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I. James Verlie Penny ^{1) → Fished in YARDERS LAKE} [of the Moses U/Murray U Subclass - Rachel U line] [He was called "J.V." or "Verlie" and was the son of John Baptist Penny] md (?) Zula Ethel Johnson oldest dau of Jody Johnson + Miranda Hamilton of the Millboro Community of Wake Co, NC.

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F. Sue Carol Penny md (?) -- WININGS [VS MD (?) -- VININGS?]
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G. Sammy Jean Penny md (?) A. DIRK OVERBY

1. Kelly Overby

2. Mark Overby

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[*] - The sequence of listing the grandchildren of James Verlie Penny in Family History No 421 leads RPL to conclude that Sue Carol Penny and (1st or 2nd) -- SWART and had children: Cassie Penny Swart, Linda Swart + Dirk Swart. - Need verification.

1) lived in Chalybeate Springs on Hector Creek Harnett Co, NC; Bought land from Uncle John Hamilton + Brack Johnson

○ Wake Co, NC Heritage Book

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BIOFILE

ANDREW BETTS

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I. Andrew Betts - In Buckhorn TSP
Wake Co, NC in 1805 + 1810

A. William Betts "Billie" moved
to Hector's Creek, Cumberland
(now Harnett) Co, NC 1825.
d 1843 Intestate

1. Andrew Betts

Hector's Creek - Harnett Co, NC

Andrew Betts appears on the 1805 and 1910 Tax List of Buckhorn Township. The fate of the 150 acres which he purchased in 1805 along Uttleys Creek in Buckhorn Township is not clear. There is no subsequent deed in the Wake County Records for that property. The Wake County Tax List shows his son James Betts and wife Sally living on 25 acres in Buckhorn Township from 1817 through 1820. Perhaps the land was divided among the children and this 25 acres was given to James Betts. As noted above, Andrew Betts married Sally White of Surry County in 1789. His son William Betts was born in 1799 in Isle of Wight County. Apparently Andrew must have died intestate as there are no records of his estate or will in Wake or Cumberland Counties. The most prominent and successful of his children was William (Billie) Betts, Married Temperance Utley of Wake County in 1820. He migrated to Cumberland County, N.C. (now Harnett County) and purchased land there along Hector's Creek in 1825. There he built a log bungalow which stood until 1827. William and Temperance Betts are buried near the house. He died intestate in 1843. Beautifully recorded and detailed accounts of his estate were maintained by his son and administrator, Andrew Betts, and are preserved in the Search Room

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Source: Personal knowledge.

— Wilmer C. Betts, M.D.

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