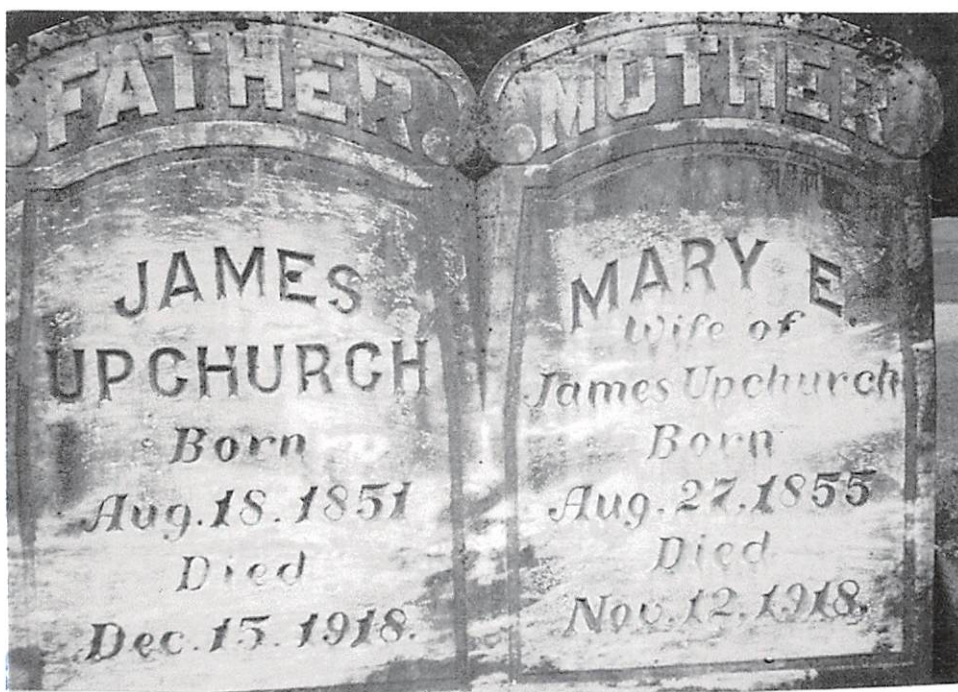
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written by

Δ Winifred Upchurch Stewart
daughter of Ben + Zela Upchurch

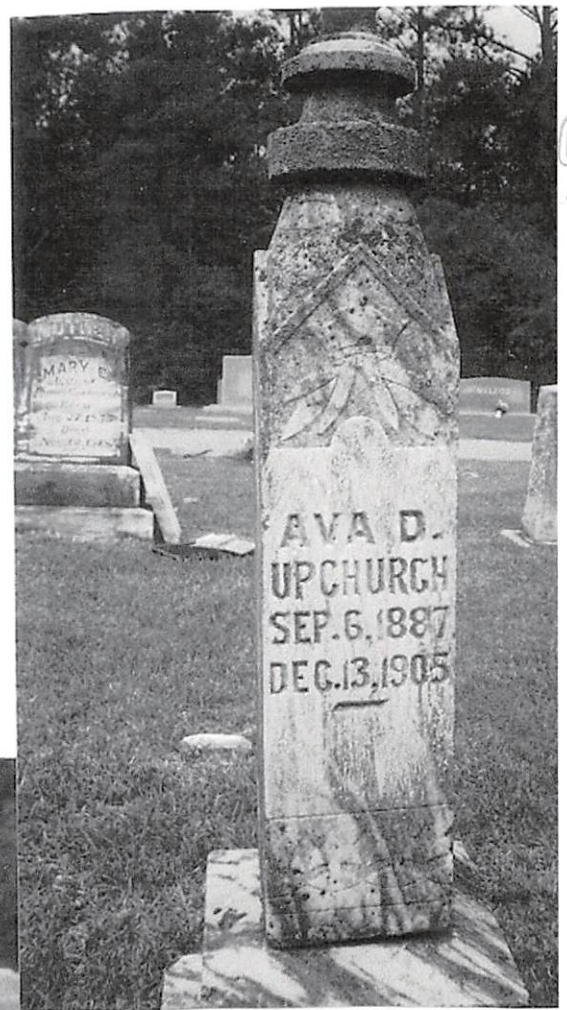
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Δ + Δ Winifred's son Ben Stewart his address
is listed as PO Box 363
Buies Creek, Va 27506



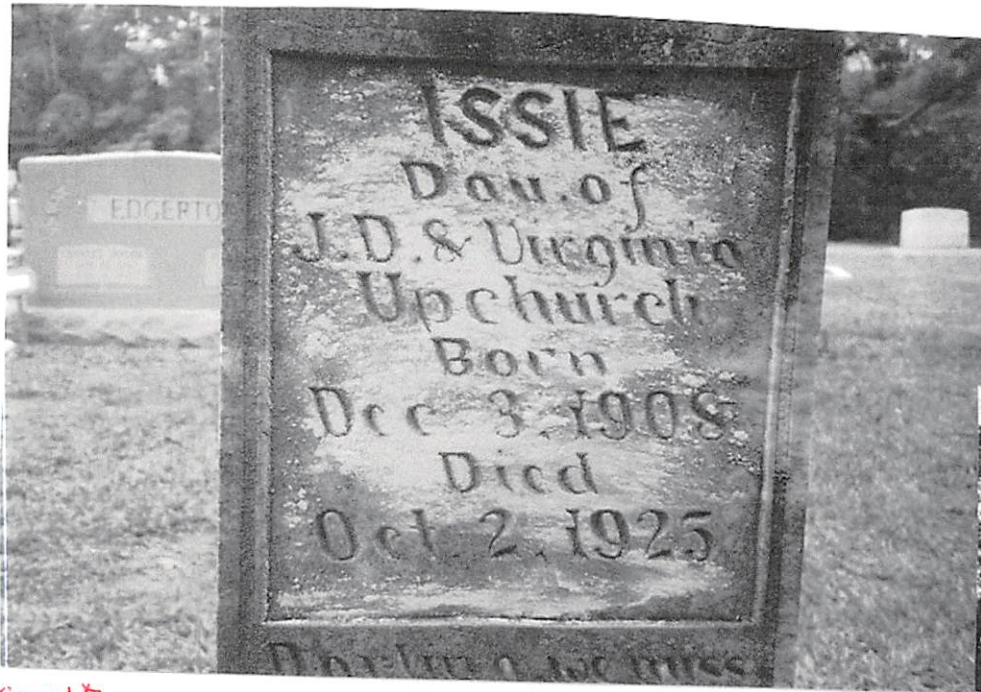
FATHER
**JAMES
 UPCHURCH**
 Born
 Aug. 18, 1851
 Died
 Dec. 15, 1918.

MOTHER
MARY E.
 Wife of
 James Upchurch
 Born
 Aug. 27, 1855
 Died
 Nov. 12, 1918.



**AVA D.
 UPCHURCH**
 SEP. 6, 1887
 DEC. 13, 1905

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 Profiles of the deceased*



ISSIE
 Daughter of
 J. D. & Virginia
 Upchurch
 Born
 Dec. 3, 1908
 Died
 Oct. 2, 1925

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 Dates - RPM* *Genora V. 1. Vanda Denning*
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**LILLYE B.
 UPCHURCH**
 MAY 2, 1879
 DEC. 10, 1906

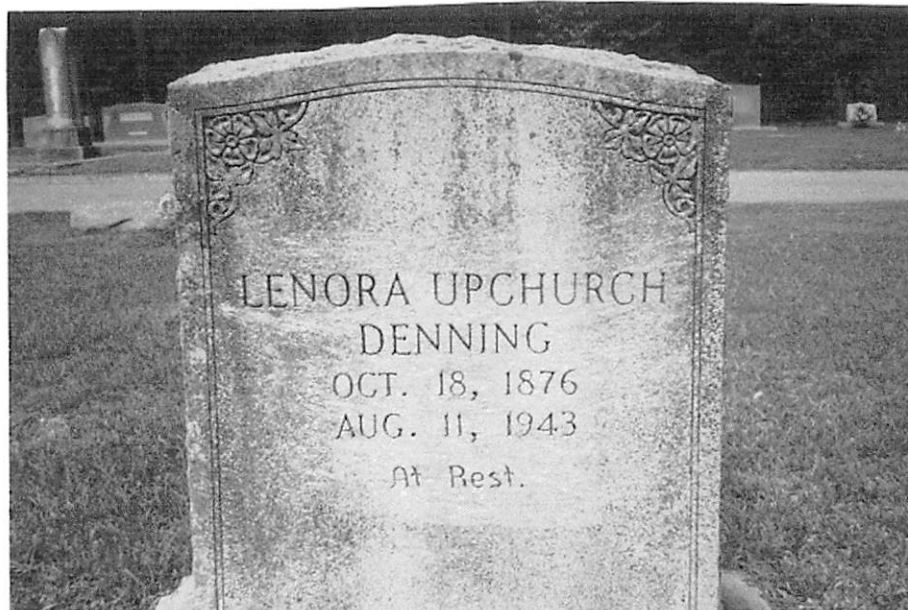
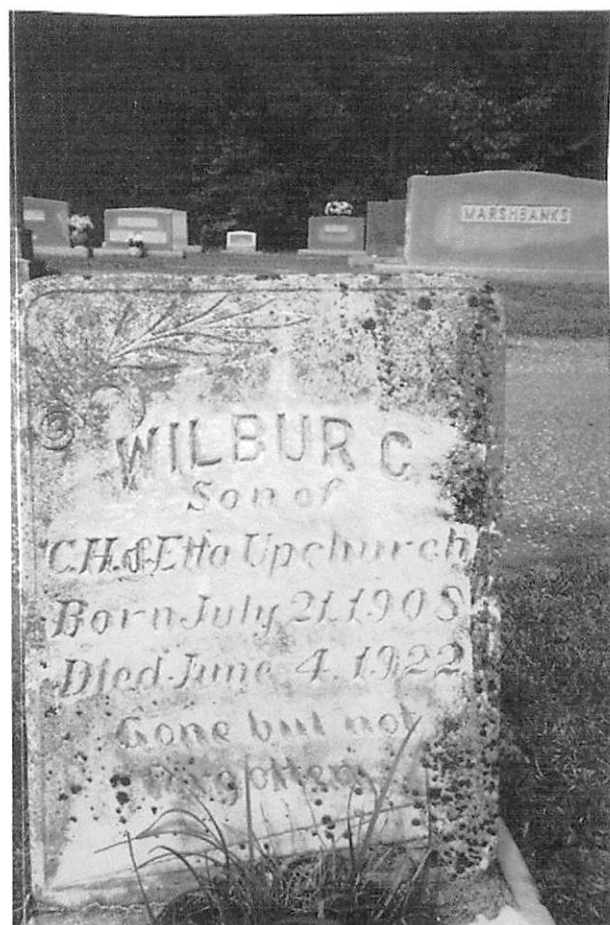
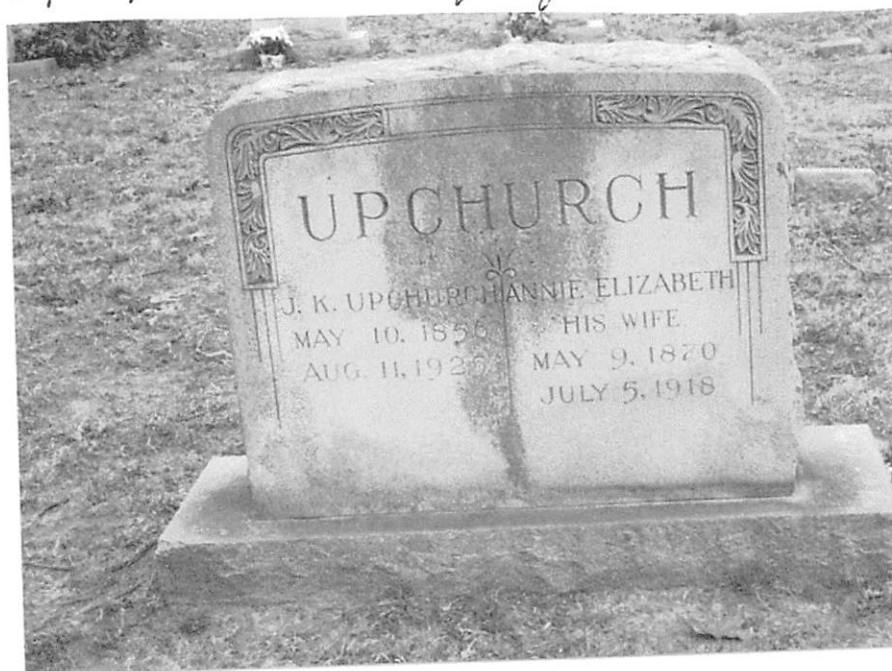


**SARAH
 WILSON**
 Born
 Oct. 25, 1832
 Died
 Apr. 29, 1916

mother of Mary E. Wilson Upchurch



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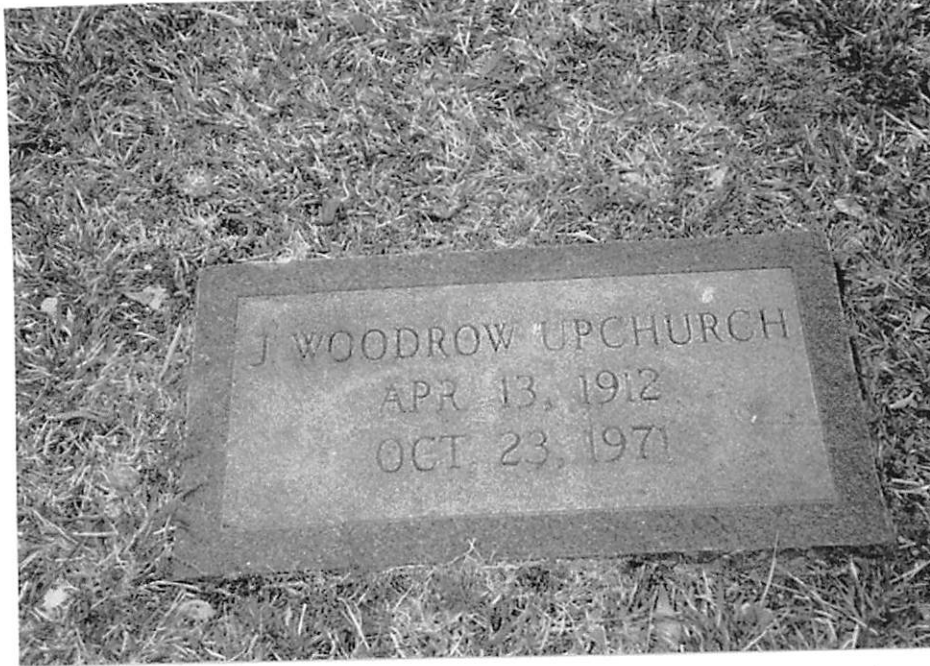


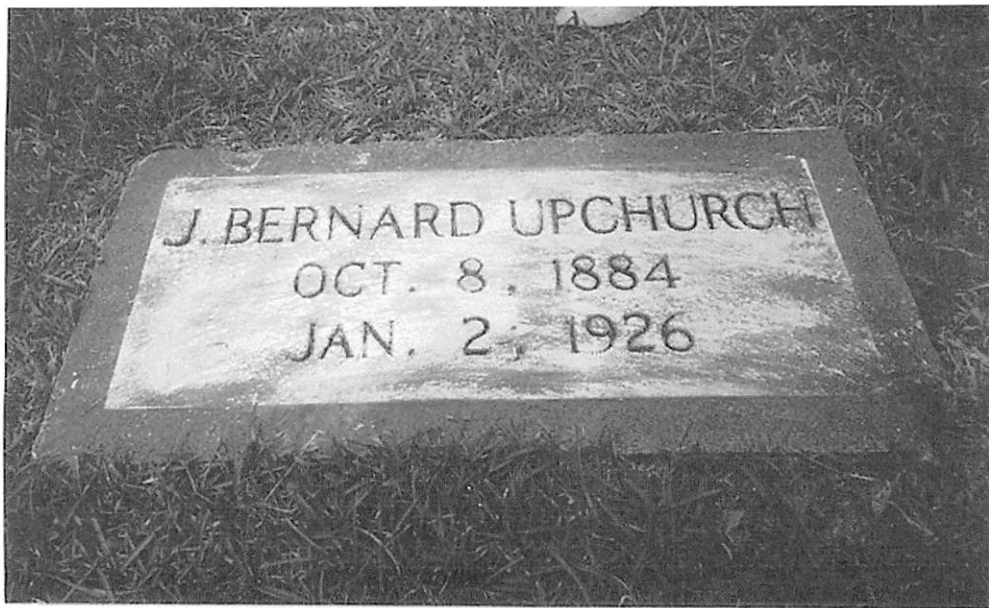
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MARY FLORENCE U
COLEMAN WATSON BAYLES

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MARY and Coleman Bayles
1962

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[NOTE: These are the 8 Grandchildren of
James Bernard U - copy placed in
the profile of each - RPH



Upchurch Cousins
about 1953

1st row: Virginia Reid U., Marsha Ann Bayles
Katherine Stewart

middle: JAMES Stewart

Back: Gloria Jean Bayles, Ariadne Stinson
Lula Daye U. and William Stinson

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of Mary Florence U



Mary Florence Upchurch
about 1938

Copy of photo placed in profile of
each individual - RPH

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Mitchell Farm about 1938

Ada Gregory Upchurch

Coleman Bayles

Reid Upchurch

Seated: Florence Johnson Mitchell

JAMES Redolfus "Dol" Mitchell

Burt Bayles, Coleman's Brother

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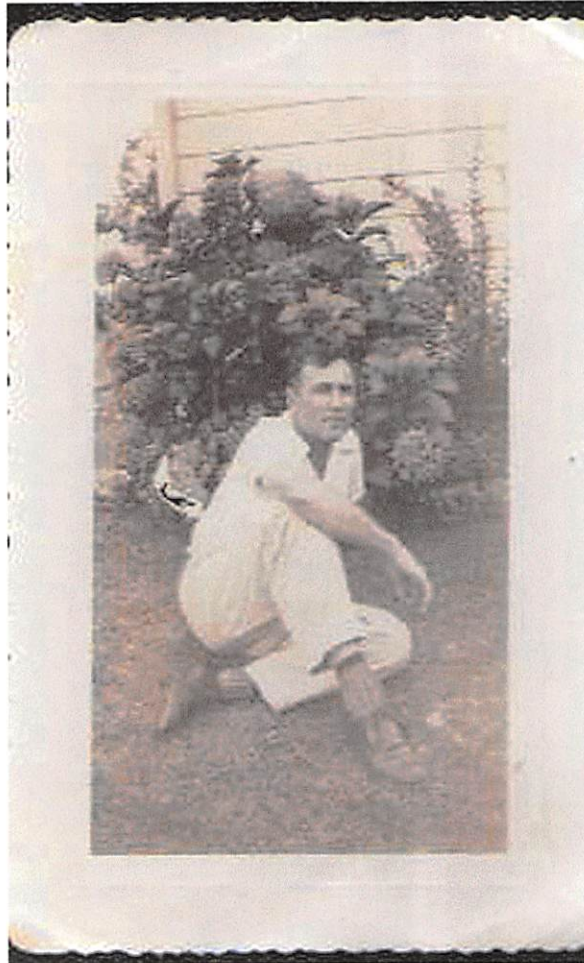
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Grace Upchurch and [nee DOROTHY GRACE U]
1st husband W. Turner [DERJUS FRANK
TURNER]
about 1940

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of C. W. Bayler



Coleman Watson Bayler
husband of Mary U.
about 1938



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NAME AT BIRTH Coleman Watson Bayles SEX Male DATE OF BIRTH Jan. 12, 1912
FIRST MIDDLE LAST MO. DAY YR.

ATTENDANT AT BIRTH Dr. J. F. McKay BIRTH-PLACE (City or Town) Grove Twp. COUNTY Harnett Co. N.C.

FATHER FULL NAME Charles Wesley Bayles MOTHER MAIDEN NAME Mary Stewart

COLOR OR RACE white BIRTHPLACE (State or Foreign Country) Harnett Co. N.C. COLOR OR RACE white BIRTHPLACE (State or Foreign Country) Harnett Co. N.C.

I hereby declare under oath that the above statements are true to the best of my knowledge.

SIGNATURE OF REGISTRANT OR REPRESENTATIVE C. W. Bayles RELATIONSHIP TO REGISTRANT _____

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME THIS 1st DAY OF February, 1972

SEAL

NOTARY PUBLIC OR REGISTER OF DEEDS

DATE NOTARY PUBLIC COMMISSION EXPIRES _____

REGISTRANT: DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE. TO BE COMPLETED BY REGISTER OF DEEDS.

ABSTRACT OF SUPPORTING EVIDENCE

DATE OF ORIGINAL RECORD

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INFORMATION CONCERNING REGISTRANT AS STATED IN RECORDS LISTED ABOVE

BIRTHDATE OR AGE	BIRTHPLACE	NAME OF FATHER	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

I certify that the evidence described above was examined by me or my agent.

DATE _____ SIGNATURE _____ REGISTER OF DEEDS

I certify that the above named person has no prior birth certificate on file in this office.

DATE FILED _____

CLERK, OFFICE OF VITAL STATISTICS

NOTE:
Registrant complete and sign both copies.

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PART II

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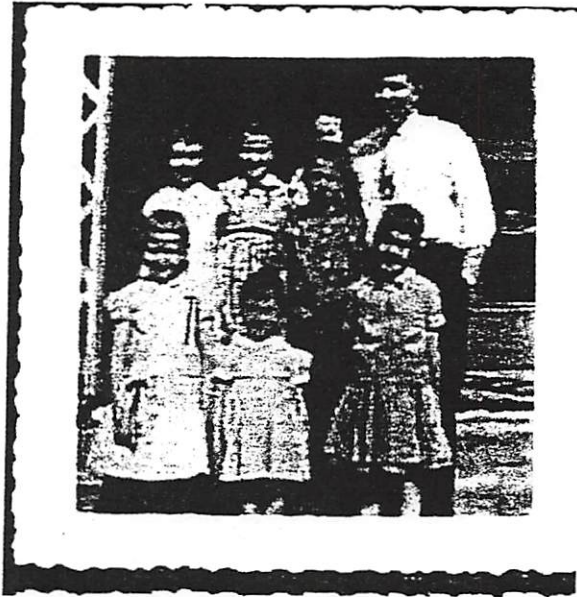
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GLORIA JEAN BAYLES

XID 14680

○ Photo in Str 31 MAY 1999 Gloria Jean Bayles DORM
[These are the 8 Grandchildren of James Bernard U of
the Jubal U/Calvin U Subclass - Benjamin U Line



Upchurch Cousins
about 1953

1st row: Virginia Reid U., Marsha Ann Bayles
Kathleen Stewart

middle: JAMES Stewart

Back: Gloria Jean Bayles, Ariadne Stinson
Lula Daye U. and William Stinson

↳ [WILLIAM BIRD STINSON, JR]

of people born before the Civil War.

The articles in the Harnett Co, NC Heritage Book were very useful to me. I went over them very closely. There are some errors but I also picked up a fair number of new facts. I would love to purchase a copy of the book. Do you know if it is available and how I might proceed to get one. [I have several such books including the ones for Wake Co, NC + Johnston Co, NC]. The photo of Jefferson Davis & wife Virginia (Horton) that appears in # 575 would be a great candidate to be reproduced in the UB. Do you have any idea how we can work towards getting a copy?

Enclosed is an updated version of the Master Outline for the family of James Bernard U. Thanks again for your help in making this more complete. I have also provided a list of what is still missing on this family. All of these details are not essential but I will be glad to get any details that you have or that you can obtain. None of this is critical but I like to try for completeness even if we never get there.

I will continue to send you increments of information so that I am offering encouragement from my end. For this purpose I include herewith a copy of my 4-Page 13-Item Profile on your GGF James Benjamin U (XID-14651).

Please let me know if you spot any errors or if you have details to add to this profile.

Please let me know if you have special questions.

Campbell College always seemed like a very romantic place to me. About about 1938 when I was age 10 and we were living in the Yates Mill Area of Wake Co, NC my Mother father left a small sum to send his 3 grandchildren (my older twin sister & myself) to college. My sister was sent to Campbell College (later to MARS HCU, WAKE FOREST, MEREDITH) so I had the feel that it was a wonderful, far away place. By the time I got to go to college the money was all gone! Still - no regrets.

So let me hear from you and lets keep exchanging & helping each other

Sincerely yours
☺ Phil Upchurch
(ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH)

(4)

MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY
OF JAMES BERNARD UPCHURCH

1) For James Bernard U

- a) where in NC did he marry?
- b) Did he have just 4 children?

2) For Lucille Edna U

a) when and where did she marry?

b) Did she have just 2 children?

c) For William Bird Stinson, Sr:

i) when was he born?

ii) when in JUN 1985 did he die?

iii) where is he buried?

d) For William Bird Stinson, Jr

i) when and where was he born?

ii) Did he marry/have children? If so, details?

e) For Ariadne Stinson

i) what was her full maiden name?

ii) where is she buried?

iii) Did she have children? If so, details?

iv) For Joe Tingles

(I) what is his full name?

(II) when and where was he born?

3) For Mary Florence U

a) where was she born?

b) Did she have just 2 children?

c) For Marsha Ann Bayles

i) when and where was she married the 1st time?

ii) where was she married the 2nd time?

iii) Did she have just one child?

d) For Ronald Wayne Andrews, Sr

i) when was he born?

e) For David Sitek

i) what is his full name?

ii) when and where was he born?

f) For Joseph Hammann

i) what is his full name?

ii) when was he born?

g) ..

3) For Mary Florence U - CONTINUED

g) For Ronald Wayne Andrews, Jr

i) where was he born?

ii) did he marry / have children? If so, details?

h) For Gloria Jean Bayler

i) where were you born?

ii) do you have children? If so, details?

4) Dorothy Grace U

a) where was she born?

b) where did she marry the 1st time?

c) when and where did she marry the 2nd time?

d) For Berne Frank Turner

i) when and where was he born?

ii) when did he die and where buried?

e) For Edward Brewell

i) what was his full name?

ii) when and where was he born?

iii) is he still living? If not, details?

5) For James Reed U

a) where did he marry the 1st time?

b) when and where did he marry the 2nd time?

c) did he have first two children?

d) For Lula Faye U

i) where was she born?

ii) when and where did she marry?

iii) did she have first 3 children?

iv) what is the full name of Conrad Smith and when and where was he born?

v) what are the full names of her 3 children and when and where were they born?

vi) did any of her children marry / have children? If so, details?

5) For James Reid U - CONTINUED

e) For Virginia Reid U

- i) when in MAY 1946 was she born?
- ii) where was she born?
- iii) when & where was she married the 1st time?
- iv) when & where was she married the 2nd time?
- v) Did she have just 2 children?
- vi) when and where was Howard Ray Lee born?
- viii) For Robert Branters

- (i) what is his full name?
- (ii) when and where was he born?
- x) what are the full names of Mrs children, and when and where were they born?
- x) Did any of her children marry/have children? If so, details?

b) For Caro Pansy U

- a) when & where did she marry the 1st time?
- b) when did she marry the 2nd time?
- c) Did she have just 2 children?
- d) For Victor Beal

- i) what was his full name?
- ii) when & where born?
- iii) when & where did & when married?

e) For Garland Bowling Stewart

- i) where born?
- ii) when in APR 1979 died & where buried?

f) For James Stewart

- i) what was his full name?
- ii) when in MAY 1946 born & where born?
- iii) Did he marry/have children? If so, details?

g) For Katherine Stewart

- i) what is her full maiden name?
- ii) when & where born?
- iii) Did she marry/have children? If so, details?

GLORIA JEAN BAYLES

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11 MAR 1999

521 Beauregard Drive
Chesapeake, Va 23322
March 4, 1999

Mr. Phillip Upchurch
6 Eagles Way Lane. Lake
Saint Louis, MO 63367-2240

Jean Bayles Amspacher
521 Beauregard Drive
Chesapeake, Va 23322

Dear Phillip,

I was given your name by a fellow Upchurch researcher, D'Ann Stoddard of Los Angeles, CA. I am interested in your news letter and what it is about. What is the subscription cost?

I recently started researching my Upchurch family again. My line lived in the part of Cumberland Co., NC that became Harnett County in 1855. Do you know where the Upchurch name came from?

My great great grandfather was Benjamin Upchurch born 1830. He was married to Arabella/Annabella Medlin. My line continues through their son: James married Mary E. ? Wilson, and their son James Bernard. He married Ophilia Mitchell. Their second daughter Mary was my mother. See attached chart.

There are several "genealogies" out that leave out my grandfather—James Bernard. They list his sisters and brother and even list a brother that my family never heard of. I know this is his family because he and my grandmother are buried in the family plot in the Buies Creek Cemetery in Buies Creek, NC. I have visited the graves many times and was lucky enough to have my grandmother to tell me about the family buried with my grandfather. Others have some of the dates wrong and some have names spelled wrong. Example my grandfathers sister was LILLYE not Lillie.

Sorry to run on so, but I get upset with all the "fast work genealogies" that accept and spread incorrect information. One person even told me I was mistaken about my grandfather and he could not be part of this branch or buried with his parents! Believe me he is! I have photos of the tombstones.

I have enclosed a stamped, self address envelope and would appreciate it if you would send information on your newsletter. Also, I would be interested to know if any back issues pertain to "my line".

Thanks for you time,

Jean

Jean Bayles Amspacher

My Upchurch Connection:

Benjamin Upchurch b. Oct 29, 1830 Franklin, Co. NC, d. April 19, 1919
Married Arabella Medlin Nov 10, 1850

- children:
 - 1. James Benjamin b. Aug 15, 1851 d. Dec 15, 1918
married Mary E. ?? Wilson b. Aug 27, 1855 d. Nov 12, 1918
 - 2. Stephen b. Ca 1853
 - 3. John Christopher b. May 10, 1856 d. Aug. 11. 1925
 - 4. Edgar b. Ca 1857
 - 5. Joseph Calvin b. May 7, 1858 d. Feb 22, 1923
 - 6. Jefferson Davis b. Sept 10, 1861 d. 1933
 - 7. Charles H. b. April 10, 1866 d. Oct 7, 1932 *- not sure about this one*

Children of James Benjamin and Mary E. Upchurch:

- 1. Nora b. Oct 18, 1876 d. Aug 11, 1943
married M. L. Denning
- 2. Lillye B. b. May 2, 1879 d. Dec 10, 1906
never married
- 3. Charles Herbert b. June 24, 1882 d. Sept 11, 1954
married Etta Stewart
- 4. James Bernard (aka Bun) b. Oct 8, 1884 d. Jan 2, 1926
married Ophelia Mitchell
- 5. Ava D. b. Sept 6, 1887 d. Dec 3, 1905 - may be Dec 13
never married
- 6. Maude b. Ca 1893
married ??

Children of James Bernard and Ophelia

- 1. Lucille - living
- 2. Mary Florence b. Nov 16, 1914 d. Jan 28, 1987
married Coleman Watson Bayles (my parents)
- 3. Grace - Living
- 4. Reid - Living
- 5. Pansy - Living

I have divided the Uplurch Family into 22 Clans each of which is headed by one of the known 22 members of the 5th generation of the Uplurch Family in America. This 5th Generation lived about ~~the~~ time of the Revolution. You and I have the common ancestor Richard U, II who moved from VA to NC about 1755. He settled in the southern tip of present day Franklin Co, NC just east & north of PILOT (between PILOT & PEARCES); ^[THE MOCCASIN CREEK AREA] There he raised 11 children all members of the 5th generation of the Uplurch Family in America and each had a "CLAN". These 11 give rise to about 1/2 of the Uplurch extended Family in America today. You are descended from Jubal U, I and I am descended from Nathan U, I - brothers. They are sons of Richard U, II.

I have spent a huge amount of time & energy, or have collaborators, to uncover the facts about the history of the Uplurch Family in the Moccasin Creek Area. Much of this is published in the narrow issues of the U.B. but much more needs to be uncovered. I have a lot of details about your ancestor Jubal U, I whose son Calvin U

was the father of your Benjamin W b 1830 - but much more is needed. It was my research that uncovered the linkage between Calvin & Benjamin.

My tracking of the Benjamin W Family has taken many turns. On 17 JUL 1982 I had a phone conversation with your mother and got some details. My sister in Raleigh, NC (now deceased) sent me a copy of your mother's obituary.

I hope you will subscribe to the ongoing Upchurch Publications but we can cooperate whether you do or not.

Enclosed is a copy of my 2-page Master Outline for the James Benjamin W Family. This covers he and his children. Descendants (if any/ if known) of his children are covered in continuation sections as shown on the left hand side of the page.

Continuation sections 1, 2, 3, 4 are also provided (after the pink sheet). I would appreciate it if you would go over the Master Outline and let me know if you spot any errors. Also any additional input you can provide will be greatly appreciated. Perhaps you already have something organized you can just copy & send to me.

Jean I know we will both have specific questions about Upchurch documentation and I look forward to working with you in upgrading the records on sharing items of interest. We each have different sources of information and have been exposed to Upchurch heritage in different ways. Thus we have much to exchange. I don't want to be a burden to you but will be pleased to interact with you over time to the extent that your interests and time allow.

With All Best Wishes.

Sincerely yours
☺ Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

GLORIA JEAN BAYLES

XID-14680①

May 4, 1999

REC'D
6 MAY 1999

* Copies of this P + of photo
placed in envelopes of
the 3 individuals
mentioned

Dear Cousin Phil,

Thank you for all you sent on my Upchurch family. Sorry it took so long to get back to you. I have been trying to gather information and items that you might not have. I hope I have succeeded. I went of Buies Creek, NC for a Bayles family reunion an was able to visit the Buies Creek Cemetery. I gathered a few more dates and made more photo's of gravestones. I should have them back this week.

* You will find enclosed 2 copies of the only known photo of my grandfather James Bernard Upchurch and his sister Maude Upchurch Cooper. I don't know the date of the photo, only can guess early 1900's, as you know from your records he died in 1926. He had been sick for a while with what was diagnosed as TB at the time. In later years as my mother developed asthma and emphysema, she never smoked but worked in the tobacco fields as a child, she stated that her symptoms were like she remembered her father's to be. Since know one else in the house developed TB it is possible they had the same thing. Back then if anyone in the neighborhood had an ailment, others were said to have the same thing. The photo seems to have been taken when he was healthy. Have you had any contact with the descendants of Maude. I would like to give them a copy of the photo if they are interested. My contact with that part of the line is nonexistent.

I also enclosed 3 social security record lists of family members that are deceased. I was able to add middle names to some on your list and these are noted on copies of your sheets to me as well as on a descendant chart I am sending.

In case you have not seen it, I am sending a copy of the 1850 NC census page showing Ben U. In 1850 he is found living on the farm next to his future wife Arabella Medlin. Wish they were all that easy to spot.

The Harnett Genealogical Society published a book on the area and I was lucky enough to get a copy. Family stories/genealogies were submitted by the general population. While my direct Upchurch line is not included it is interesting to see what happened to the brothers of my great - great grandfather James. I have included copies for you to see, some is fact, some is not, but I think interesting.

Research on my Upchurch line is just beginning. If you have any questions, please ask and I will try to come up with answers.

I am looking forward to corresponding with you and receiving the Upchurch Bulletin (check enclosed).

Jean

Jean Bayles Amspacher
521 Beauregard Drive
Chesapeake, Va 23322-3552

ps If you would like copies of the photos please let me know - I can scan mine and send you copies

Descendants of James Bernard Upchurch

Generation No. 1

1. JAMES BERNARD³ UPCHURCH (*JAMES BENJAMIN², BENJAMIN¹*) was born October 08, 1884 in Harnett County, NC, and died January 02, 1926 in Harnett County, Buies Creek, NC. He married OPHELIA MITCHELL November 10, 1912 in NC, daughter of JAMES MITCHELL and FLORENCE JOHNSON. She was born March 02, 1896 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC, and died March 28, 1982 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.

Notes for OPHELIA MITCHELL:

Did not have a middle name. As a child when I ask what her middle name was, she told me she did not have one because her parents could not think of anything ugly enough to go with Ophelia.

More About OPHELIA MITCHELL:

Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

Children of JAMES UPCHURCH and OPHELIA MITCHELL are:

2. i. LUCILLE EDNA⁴ UPCHURCH, b. August 15, 1913, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.
3. ii. MARY FLORENCE UPCHURCH, b. November 16, 1914, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; d. January 28, 1987, Virginia Beach, VA.
- iii. DOROTHY GRACE UPCHURCH, b. September 10, 1916, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC; m. DERIUS FRANK TURNER, November 29, 1934; d. January 09, 1947.
4. iv. JAMES REID UPCHURCH, b. November 08, 1918, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.
5. v. CARO PANSY UPCHURCH, b. August 04, 1921, Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC.

Generation No. 2

2. LUCILLE EDNA⁴ UPCHURCH (*JAMES BERNARD³, JAMES BENJAMIN², BENJAMIN¹*) was born August 15, 1913 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC. She married WILLIAM BIRD STINSON. He was born September 28, 1912, and died July 1985 in Wake Co, NC.

Children of LUCILLE UPCHURCH and WILLIAM STINSON are:

- i. WILLIAM BIRD⁵ STINSON.
- ii. ARIADNE STINSON, b. July 11, 1946, Wake Co, NC; d. June 13, 1993, Elkton, West Virginia; m. JOSEPH TINGLER.

3. MARY FLORENCE⁴ UPCHURCH (*JAMES BERNARD³, JAMES BENJAMIN², BENJAMIN¹*) was born November 16, 1914 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC, and died January 28, 1987 in Virginia Beach, VA. She married COLEMAN WATSON BAYLES November 28, 1934 in Dillon, SC, son of CHARLES BAYLES and MARY STEWART. He was born January 12, 1912 in Coats, Harnett County, NC, and died June 26, 1995 in Chesapeake, VA.

More About MARY FLORENCE UPCHURCH:

Burial: January 31, 1987, Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

More About COLEMAN WATSON BAYLES:

Burial: June 29, 1995, Greenwood Cemetary, Dunn, Harnett County, NC

Children of MARY UPCHURCH and COLEMAN BAYLES are:

- i. GLORIA JEAN⁵ BAYLES, b. August 21, 1945; m. JAMES LOUIS AMSPACHER, January 01, 1980, Virginia Beach, VA; b. March 01, 1943, Hanover, York County PA.
6. ii. MARSHA ANN BAYLES, b. June 18, 1951, Norfolk, VA.

4. JAMES REID⁴ UPCHURCH (*JAMES BERNARD³, JAMES BENJAMIN², BENJAMIN¹*) was born November 08, 1918 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC. He married ADA GREGORY May 10, 1941. She was born June 24, 1918 in Harnett County, Buies Creek, NC, and died February 02, 1977 in Harnett County, Buies Creek, NC.

More About ADA GREGORY:
Burial: Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC

Children of JAMES UPCHURCH and ADA GREGORY are:
7. i. LULA FAYE⁵ UPCHURCH, b. August 31, 1943.
ii. VIRGINIA REID UPCHURCH, b. May 1946.

5. CARO PANSY⁴ UPCHURCH (*JAMES BERNARD³, JAMES BENJAMIN², BENJAMIN¹*) was born August 04, 1921 in Buies Creek, Harnett County, NC. She married (1) VICTOR BEAL. He died Abt. 1987. She married (2) GARLAND BOWLING STEWART January 15, 1945. He was born July 13, 1915, and died April 1979 in Durham, NC.

Children of CARO UPCHURCH and GARLAND STEWART are:
i. JAMES⁵ STEWART, b. May 1946.
ii. KATHERINE STEWART.

Generation No. 3

6. MARSHA ANN⁵ BAYLES (*MARY FLORENCE⁴ UPCHURCH, JAMES BERNARD³, JAMES BENJAMIN², BENJAMIN¹*) was born June 18, 1951 in Norfolk, VA. She married (1) RONALD WAYNE ANDREWS, SR.. He was born in Virginia Beach, VA. She married (2) DAVID SITEK. She married (3) JOSEPH HARRIMAN January 01, 1991 in Virginia Beach, VA. He was born September 17, 1947.

Child of MARSHA BAYLES and RONALD ANDREWS is:
i. RONALD WAYNE⁶ ANDREWS, JR., b. September 16, 1972.

7. LULA FAYE⁵ UPCHURCH (*JAMES REID⁴, JAMES BERNARD³, JAMES BENJAMIN², BENJAMIN¹*) was born August 31, 1943. She married CONRAD SMITH.

Children of LULA UPCHURCH and CONRAD SMITH are:
i. SEAN⁶ SMITH.
ii. MITCHELL REID SMITH.
iii. ANDREA SMITH.

JOBALU/CALVIN WILKINSON SOB CLAN - 9TH GEN & BEYOND
 DESCENDANTS OF CHARLES HERBERT U (OF THE JOBALU - CALVIN U
 - BENJAMIN U - JAMES G. U LINE)

XIV

- d CHARLES HERBERT U b ²⁴JUN 1882 (P HARNETT CO, NC) d 9/11/1954
 (BOR - BUJES CREEK CEM., BUJES CREEK, NC)) 14654
- MD () MARY ETTA STEWART b 7/6/1880 (D. 1/27/1957)) 14655
- d ~~1957~~ () (BOR - AS HOS)
- (I) EUNA EARLE U) 14656
- MD (1ST) (4/10/1911) ERTHA BASS ✓ d 11/1974 ✓) 14658
- MD (2ND) () SAEKWOOD WILLIAMS ✓) 14659
- (A) MARY ELLEN BASS) 14660
- MD () JEAN CAINTS ✓) 14662
- (B) LINDA JOE WILLIAMS) 14661
- MD () AUGUSTUS McPHAIL ✓) 14663
- (II) WILBUR C. U b 21 JUL 1908 () d 4 JUN 1922 () 30620
- (BOR - AS FAT)
- (II) FRED ELDRIDGE U b (B. 8/13/1915)) d 25 FEB 1983 ✓) 14657
- MD (1ST) (2/2/1920) AGNES BETHUNE D. 3/1966 ✓) 14664
- MD (2ND) () ELLA (FISH) COX ✓) 14665
- (A) FAYE U) 14666
- MD (2ND) () MD (1ST) — POPE))
- d 1982 /) — JONES b ca 1934 ())
- (B) CHARLES E. U) 14667
- (C) ELDRIDGE RAY U) 14668
- (D) DONALD K. U) 14669

JUBAL U / CALVIN UPCHURCH SOB CLAN - 7TH GEN & BEYOND
DESCENDANTS OF JAMES BERNARD U (OF THE JUBAL U - CALVIN U -
BENJAMIN U - JAMES B. U LINE)

JAMES BERNARD U "BUN" b 8 OCT 1884 (PHARNETT CO, NC) d 2 JAN 1926 () 14670
(BUR-BOIES CREEK CEMETERY, BOIES CREEK, HARNETT CO, NC)
MD () OPHELIA WMN MITCHELL b 2 MAY 1894 () 14671
d 28 MAR 1982 (ERWIN, HARNETT CO, NC) (BUR-AS HDS)

(I) LUCILLE EDNA U ^{Stinson} (STENSON) SL MAR 1999 14672
MD () WILLIAM BIRD STINSON, SR B. 9/28/1912 14673
(A) WILLIAM BIRD STINSON, JR Died 7/1985 14674

ARIADNE ^{Born 7-11-1946}
(B) ARIA STINSON (Died June 6, 1993)) JOE TINGLER 14675
MD (BUR-GREENWOOD LEM.) 14676

(II) MARY FLORENCE U b 16 NOV 1914 () d 28 JAN 1987 (VIRGINIA BEACH, VA) 14677
MD () COLEMAN WATSON BAYLES SL JAN 1987 14678

(A) MARSHA ^{ANN} BAYLES () 14679
MD ca 1982 ()
(B) JEAN ^{GLORIA JEAN} BAYLES () 14680
MD () ^{SITEK - divorce Joseph Harrison}) ^{JAMES Louis} ~~JEAN~~ AMSPACHER 14681

^{Dorothy}
(III) GRACE U SL MAR 1999 14682
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MD (2ND) ()) EDWARD BRASWELL 14684

^{Cowd}
(IV) PANSY U NO ISSUE 14685
MD (1ST) ()) ^{GARLAND Born 7/13/1915} ~~GARTON~~ STEWART SL MAR 1999 14686
MD (2ND) ()) VICTOR BEAL DIED - 4/1979 14689

(A) JIMMY STEWART 14687
(B) KATHY STEWART 14688

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e. JAMES BERNARD U b OCT 1884 (PHARWELL CO, NC) d 1976 (BUR-BOIES CREEK, NC) CONT. 14690

(V) JAMES REID U b SL MAR 1977 14690

MD (1ST) () ADA FLORENCE GREGORY^U b 24 JUN 1918 (14691

) d 2 FEB 1977 () (BUR-BOIES CREEK CEM, BOIES CREEK, NC)

MD (2ND) () ALLINE NMN (BEASLEY) HUMPHREY 14692

(A)^U LULA FAYE U 14693

MD () ~~TOMMY~~ ^{CONRAD} SMITH 14695

(1) SEAN SMITH (F) 14696

(2) MITCHELL REID SMITH 14697

(3) ANDREA SMITH 14698

(B)^U VIRGINIA REID U 14694

MD (1ST) () HOWARD RAY LEE 14699

MD (2ND) () ROBERT BRANTON 14700

(1) MICHAEL RAY LEE 14701

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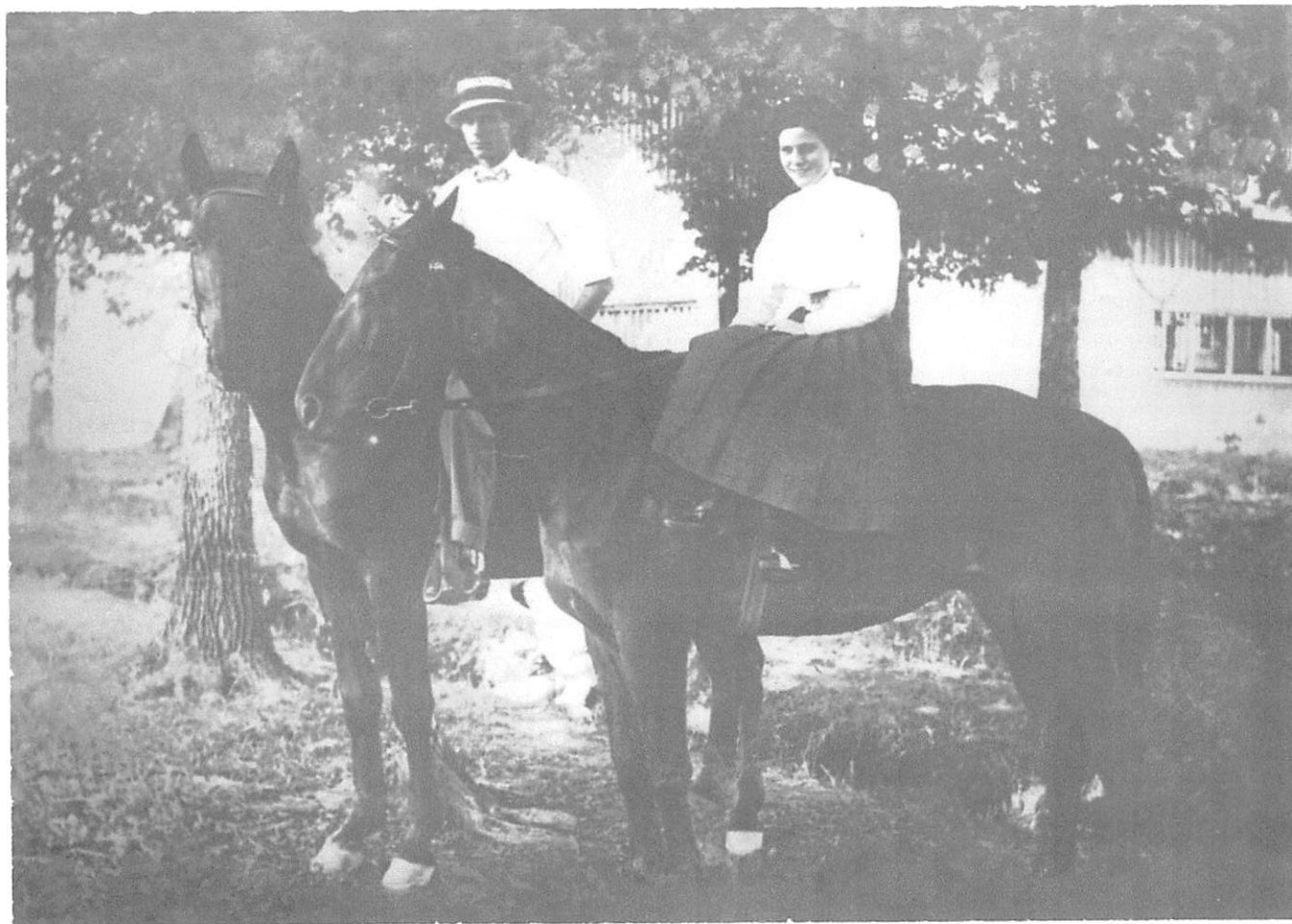
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JAMES ^{you} Bernard Upchurch & sister Maude Upchurch COOPER - only known picture of him
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 of North Carolina enumerated by me, on the 23 day of June 1850. W. J. Marshall Ass't Marshal.

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1	2	3	DESCRIPTORS.			7	8	9	10	11	12	13
			Age	Sex	Color							
		Elizabeth Mathew	5	F				N.C.				
24	24	William Mathew	49	M		Farmer	200	N.C.				
		Nancy	51	F				Scotland				
		Mary	21	F				N.C.				
		David	18	M		Laborer		N.C.		1		
		Emily	16	F				N.C.				
		Elizabeth	14	F				N.C.		1		
		Mary	7	F				Scotland			1	
25	25	Marion M. Medling	29	M		Cropper	80	N.C.			1	
		Lyndin	31	F				N.C.			1	
		Buffum Horton	16	M		Laborer		N.C.				
		Patsey	19	M				N.C.			1	
		John Bell	21	M				N.C.			1	
		Benj. M. Church	20	M				N.C.			1	
26	26	Thompson Medling	42	F			85	N.C.				
		Abella	22	F				N.C.			1	
		Alva	32	M				N.C.			1	
27	27	Bennet Hockaday	32	M		Farmer	200	N.C.				
		Mary	26	F				N.C.				
		Emily	9	F				N.C.			1	
		Richard	16	F				N.C.				
		Christiana	9	F				N.C.				
		Wigadia	7/2	F				N.C.				
28	28	John Mathew	50	M		Farmer	500	N.C.			1	
		Eliza	50	F				Scotland				
		Norman	24	M			150	N.C.				
		Christiana	21	F				N.C.				
		Edith	18	F				N.C.				
		John	17	M				N.C.			1	
		William	14	M				N.C.			1	
		Nancy	10	F				N.C.			1	
		Effia	8	F				N.C.			1	
29	29	Catharine Gato	55	F			200	Scotland				
		John	23	M		Laborer		N.C.				
		David	22	M				N.C.				
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		Delana	28	F								
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All seven children of Walter and Lou Cina Tysinger enjoyed the good life as farmers.
Sources: Family history.

—Doris McPhail Tysinger

BEN UPCHURCH AND LELA PARKER UPCHURCH

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Benjamin (Ben) Upchurch, the third child of Jeff and Virginia Upchurch, was born April 22, 1891. Ben married Lela Parker who was born January 30, 1891 and was the third child of Bob and Mary Parker. Ben and Lela had three daughters after a young son died soon after his birth. The Upchurch girls are Winifred, Nellie, and Frances.

Like his father before him, Ben became a merchant. Before that Ben was an outstanding player on the Buie's Creek town baseball team. He was a left-handed pitcher whose arm, according to local reports, was of major league caliber. Ben was a familiar figure at the fledgling Campbell College. He coached basketball as well as baseball. He was also an assistant coach to Clarence Stasivitch who coached the Campbell football team before he became a legend at Lenoir Rhyne and later continued his success at East Carolina University.

Lela Parker and her parents lived about halfway between Buie's Creek and Erwin on what is now North Carolina Highway 421. Her father, Bob Parker, sent Lela and her sisters to Buie's Creek to attend Buie's Creek Academy (now Campbell). In fact, he took Lela, Nanny, and Kate by horse and buggy every Sunday afternoon to board with Miss Effie Barker. Mr. Bob returned to retrieve his daughters each Friday afternoon after class.

Baseball was an important part in the lives of Ben and Lela. He pitched and she was his biggest fan. In fact, ball was indirectly responsible for Ben's proposal. According to the story Lela told her grandson shortly before her death, one time during their courtship they had a fuss and broke up for a while. Lela still wanted to see Ben and the team play ball in Durham one Saturday afternoon. She accepted the invitation of another young man and they traveled by train to Durham to attend the game. On the same train were the Buie's Creek team and its star pitcher B. B. Upchurch. According to Lela, the silence was stifling. Ben pitched a shutout that afternoon as Buie's Creek beat Durham. He also realized he didn't like the idea of someone else with Lela. He proposed shortly thereafter. Lela accepted.

The ballpark in Buie's Creek was near the house where Ben and Lela resided while they lived in town. The park was a wooden structure located on the present campus of Buie's Creek Elementary School. It had a large grandstand and was enclosed by a plank fence complete with knottoles. Sometimes little boys would pull nails out of the planks and slide the boards back so they could

would prepare.

Lela's love of baseball continued even after Ben's early death in 1938. Until she was in her nineties, she regularly listened to far off night broadcasts of New York Yankees ball games on her radio. When television came along, Lela never missed a telecast game. She finally got her chance to see major league game in person in 1967. Her grandson Ben Stewart, his wife Rue, and her granddaughter Anna Johnson took their grandmother to watch the St. Louis Cardinals play the Braves in Atlanta. She especially enjoyed watching former Yankee Roger Maris play right field for the Cards. Maybe baseball was a link to the past that kept her love for Ben alive.

After a number of years in Buie's Creek, Ben, Lela, and their daughters moved near the Parker homeplace. There they ran a store as well as a farm. Their daughters continued their education in Erwin and Buie's Creek. Each girl eventually finished college; Winifred and Nell became teachers and Frances became a nurse. It was during this time that Ben Upchurch was tragically killed in an automobile accident. He died September 28, 1938. Lela died in 1986. Their daughters each married.

Winifred married Howell Stewart a farmer who lived near Buie's Creek. It was on his family's farm that they made their home. Their son Ben married Rue Ogburn. Their daughter Judy married Gordon Atkinson. Winifred and Howell have seven grandchildren: Lisa, Kelly, Shay, (Judy's) and Scott, Shelly, Shana, and Stan (Ben's).

Nell married William Revels. They moved to San Diego during his naval career. It is there that she and her children continue to live. Their children are Mary Revels, Clarice Revels Nicholas who married Harold Nick Nicholas, and Carl Revels who married Sheri Gardener. Their grandchildren are Donnie Nicholas, Brian Nicholas, and Brenda Nicholas.

Frances married Gerald Johnson of Erwin. Gerald worked for many years at Erwin Mills and later at Kelly Springfield. They live on the old Bob Parker homeplace. Anna, Gail, David are their children. Anna married David Luther and their children are Michael and Kevin. Gail married James Godwin. Their children are Andrew and Stephen. Gail and James have since divorced. David married Donna Keen and they have divorced.

Sources: Family records and traditions

—Ben Stewart

JEFF UPCHURCH AND VIRGINIA HORTON UPCHURCH

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Jefferson Davis Upchurch was born September 10, 1861. He was the fourth of five children (all sons) born to Benjamin Upchurch (1830-1910) and Arabella Medlin Upchurch (1827-1867). Benjamin

James, J. K. (Kit) Calvin, Jeff, Charlie. Following Arabella's death, Benjamin married Katie Johnson and they had three children — Frank, Will, and Mollie. The Benjamin Upchurches lived on NC highway 210 near Neill's Creek Baptist Church where they are buried.

This community was also the first home of Jeff Upchurch and his bride Virginia Horton from Johnston County. She was born December 16, 1869. They were married in a double wedding. Walt and Lilly Johnson also became man and wife in that double ceremony. Virginia's daughter, Annie Bell remembers her mother recalling that she and Jeff had only one chair when they set up housekeeping. Jeff and Virginia continued to live in the Neill's Creek community for several years. Their older children were born there. These were John (1887-1959), Zebulon (1899 and died young), Benjamin (1891-1938), Lessie (1893-1963), Ezra (Dick) (1896-1936), and Bessie (1897-1973).

Later, Jeff and Virginia moved to Buie's Creek where he became a merchant. His first store was located near Kivett's brick yard along with those of two other merchants, Floyd Taylor and Sandy Stewart. Late one night fire destroyed the three wooden store buildings. Mysterious circumstances surrounded this fire. Jeff was the only one of the merchants who did not have insurance on his business. Shortly thereafter, however, Jeff and Leslie Collier opened another store on the current site of Blanchard's Barber Shop. This store was also burned out. Jeff then bought the large building across the street.

It was as merchant at this location that he is best remembered. Jeff also had a farm where women's campus, the fine arts building, the maintenance plant, and laundry of Campbell are now located. While he was establishing these ventures, Jeff and Virginia had the remainder of their family. Born in Buie's Creek were Rosa (1901-1968), Annie Bell (1906 to present), Lala (1908 to present), Issie (1908-1925) and Woodrow (1912-1971).

Jeff Upchurch's general store was an important establishment in Buie's Creek. His stock of provisions was wide and varied and provided for most of the needs of the citizens of the small town. Uncle Jeff, as the community children called him, provided for the other needs also. Daughter Annie Bell recalls that he always got up early on cold mornings to go to the store to start a fire in the big, pot-bellied stove that heated the building. He just wanted it warm when the early school bus arrived with its first load of children. He wanted his children to have a comfortable place to wait until the school house opened. Uncle Jeff also gave the children candy while they waited.

A merchant all his life, Jeff Upchurch was one of the founding fathers of Buie's Creek and later served as its last mayor. He and Virginia were instrumental in the building of Buie's Creek Baptist Church. In addition to contributions of material, money, and labor made by her husband,



Virginia Horton Upchurch and Jefferson David Upchurch

— quite a task with a house full of children. Jeff also substantially helped his friend J. A. Campbell get Campbell College off the ground.

All of the surviving children of Jeff and Virginia were respected and contributing citizens of Harnett County. John, a merchant in Raleigh and Buie's Creek, married Lutha Stewart. He also carried the mail. Deliveries were made to Lillington in the morning and to Coats in the afternoon. John and Lutha's children are Ernie Mae, Thurman, Clyde (who was also a merchant), and Daisy Lea. Ben, a merchant as well, married Lela Parker. Their three daughters are Winifred, Nellie, and Frances. Daughter Lessie married Sion Mitchell. Their family includes Graham, Hazel, Bob, Mack and Sarah. Ezra (Dick) married Sallie Mae Wallace and they had four children: Earl, Louis, Helen, and Ruth. Bessie married Jesse Wood and they lived, until retirement, in Littleton where Jesse was a merchant. They spent their retirement years in Buie's Creek. Jesse Jr. was their son. Rosa married Leland Stewart and they ran the store after her father's death. Their children are Jeff and Charles (Mutt). Lala and Herbert Betts married and their children are Ruth and Nina Belle. Annie Bell was sixteen when she married Levy McLeod. Only a year older, Levy said he would join the army if she did not marry him. She quit school and married him. Frank and Joyce Lee are their children. The baby of Jeff and Virginia was Woodrow. Like his older brother, Ben, Woodrow was a great baseball player — a left-handed pitcher. Woodrow played organized baseball and made it to major leagues briefly. In one game with Connie Mack's Philadelphia Athletics, Woodrow struck out Babe Ruth three times. An arm injury in a traffic accident ended his baseball career. He married Agnes Avery and their son is Woody.

Upchurch died in 1937.

Sources: US Census, Family records and traditions

—Winifred Upchurch Stewart

UPCHURCH, JOSEPH BAXTON AND MAGGIE McLEOD

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Joseph Baxton Upchurch and Maggie McLeod were married in the year 1912 or 1913. From this union six children were born: Vera Lee (1916), Mable Irene (1918), Clara Mae (1920), Harold McLeod (1922), Daniel (1927), and J. B. Jr. (1931).

Baxton was born September 2, 1890, in the Pleasant Union Community. Maggie was born May 17, 1894, in the Neil's Creek Community. They were farmers for several years in the community which they were born and reared in Harnett County.

Baxton was the fourth son of Calvin and Jeanette Cofield Upchurch. He had four brothers: Malcolm C. — born August 24, 1889 and married Electra Johnson, born October 3, 1892. He died November 17, 1954, and she died November 20, 1958. Thonnie — born November 7, 1893, and died January 19, 1919. L. Call — born February 10, 1896, and married Mamie Johnson, born January 19, 1897. He died January 12, 1944, and she died April 12, 1960. Walter — no birth or death date available. Iola — his only sister was born July 25, 1886, and died January 22, 1952.

They all walked two or three miles everyday to attend school in Buies Creek. Iola taught school for several years and in the later years she was Dean of Women at Elon College in Elon, N. C.

Maggie McLeod was the daughter of Daniel and Martha Pate McLeod. She had three sisters, Mary, Ludella, and Annie, and four brothers, Hervey, Murphy, Dewey, and Waylon, who drowned in the Eno River when he was just a young man.

Maggie was a very loving mother and an excellent homemaker. While helping to raise their six children, she took time to play tennis and took an active part in the P.T.A. of Angier School where all of their children graduated.

Maggie died on September 13, 1971 after suffering from cancer for ten months. Baxton retired from the Postal Service in March 1958 after 35 years of service. He died in his sleep on July 12, 1958.

Before their first son was born, they moved to



Joseph Baxton Family

Angier, a small town at that time, about five miles from where they lived. A few years later, he was appointed as a Rural Mail Carrier for Route 2, Angier, N. C. When he started the mail route, most of the roads were dirt and many times he would get mired in the mud, especially after a rain, but he would have no trouble being pulled out by some of his patrons' mules. He drove a Ford sedan with no windows, heat, or air-conditioning. When it rained or the weather was bad, there were fabric windows that could be snapped on.

It was hard for a lot of his patrons to come to town, especially when they were sick, so many times he would pick up their prescriptions and have them filled and carry them back the next day. He was never out of candy that he left in the mail boxes for the many children on his route.

Vera Lee, his oldest daughter, was married to Dwight McLeod. Dwight died in 1950. Vera was carrying the mail as a substitute the day he died. They had two children: Mack and Patricia. Vera later married again to Bruce Blalock.

Mable was married to Bennie Joe Ellis and they had five sons: Donnie, Ben, Phillip, George, and one that died at birth. Mable graduated from Woman's College in Greensboro. She taught school for several years and then went to work with the Social Services Department in Wilsor County from which she later retired. Bennie Joe died on December 23, 1984.

Clara was married to Raymond Owen on November 24, 1938. She attended Campbell College and graduated with a business degree. She has been a bookkeeper for many years in their tobacco warehouse business from Live Oak, Florida to Yadkinville, North Carolina; also, in Asheville, NC for forty years. She was a substitute mail carrier for her daddy for many years. When Mr. Upchurch had a slight stroke in his hand, she carried it for a year. He had never taken many of his sick leave days, so when he got sick he took off a whole year. He was a very devoted and much loved mailman.

Harold was born December 15, 1922. He married Ruth Holmes, born August 14, 1922. A son, Hal, was born of this union. Ruth died January 5, 1980. Harold later married Ada Jackson Wimberly. Harold attended Duke University after three years in the military service. He was a finance officer in many parts of the world during the second world war.

Daniel was born May 23, 1927, and married Katherine Bobbitt in 1945. They had three children: Kathy, Danny, and Bobby. Daniel was called from Duke University to the military service. He served in the Army during World War II.

J. B. Jr. was born September 17, 1931, and married Avis Jones. Avis was married before and brought two sons into this union — Bobby and Steve Jones. J. B. also had to leave his education at Wake Forest College when he joined the Navy during the Korean war and spent most of his time in Japan. He retired from the Postal Service in the main Post Office in Durham, N. C. in 1991.

Clara and Raymond had three children. Ronald married Betty Lou Hamm and three girls were born of the union: Lori Ann, Kristi, and Brand



J.B. Upchurch Grandchildren

There are three grandchildren: Trever, Joe, and Rachel. Ronald and Betty Lou divorced. Raymond, Jr. married Sandra Fowler and had two sons from that union: Marty and Keith, and one granddaughter, Kalyn. Brenda married Kenneth Gray and four children were born from that union: Julia, who died at birth, Angie, Ken, and Jonathan. She has one grandson, Lee. Brenda and Ken divorced and she later married Sherrill McLamb.

The union of Baxton and Maggie Upchurch has fifteen grandchildren, twenty-seven great-grandchildren, and six great great-grandchildren. The youngest great great-granddaughter was born to Joe and Kristi Coker on the 23rd day of February 1993. Her name is Rachel Nichole Coker.

Source: Upchurch Family Record

—Clara Upchurch Owen



Dan and Maggie McLeod

THE WADES

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The Wades ancestry can be originally traced back as having come from Scotland. The Wades of Harnett County can be traced back to John Wade who served in the Revolutionary War.

The Town of Dunn, incorporated in 1887, was built largely on the vast estate of Henry Pope and Julius J. Wade. He was appointed to the office of Mayor when the town charter was granted by the legislature of 1887. He also served on the town's first Board of Commissioners as well as serving as the town's first postmaster. In latter years Ralph Wade, a distant cousin of Julius J. Wade, was appointed postmaster in 1946.

One of the first stores in Dunn was a general store owned by Julius J. Wade and was located on West Broad Street. From the News and Observer Twentieth Century State Edition we read: "Enterprise and progress characterizes the transactions of Mr. J. J. Wade one of Dunn's most substantial citizens. The business was founded in 1886 on a very small scale, and has been gradually built up until it has reached its present great proportions. The stock carried is large and embraces a fine line of dry goods, staple and fancy groceries, agricultural implements and all grades of guano."

The Wades of this area were very prevalent in the Presbyterian Church and many of their ancestors are buried in the Old Bluff Presbyterian Cemetery. This church, founded in 1758, is located in Wade, N. C. Mrs. Julius J. Wade was a Charter Member of the First Presbyterian Church in Dunn.

J. Lloyd Wade, son of Julius J. Wade, served as mayor of Dunn, from 1920 to 1924. He was married to Helena Morris, an accomplished musician who contributed much toward musical education in this area. J. Morris Wade, son of J. Lloyd Wade, owned and operated Morris Wade Sales Co., an office supply store in Dunn, for thirty some years. He was a veteran of General William C. Lee's

Sources: The News and Observer Twentieth Century State Edition; The Pope Family, by Mrs. Lou Crews; A History of Dunn by Herman P. Green (1965).

—Mrs. J. Morris Wade

DESCENDANTS OF JOSEPH WADE

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The 1794 will of Joseph Wade of Duplin County names a grandson James Wade. James is apparently the orphaned son of John Wade, possibly a Revolutionary soldier who was listed in the 1790 Census of Dobbs County. James' widowed mother later married Charles Morris of Duplin County. Duplin County court papers record the division of the estate of Charles' son, Axum Morris who died intestate in September 1871, between the heirs of Axum's two half-brothers, James and William Wade, and two half-sisters, Beady Pope and Sarah Turnage.

James Wade, born about 1786 and died about 1842, married in Duplin County by bond dated 11 June 1811 Anna Winders, daughter of William Winders. James Wade of Duplin County bought 600 acres in Cumberland County on or near Stony Run from William Giles of Cumberland County on 6 March 1818 for \$1100. James and Anna, who died after the 1860 Census, are believed to be buried without existing marker in the Wade Family Cemetery east of Dunn about ½ mile from the intersection of U. S. 421 and N. C. 55. This site was in Black River Township of Cumberland County until 1911 when the area was added to Aversboro Township of Harnett County. Their eight children include Samuel J. Wade, born in 1812 and died in 1865, who married Isabella Murphy, daughter of Richard Murphy and Wyltha Butler, and Charles R. Wade, born about 1822 and died after 1880, who married Tabitha Taylor, daughter of Isaac Taylor and Lydia Summerlin. James and Anna's descendants include many prominent Dunn area citizens, among them Julius J. Wade who was named the first postmaster in eastern Harnett County 9 June 1882. The name of this post office was changed 24 September 1886 from Wade to Lucknow and 26 November 1886 from Lucknow to Dunn.

William Wade, born before 1790 and died in the 1820s, married Elizabeth "Betsy" Croft and moved from Duplin County to Cumberland County after the 1810 Census. They lived north of the present town of Wade near the Bluff Presbyterian Church where they are believed to be buried. Their eight children include Anson Wade, born in 1804 and died in 1851, who married Comfort Blue, daughter of Duncan Blue and Mary Watson; Louisa Wade, born in 1812 and died in 1890, who married John W. Baker, son of Randal Baker and Elizabeth Geddie; Susan Caroline Wade, born in 1813 and living in 1900, who married J. W. Wright Thornton; Levi Charles Wade, born in 1814 and died about 1863, who married Christian McDonald, daughter of Neill McDonald and Catherine

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① See Notes of RPA 17 JUL 1982 Phone call to James Bernard U.

Mary Florence U and Coleman W. Bayles. They have
2 children: A. Marshall ^{BAYLES} recently md

B. Jean ^{BAYLES} U. md Jim Amspacker

[Mary is dau of James Bernard U, gd of James U,
& ggd of Benjamin U b 1830 d 1910 lvs Nettle
Creek BAPT Church near Angier, NC - RPA]

[James Bernard U is son of James B. U of
the Julia U / Calvin U Sublan - RPA]