

## **James Upchurch VII**

### **Commentary:**

James Upchurch VII was a son of Richard Upchurch III and thus head of the Richard Upchurch III/James Upchurch VII sub-clan. It is our intent to transcribe, and post on-line as fast as possible, the biofiles for Richard III and his children and grandchildren. This is our first installment and it was selected so as to not make the challenge so great for our transcriber, who is a descendant of James VII. This biofile is an incremental step in providing documentation for James Upchurch VII, but at the same time will provide a great many relevant bits of information on other families who lived in Dunn Township of Franklin County, NC, in the late 1700s and early 1800s. The challenge is great, but the fruits are rewarding.

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**(1) PER ATTACH #27 WEST LTR 18 MAY 1975 – EXTRACT OF UPCHURCH WILLS FRANKLIN CO, NC**

“James Upchurch – 1 May 1833 –

To wife – Thaney – 400 Acres – 6 Negroes – all household goods – horses and cattle

Sons- -Kearney – 278 acres land on Mocason Creek, adjacent to land of Bartley Upchurch and Larkin Upchurch

- Jamison - ?

At death of wife – everything to be sold and proceeds to children and grandchildren:

Gilly Ray, wife of James Ray

*[Presume these are daughters of*

Elizabeth, wife of John Phillips Elvo, wife of John Cooley Jr. Grandchildren

Lucy U

Witnesses: Matthew and C. Strickland – Sam, Moses and W. L. Norris.

Proven Mar 1850 – Book N, Pg. 318“

**(2) PER ATTACH #27B WEST LTR 18 MAY 1975 – FRANKLIN CO, NC CONVEYANCES**

A. “1796 – James U to Reuben Rogers – 35 lbs - 200 acres – land lying branches Turkey Creek, County line N. to Pine E. to Wm. Morgan’s corner. Wit: Richard U, Jurat; signed James U.  
Court To 1796 Book 8, Pg. 253.”

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*James U – R.P.U.]*

B. “1804 Moses U to James U  
\$600 tract land on waters of Moccason Creek – thence  
West course to Thomas Gay’s corner – thence on  
Gay’s line – Zadock Bells – Daniel Ray’s line, Henry Baker’s corner – 400 acres Wit: Gillium U,  
Jurat; Richard U signed Moses U – Bk 11, Pg. 281.”

C. “1801 Jubal U from Stephen Pearce – 100 lbs – 160 acres – lying on Great Branch, Head of the Long Branch – James U line, Wm. Lambert’s line – Wit. Britton Perce, Averit & Elisha Perce – Signed Stephen Pearce – Dec Court 1804 – Bk 13, Pg. 21.”

D. “1804 James U to Buckner U of Wake Co – 200 Acres - \$450 - land in Franklin Co, Elisha Strickland line - - Great Branch, down sd Branch to mouth of Rocky Branch. Wit: Shenrod B. Martin, Eli Massey, signed James U., Sept Session 1807 – Bk 14, Pg. 63.”

E. “1819 May 22 – James U to Buckner - \$50 – whole of my right and title in tract of land of late Richard U, deceased, formerly lived on  $22\frac{3}{4}$  acre – adjacent land of Wm. Harrison, heirs of Benjamin U deceased, and others, to have and to hold aforesaid peace or parcel – Wit: Thomas Dunn, Sion U, Jurat: signed James U. June Session 1819 – Bk 18, Pg. 80.”

F. “1798 (Notice date – B. West) – Richard U. to James U. Witnesses; Moses U., Jurat; Buckner U signed Richard U, March session 1794 (*Index gives date as 1798 – Could this deed indicate that James was another son of Richard and was getting land at same time as Nathan above – B. West?*)

G. “22 Oct 1875 – Indenture between Buckner, Burkly and Brittan U, County of Franklin, NC, First part to James U, 2<sup>nd</sup> part for \$273 – convey to him the said James U, whole of my right and title in the tract of the late Richard U, deceased – formally lived on 109<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> acres - bounded – poplar Baley Gay’s line, Carpenter’s line – corner maple Buckley U. line – joining John Carpenter – Wit; Kearney U., Jurat; John Phillips- signed Buckner, Britton, Burkley U Dec Sessions 1825 – Registered to +6 Mar 1826 S. S. Patterson CC – Bk 22, Pg. 61.”

**(3) PER ATTACH #26 WEST LTR 18 MAY 1975 – GRANTORS FRANKLIN CO, NC**

A. “1796 James U to Ruben Rogers on Turkey Creek, Bk A, Pg. 230 - Wit: Richard U to two of James (Sept Court)”

B. “1798 Richard U (Jr.?) to James U – Bk 11, Pg. 27”

**(4) PER ATTACH #24 WEST LTR 18 MAY 1975–CONVEYANCES 18 MAY 1975 FRANKLIN CO, NC**

A. “1796 James U from John Jones – land on Crooked Creek – Bk8, Pg. 34–Witness: Richard U”

B. “1798 – Richard U Jr. from Wm. Lambert Jr., Bk 11, Pg. 24 Wit = Moses & James U”

**(5) JAMES U WAS THE SON OF RICHARD U JR. (XID – 63) (28)**

(28 = UPCHURCH FAMILY BY BELLE WEST)

**(6) PER ATTACH #29 WEST LTR 18 MAY 1975 – FRANKLIN CO, NC – MARRIAGE BONDS.**

A. “Elizabeth U. m John Phillips 14 Aug 1821 – Bondsman & Witness = Thos B. Arendell - West note indicates this Elizabeth U. is daughter of James U & sister of Keaton U.”

*[Note – I tentatively assume James in (5) is same as James in (6) – RPU]*

B. “Leacy U m Benjamin Pearce 17 Nov 1836 – Bondman & Witness = James U” *[Note – I tentatively assume James in (5) is same as James in (5), (6)A. & (6)B. – RPU]*

**(7) NC 1800 CENSUS – PER JACKSON & TEEPLES**

Pg. 467 of Census shows James U of Franklin Co, NC 0 slaves.

*[This is only James listed in NC. My extracts show 2 James U – RPU]*

Born	Age	Males	Females
1795–1800	<10	1 Williford U.	2
1784 – 1790	10 - 16	0	0
1776 – 1734	16 - 24	0	0
1755 – 1776	26 – 45	1	1
Before 1755	>45	0	0

James U, VII b about 1775

Elizabeth Thaney Butler b about 1773

**(8) PER ATTACH #34 WEST LTR 18 MAY 1975 – WAKE CO, NC MARRIAGE**

**RECORD** “22 Nov 1830 – Kerney U md Emila Perry – Witness: James U & B. S. King.”

**(9) PER 1820 NC CENSUS & TAX LISTS – POTTER 1974**

Only ONE James U for NC - TWO is on 1820 Tax Rolls of Franklin Co, NC – Pg. 471. The other is in Montgomery Co, NC Census Pg. 1830.

**(10) See Will File for Petition Dec 1917 Franklin Co., NC to divide Richard U Jr. prop. Names James as son of Richard Jr.**

(11) See Will File Franklin Co, NC 1818 Bk F - Division of land of Richard U Jr. James U got 22<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> acres.

**(12) SEE PG. 26 OF 2 FEB 1978 LTR ELVA E. BURKHALTER TO RPU**

A. Brinkley U – 1815 – 17 Pg. 120, Division of Lands of Richard U to John Pearce and wife, Sion (m), Barkley, Larkins, Briton, James, Clabon, Buckner, Pg. 23, Sale of Richards Estate to Sooky, Buckner, Briton, Berkley, Sion (Adm.) Jubal, Clabon, Abel, James, Brinkley. (*Believe Brinkley to be misspelling of the name – Berkely or Berkley*) A. M.”

B. Pg. 38 Franklin Co, NC – Wills and inventories – 1850–James U (N-318) (XID – 67) names Kearney, Jamison, Lacy.

**(13) SEE MARRIAGE BONDS – WAKE CO, NC – FROM 31 OCT 1977 LTR FROM MRS. L. W. PRIEST TO R.P.U.** Kerney U md Emila Perry – Bond date = 22 Nov 1830 – Bondsman = James U.; Witness= B. S. King. [*I assume Father James was bondsman for son Kearney - RPU*]

**(14) SEE CENSUS RECORDS – FRANKLIN CO, NC**

1810	James U name	Ages	Male	Female *
	+ 1 slave	<10	2 - Kearney & Jamison	1
		10 – 16	1 - Williford U.	2
		16 – 26	0	1
		26 – 45	1 - James	1 - Thaney
		>45	0	0
1820	No Records			

[\* 4 dau  
or 3 dau  
Gilly U,  
Elizabeth U,  
Cloa (Elva)  
U, &  
1 Grand Dau  
Lecy U–RPU]

1830	James U name			
		10 – 15		1-GD Lecy U
		20 – 30	2–Kearney U b about± 1808 & Jamison U b about 1810	
		50 – 60	1 James U, XID - 67	1-Elizabeth Thaney (Butler) U

**1830 James U name**

+ Slaves  
1 M <10      1M 24 - 36  
1 F 10 - 24 1F 55- 100  
+ One free colored

**1840** No James U found – also his wife, Elizabeth Thaney (Butler) U not found

**1850** No James U found but there is a Thaney U age 80 as head of household who would fit specs for Elizabeth Thaney (Butler) U. She had \$500 RE. In home = Elizabeth Denton age 60 and Burton Hicky age 18, Farmer. {Note – in adjacent household is a Charlotte U age 60 – a guess – she could have been a daughter of James U (XID – 67) or more likely a wife of a son of James U – R.P.U.]

**(15) SEE 1808 FRANKLIN CO, NC CENSUS – EXTRACTED BY RPU -**

**There are two James U Households – labeled A & B below:**

	A		B
Male	16 – 26 = 1	Male	<10 = 1
Male	>45 = 1	Male	26 – 45 = 1
Female	16 – 26 = 1	Female	<10 = 1
Slaves	= 1	Female	<10 = 1
		Female	26 – 45 = 1

*[It would appear that one of the above (, B) is James U, V (XID – 153) Head of Clan and the other is his nephew James U, XID – 67, Head of the Richard U, III / James U Subclan – R.P.U.]*

**(16) SEE WILL FILE FOR EXACT COPY OF WILL OF JAMES U**

*[Note – Will written 1 May 1833 but Proved Mar 1850 – so when did James U. die? He is notfound in 1840 or 1850 Census. My guess is he is in the 1840 Census somewhere and he diedjust before 1850 Census. James is not in home of son Kearney on 1840 Census.]*

**(17) RE ESTATE SALE FOR HEZEKIAH MASSEY, SR – HELD 27 SEP 1791 – FRANKLIN CO, NC – IN LTR 19 MAR 1996 WILLA MAE BOLTON TO R.P.U.**

*Inventory of estate of Heseekiah Massey dec'd. Included was 132 acres. Sept. 27 1797. Richard Massey, admr. Dec. Court 1797 Source: Franklin Co., N.C. Will Bk. A. p. 88*

*Sale of estate of Heseekiah Massey dec'd. Buyers were: Richard Massey, Martha Massey, Thomas Ray, John Williams, Thomas Ingram, Joseph Wheeler, Jr., James Mullins, Richard Upchurch, Bud Lee, Ben J. Bun, Benjamin Bun, William Walker, James Bolton, Nathan Bolton, Miles Prewitt, Moses Upchurch, Robert Chamlee, Robert Rutherford, James Upchurch, Nathun Striclan, Fredick Smith, James Campbell, Jesse Dinkens, David Bun, Isaac Striclin. March Court 1792.*

*Source: Ibid, p. 88.*

*Comment: Hezekiah Massey died between 16 June 1791 [date of Will] and 27 Sept. 1791, [date of inventory which was return to Court for recording Dec. Term].*

**(18) Will of Henry Baker, Sr. – Franklin Co, NC From Will Books DEFG, Franklin Co, NC 1812-1824 – Wills, Estates Record, Guardian Accts – Will Book G Pg. 94 Jun 1823.**

825-(161) Will of HENRY BAKER SR. Planter. I lend to my wife REBECCA BAKER the land where I now live on Northside of Moccoson Creek joining the land I give below to my son BENJAMIN, also lend her Jack, Isaac, Clarry during her life; after her death I give the land and negroes to my son BLAKE BAKER, also 1 filly, 1 feather bed & furniture, 1 sow & pigs, 1 shot gun, 1 ship saw. To my son JAMES BAKER, all my lands on south side of Moccoson Creek where JOHN BARKER now lives joining JAMES UPCHURCH, DAVID RHEA, WILLIAMSON RICHARDS; also Will, Ferry, 1 feather bed & furniture, 1 sow & pigs. To my daughter TEMPERANCE BAKER woman Chaney, 1 feather bed & furniture. To my son BENJAMIN BAKER land on north side of Moccoson Creek joining ERNEST PIERCE, also to him boy Lark, 1 filly, 1 sow & pigs, 1 shot gun. To my daughter PEGGY BAKER boy Daniel, woman Rose. To my daughter ELIZA BAKER girls Sucky & Hannah. The balance of my estate I wish my executors to sell as much as needed to pay my debts. The remainder I lend to my wife REBECCA during her life and at her death to be allotted into 5 equal parts and distributed by my sd wife REBECCA to my 5 youngest children and should any of these die before, the share should be divided among the remainder of my 5 youngest children. Executors: Friend JOHN WILLIAMS (Road), brother JAMES BAKER, THOMAS BROOM. 10 May 1818 HENRY BAKER. Wit: WM. T. HOLLINGSWORTH, LEMUEL SANDIFORD(x), J. H. COOLEY. Note: 2 Apr. 1821. Alterations to the will. Instead of willing to JAMES BAKER girl Sookey, he to receive boy Furma. ELIZA BAKER to receive Sookey. My son JAMES BAKER JR. also appointed an executor instead of JOHN WILLIAMS (Roal). HENRY BAKER SR.(x). Wit: WM. T. HOLLINGSWORTH, LEMUEL SANDIFORD(x) Jun Ct 1823. Probated Jun Court 1823

Witnesses: Wm. T. Hollingsworth, Lemuel Sandiford, J. H. Cooley

Executors: John Williams (Replaced by son James Baker, James Baker (Bro) & Thomas Broom

J. - - Baker

**A. HENRY BAKER, SR DIED 1823** [*Note – It is not clear why he was styled Sr. – there is no evidence of a son, Jr. – R.P.U.*] md ( ) Rebecca - - “Land where I now live on Moccasin Creek.”

1. Benjamin Baker – Land adjoins Rebecca’s - his on North side of Moccasin Creek – adjoins ERNEST PEARCE.
2. Blake Baker – gets Rebecca’s land at her death.
3. James Baker – land on S side of Moccasin Creek where JOHN BARKER lives – adjoins James U., VII, David Ray, Williamson Richards.
4. Temperance Baker
5. Peggy Baker
6. Eliza Baker

**B. JAMES BAKER**

**(19) Franklin Co, NC – Will Book F – Bradley Pg 59 PE7 ?**

483-(143) Sale of property of RICHARD UPCHURCH dec’d. 12 Dec 1817. Buyers were SUSANNAH UPCHURCH, BRITON UPCHURCH, LARKIN UPCHURCH, JAMES UPCHURCH, BURKLY UPCHURCH, CLABOURN UPCHURCH. Signed by SION UPCHURCH admr.

**(20) Franklin Co, NC – Will Book E – Bradley Pg 42**

328-(177) Inventory of estate of RICHARD UPCHURCH dec’d, taken 1 Apr 1817. Names mentioned: PHILIP PEARCE, BURWELL FOWLER, BENJAMIN BUNN, WILLIE WILLIAMS, ROBERT C. HALL, JAMES C. CHAMBLEE, WILLIAM CARPENTER, THOMAS DUNN, ISHAM MASSEY, JAMES UPCHURCH, MATHEW STRICKLAND, BERKLY UPCHURCH, BRITON UPCHURCH, CLABON UPCHURCH. Signed by SION UPCHURCH admr. Jun Ct 1817

**(21) Will Book F – Franklin Co, NC – Bradley Pg 44**

134-(23) Sale of estate of RICHARD UPCHURCH dec'd, 1 Apr 1817. Buyers were

SOOKY UPCHURCH	JOHN CARPENTER	BUCKNER UPCHURCH	BENJAMIN WILLIAMS
BRITON UPCHURCH	BERCKIAS MASSEY	<u>JAMES UPCHURCH</u>	JEREMIAH DENBY
JOHN JOHNSON	BERKLEY UPCHURCH	SION UPCHURCH	ABEL UPCHURCH
JUBAL UPCHURCH	CLABON UPCHURCH	GREEN BUNN	McCULLAR STONE
AMOS ROSE	ROBERT C. HALL	JOHN PACE	JOSEPH MOORE
SIMEON CARPENTER	JOHN COOLEY	STEPHEN PEARCE	JOEL SANDIFORD
HENRY WILLIAMS	POLLY MASSEY	JAMES CHEAVES	BARSDALL THOMAS
JACOB MITCHEL	JAMES SANDIFORD	BRINKLY STRICKLAND	

Signed by SION UPCHURCH admr.

**(22) Franklin Co, NC – Will Book F – Bradley Pg 55**

445-120) Division of lands of RICHARD UPCHURCH dec'd. Legatees were JOHN PEARCE & wife, SION UPCHURCH, BERKLY UPCHURCH, LARKIN UPCHURCH, BRITON UPCHURCH, JAMES UPCHURCH, BUCKNER UPCHURCH, CLABON UPCHURCH. Commissioners: WM. HARRISON, J. PERRY, THOS. DUNN. Jun Ct 1818

**(23) Franklin Co, NC – Will Book F – Bradley – Pg 58**

469-(136) Account of estate of RICHARD UPCHURCH by SION UPCHURCH admr. Names mentioned:

JESSE PERSON	CLABON UPCHURCH	ASA HIGGS	JOHN (blank)
MATHEW STRICKLAND	JACOB DRIVER	NICHOLAS AMOS	JAMES UPCHURCH
JOSIAH JONES	JAMES STROTHER	NATHAN PERRY	BRASWELL STRICKLAND
SAMPSON MASSEY	WILLIAM DUNN	JEREMIAH RHODES	JOHN DUNN
HILL SANDIFORD	GIDEON GLENN	WILLIAM HARRISON	CHERRY BRYANT
THOMAS DUNN	ZADOK BELL	WILLIAM COOK	sheriff JEREMIAH PERRY
PHILIP PEARCE	BURWELL FOWLER	BENJN. BUNN	WILLIE WILLIAMS
ROBERT C. HALL	JAMES CHAMBLE	ISHAM (blank)	GREEN PERRY
BENJAMIN BOLTEN	JOHN CARPENTER	MERRIT IGRAM	KY MASSEY
NATHAN PIERCE	JESSE JINKINS	SHERROD B. MARTIN	JOHN BOLTEN
BRITON UPCHURCH	BURKLEY UPCHURCH	CLAIBEN UPCHURCH	JOHN PEARCE
BUCKNER UPCHURCH	SION UPCHURCH		

12 Mar (1819?). Examined by M. N. JEFFREYS, JAMES STROTHIERS, W. WILLIAMS.

**(24) Franklin Co, NC – Will Book G – Bradley Pg 78**

672-(44) Sale of property of WILLIAMSON RICHARDS dec'd, 21 Jan 1821. Buyers were

JAMES FERRELL	AUGUSTIN HARGROVES	JOHN COOLEY	JEREMICH WILLIAMS
ACRIL YOUNG	the widow (who hired Daniel)		ALEXANDER YOUNG
JULIUS TIMBERLAKE	LEWIS MEDLIN	HENRY HARRIS	HENRY BAKER
BAILEY GAY	WILLIAM RICHARDS	JEREMIAH WILLIAMS	JACOB ALFORD JR
DEMPSEY DENTON	OSBORN GAY	JOEL COOLEY	WILLIAM HARRISON
THOMAS GAY	JOHN RICHARDS (who hired Tom)		NATHAN L. PERRY
POLLY JONES	LEAH STRICKLAND	ROBERT C. HALL	SIMON G. JEFFREYS (who
bought Mingo)	ISHAM YOUNG	CHARLES SANDIFORD	ROBERT FREEMAN
JOHN BAKER (who bought 100 acres joining MATTHEW MEDLIN)			WILLIFRED UPCHURCH
<u>JAMES UPCHURCH</u>	BAILEY PERRY	JOEL SANDIFORD	WILLIAM VERRILL
NATHL. WILLIAMS	THOMAS YOUNG	JOHN P. STRICTLAND	JOSEPH WINTER

JOHN PATE signed by WM. HARRISON admr. Jun Ct 1821

**(25) Franklin Co, NC – Will Book G – Bradley Pg 78**

672-(44) Sale of property of WILLIAMSON RICHARDS dec'd, 21 Jan 1821. Buyers were

JAMES FERRELL	AUGUSTIN HARGROVES	JOHN COOLEY	JEREMICH WILLIAMS
ACRIL YOUNG	the widow (who hired Daniel)		ALEXANDER YOUNG
JULIUS TIMBERLAKE	LEWIS MEDLIN	HENRY HARRIS	HENRY BAKER
BAILEY GAY	WILLIAM RICHARDS	JEREMIAH WILLIAMS	JACOB ALFORD JR
DEMPSEY DENTON	OSBORN GAY	JOEL COOLEY	WILLIAM HARRISON
THOMAS GAY	JOHN RICHARDS (who hired Tom)		NATHAN L. PERRY
POLLY JONES	LEAH STRICKLAND	ROBERT C. HALL	SIMON G. JEFFREYS (who
bought Mingo)	ISHAM YOUNG	CHARLES SANDIFORD	ROBERT FREEMAN
JOHN BAKER (who bought 100 acres joining MATTHEW MEDLIN)			WILLIFRED UPCHURCH
<u>JAMES UPCHURCH</u> BAILEY PERRY		JOEL SANDIFORD	WILLIAM VERRILL
NATHL. WILLIAMS THOMAS YOUNG		JOHN P. STRICTLAND	JOSEPH WINTER
JOHN PATE signed by WM. HARRISON admr. Jun Ct 1821			

**(26) Franklin Co, NC – Will Book I, J – Bradley Pg 81**

321-(205) Year's support to Mrs. Ann Dunn widow of William Dunn dec'd. 3 Oct 1832. Commissioners: Henry Williams, Thomas Williams, Le..? Perry, Jas. Baker.

Estate sale. 16 Oct 1832. H. W. Tharp admr. Buyers:

William S. Chieves	Thomas Y. Wright	William Stone	Alfred Lancaster
John Dunn	Ann Dunn	Philemon Hawkins	William Medlin
Benjamin Jones	Green Ross	Gray Dunn	Hill Sandiford
La..? Williams	Alex. Evans	Jeremiah Rhodes	Rubin Morgan
Berkly [Bently?] Upchurch	John Pate	Jno. Phillips	Benjamin Baker
Thos. R. Debnam	Henry Morgan	Levin Perry	Berry Rogers
Brickle Bridges	Simon Williams	Henry Morgan	Lewis Bartholmew
Ansil Driver	William Sanders	Burwell Pearce	Abner Stallings
John Cooly	<u>James Upchurch</u>	Eli McMullin	Hardy Pearch
Kearney Upchurch	Axum Alford	William Stone	Jacob H. Cooly
Burgis Mullin	Calvin Upchurch	James Bell	John Phillips
William Carter	Whitmel Pearce	Mary Cooper	James Powell

Dec Ct 1832

**(27) Franklin Co, NC Marriages**

Benjamin Pearce to Lancy U

Bond: 17 Nov 1836

Witness / Bondman: James U. S Patterson

RPU Notes – 14 May 2004

1. Lancy U aka Leacy U. aka Elizabeth U Head of Elizabeth U Line in the Richard U III / Burkely U Subclan Records maintained under Elizabeth U. XID – 2795
2. Elizabeth U who md 1836 Benjamin Pearce did not have a brother James U to be her witness. Conclude - the James U witness has to be her Uncle James U, VII who would have been about age 61 in 1836.

**(28) Franklin Co, NC – Wills – Bradley Vol 1 Entry 356**

356. JAMES UPCHURCH 1 May 1833 Mar Ct 1850(Bk N, p. 318)

To my wife THANY – lend to her for life 400 acres where I now live; also negroes Esther, Richard, Rilly, Abram, Clary & Harriet; livestock, household & kitchen furniture, farming utensils, crops. To my son KEARNEY – 278 acres on Mocoso Creek joining Burkley Upchurch, Larkin Upchurch, John Pearce & others, where he now lives; at my wife's death, I also give him half the negroes I have lent her. To my son JIMMISON – 400 acres where I now live, the other half of my negroes that I have loaned my wife. At my wife's death, the residue of my estate to be sold & the money to be divided among my children & granddaughters as follows: GILLY RAY the wife of James Ray, ELIZABETH PHILLIPS the wife of John Phillips, CLOA COOLEY the wife of John Cooley Jr., THOMAS UPCHURCH, JIMMISON UPCHURCH & my granddaughter LECY UPCHURCH..

Ex. MY SON Kearney Upchurch

Wit. Matthew Strickland, Cornwell P. Strickland, Sami Harris, Moses Harris, N L Harris

28) Cni

□ **JAMES U., VII**

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|--------------------------------------|---|
| □ Kearney U                          | STREAM FILE:  |
| □ James Ray                          | Moccasin Creek  |
| □ Gilly U                            | Thomas U [ <i>cross list under UFU ± 1850 NC Wake/Franklin border</i> ] |
| □ Elizabeth Thaney U                 | Jimmison U & = Jamison U  |
| □ John Phillips                      |   |
| □ Cloa U = Cloe Jane U               | Lecy U  |
| □ John Cooley, Jr,                   | Matthew Strickland  |
| Cornwell P. Strickland               | Samuel Harris   |
| Moses Harris                         | N. L. Harris  |
| □ WILL FILE                          |   |
| Thany U = md Elizabeth Thaney Butler |   |
| Burkely U                            | Larkin U.   |
| John Pearce                          |   |

*[Note – This Is the family of James U, VII - Head of the Richard U, III / James U VII Subclan. Since the 1833 Will of James U, VII does not mention a son Williford U, it is presumed that Williford U. died before 1833 – but a best guess is that GD LECY U is the daughter of Williford U. The son Thomas U, alive in 1833 is yet to be identified otherwise in the records – RPU]*

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**(29) ESTATE INVENTORY FOR JAMES U, VII (S/O RICHARD U, III) WHO DIED IN WAKE CO,  
NC – ITEMS SOLD 17 JAN 1856  
(From Carla James to RPU 29 Oct 2006)**

Inventory and account of Sale of the property of Jos. Upchurch deceased, sold January 17<sup>th</sup> A.D.  
1856 Kearney Upchurch Esq.

1	weding hoe H	To	Harry Baker	"	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
1	scraper & daggon	To	Churchwell Alford	"	10
1	ax & weeding hoe	To	Sidney Perry	"	20
1	lot of plow hoes H	To	Alpheus Privett	"	18
2	iron wedges	To	Nathan Pearce	"	85
1	Frow H	To	William Baker	"	25
1	Pr. traces harness H	To	Littleton Privette	"	21
4	Bells	To	Jefferson Richards	"	45
1	Pr. traces	To	Alpheus Rivet	"	40
1	Hand saw	To	do do	"	81
2	Grubing hoes as H	To	do do	1	41
1	Daggon & weeding hoe	To	Robertson Strickland	"	35
2	Jack hoes	To	Alpheus Privette	"	70
1	pr. hames	To	Williford Gay	"	25
1	Spade	To	Presley I. Phillips	"	68
1	Ax	To	Sidney Perry	1	50
1	Do	To	James Redford	"	25
2	Raw hides	To	Acril Pearce	"	80
1	Lot of peas per bushel	To	Sidney Perry at 75	2	25
2	Gums	To	do do	"	20
1	Raw hide	To	Acril Pearce	"	60
1	Pr. cart hames	To	Alpheus Privette	"	33
1	Pen of shucks	To	Little Berry Johnson	3	85
1	Ax cart & wheels	To	Crudup Mitchel	8	00
1	Horse cart & wheels	To	Littleton Privette	9	05
1	Grind stone	To	Thomas G. Riley	1	25
1	Pited cow	To	Joseph Wall	5	60
1	Yearling	To	do do	1	00
1	Bell Cow	To	Samuel H. Hood	5	97
1	White face bull	To	Joseph Hicks	2	60
1	White face Heifer	To	Joseph Wall	2	60
1	Cow & Calf	To	Philip Pearce	6	50

**(30) ESTATE INVENTORY / SALE FOR ESTATE OF JAMES U, VII (S/O RICHARD U, III) WHO DIED IN WAKE CO, NC – ITEMS SOLD 17 JAN 1856 BY KEARNEY U, EXECUTOR – FROM CARLA JONES TO RPU 29 OCT 2006 – COPY IN BIOFILES OF CARLA JONES & JAMES U, VII – 32 LOTS SOLD – NON OF SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE – PURCHASERS & NUMBER OF ITEMS PURCHASED:**

*HARRY BAKER – 1	JAMES REDFORD – 1
CHURCHWELL ALFORD – 1	ACRIL PEARCE – 2
SIDNEY PERRY – 4	LITTLE BERRY JOHNSON – 1
ALPHEUS PRIVETTE – 6	CRUDUP MITCHEL – 1
NATHAN PEARCH – 1	THOMAS G. RILEY – 1
WILLIAM BAKER – 1	JOSEPH WALL – E
LITTLETON PRIVETTE – 2	SAMUEL H. HOOD – 1
JEFFERSON RICHARDS – 1	JOSEPH HICKS – 1
ROBERTSON STRICKLAND – 1	PHILIP PEARCE – 1
WILLIFORD GAY – 1	
PRESLEY I. PHILLIPS – 1	

\*-[NOTE: The name is clearly written HARRY BAKER – however, I will cross-reference as HENRY BAKER as HENRY was a favorite much used surname in the Baker Family - RPU]

**(31) NOTES FROM FRANKLIN CO., NC COURT RECORDS 1818 – 1820 – BEING PART IV OF A PACKET GIVEN 29 OCT 2006 TO RPU BY CARLA JONES.**

Notes from Fr. Co. Court Records

June Ct 1818 A Bond of Indemnity given by Ailsey Adams & Wm. Andrews, to the County was returned by Wilson Denson Esq.: filed (Sec.)

Mar Ct. 1819 – A deed from John Carpenter to Jubal U. was exhibited in open Ct. and the Execution thereof duly Proved by the oath of Wm. T. Hollingsworth & on M.O.R. –

Jun Ct. 1819 – deed from Jas. U to Buckner U proved by oath of Sion U.

Jun Ct. 1819 – deed from Jubal U to Wm. Harrison proved by oath of Wm. T. Hollingsworth.

Jun Ct. 1820 – deed in trust from Ansel Driver to Thos. Dunn proved by oath of Gray Dunn & on M.O.R.

**(31) ABSTRACT OF RECORD OF WILLS, INVENTORIES, SETTLEMENT OF ESTATES – VOLUME II 1802 – 1812 WAKE CO, NC – FRANCES HOLLOWAY WYNNE [BOOK 9]**

PC 149, 150

BUTLER, MICAJAH WILL Nov 1810 p 344

In the name of god amen. Son JOHN BUTLER: tract of land on White Oak in JAMES'S line adjoining THOMAS ALSTON; horse; furniture and bed; tack; livestock. Dau HOLLY; COW. Wife ANN BUTLER, bed and furniture; all estate not given above for widowhood, then equally divided among rest of children: MARKY, WILLIE, POLLY, BENNITT, BETSEY, ALEY, BEDDY. 24 Jan 1810. Micajah Butler

Exors: WILLIE CLIFTON, JAMES UPCHURCH

Wife: DEMPSEY POWELL, HICKMAN (X) WILLIAMS

[Note: James U = James U, VII, son of Richard U, III head of clan]

I MICAJAH BUTLER

A. John Butler

1. Elizabeth Thaney Butler

md ( ) JAMES U. VII

(32) The three Citations Below were in an email 21 Jun 2008 Gusen NMN Stevens to RPU. She surfaced these while looking for details on Jubal U, I. One presumes those records may be from Franklin Co, NC

12-29-1796

JAMES UPCHURCH listed as a buyer in the sale of the estate of DAVID JERNIGAN.

(no date)

JAMES UPCHURCH listed as a buyer in the sale of the estate of ELIZABETH JOURNAGAN

12-1803

JAMES UPCHURCH listed as a buyer in the sale of the estate of ARTHUR MURPHEY

[RPU Note – The James U above could be James U, V b 1786, Head of Clan or JAMES U, VII b 1775  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 1835 – so will cross-file under both.]

(33) Item in Ltr 19 Jul 2010 to RPU from Gerald Thorp Leonard – original maintained in his file

BOOK:

Gerald elected to provide only that page in the book that listed Upchurches from Franklin Co., NC that participated in the War of 1812. They were:

BERKELY U - 4<sup>th</sup> Reg't

JAMES U- 4<sup>th</sup> Reg't

*Is this James U, VII ? – RPU*

*Other possibilities ? - RPU*

ROSTER  
 OF  
 FRANKLIN COUNTY SERVICE MEN  
 WHO PARTICIPATED IN  
 ALL WARS TO PRESENT DATE,  
 APRIL 15, 1945  
 To Which is Appended  
 BRIEFS, SKETCHES AND STORIES OF  
 HISTORICAL INTEREST  
 PRESENTED BY  
 DR. D. T. SMITHWICK

(34) SUMMARY OF CENSUS RECORDS FOR JAMES U., VII  
 b about 1775 – HEAD OF THE Richard U, III / James U, VII Subclan

1790 FRANKLIN CO, NC

James U, VII, age 15 should have filled a 0-16 slot in the home of his Father – Richard U, III. However, there is only 1 slot 0-16 available in the home of Richard U, III, whereas Richard U, III had 5 sons 0-16 as of 1790. There are added slots elsewhere – 2 in name of Richard U, II, & 1 in home of James U, V, Uncle of James U, VII.

1800 FRANKLIN CO, NC

James U, VII, age 25 fills a slot 26-45 and is HOH , wife Elizabeth Thaney Butler age 30 occupies a slot 26-45.

1810 FRANKLIN CO, NC

James U, VII, age 35 fills a slot 26-45 and is HOH, wife Elizabeth Thaney Butler age 40 fills a slot 26-45

(Cont'd on next page)

1820 FRANKLIN CO, NC - NOT AVAILABLE

1830 FRANKLIN CO, NC

James U, VII age 55 fills a slot 50-60 and is HOH, wife Elizabeth Thaney Butler age 60 fills a slot 50-60.

1840 FRANKLIN CO, NC

James U, VII, age 65 fills a slot 60-70 and is HOH, wife Elizabeth Thaney Butler age 70 fills a slot 60-70.

1850 FRANKLIN CO, NC

James U, VII, d 1845  $\pm$  5 years – hence not present, wife Elizabeth Thaney Butler age 80 listed as 80 & HOH.

1860 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Elizabeth Thaney (Butler) U, not found – presumed to have died 1855  $\pm$  5 years.

**(35) SUMMARY OF CENSUS RECORDS FOR GILLY U**

b about 1898 – Head of a line in the Richard U III / James U, VII, Subclan

1800 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Gilly U age 2 fills a 0-10 slot in home of James U, VII, her father.

1810 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Gilly U, age 12 fills a 10-16 slot in home of James U, VII, her father.

1820 FRANKLIN CO, NC – Not available

Gilly U age 22 is probably in the home of her father James U, VII.

1830 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Gilly U age 32 is not in the home of her father James U, VII. It is presumed she is in a home headed by her husband James Ray as their first child was born 6 Jun 1830.

1840

Gilly U age 42 – need to find

1850 WAKE CO, NC – Little River District

Gilly U age 52 is listed as age 52 in home headed by her Husband James Ray, 65, Farmer, \$400.

**(36) SUMMARY OF CENSUS RECORDS FOR KEARNEY U.**

b 1808, Head of the Kearney U line in the Richard U, III / James U, VII Subclan. Kearney U is a son of James U, VII

1810 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Kearney U age 2 fills a 0-10 slot in home of father James U, VII.

1820 FRANKLIN CO, NC – Census not available

1830 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Kearney U age 22 fills a 20-30 slot in home of father James U, VII.

1840 WAKE CO, NC

Kearney U age 32 fills a 30-40 slot and is HOH - wife Emily Perry age 27 fills a 20-30 slot.

1850 WAKE CO, NC

Kearney U age 42 is listed as 45 and is HOH - wife Emily Perry age 37 is listed as 38.

1860 WAKE CO, NC

Kearney U age 52 is listed as 52 and is HOH – wife Emily Perry age 47 is listed as 47.

1870 WAKE CO, NC

Kearney U age 62 is listed as 62 and HOH – wife Emily Perry age 57 is listed as 57 – she died 1872.

1880 WAKE CO, NC

Kearney U age 72 is listed as 72 and as HOH – he died 1882.

**(37) SUMMARY OF CENSUS RECORDS FOR JAMISON U**

b 1810, Head of Jamison U line in Richard U III / James U VII Subclan – Jamison U I9-a son of James U VII.

1810 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Jamison U age x/12 fills a 0-10 slot in house of his father Richard U VII.

1820 FRANKLIN CO, NC – Census not available

1830 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Jamison U age 20 fills a 20-30 slot in home of father

1840 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Jamison U age 30 fills a 20-30 slot and is HOH, wife Elizabeth Pearce age 29 fills a 20-30 slot.

1850 WAKE CO, NC

Jamison U age 40 is listed as 40 and as HOH – wife Elizabeth Pearce age 39 is listed as 39.

1860 BENTON CO, TN

Jamison U age 50 is listed as 51 and HOH – Elizabeth Pearce age 49 is listed as 51.

1870 BENTON CO, TN

Jamison U age 60 is listed as 60 and is HOH – wife Mathilda Williams age 36 is listed as 32.

**(38) SUMMARY OF CENSUS RECORDS FOR WILLIFORD U.**

b about 1797 – Head of the Williford U Line in the Richard U III / James U VII Subclan  
Williford is a s/o James U, VII

1800 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Williford U age 3 fills a 0-10 slot in home of father, James U VII

1810 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Williford U age 13 fills a 10-16 slot in home of father.

1820 FRANKLIN CO, NC – NOT AVAILABLE

1830 FRANKLIN CO, NC

Williford U age 33 not found on census record and is presumed to have died 1825 ± 4 years. He md 19 Dec 1820 (Franklin Co, NC) Frances Gay daughter of Thomas Gay Sr. There are no known children of this marriage.

*[Note - As of today there is the unresolved issue of whether the 16 Nov 1829 (Wake Co. NC) marriage of Blake Baker was to Frances (Gay) U, the widow of Williford U or/whether Blake Baker md Frances U daughter of Jubal U. See Blake Baker Biofile for more details – 6 Apr 2004 – RPU]*

1818 mother was 48

**(42) From Book: Nail & Ray Families 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed. 1997 Abstract of Ray & Pearce records examined by authors Franklin Co, NC Pgs. 948, 949, 950, 951**

[John Pearce md ( ) Clara U daughter of Richard U, III. The Ray part of the Book is about Elizabeth Pearce (sister of John) who md Thomas Ray – Rev. Soldier. The two couples left the Moccasin Creek area of NC and moved to Rutherford Co, NC -Roman Co, NC - Shelby Co, IN]

[Nancy Sarah-Wester)

1796 March 26, Will Book B, p. 36, Dower for Nancy Peirce, widow of Nathan Peirce. Nancy was granted her 62a, one-third of the acreage to be divided. The next transaction on the same day states that Nancy Peirce was the widow of Arthur Peirce and so was entitled to one-third, which amounted in this case to 41a. Surveyor was Jacob Hartsfield. John Norwood, Jr., mentioned. Jurors were Benja, Upchurch, Richd, Upchurch, John Carpenter, Henry Baker, Wm. Dunn, John Richards, John Martin, Obediah Strickland, John Cooly, James Upchurch [*James U. V, vs James U, VII ?-RPU*], D. Young, and Drury Perry. (6)

1801 March Court, Will Book B, p. 116. Guardian Account for orphans of Arthur Pearce by Robert Norris, Guardian, Covers 1798-1801. Moses Upchurch mentioned. Examined March court by G. Hill and John Foster. (6)

1803 March 14, Will Book B, p. 151. Guardian Account for Cordy and Willis Pearce by Robert Norris, Guardian. Dated 14 March 1803. Moses Upchurch mentioned. N. Long and Wm. Green, Commissioners. (6)

**(43) RE: old Upchurch Cem. – 1833 Dunn TWP Franklin Co, NC**

Subject: Upchurch family

From: "Gwen" <[Irisgentry@softcom.net](mailto:Irisgentry@softcom.net)> [Gwen NMN Stevens]

Date: Wed, Jul 02, 2008 5:58 pm

To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <[phil@upchurchstory.com](mailto:phil@upchurchstory.com)>

**(X) Hi Phil**

Received the Upchurch Bulletin today and quickly turned to the pages of the new things found in Franklin Co.

The date on the tomb stone interested me. On a whim, I went to [Ancestry.com](http://Ancestry.com) and punched in the surname of Upchurch with a death date of 1833 in NC. Several family tree members had JAMES UPCHURCH b 1770 d May 1833 in Franklin Co. (This was James that was married to Elizabeth Thany Butler). No source information was listed. Now I have used the internet enough to know that anything placed online that doesn't list a source that can be traced is usually of little use. More than likely in genealogy, information is picked up from another's tree and it seems to "breed" whether correct or not. Believe it or not, I even found one tree that had me married to my dad!! Just thought that I should pass this on to you as a possible lead, unless you have already located James's grave.

Also, I searched through death certificates from Franklin Co., and found several that said they would be buried either at the home site or the Upchurch Cemetery. Could there have been more than one cemetery known as the Upchurch Cemetery as the one you mentioned had only 3 stones? The list I compiled from these death certificates had death dates in the 1800s.

**(Y) 13 Jul 2008 – Thanked Gwen for item in (X) - Agree that James U, VII d 1833 could well be the person buried in the old Upchurch Cemetery under the stone bearing the date 1833. Placed a copy of this note and of Gwen's 2 Jul 2008 email in Biofile of James U, VII**

## (44) RPU

EXTRACT WILL OF James Upchurch XID-67; SON OF Richard U, III; Head of Subclan Franklin Co, NC

Written: 1 May 1833

Proven: March 1850 Recorded Book IV pages 318, 319, 320

1. To wife Thany U [Elizabeth Thaney Butler]
  - (a) Plantation where I now live for her life – 400 acres
  - (b) Negroes: Esther, Richard, Billy (Rilly), Abram, Clary, Harriet
2. To son Kearny U – land on which he now lives
  - (a) 278 acres on Waters of Mocoston Creek Adjoining Burkley U, Larken U, John Pearce & others.
  - (b)  $\frac{1}{2}$  of negroes given to wife Thany – at her death.
3. To son Jammison U
  - (a) Plantation where I now live
  - (b)  $\frac{1}{2}$  of negroes given to wife Thaney – at her death
4. At death of Thany – Residue of Estate not disposed of above be sold & proceeds divided equally between my following children & my Granddaughters – VIZ
  - (a) Gilly Ray [*Gilly U*] the wife of James Ray
  - (b) Elizabeth Phillips [*Elizabeth U*] the wife of John Phillips
  - (c) Cloa Cooley [*or Elva U or Cloa U – Decided on Cloe -*] the wife of John Cooley, Jr.
  - (d) Kearney U
  - (e) Jimmison U
  - (f) Grand Daughter – Lecy Upchurch

Executor: Son Kearney U

Witnesses: Matthew Strickland

Cornwell Strickland

Lame Harris [*Sam*] = [*Samuel*]

Moses Harris

Av. L. [ ? ] Harris [West reports W. L Harris]

Published: UB Vol 2 No 3 Jul 1981

## (45) WILL OF JAMES U, VII – COPY 1

Recd 6 Dec 1980 RPU – From: Xerox from NC State Archives 11 Aug 1977

Stamp of Ervin Upchurch P. O. Box 460, White Bluff, TN 37187

Recorded in Book N

Pages 318, 319, 320

In the name of God Amen. I James Upchurch of the County of Franklin & State of North Carolina being of perfect mind & sound memory blessed be God for the same or knowing the mortality of my body & that it is appointed for all men once to die do make & publish this my last will & testament in manner & form following (viz.)

First to pay all my just debts

Item 1<sup>st</sup> I lend to my dearly beloved wife Thany Upchurch during her natural life the land & plantation whereon I now live containing four hundred acres more or less also six negroes named as follows Esther, Richard, Billy, Abram, Clany, & Harriet, & all of my stock of horses, hogs, cattle, & sheep, & all of my household & kitchen furniture my farming utensils of every description all of my bacon, lard, corn & fodder, wheat, oats & cotton & at her death to be divided as hereafter directed.

Item 2<sup>nd</sup> I give & bequeath to my son Kearney Upchurch a certain tract of land containing two hundred & seventy eight acres more or less lying on the waters of Mocason Creek adjoining the lands of Burkley Upchurch, Larkin Upchurch, John Pearce & others whereon he now lives. And at the death of my wife Thany Upchurch I give & bequeath to my son Thearnay Upchurch one half of the negroes that I have loaned to my said wife & their increase from the writing go these presents have & have like to him & his heirs forever.

Item 3<sup>rd</sup> I give & bequeath to my son Jimmison Upchurch the land & plantation whereon I now live containing four hundred acres more or less also the other half of my negroes & their increase from the writing of this presents that I have loaned to my wife slave & \_\_\_\_\_ like for him to take in possession at the death of my wife Thany Upchurch to him & his heirs forever.

Item 4<sup>th</sup> It is my will & bequest at the death of my wife Thany Upchurch for the residue of my estate that I have not above bequeathed to be sold on a credit of nine months by my executor or executors & the money arising from the sales of the same to be equally divided between my following children & my granddaughter (viz.) Gilly Ray, the wife of James Ray, Elizabeth Phillips the wife of John Phillips, Clea Cooley the wife of John Cooley Jr, Kearney Upchurch, Jimmison Upchurch & my granddaughter Lecy Upchurch to them & their heirs forever.

I the said James Upchurch do nominate & appoint my Son Kearney Upchurch Execution to this my last will & testament in witness whereof I the said James Upchurch do hereunto set my hand & affirm my seal this 1st day of May A. D. eighteen hundred & thirty three signed, sealed, published, & declared in the presence of us, who were present at the signing & sealing the same.

James Upchurch [Seal]  
Will James Upchurch

Matheau Strickland  
Cornwall Strickland  
Sam E Harris  
Moses Harris  
Tm I Harris

Proven at March Court 1850  
Attest G. Patterson \_\_\_\_\_

(46) WILL OF JAMES U, VII – COPY 2

FRANKLIN CO, NC WILL OF JAMES U WRITTEN 1 MAY 1833 PROVEN MAR 1850 IN  
LTR 7 AUG 1991 JOE E. ELMORE TO RPU

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Tim I Harris

Proven at March Court 1850  
Attest G. Patterson \_\_\_\_\_

# JAMES UPCHURCH, VII XID-67

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(47) Upchurch & Related Tax Listings – Franklin Co, NC 1798 – 1864 – to RPU from Carla Jones 29 Oct 2006

## DISTRICT JAMES U, VII

1798	Capt. Lewis Webb *	1 WP 2 BP
1799	Capt. John Norwood	200 A 1 WP
1799	Capt. Upchurch	200 A 1 WP
1804	Capt. Webb Capt. Wm Dunn	1 WP 1 BP 450 A 1 WP
1805	Capt. Strickland	400 A 1 WP
1806	Capt. Obediah Strickland	400 A 1 WP 1 BP
1807	Capt. Strickland	400 A 1 WP 1 BP
1808	“ “	400 A 1 WP 1 BP
1809	“ “	400 A 1 WP 1 BP
1810	“ “	400 A 1 WP 1 BP
1811	Capt. Dunn	400 A 1 WP 1 BP
1812	Capt. Thomas Dunn	400 A 1 WP
1813	“ “ “	400 A 1 WP
1814	Capt. Alford	400 A 1 WP
1815	“ “	400 A 1 WP \$500
1816	“ “	400 A \$500 1 WP 1 BP
1817	“ “ (listed twice in 1817)	400 A \$600 2 WP 2 WP 1 BP
1818	Capt. Alford	400 A \$680 2 WP 1 BP
1819	Capt. Williams	487A \$608.75 1 BP
1820 – 1829	Capt. Bridges	570 A \$855 1 BP
1820	Capt. Williams	487 A \$608.50 1 WP 1 BP
1821	Capt. Dunn	487 A \$730 1 BP
1822	Capt. Wm Stone	509 A \$763.50
1823	“ “ “	509 3/4 A \$764.62 1 BF
1824	“ “ “	509 A \$764 1 BP
1824	Capt. Stone	400 A \$600
1826	“ “	509 A \$763 1 BP
1827	“ “	570 A \$855 1 BP
1828	Capt. Bridgers	570 A \$855 1 BP
1829	Capt. Dunn	570 A \$855 1 WP 2 BP
1830	“ “	570 A \$855 2 BP
1831	“ “ (34?)	688 A \$1033 1 WP 2 BP
1832	“ “	688 A \$1032 1 WP 2 BP
1833	Capt. R. Taylor	678 A \$1017 2 BP \$4.42
1834	Capt. Dunn	678 A \$1017 2 BP \$4.22 >repeated in Capt Calvin U Dist + 2 BP
1835	Capt. Upchurch	678 A \$1017 2 BP \$5.05
1836	Capt. Upchurch	435 A \$1012.75 2 BP
1855	Perry's Mill James U by-	WG-130 @ \$31 A in Millstone

\*\* A second James U Listing for 1798 was in Capt. Upchurch District 200 A 1 WP

(47) [Input from Elizabeth Warner Freeman to RPU 12 Oct 2007]

I. Richard Upchurch, III – Head of Clan

A. James Upchurch VII – 1775 – 1833

[John W. U is new to RPU as a s/o James U, VII- other records show Ruthy Barham was 1 of 2 wives of James U, VII- RPU 29 Dec 2007]

1. John W. Upchurch, b 1793 md ( ) Ruth Barham

2. Elizabeth (Betsy) Thaney Upchurch, 1794 in Franklin Co, NC d 4 Apr 1876 in Franklin Co, NC md 14 Aug 1821 in

Franklin Co, NC to John Francis Phillips b 1792 Southampton, VA d 4 Apr 1876 Franklin Co, NC

a. Presley Jackson (James?) Phillips b 17 Aug 1822 in Franklin Co, NC d 2 Jun 1864 Cold Harbour, VA (killed in action 2<sup>nd</sup> battle)  
md 2 Mar 1841 in Franklin Co, NC to Mary Margaret Pearce b 10 Aug 1824 in Franklin Co, NC

i. Richmond Phillips, CSA b 2 Mar 1842 in Franklin Co, NC d 23 Jul 1865 (prisoner of war) (Hart's Island, NY)  
md Elizabeth J. Perry b 1841

ii. Levin Jackson Phillips b 1845

iii. James Algia Phillips

(1) Oliver Newton Phillips

(A) Wesley Floyd Phillips 1901-1979 md ( ) Carrie Barthenia Weathers 1900-1991

b. William Kearney Phillips b 25 Jan 1831 in Franklin Co, NC d 28 Jul 1914 in Franklin Co, NC  
md Susan Pearce

c. John Barham Phillips 1834-1872

d. Little Berry Phillips b 30 Apr 1838 in Franklin Co, NC d 9 May 1922 Wake Co, NC md 4 Nov 1866 in Elizabeth Chapel, Franklin Co, NC

to Rosa Anna Caroline Baker b 10 Mar 1843 in Franklin Co, NC d 22 Aug 1889 Wake Co, NC

i. Fletcher Halley Phillips b 29 Jul 1867 in Franklin Co, NC d 1947 Wake Co, NC md to \_\_\_\_\_ Eula

(I) Mead \_\_\_\_\_ Phillips b 21 Jan 1895

(A) Robert (Robin) Williams

(B) Betty Rose Williams m Robin Thomas

ii. Walter Aderson Phillips b 17 May 1869 in Franklin Co, NC d 18 Nov 1944 m about 1895 to Martha \_\_\_\_\_ b \_\_\_\_\_ Mar  
1874 (I) Carrie \_\_\_\_\_ Phillips b \_\_\_\_\_ Oct 1898 in IL md Bart \_\_\_\_\_ Underhill b about 1898

iii. Festus Beauregard Phillips b 14 Sep 1871 Franklin Co, NC d 5 Sep 1955 in Los Angeles, CA

md 23 Sep 1901 Nina Elizabeth Wilkinson b 24 Apr 1876 d Los Angeles Co, CA 2 Nov 1941

(I) Frances Rosalie Phillips b 6 Sep 1903 Wake Co, NC d 8 May 1980 Los Angeles Co, CA

md Thomas Payne Miller Sr. b 18 Oct 1896 Columbus, OK d 1975 Lancaster, CA

md Ed Alderman

(A) Thomas Payne Miller II b 18 Apr 1926 Los Angeles Co, CA d 22 Apr 2007 Los Angeles Co, CA

md 1 Mar 1963 Los Angeles Co, CA to Sandra Hoffman b 31 Jan 1938 St. Louis, MD

(1) Thomas Payne Miller III b 18 Jun 1964 Los Angeles Co, CA

(2) John Edwin Miller b 12 Nov 1965 Los Angeles Co, CA

md 9 Aug 1989 Los Angeles Co, CA to Anna Kirstin Dawn b 16 Nov 1965 Santa Monica, CA

(a) Anaika Sage Miller b 2 Sep 1994 San Diego Co, CA

(b) Marina Dawn Miller b 25 Feb 1997 Sao Paula, Brazil

(B) Patricia Anne Miller b 17 Jan 1931 Oxnard, CA d 19 Jun 2004 in Rho Palos Verdes, CA m 7 Sep 1951 Hollywood, CA

md Richard Fleming Jones b 17 Jun 1927 Kobe, Japan

(1) Janine Anne Jones b 5 Apr 1954 Los Angeles Co, CA 1954

(2) Debra Lynn Jones b 12 Feb 1956 Los Angeles Co, CA d \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Charlotte Elizabeth Jones b 2 May 1963 Palo Alto, CA 1963 –

(C) Nina May Miller b 5 Sep 1932 Oxnard, CA

md 9 Jan 1959 Hollywood, CA Norman Derby b 30 Jun 1925 New York, NY

(1) Dianna Frances Derby b 1 Aug 1962 Los Angeles, CA d 11 Aug 2005 (lung cancer md 28 Apr 2001 Kevan Garret

(2) Carolyn Helen Derby b 29 Jun 1965 Torrance, CA 1965 –

(II) Harlan Wilkinson Phillips 1906 – 1975

md 1st 30 Mar 1931 to Mary Ruth Brooks 1907 – 2000

md 2<sup>nd</sup> 22 Apr 1944 to June Baker 1917 – 2004

(A) Harlean Phillips b 10 Mar 1934 Oxnard, CA – d 14 Oct 2013 Maricopa Co, AZ

md 8 Sep 1956 Las Vegas, NV to Dale Keith Baker

(B) Barbara Phillips b 15 Oct 1935 Oxnard, CA

md 9 Sep 1956 La Canada, CA to Philip Stephen Frost b 6 June 1934 Hollywood, CA

(1) Robert Stephen Frost b 9 Sep 1956 in Los Angeles Co, CA

(2) Teri Lyn Frost b 24 May 1958 in Los Angeles Co, CA

md Earl Dominique Agniel b 5 Oct 1957 in Germany

(a) Kory Sean Agniel b 5 May 1982 in San Diego Co, CA

(3) Linda Sue Frost b 29 Dec 1959 in Los Angeles Co, CA

md 19 Mar 1983 in San Diego, CA to James Frank Greco, Jr b 3 Jun 1954 Philadelphia, PA

(a) Paul Alexander Greco b 18 Aug 1985 Los Angeles Co, CA

md 28 Jul 2012 at Los Angeles Co, CA to Marsha Haruko Clever b 15 May 1986 Los Angeles Co, CA

(b) Michael James Greco b 14 Jan 1990 Los Angeles Co, CA

- (C) **Jan Phillips** b 18 Mar 1945 in Oxnard, CA  
md 12 Mar 1971 in Quantico, VA to **Perry Clifford Lindberg** b 22 Nov 1935 Holyoke, MA
  - (1) **Jennifer Jan Lindberg** b 3 Jan 1975 Kailua, HI md \_\_\_\_\_
    - (a) **Caleb James George** b 29 Dec 1995 Huntsville AL
    - (b) **Rebecca June Drenning** b 21 Oct 2000 Huntsville, AL
    - (c) **Eden Georgiegrace Drenning** b 26 Nov 2007 Huntsville, AL
  - (2) **James Harlan Lindberg** b 9 May 1978 San Diego Co, CA md \_\_\_\_\_
- (D) **James Harlan Phillips** b 3 Sep 1946 in Oxnard Co, CA d 13 Mar 1974 in Bishop, CA md **Melody Joy** \_\_\_\_\_ b 24 May 1946
- (III) **Frederic Beauregard Phillips** b 26 Apr 1908 in Raleigh, NC d 21 Mar 1993 in Los Angeles, CA 1993  
md four times (or more??)
  - (A) **Richard Phillips** b 23 Sep 1935 Hollywood, CA
  - (B) **Nina Lynn Phillips** adopted b 16 Apr 1949 Bakersfield, CA  
md **Jeffrey Coleman** 1944
  - (C) **Georganne (Janna) Barbara Phillips** adopted b 7 Mar 1950 Bakersfield, CA md \_\_\_\_\_
    - (1) **Carrie Ann German** b 28 Jan 1975 Northridge, CA
  - (D) **Janene Lois Phillips** b 12 Apr 1957 Hollywood, CA
- (IV) **Nina Elizabeth Phillips** 1910 – 1910
- (V) **Webster Clay Phillips** b 19 Feb 1915 in Los Angeles Co, CA – 1990  
md **Mary Barton** (*no descendants per Nina May Miller Derby*)
- iv. **Alexander Anton Phillips** b 20 Aug 1873 in Franklin Co, NC e 1 Dec 1907 Wake Co, NC  
v. **Bettie Caroline Phillips** b 20 Oct 1875 in Franklin Co, NC d 5 Mar 1982 Wake Co, NC (lived almost 107 years) md 1925 in Atlanta, GA **William David Hubbard** (Dr.)
- vi. **Roberta (Bert) May Phillips** b 30 May 1878 in Franklin Co, NC e 1969 Wake Co, NC  
md 1923 **Harry Towles Davis** b 1895 in NC d 1978
- vii. **John Henry Jarvis Phillips** b 14 Jul 1880 in Franklin Co, NC d about 1916 Palmdale, CA
- viii. **Rosa William Phillips** b 7 Nov 1882 in Franklin Co, NC d 13 Feb 1984 Wake Co, NC  
md Wake Co, NC to **Robert Hamer Warner, Sr** b 13 Sep 1883 Hoke Co, NC d 22 Oct 1962 Wake Co, NC
  - (I) **Eula Elizabeth Warner** b 6 Feb 1910 Raleigh, NC  
md to **Richard Allen Freeman** b 8 May 1908 Salesbury, NC
  - (A) **Elizabeth Warner Freeman** b 6 Feb 1910 Raleigh, NC  
md 1<sup>st</sup> 7 Jul 1965 **Robert Tobin Gephart, Sr** b 21 Oct 1940 NY, NY d 2 Jul 1961  
md 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ **Wyant**
    - (1) **Kim Elizabeth Gephart** b 1966 New York, NY md to **Robert Paul O'Han, Sr** b 1967
    - (2) **Robert Tobin Gephart, Jr** b 1968 New York, NY md to **Carrie Beth Nickerson** b 1971 (a) **Tatum Eaves Gephart** b 1999
    - (3) **Richard McKinley Gephart** b 1972 New York, NY md **Catherine Roberta Sepich** b 1972 (a) **Caroline Elizabeth Gephart** b 2007
  - (B) **Emily Rose Warner** b 22 Apr 1944  
md 1967 **Lester Robert Porter** dv 1997
    - (1) **Lisa Ann Burgess Porter** b 26 Feb 1965 (adopted) md to **Michael Berry**
    - (2) **Scott Allen Porter** b 20 Mar 1989 md to **Kelly Ann Warren** b 1973
    - (3) **Todd Michael Porter** b 8 Mar 1972
  - (C) **Richard Allan Freeman, Jr** b 12 May 1947 New York, NY md
    - (1) **Colby Webster Freeman** b 1970 md to **Amy Elizabeth Mishde** b 1978
    - (2) **Nicole Danielle Freeman** b 1978
    - (3) **Adam Jeffrey Freeman** b 1978
    - (4) **Richard Allen Freeman** b 1985
    - (5) **Jacob Joseph Freeman** b 1987
- ix. **Viva Gray Phillips** b 17 May 1885 Franklin Co, NC d 12 May 1929  
md 1907 to **Eugene Cleveland Bagwell, Sr** b 3 Oct 1884 d 6 Sep 1938 Martin, NC
  - (I) **Eugene Cleveland Bagwell, Jr** (*CEO of the Seaboard Railroad and the Raleigh train station was named after him.*)
- x. **Lillian Bell Phillips** b 7 Jul 1889 in Franklin Co, NC d 28 Jul 1889 in Franklin Co, NC
- e. **Dotty** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phillips**

[Also some input by Barbara Phillips Frost 17 May 2015 - XID-55818]

**(48)** Upchurch & Related Tax Listings – Franklin Co, NC 1798 – 1864 – to RPU from Carla Jones 29 Oct 2006.

Harris District 1855

- Thomas Williams for Upchurch children 404 acres 3 BP – Pd \$1.20 in state tax + \$2.91 in county tax – 44.41
  - Wilson Bolton 358 acres worth \$3.25 per acre on Crooked Creek - \$1164 1 BP – Pd \$1.79 in state tax + \$4.58 in county tax = \$6.37
- Wilson Strickland 179 acres worth \$3 = \$510 1 WP 1BP 1 carriage worth \$100 – Pd \$2.41 in state tax - \$3.52 in county tax = \$593
- A.G. Jeffreys Guardian for C. Strickland – 14 acres worth \$2.75 per acre in locality 39 – Pd 4 cents in state tax + 12 cents in county tax = \$.16
- Simeon Massey's land probably went to James Bunn or Sherrod Brantley (who lived next door to Matthew Privitt on the 1860 census) (check also Simon Williams)

Davis District 1855

- Richmond Upchurch 468 acres worth \$3 per acre. Location P. Tar = \$1,404 6 BP. Pd \$4.08 in state tax + \$10.17 in county tax = \$14.25.
- Lindsey Upchurch 47 acres worth \$3 per acre = \$141 1 WP – Pd 57 cents in state tax + \$1.41 in county tax = \$1.98
- William M. Upchurch 1 WP Pd 40 cents in state tax +47 cents in county tax = \$1.37
- Sion Upchurch 1 WP Pd 40 cents in state tax + 97 cents in county tax = \$1.37

Perry's Mill 1855

- James Upchurch by WG 130 acres worth \$3 per acre located in Millstone = \$390 Pd 47 cents in State tax + \$1.21 in county tax= \$1.68

Louis Burg 1855

- William A. Upchurch 1 WP pd 40 cents in state tax
- + 91 cents in County Tax = \$1.37

1	Thomas Williams		
2	Wilson Bolton		
3	Wilson Strickland		
4	A. G. Jeffreys		
5	Simeon Massey		
6	James Dunn		
7	Sherrod Brantley		
8	Matthew Privette		
9	Simeon Williams		
10	Richmond U.		
11	Lindsey U		
12	William M. U		
13	Sion U		
14	James U		
15	William A. U		
16	Upchurch children		
	(need to identify)		

(50) Item in Ltr 14 Mar 1984 Eleanor Grace Williamson to RPU.

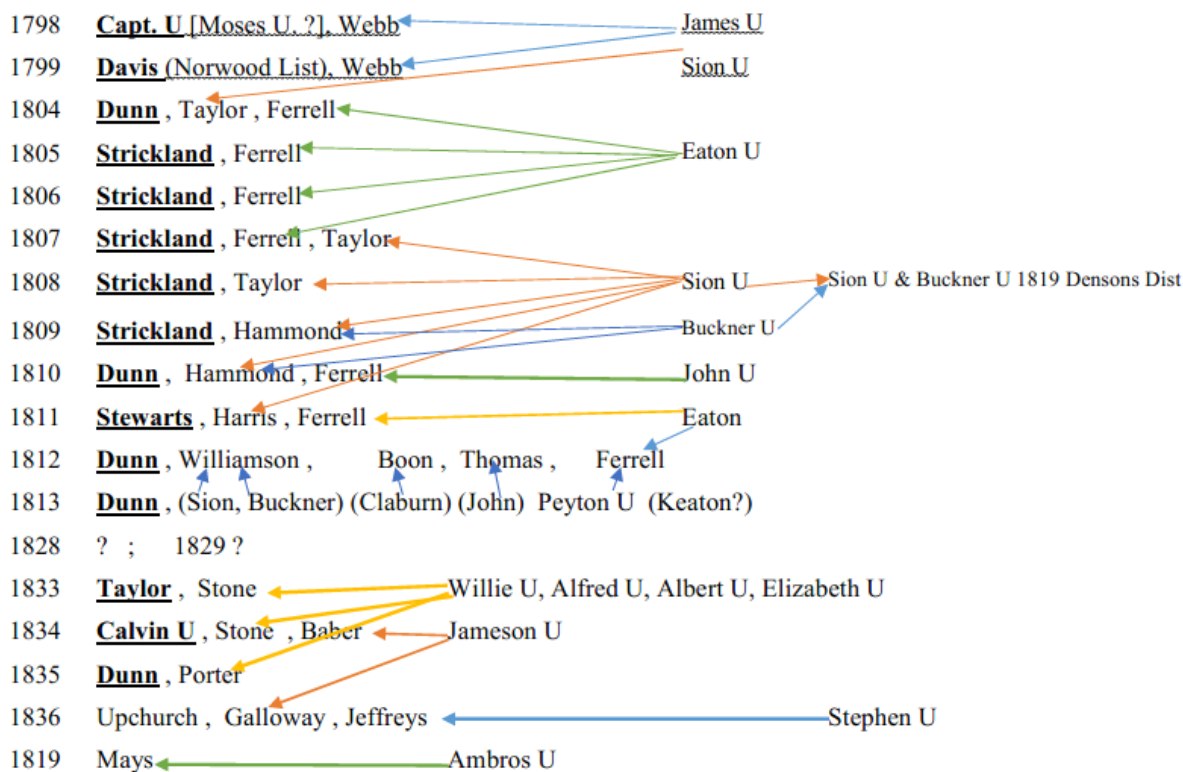
*[In search for info on 1803 Upchurch > Carpenter name change]*

FRANKLIN CO, NC TAX RECORDS

Grace extracted some but not all Upchurch listings for the 1798 – 1836 era for Franklin Co, NC.

Below is a list by years for the various Districts (by District Caption).

**Highlighted** = the main Upchurch Enclave > some = Benjamin; Jubal; Richard, III; Abel, Sr; Buckner; Britton; James U, V (+ John Carpenter)



*[NOTE – The above James U could be James U, V or his nephew James U, VII - cross list.]*

## (51) Item in Ltr 17 Mar 1984 Eleanor Grace Williamson to RPU

[In search for info on 1803 Upchurch → Carpenter name change]

## FRANKLIN CO, NC TAX RECORDS

1799	Webb's Dist	James U	0 A	1 WP	1 BP
1798	Webb's Dist	James U	0 A	1 WP	1 BP
17 Sep 1798	Upchurch's Dist	James U	200 A	1 WP	1 BP
1799	Norwood's / Davis Dist	James U	200 A	1 WP	1 BP
1804	Dunn's Dist	James U	400 A	1 WP	1 BP
1819	William's Dist	James U	487 A	1 WP	1 BP
1828	-	James U	570 A	1 WP	1 BP
1833	Taylor's Dist	James U	678 A	1 WP	1 BP
21 Jul 1834	Taken at Calvin U's	James U	678 A	1 WP	1 BP
1835	Dunn's Dist	James U			
1805	Strickland's Dist	James U	400 A	1 WP	0 BP
1806	Strickland's Dist	James U	400 A	1 WP	1 BP
1807	Strickland's Dist	James U	400 A	1 WP	1 BP
1808	Strickland's Dist	James U	400 A	1 WP	1 BP
1809	Strickland's Dist	James U	400 A	1 WP	1 BP
1810	Dunn's Dist	James U	400 A	1 WP	1 BP
1811	Stewart's Dist	James U	400 A	1 WP	1 BP
1812	Dunn's Dist	James U	400 A	1 WP	1 BP
1813	Dunn's Dist	James U	400 A	1 WP	1 BP

[NOTE – The above James U could be James U, V or his nephew, James U, VII - \_\_\_\_\_ list.]

## (52) UPCHURCH &amp; RELATED TAX LISTINGS – FRANKLIN CO, NC

1798 – 1864 59 RPU FROM CARLA JONES 29 OCT 2006

Captain Lewis Webb's District		
1798		
James Upchurch		1 WP 2 BP

## (53) UPCHURCH &amp; RELATED TAX LISTINGS – FRANKLIN CO, NC

1798 – 1864 59 RPU FROM CARLA JONES 29 OCT 2006

Captain Upchurch's District			Captain John Norwood's District			Captain William Dunn's District		
1798			1799			1804		
John Carpenter	311 acres	1 WP 2 BP	Steven Pearce	10 acres	1WP 1 BP	Benjamin U	516 acres	1 BP
Polly Massey	132 acres		Ancell Pearce		1WP	Richard Upchurch	451 acres	
Richard Massey	1445 acres	1 WP 2 BP	John Carpenter	311 acres	1WP 2 BP	James Upchurch	400 acres	1 WP
Phillip Pearce	300 acres	1 WP	Benjamin Upchurch	610 acres	1WP 1 BP	Abel Upchurch	175 acres	1 WP
Anne Pearce	47 acres		Richard Upchurch	451 acres	1WP	Jubal Upchurch	525 acres	1 WP
Benjamin Upchurch	610 acres	1 WP 1 BP	James Upchurch	200 acres	1WP	Phillip Pearce	777 acres	1 WP
James Upchurch	200 acres	1 WP	Phillip Pearce	300 acres	1WP	Anne Pearce	63 acres	
Moses Upchurch	632 acres	1 WP 1 BP	Anny Pearce	43 acres		Stephen Pearce	650 acres	1 WP 3 BP
Stephen Pierce	10 acres	1 WP 1 BP	Buckner Upchurch		1WP	John Pearce		1 WP
Jubell Upchurch	100 acres	1 WP	Jubell Upchurch	165 acres	1WP	John Carpenter	601 acres	1 WP 3 BP
Richard Upchurch	451 acres	1 WP						

Captain Strickland's District			Captain Obediah Strickland's District			Captain Strickland's District		
1805			1806			1807		
Benjamin Upchurch	616 acres	1 BP	John Carpenter	1003 acres	1WP 1 BP	John Carpenter	1131 acres	1 WP 3 BP
Jubal Upchurch	765 acres	1 WP 1 BP	Phillip Pearce	1337 acres	1WP	Phillip Pearce	777 acres	
Buck Upchurch	200 acres	1 WP	Anna Pearce	63 acres	1WP 2 BP	Ann Pearce	63 acres	
(Buckner U)			Phillip Pearce guardian for orphans of			Phillip Pearce guardian for the orphans of		
James Upchurch	400 acres	1 WP	Arthur Pearce	186 acres		James Pearce	200 acres	
Richard Upchurch	451 acres	1 WP	Nathan Pearce		1WP	Stephen Pearce	693 acres	3 BP
Anna Pearce	63 acres		John Pearce		1WP	John Pearce		1 WP
Nathan Upchurch		1 WP	Stephen Pierce	650 acres	1 WP 3 BP	Nathan Pearce		2 BP

Stephen Pierce	650 acres	3 BP	James Upchurch	400 acres	1WP 1 BP	Richard Upchurch	451 acres	
Phillip Upchurch	777 acres	1 WP	Benjamin Upchurch	616 acres	1WP	James Upchurch	400 acres	1 WP 1 BP
Jack Pearce		1 WP	Richard Upchurch	441 acres		Jubal Upchurch	660 acres	2 WP 1 BP
John Carpenter	603 acres	1 WP 3 BP	Jubal Upchurch	725 acres	1 WP 1 BP	Benjamin Upchurch	616 acres	2 BP
			Buckner Upchurch	200 acres	1 WP	Buckner Upchurch	200 acres	1 WP

## (53) Con't

Captain Strickland's District		
1808		
John Carpenter	1131 acres	1 WP 3 BP
Phillip Pierce	300 acres	
Eley Pearce	250 acres	1 WP
Stephen Pearce	766 acres	4 BP
Richard Upchurch	450 acres	
Benjamin Upchurch	616 acres	2 BP
Eaton Upchurch	50 acres	1 WP
Jubal Upchurch	925 acres	2 WP 2 BP
Brittain Upchurch		1 WP
Buckner Upchurch	200 acres	1 WP
James Upchurch	400 acres	1 WP 1 BP

Captain Strickland's District		
1809		
John Carpenter	1331 acres	2 WP 3 BP
(note: if this second poll is Benjamin, he was born by 1788; from next year's tax records this does appear to be Benjamin.)		
Phillip Pearce	300 acres	
Ely Pearce	250 acres	1 WP
Anna Pearce	60 acres	
Phillip Pearce Guardian for J. Pearce's Orphans		
	200 acres	
Stephen Pearce	690 acres	4 BP
Jubal Upchurch	975 acres	1 WP 2 BP
James Upchurch	400 acres	1 WP 1 BP
Richard Upchurch	450 acres	1 WP
Benjamin Upchurch	616 acres	2 BP
Brittain Upchurch		1 WP

Captain Dunn's District		
1810		
Benjamin Carpenter		1 WP
John Carpenter	1331 acres	1 WP 3 BP
Eli Pearce	250 acres	1 WP
Phillip Pearce	586 acres	
Anne Pearce	63 acres	
Stephen Pearce	690 acres	6 BP
Jubal Upchurch	975 acres	2 WP 2 BP
James Upchurch	400 acres	1 WP 1 BP
Richard Upchurch	450 acres	
Brittain Upchurch		1 WP
Benja Upchurch	616 acres	2 BP

## 1798 – 1810 LISTINGS:

1. Phillip Pearce
2. Anne Pearce
3. Stephen Pearce
9. John Pearce
5. Eli Pearce
6. Ancell Pearce
7. Nathan Pearce
8. Jack Pearce
9. Arthur Pearce
10. Polly Massey
11. Richard Massey
12. John Carpenter
13. Benjamin Carpenter
14. Benjamin Upchurch
15. James Upchurch
16. Moses Upchurch
17. Jubal Upchurch, I
18. Richard Upchurch, III
19. Buckner Upchurch
20. Abel Upchurch
21. Eaton Upchurch
22. Brittain Upchurch

## (54) UPCHURCH &amp; RELATED TAX LISTINGS – FRANKLIN CO, NC

## 1798 – 1864 TO RPU FROM CARLA JONES 29 OCT 1006

Captain Dunn's District		
1811		
Benjamin Carpenter	400 acres	1 BP
John Carpenter	911 acres	1 WP 3 BP
Phillip Pearce	292 acres	
Phillip Pierce for Orphans	256 acres	
Anna Pierce	63 acres	
Stephen Pierce	690 acres	5 BP
Eli Pierce	250 acres	1 WP
Benjamin Upchurch	616 acres	2 BP
James Upchurch	400 acres	1 WP
Keaton Upchurch		1 WP
Jubal Upchurch	975 acres	1 WP 5 BP
Richard Upchurch	450 acres	
Brittain Upchurch		1 WP

Captain Thomas Dunn's District		
1812		
Benjamin Carpenter	400 acres	1WP 1 BP
John Carpenter	931 or 937 acres	2WP 3 BP
Stephen Pearce	690 acres	6 BP
Phillip Pearce	242 acres	
Phillip Pearce for		
Willie Pearce	268 acres	
Phillip Pearce for		
Ana Pearce	63 acres	
Eley Pearce	250 acres	1WP
Benjamin Upchurch	616 acres	3 BP
Richard Upchurch	450 acres	
James Upchurch	400 acres	1 WP
Jubal Upchurch	1050 acres	1 WP 6 BP
Britton Upchurch		1 WP

Captain Thomas Dunn's District		
1813		
Benjamin Carpenter	400 acres	2 WP 2 BP
John Carpenter	731 acres	2 WP 4 BP
Stephen Pearce	690 acres	6 BP
Phillip Pearce	292 acres	
Phillip Pearce for		
Willie Pearce	268 acres	
Phillip Pearce for		
Ann Pearce	63 acres	
Eley Pearce	250 acres	1 WP
Benjamin Upchurch	616 acres	4 BP
Jubal Upchurch	2025 acres	1 WP 8 BP
James Upchurch	400 acres	1 WP
Richard Upchurch	450 acres	
Brittain Upchurch		1 WP

Captain Alford's District		
1814		
Benjamin Carpenter	400 acres	1 WP 3 BP
John carpenter	1061 acres	1 WP 5 BP
Phillip Pearce	292 acres	1 WP
Anna Pearce	63 acres	
Willie Pearce	268 acres	1 WP
Stephen Pearce	644 acres	76 BP
Ely Pearce	250 acres	1 WP
James Upchurch	400 acres	1 WP
Benjamin Upchurch	545 acres	5 BP
Jubal Upchurch	1410 acres	1 WP 5 BP
Britton Unchurch		1 WP

Richard Upchurch	450 acres	
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Captain Alford's District		
1815		
John Carpenter	1211 acres \$250 per acre \$3,027.50	1 WP 5 BP
Benjamin Carpenter	400 acres \$150 per acre \$600	1 WP 3 BP 1 stud horse
Stephen Pearce	310 acres \$2 per acre \$620	6 BP
Philamon Pearce	292 acres \$2 per acre \$584	1 WP
Eley Pearce	205 acres \$2 per acre \$410	1 WP
Ann Pearce	63 acres \$2 per acre \$126	
Willie Pearce	268 acres \$2 per acre \$536	1 WP
Jubal Upchurch	1700 acres \$3 per acre \$5,100	1 WP 7 BP
Benjamin Upchurch	546 acres \$1.50 per acre \$819	5 BP
James Upchurch	400 acres \$1.25 per acre \$500	1 WP
Richard Upchurch	450 acres \$2.50 per acre 1,125	

Brittain Upchurch		1 WP
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Captain Alford's District		
1816		
John Carpenter	1611 acres \$3624.75	1 BP
Stephen Pearce	310 acres \$775.	6 BP
Phillip Pearce	292 acres \$484	1 WP
Eley Pearce	205 acres \$512.50	1 WP 1 BP
Willie Pearce	268 acres \$436	1 WP
Richard Unchurch	350 acres \$875	1 WP
Jubal Upchurch	1715 acres \$5327.50	1 WP 7 BP
Jubal Upchurch for		
Nancy Upchurch	525 acres \$1,312.50	2 BP
Britton Upchurch	100 acres \$250	1 WP
Burkley Upchurch	200 acres \$500	1 WP
James Upchurch	400 acres \$500	1 WP 1 BP

Captain Alford's District		
1817		
John Carpenter	1600 acres \$2.50 per acre #4,000	2WP 6 BP
Stephen Pearce	310 acres \$2.50 per acre \$775	6 BP
Philip Pearce	292 acres \$2 per acre \$584	1 BP
Eley Pearce	205 acres \$2 per acre \$410	1 WP 1 BP
Wille Pearce	168 acres \$1.50 per acre \$252	1 WP
Haley Pearce		1WP
Stephen Pearce	310 acres \$2.50 per acre \$775	6 BP
Jubal Upchurch	1804 acres \$4 per acre \$7216	1 WP 12 BP
2 studs or jacks worth \$5 each		
Britton Upchurch	100 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$150	2 WP
Buckley Upchurch	200 acres \$1.50 per acre \$300	
James Upchurch	400 acres \$1.50 per acre \$600 acres	2 WP
James Upchurch	400 acres \$1.50 per acre \$600	2 WP 1 BP

1811 – 1817 Listings

1. Phillip Pearce
2. Anne Pearce
3. Stephen Pearce
4. Eli Pearce
5. Willie Pearce
6. Philamon Pearce
7. Haley Pearce
8. John Carpenter
9. Benjamin Carverter

10. Benjamin Upchurch
11. James Upchurch, I
12. Jubal Upchurch, I
13. Richard Upchurch, III
14. Brittain Upchurch
15. Keaton Upchurch
16. Nancy Upchurch
17. Burkely Unchurch

**(55) UPCHURCH & RELATED TAX LISTINGS – FRANKLIN CO, NC**  
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Captain Alford's District		
1818		
John Carpenter	1,211 acres \$2.50 per acre \$3,027.50	7 BP
Jubal Carpenter	400 acres \$2 per acre \$800	1 WP 1 BP
Phillip Pearce	292 acres \$2 per acre \$584	1 BP
Stephen Pearce	310 acres \$2.50 per acre \$1085	6 BP
Willie Pearce	168 acres \$2.50 per acre \$420	1 WP
Haley Pearce		1 WP
Eley Pearce	205 acres \$3 per acre \$615	1 WP 1 BP
James Upchurch	400 acres \$1.50 per acre \$600	2 WP 1 BP
Burkley Upchurch	200 acres \$1.50 per acre #300	1 WP
Jubal Upchurch	2,937 acre \$3 per acre \$6,111	2 WP 11BP
Britton Unchurch	100 acres \$1.50 per acre \$150	
Claibon Upchurch		1 WP

Captain William's District		
1819		
John Carpenter	1,211 acres worth \$2.50 per acre \$3,027.50	8 BP
Jubal Carpenter	400 acres worth \$2 per acre \$800	1 WP 3 BP
Philip Pearce	292 acres worth \$2 per acre \$584.	1 WP 1 /BP
Haley Pearce		1 WP
Eley Pearce	205 acres worth \$3 per acre \$615	1 WP 1 BP
Willie Pearce	168 acres worth \$2.50 per acre \$420	1 WP
Stephen Pearce	310 acres worth \$2.50 per acre \$775.	6 BP
James Upchurch	476 acres worth \$1.25 per acre \$608.75	1 BP
Britton Upchurch	100 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$150	1 WP
Clabourn Upchurch	138 (loose list says 128) acres worth	
	\$2.50 per acre \$345	1 WP
Jubal Upchurch	2,025 acres worth \$3 per acre \$6,075	2 WP 15 BP
Burkly Upchurch	200 acres worth 1.50 per acre \$300	

Captain Bridge's District		
1820 – 1829		
Jubal Upchurch	600 acres worth \$1.50 per acre	
Jubal Upchurch	1200 acres worth \$1.00 per acre	1 WP 2 BP
Jubal Upchurch	450 acres worth \$1.50 per acre	
Jubal Upchurch	214 acres worth \$1.00	
Calvin Upchurch	1 stud & jack	1 WP 2 BP
Stephen Upchurch		1 WP 1 BP
Nancy Upchurch	500 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$750	1 BP
Burkley Upchurch	140 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$210	
Britton Pearce	383 acres worth \$2 per acre \$768	1 WP 1 BP
Nathan Pearce	382 acres worth \$2 per acre	
Nathan Pearce	400 acres worth \$2.50 per acre \$1,764	2 BP
Burrel Pearce		1 WP
James Upchurch	570 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$855	1 BP
Stephen Pearce	440 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$660	2 BP
Wilie Pearce		1 WP
Haley Pearce	200 acres worth \$2 per acre \$400	1 WP 1 BP

Captain Williams' District		
1820		
John Carpenter	1,611 acres \$3,827.50	10 BP
Eley Pearce	205 acres \$615	1 WP 1 BP
Hardy Pearce		1 WP
Stephen Pearce	310 Acres \$465	6 BP
Wiley Pearce	168 acres \$252	1 WP 1 BP
Britton Upchurch	100 acres worth \$200	1 WP
Brinkley Upchurch	218 acres \$436	1 WP
Jubal Upchurch	2,165 acres \$5,410	1 WP 10 BP
Jubal Upchurch for		
Nancy Upchurch	500 acres \$1,250	1 BP
James Upchurch	487 acres \$608.50	1 WP 2 BP
Larken Upchurch	40 acres \$80	
Littleberry Upchurch	319 acres \$957	1 WP 3 BP

**(55) Cont.**

Captain Dunn's District		
1821		
John Carpenter	1,611 acres worth \$2.50 per acre \$4,027.50	12 BP
Phillip Pearce	300 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$450	
Haley Pearce		1 WP
Wiley Pearce		1 WP
James Upchurch	487 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$730.50	1 BP
Britton Upchurch	100 acres worth \$1 per acre \$100	1 WP
Littleberry Upchurch	319 acres worth \$3.50 per acre \$1,106.50	1 WP 3 BP
Brinkley Upchurch	218 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$327	
Claiborn Upchurch		1 WP
Williford Upchurch		1 WP

Captain William Stone's District		
1822		
John Carpenter	1,611 acres worth \$2.50 per acre \$4,428	1 WP 5 BP
Phillip Pearce	300 acres worth \$2 per acre \$600	1 WP
Wiley Pearce		1 WP
Haley Pearce		1 WP
James Upchurch	509 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$763.50	
Barkley Upchurch	218 acres worth \$2.50 per acre \$545	1 WP
Littleberry Upchurch	762 acres worth \$2.50 per acre \$1,905	2 WP 3 BP
Jubal Upchurch	3,500 acres worth \$2 per acre \$7,000	4 BP
Britton Upchurch	100 acres worth \$2 per acre \$200	1 WP
Williford Upchurch		1 WP 1 BP
Larkin Upchurch	166 acres worth \$2 per acre \$332	1 WP

**1818 – 1822 Listings**

1. Phillip Pearce
2. Stephen Pearce
3. Eli Pearce
4. Willie Pearce
5. Haley Pearce
6. Nathan Pearce
7. Nathan Pearce
8. Burrell Pearce
9. Hardy Pearce
10. John Carpenter
11. Jubal Carpenter
12. James Upchurch
13. Jubal Upchurch, I
14. Brittain Upchurch
15. Nancy Upchurch
16. Burkely Upchurch
17. Claburn Upchurch, I
18. Calvin Upchurch
19. Stephen Upchurch
20. Brinkley Upchurch
21. Larkin Upchurch
22. Littleberry Upchurch
23. Williford Upchurch

**(56) UPCHURCH & RELATED TAX LISTINGS – FRANKLIN CO, NC**  
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Captain William Stone's District		
1823		
Simion Carpenter		1 WP
John Carpenter	1611 acres \$2 per acre \$3222	6 BP
James Upchurch	509 ¾ acres \$1.50 per acre \$764.62	1 BP
Littlebury Upchurch	319 acres \$3 per acre \$957	1 WP 3 BP
Williford Upchurch		1 WP
Britton Upchurch	118 ¾ acres \$2 per acre \$237.50	1 WP
Larkin Upchurch	166 acres \$1.50 per acre \$249	3 WP
Burkly Upchurch	200 acres \$2 per acre \$400	
Jubal Upchurch	2500 acres \$2 per acre \$5000	3 WP 7 BP
Jubal Upchurch for		
Nancy Upchurch	500 acres \$2 per acre \$1,000	1 BP

Captain Wm. Stone's District		
1824		
John Carpenter	1,211 acres \$1,816	7 BP
Churchwell Carpenter	400 acres worth \$600	1 WP 1 BP
Littleberry Upchurch	319 acres worth \$957	
Littleberry Upchurch	444 acres worth \$666	1 WP 3 BP
James Upchurch	509 acres worth \$764	1 BP
Williford Upchurch		1 WP
Brinkley Upchurch	200 acres worth \$400	1 WP
Britton Upchurch	118 acres worth \$236	1 WP
Larkin Upchurch	166 acres worth \$332	1 WP
Jubal Upchurch	2450 acres worth \$4,900	7 BP

Captain Stone's District		
1825		
Churchwell Carpenter	400 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$600	1 WP 3(?) BP
John Carpenter	1,211 acres worth \$2 per acre \$2,422	6 BP
James Upchurch	400 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$600	BP
Williford Upchurch	109 ¾ acres \$1.50 \$164	1 WP 1 BP
Brinkley Upchurch	200 acres worth \$1.50 \$300	1 WP
Berry Upchurch	319 acres \$3 per acre \$957	1 WP 5 BP
Jubal Upchurch	1,976 acres \$150 per acre \$2,964	5 BP
Britton Upchurch	118 ¾ acres \$1.50 per acre \$178	1 WP
Nancy Upchurch	505 acres \$1.50 per acre \$757	1 BP
Larkin Upchurch	166 acres \$1.50 per acre \$249	1 WP

Captain Stone's District		
1826		
John Carpenter	100 acres \$1.25 and 100 acres \$1 per acre or \$350	
Churchwell Carpenter	400 acre \$1 per acre \$400	
James Upchurch	509 acres \$1.25 \$763 1 BP	
Berry Upchurch	319 acres \$3 per acre \$957 1 WP 5 BP	
Jubal Upchurch	2375 acres \$1.25 \$3,562 4 BP	
Nancy Upchurch	500 acres \$1.25 per acre \$750 1 BP	
Stephen Upchurch	1 WP	
Larkin Upchurch	166 acres \$1.25 per acre \$249 1 WP	
Burkley Upchurch	200 acres \$1.50 \$300	

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Captain Stone's District	
1827	
John Carpenter 200 acres \$1.25	
John Carpenter 100 acres worth \$1.00 per acre total \$350	
Brinkley Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.50 \$210	
James Upchurch 570 acres worth \$1.50 \$855 1 BP	
Berry Upchurch 315 acres worth \$3 per acre \$945 1 WP 4 BP	
Nancy Upchurch 500 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$750	
Jubal Upchurch 600 acres worth \$1.25 per acre	
Jubal Upchurch 1,200 acres worth \$1 per acre	
Jubal Upchurch 450 acres worth \$1.50 per acre	
Jubal Unchurch 214 acres worth \$1 per acre totaling \$2,989 6 BP	
Larkin Upchurch 166 acres worth \$2 per acre \$332 1 WP	

## 1823 – 1828 Listings

1. John Pearce
2. John Carpenter
3. Simon Carpenter
4. Churchwell Carpenter
5. James Upchurch
6. Jubal Upchurch I
7. Britton Upchurch
8. Nancy Upchurch

Captain Stone's District	
1828	
John Pearce 450 acres worth \$2.50 per acre	
John Pearce 400 acres worth \$1 per acre	
John Pearce 200 acres worth \$1.25 per acre (is this John Carpenter's land?)	
John Pearce 100 acres worth \$1 per acre Totaling \$1,900 (is this John Carpenter's land?)	
Jubal Upchurch 1050 acres worth \$1.50 per acre	
Jubal Upchurch 1,414 acres worth \$1 per acre totaling \$2,989 1 WP 2 BP	
Calvin Upchurch 1 WP 2 BP One Stud	
Stephen Upchurch 1 WP 1 BP	
Nancy Upchurch 500 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$750 1 BP	
Berkley Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$250	
James Upchurch 570 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$855 1 BP	

9. Burkely Upchurch
10. Calvin Unchurch
11. Stephen Upchurch
12. Brinkley Upchurch
13. Larkin Upchurch
14. Little Berry Upchurch
15. Williford Upchurch

(57) UPCHURCH & RELATED TAX LISTINGS – FRANKLIN CO, NC  
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Captain Dunn's District	
1829	
Whitman Pearce 120 acres worth \$2 per acre \$240 1 WP	
John Pearce 900 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,350 2 BP	
John Pearce for John Carpenter 200 acres worth \$1.25	
John Pearce for John Carpenter 100 acres worth \$1 per acre \$350	
Nancy Upchurch 450 acres worth \$1.50 \$675 2 BP	
(analysis would seemingly indicate that she sold 50 acres to John Pearce Since the previous year.)	
James Upchurch 570 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$855 1 WP 2 BP	
Burkely Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$210	
Littleberry Upchurch 319 acres worth \$3 per acre \$957 1 WP 2 BP	
1 stud horse at \$4	
Littleberry Upchurch 50 acres worth \$2 per acre totaling \$100 1 WP 2 BP	
Calvin Upchurch 250 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$312.50 1 WP	
Larkin Upchurch 146 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$219. 1 WP	
Stephen Upchurch 1 WP 1 BP	
Phillip Pearce 200 acres worth \$2 per acre \$400	
Haley Pearce 200 acres worth \$2 per acre \$400 1 WP	
Stephen Pearce 400 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$600 1 BP	
Britton Pearce 343 acres worth \$2 per acer \$686 1 WP	
Willie Pearce 1 WP	
Reuben Carpenter 168 acres worth \$2 per acre \$316	

Captain Dunn's District	
1831	
John Pearce Sr. 900 acres worth \$1.50 \$1,350 1 WP 1 BP	
James Upchurch 688 34 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,033 1 WP 2 BP	
Kearney Upchurch 1 WP	
Burkely Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$210 1 BP	
Calvin Upchurch 393 ½ acres worth \$1.25 per acre \$493 2 WP 2 BP	
Larkin Upchurch 145 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$212 1 WP 1 BP	
Nancy Upchurch 450 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$675	
Stephen Upchurch 1 WP	
Littleberry Upchurch 1 @P	

Captain Dunn's District	
1830	
John Pearce 900 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,350 1 BP	
John Pearce for John Carpenter 200 acres worth \$1.25 per acre	
John Pearce for John Carpenter 100 acres worth \$1 per acre \$350	
James Upchurch 570 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$855 2 BP	
Kerney Upchurch 1 @P	
Nancy Upchurch 450 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$675	
Larkin Upchurch 145 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$207.50 1 WP	
Calvin Upchurch 293 ½ acres worth \$1.25 per acre \$366.88 1 WP 3 BP	
Stephen Upchurch 1 WP	
Burkely Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$210	
Littleberry Upchurch 389 acres worth \$3 per acre \$1107 1 @P 1 BP	
1 stud worth \$4	
Bailey Wiggs for S. Strickland 100 acres worth \$1 per acre \$100	
Note: William Harrison may have died	
Harrison Estate by Executor 7005 acres worth \$17,084	
In Captain Alford's District, no listing in Dunn's District	

Captain Dunn's District	
1832	
John Pearce 900 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,350 1 WP pd \$4.38	
John Pearce for Nancy Upchurch 450 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$675	
2 BP pd \$3.49	
Kearney Upchurch 1 WP pd \$.87	
James Upchurch 688 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,032 1 WP 2 BP pd \$5.29	
Jamison Upchurch 1 @P pd \$.87	
Calvin Upchurch 532 acres worth \$3 per acre	
Calvin Upchurch 393 acres worth \$1.25 per acre	
Calvin Upchurch 100 acres worth \$.50 totaling \$2,237 1 WP 3 BP pd \$9.30	
Berry Upchurch 1 WP pd \$.87	
Larkin Upchurch 145 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$217 1 WP 1 BP pd \$2.31	
Burkely Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$210 pd \$.55	
Jubal Upchurch 2 BP pd \$1.74	
Stephen Upchurch 464 acres worth \$2 per acre \$928 1 WP pd \$3.28	

Mason Massey 1 @P \$.87
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## 1829 – 1832 Listings

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. John Pearce            | 12. Burkely Upchurch      |
| 2. Whitman Pearce         | 13. Calvin Upchurch       |
| 3. Phillip Pearce         | 14. Stephen Upchurch      |
| 4. Haley Pearce           | 15. Larkin Upchurch       |
| 5. Stephen Pearce         | 16. Little Berry Upchurch |
| 6. Britton Pearce         | 17. Jamison Upchurch      |
| 7. Willie Pearce          | 18. Kearney Upchurch      |
| 8. John Carpenter         | 19. Bailey Wiggs          |
| 9. Reuben Carpenter       | 20. S. Stricklin          |
| 10. <u>James Upchurch</u> | 21. William Harrison      |
| 11. Nancy Upchurch        | 22. Mason Massey          |

## (58) UPCHURCH &amp; RELATED TAX LISTINGS – FRANKLIN CO, NC

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## 1833 – 1834 Listings

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|----------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. John Pearce       | 13. Matthew Privette      |
| 2. Whitman Pearce    | 14. James Upchurch        |
| 3. Phillip Pearce    | 15. Nancy Upchurch        |
| 4. Britton Pearce    | 16. Burkely Upchurch      |
| 5. Calvin Pearce     | 17. Calvin Upchurch       |
| 6. Patsy Pearce      | 18. Stephen Upchurch      |
| 7. Burrell Pearce    | 19. Larkin Upchurch       |
| 8. Thomas Pearce     | 20. Little Berry Upchurch |
| 9. Philemon Pearce   | 21. Jamison Upchurch      |
| 10. Martha Pearce    | 22. Jubal Upchurch, I     |
| 11. Reuben Carpenter | 23. Riley Bolton          |
| 12. John Privette    |                           |

Captain R. Taylor's District	Captain Dunn's District
1833	1834
John Privet 88 acres worth \$1.25 per acre \$110 1 BP \$1.22 (so born about 1788)	John Pearce for Nancy Upchurch 450 acres worth \$1.50 per acre - \$675 Pd \$169
John Pearce 1130 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,695 1 BP pd \$5.18	James Upchurch 678 acres worth \$1.50 per acre = \$1,017 2 BP Pd \$4.22
John Pearce for Nancy Upchurch 450 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$675 2 or 3 BP pd \$3.57	Buckley Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.20 = \$210 Pd 53 cents
Jamison Upchurch 1 WP pd \$.84	Larkin Upchurch 145 acres worth \$1.50 = \$218 1 P Pd \$1.38
Stephen Upchurch 300 acres worth \$2 per acre \$600 1 WP pd \$2.37	Stephen Upchurch 1 WP Pd 84 cents
*(loose list says 310 acres worth \$2 per acre \$620)	Berry Upchurch 1 WP 1 BP Pd \$1.68
Kearny Upchurch 1 WP pd \$.84	Calvin Upchurch 552 Acres worth \$3 per acre ] \$16.56 1 WP 4 BP = \$8.34
James Upchurch 678 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,017 2 BP pc \$4.42	Jubal Upchurch 3 BP Pd \$2.52
Berkley Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$210 pd. \$.52	Mathew Privit 481 acres worth \$1 per acre ] \$4. 81 Pd \$1.20
Larkin Upchurch 145 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$217 1 WP pd \$1.38	John Pearce 1080 acres worth \$1.50 per acre = \$1,620 1 BP Pd \$4.89
Berry Upchurch 197 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$445 1 WP 1 BP pd. \$2.90	Thomas Pearce 166 acres worth \$75 per acre \$1,246 pd. \$.31
Britton Pearce 200 acres worth \$2 per acre \$400 1 WP	John Privet 88 acres worth \$1.25 per acre \$110 1 BP pd \$1.11
Whitman Pearce 120 acres worth \$2 per acre \$240 1 WP	(next on list to Mat Privet)
Calvin Pearce 640 acres worth \$1 per acre \$64	
Riley Bolton 1 WP	
Phillip Pearce 200 acres worth \$2 per acre \$400	
Patsey Pearce 20 acres worth \$2 per acre \$400	
Burrell Pearce 1 WP	
Reuben Carpenter 569 acres worth \$2 per acre \$1,138 3 BP	
Captain Calvin Upchurch's District	
1834	
Philemon Pearce 200 acres worth \$2 per acre \$400	
John Pearce 1080 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,620 1 BP	
John Pearce for Nancy Upchurch 450 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$675	
Thomas Pearce 166 acres worth \$.75 per acre \$124.50	
Matthew Privett 481 acres worth \$1.00 per acre \$481	
Martha Pearce 200 acres worth \$2 per acre \$400	
Brittain Pearce 200 acres worth \$2 per acre \$400 1 WP 1 BP	
Burrel Pearce 1 WP	
Thomas Pearce 1 WP	
Whitman Pearce 120 acres worth \$2 per acre \$140 1 WP	
James Upchurch 678 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,017 2 BP	
Burkley Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$210	
Larkin Upchurch 145 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$217.50 1 WP	
Stephen Unchurch 1 WP	
Berry Upchurch 1 WP 1 BP	
Calvin Upchurch 552 acres worth \$3 per acre \$1,656 1 WP 4 BP	
Jubal Upchurch 3 BP	

**(59) UPCHURCH & RELATED TAX LISTINGS – FRANKLIN CO, NC****1798 – 1864 – TO RPU FROM CARLA JONES 29 OCT 2006****1835 – 1836 LISTINGS**

1. John Pearce
2. Whitman Pearce
3. Phillip Pearce same
4. Philamon Pearce "
5. Patsy Pearce
6. Burrell Pearce
7. Thomas Pearce
8. Nathan Pearce
9. Matthew Privette
10. John Privette

11. John Sanders
12. James Upchurch
13. Nancy Upchurch
14. Burkely Upchurch
15. Calvin Upchurch
16. Larkin Upchurch
17. Little Berry Upchurch
18. Jameson Upchurch
19. Jubal Upchurch, I
20. John Upchurch

Captain Upchurch's District	
1834	
James Upchurch 678 acres worth \$1.50 per acre = \$1,017 2 BP Pd \$5.05	
Jamison Upchurch 1 WP Pd 95 cents	
Calvin Upchurch 552 acres worth \$3 per acre \$1,656	
300 acres worth \$1.50 per acre (loose list says \$1.25 per acre)	
Totald \$2021 1 WP 4 BP Pd \$4.05	
Calvin Upchurch agent for John Sanders 205 acres worth \$3 per acre = \$615 Pd \$1.90	
Larkin Upchurch 145 acres worth \$1.50 per acre = \$218 1 WP \$1.62	
Burkley Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.50 per acre = \$210 Pd 65 cents	
Nancy Upchurch 450 acres worth 41.50 per acre = \$675 Pd \$2.09	
Jubal Upchurch 3 BP Pd \$2.85	
John Upchurch 550 acres worth \$1.50 - \$825 1 WP Pd \$3.50	
Berry Upchurch 1 WP 1 BP Pd \$1.90	
John Pearce 1080 acres worth \$1.50 - \$1,620 1 BP Pd \$5.97	
Mathew Privit 481 acres worth \$1 per acre = \$481 Pd \$1.49	
John Privett 88 ½ acres worth \$1.25 per acre \$110 1 WP 2 BP pd. \$3.19	
Whitman Pearce 120 acres worth \$2 per acre \$240 1 WP (from loose lists)	
Philemon Pearce 190 acres worth \$2 per acre \$380 (from loose lists)	
Nathan Pearce 586.5 acres with \$2 per acre \$1173 (from loose lists)	
Thomas Pearce 178.5 acres worth \$2 per acre \$357 1 WP (from loose lists)	
Burrel Pearce 205 acres worth \$2 per acre \$410 1 WP (from loose lists)	
John Pearce 1080 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,620 1 BP (from loose lists)	

Captain Upchurch's District	
1836	
Phillip Pearce 190 acres worth \$2 per acre \$380	
Larkin Upchurch 145 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$217.75 1 WP	
Burkly Upchurch 140 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$310 1 WP	
James Upchurch 475 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$1,012.75 2 BP	
Thomas Pearce 178.5 acres worth \$2 per acre \$357 1 WP	
Whitman Pearce 120 acres worth \$2 per acre \$240 1 WP	
Mathew Privit 418 acres worth \$1 per acre \$481	
Berrett Pearce 205 acres worth \$2 per acre \$410 1 WP	
John Pearce 1080 acres worth 41.50 per acre \$1,20	
Nancy Upchurch 450 acres worth \$1.50 per acre \$675 3 BP	
Calvin Upchurch 550 acres worth \$3 per acre \$1,650 1 WP 5 BP	
Calvin Upchurch Bolton tract 100 acres worth \$1.25 per acre \$125	
Calvin Upchurch Hicks tract 50 acres worth \$1.00 per acre \$50	
Patsey Pearce no information listed	

**(60) UPCHURCH & RELATED TAX LISTINGS – FRANKLIN CO, NC****1798 – 1864 – TO RPU FROM CARLA JONES 29 OCT 2006**

Captain Webb's District
1799
James Upchurch 1 WP 1 BP

**(61) EXCERPT FROM: FRANKLIN COUNTY HERITAGE N.C. VOL II 2011 – ITEM EXCERPTED  
AND DISPOSITION – 24 DEC 2011 – RPU  
: ARTICLE 670 PG 274 – TO BIOFILE OF JAMES U, VII**

**670 JAMES UPCHURCH AND  
RAY DESCENDANTS**

James Upchurch, born in Franklin Co., NC about 1775, was the great, great, great grandson of Michael Upchurch, who came to America from England about 1638 and settled in Virginia. The Upchurches had arrived in Franklin County, NC by 1755.

James Upchurch married Elizabeth Thaney Butler, daughter of James and Thaney Butler. They had six children. Elizabeth Thaney married Francis Phillips; Williford married Frances Gay; Cloe Jane married John Cooley, Jr.; Kerney married Emily Perry; Jamison married Elizabeth Pearce; Gilly Ann married James Ray son of Daniel Ray, about 1819.

James Ray, born about 1785, and Gilly Ann Upchurch Ray, born about 1798, settled in the Moccasin Creek area of Franklin and Wake Counties. They had four girls and six boys. Thaney married Israel Privette; Lizzie married Fernie Wiggs; Candace married a Denton; Nancy married a Carter. Henderson born 1828, married Amelia Privette February 7, 1849; Bryant born 1832; Burwell born 1836 married 1<sup>st</sup> Elizabeth Jane Jeans February 6, 1856 and 2<sup>nd</sup> Piety Hicks; Thomas Crudup born 1839, married Martha Stallings October 29 1879; Norman born 1841 married Nancy Powell; Albert Haywood, born June 6, 1830, married Jacqueline Summerlin Bryant November 6, 1853 James Ray made his will January 3, 1854; leaving property to his wife, Gilly, and 3 youngest sons.

Albert Harwood Ray and Jacqueline "Jacky" Summerlin Bryant, both of Franklin County, were married by William Stone, Justice of the Peace. Jacky, born June 22, 1828 was the daughter of Andrew and Mary Ross Bryant. They acquired land in Wake County near Moccasin Creek and built a three-story house (pictured in the Historic Architecture of Wake County, North Carolina by Kelly A. Lally). Although not lived in now, this house, located on Duke's Lake Road, is still owned by a direct descendant.

Albert served in the Civil War. They attended Hopkins Chapel Baptist Church. He built the Ray School House. His children were very well-educated for that day and time. They had nine children: Bryant Wesley 7/11/1854-3/10/1923, married Helen Betts 1888; Monroe Thomas 10/7/1856 – Nov. 1944, married 1<sup>st</sup> Nora Weatherspoon 3/7/1886 and 2<sup>nd</sup> Betty Horton; John Daniel 3/30/1858 – 10/27/1882; Temperance Ann b. 9/26/1859, married John gay 3/6/1881; Joseph Haywood 12/12/1861 – 2/26/1936, married Rosa Pearce 11/20/1884; George Washington 11/9/1864 – 10/3/1937, married Joe Ella Ferrell 1/4/1887; Mary Susan 6/22/1867 – 10/10/1954, married 1<sup>st</sup> William \*Kerney Phillips and 2<sup>nd</sup> Hugie Patterson; Elizabeth 9/28/1869 – 11/28/1954, married Daniel Hill Perry 12/20/1888; Martha b. 12/26/1871, married Acreil Perry 1/1/1888 (they moved to Texas).

Albert's will, dated 1/9/1888, left everything to his wife, Jacky. He died 3/29/1888. Jacky died 6/29/1900. They are buried in the Ray Cemetery on Duke's Lake Road, Wake County.

George Washington Ray married Joe Ella Ferrell, b. 2/1/1869 daughter of William Branch and Virginia Ann Perry Ferrell, on 1/4/1887, (William B. Ferrell's house is also pictured in The Historic Architecture of Wake County, North Carolina.)

\*vs William  
Nathan  
Phillips  
? - RPU

George and Joe Ella Ferrell Ray lives in the house with Jacky after Albert died. They had 10 children, 6 of whom lived past infancy. The four babies are buried in the Ray cemetery. Lucia Marion 9/10/1889 – 11/21/1982, married Charlie Bell Hodge 1/15/1927. Charlie, son of Frank and Jane (Jennie) Hopkins Hodge was b 6/4/1883 and died 12/9/1964. Lula May 9/29/1892 – 12/11/1981, married Gertrude Ferrell 4/16/16, Georgianna 4/18/1897 – 6/10/1987, married Walter Hobbs 11/29/1923, Willie 4/30/1898 – 10/20/1937. Luther 5/10/1900 – 2/20/1981, married Phyllis Case 3/6/1924; Virginia Ella 9/5/1901 – 2/23/1977, married Ruben Comos They attended Hopkins Chapel Baptist Church where George served as Superintendent and Deacon. The children attended the Ray School. The youngest ones also attended Wakelon School. The girls had college educations. Two became teachers, one was talented in art and music, and one was interested in history and genealogy. Willie was a train conductor and Luther as Electrician.

After his mother died, George moved his family Zebulon for a few years where he built houses in Zebulon and Wakefield. He returned to the country in 1909, building a new house which is now owned and lived in by his descendants.

George, Joe Ella, Lucie, Willie, Luther and Virginia are buried in Hopkins Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery. Lula and Gertrude Ferrell are buried next to the Ray Cemetery. Georgianna and Walter Hobbs are buried in Delco, NC. Charlie Hodge is buried in Union Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery with many of his family members.

Charlie and Lucie Ray Hodge had 2 children, Haywood 1/13/1928 – 10/3/2006, married Clarine Williams 2/12/1949. Inez b. 7/12/1930 married William M. Brown 6/4/1949. William M. Brown 12/31/1927 – 7/25/2007 is buried in the Hopkins Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery. Haywood Hodge is buried in the Williams Cemetery near Rolesville, Wake Co., NC

Charlie and Lucie Ray Hodge are my Maternal Grandparents.

*Submitted by Steven M. Brown, Zebulon, NC  
Source: Family Records: Inez H. Brown*

**I Richard Upchurch, III Head of Clan**

**A. James Upchurch, VII b about 1775 (Wake Co, NC md ( ) Elizabeth Thaney Butler**

**1. Gilly Ann Upchurch b about 1798 md ( ) James Ray b 1785 s/o Daniel Ray**

**a. Albert Haywood Ray md 6 Nov 1853 (Franklin Co, NC ) Jacqueline Summerlin Bryant**

**ı. George Washington Ray md 4 Jan 1887 (Wake Co, NC) Joe Ella Ferrell**

**(2) Lucie Marion Ray**

**(A) Lucie Inez Hodge**

**(I) Steven Milton Brown**

*(A copy of the entire Article 670 placed in these Biofiles – RFU 27 Dec 2011)*

**(62 ) UPCHURCH & RELATED TAX LISTINGS – FRANKLIN CO, NC 1798 – 1864 – TO RPU FROM  
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District  
1825 Capt. Harris

Upchurch Children  
404 A 3 BP Listed by Thomas Williams  
For Upchurch Children

*[RPU NOTE: I speculate that this 404 acres is the same as the 400 acres James U, VII left on his death in 1833 to his wife Elizabeth Thaney Butler for line. She died 1855 ± 5 years so the land upon her death would have passed to her children per Stirpes. Need to find records that this happened. Also consider that this may be the 400 ± acres that ended up in the hands of John Francis Phillips, Sr who md Elizabeth Thaney U, d/o James U, VI – 15 Sep 2008.] +*

***(THIS DOCUMENT WAS SENT BY MAIL TO PHIL UPCHURCH 06 JUL 2015)***