Ann Medlin XID – 13986

**Commentary:** Ann Medlin was the second wife of Stephen Upchurch, son of Jubal, head of Upchurch clan 6. They married in 1841 and went on to have five children together.

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(no number) The NC Family of Stephen Upchurch – Head of the Jubal Upchurch, IStephen Upchurch Sub-clan – RPU 27 Jul 2012

Census Extracted by RPU - Franklin Co, NC Slaves 1 female <10; free colored 2M 10-24 1830 Stephen Upchurch Born Males Male <5 years 1 – 1825-1830 [Benjamin Upchurch] born about 1829 5-10 years 1 - 1820 - 182510-15 years 1 - 1815 - 182015-20 years 1 - 1810-1815 20-30 years 1 - 1800 - 18101 – 1800-1810 [Stephen Upchurch] born about 1805 20-30 years Not children of Stephen & Rebecca as they married in 1828. Relatives of S OR R?? – RPU

Females 20-30 years 1 – 1800-1810 [Rebecca Ann Chamblee RPU] born about 1803

1840 - No Stephen found

1850 Census - NC, Franklin Co, Dunn Township

Stephen Upchurch	1805	45
Ann Upchurch	1827	23
Geneva Upchurch	1844	6
Joseph Upchurch	1846	4

1860 Census – NC, Wake Co – NE Division; PO Milburnie

Stephen Upchurch	1806	54	
Ann Upchurch	1823	37	
Ann Upchurch	1845	15	
Joseph Upchurch	1849	11	
Sallie Upchurch	1851	9	
Bryant Upchurch	1853	7	
Rebecca Upchurch	1859	1	
Lucinda Upchurch	1837	23	

1870 Census – NC, V	Vake Co	o, Barton's Creek Township, PO = Forestville
Stephen Upchurch	1815	55
Geneva Upchurch	1845	25
Beyant Upchurch	1853	17
Rebeca Upchurch	1860	10
William Upchurch	1869	1

Rebecca born about 1860 not found on 1880 Census. She married 15 Feb 1885 (Barton's Creek Township, Wake Co, NC) William H Ray

1880 Census – NC, Wake Co, New Light Township				
1810	70	head; widower		
1850	30	daughter		
1868	12	son		
1879	1	son; son of Geniva Upchurch		
	1810 1850 1868	181070185030186812		

Rebecca Upchurch born 1860 not found on 1880 Census. She married 1885.

I. Jubal Upchurch, I – Head of Clan

A. Stephen Upchurch born about 1805 died about 1885 married (1<sup>st</sup>) Rebecca Ann Chamblee<sup>1</sup> born about 1803 died 1859  $\pm$  2 married (2<sup>nd</sup>) 1841 (Wake Co, NC) <u>Ann Medlin</u><sup>2</sup>

1.<sup>1</sup> Benjamin Upchurch born about 1829

2.<sup>1</sup> John Upchurch "Jack" born  $1832 \pm 2$ 

 $3.^{1}$  Calvin Upchurch born  $1832 \pm 2$  [versus Nathan E Upchurch?]

4.<sup>1</sup> Lucinda Upchurch born about 1835

Note: Where are #1 - #4 in 1840?]

5.<sup>1</sup> Charlotte Upchurch "Lottie" born about 1837 – with grandmother in 1840

6.<sup>2</sup> Geneva Ann Upchurch "Annie" born about 1844

a. John Calvin Upchurch, I born 8 May 1877 (AKA John Henry Calvin Upchurch) father not learned

7.<sup>2</sup> Joseph Henry Upchurch, I born about 1846/1849

8.<sup>2</sup> Sarah Jane Upchurch "Sallie" born 4 Nov 1853

9.<sup>2</sup> Bryant Upchurch born about 1853

10.<sup>2</sup> Rebecca Upchurch born 185/1860

11.<sup>2</sup> William Upchurch born 1868/1869

(no number) Extract of record of marriage of Rebecca Jane Upchurch and William H. Ray, original in her Biofile.

Marriage performed 15 Feb 1885 in Barton's Creek Township, Wake Co, NC by John D. Allen, JP.

William H. Ray, 27, son of H. C. Ray and Harriett Ray, both living.

Rebecca Upchurch, 25, daughter of Stephen Upchurch, deceased, and Anna Upchurch [<u>Ann</u> <u>Medlin</u>], deceased. All parties of Wake Co, NC. 3 witnesses, names not readable.



(no number) Extract of marriage record for Bryant Upchurch and Sarah Florence Kirks (See his Biofile for copy.) Marriage performed 10 Oct 1877 in New Light Township, Wake Co, NC (at Starnes Up Chapel ??) by H. C. Ray, JP. Bryant Upchurch, 23, son of Stephen Upchurch (living) and Annie Upchurch (nee <u>Ann Medlin</u>) (deceased) Sarah Florence Kirks, 22, daughter of Edwin Kirks (deceased) and Jane Kirks (living) All parties of Wake Co, NC. Note "s" on Kirks. 1 of 3 witnesses = W. H. Ray

## (no number)

Stephen Upchurch North Carolina Marriages, 1759 – 1979 marriage: 16 Mar 1841 Franklin, North Carolina spouse: <u>Ann Medlin</u>

(no number) From: Bunn Families of SEUS – Vol. 1 John, David, James, and Wrightmon Bunn – 2006 by Danny Calier Bunn – Page 2

2. Jesse<sup>2</sup> Bunn (John Burn<sup>1</sup> (Bunn)) was born Abt. 1760, and died 1816 in Wake Co., NC<sup>4</sup>. He married (1) Unknown. was born<sup>5</sup>. He married (2) Levinia Walker 06 Nov 1813 in Wake co, NC, USA<sup>6</sup>. She was born<sup>7</sup>, and died 1825 in Wake Co, NC.

Notes for Jesse Bunn:

Jesse Bunn served in the Revolutionary War (page 1023, Vol 16, State Records of North Carolina). He enlisted in 1782 for a period of 18 months and was a Private in Raiford's Co 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment of NC Continental Lines Abraham Shepard, Col), He was discharged from service in 1783. Jesse owned in excess of 1000 acres of land in Wake and Franklin Counties of North Carolina. Most of his property lay along the Moccasin Creek that divided those counties.

Children of Jesse Bunn and Unknown are:

i. Alfred Walker<sup>3</sup> Bunn, married Rebeckah Medlin, 28 Feb 1826, Wake Co, NC, USA. Notes for Alfred Walker Bunn:

After the death of his mother Alfred received 220 acres of land (page 69, Record Book 7, Wake Co, NC) in Wake Co, NC, that his father had left to his mother at his death. That property was located where Spring Branch joined Moccasin Creek in Wake County. In addition, Alfred received 31 more acres in that same area that was his share of what his brother Jesse Walker Bunn would have received from his mother had he been living at the time of the division.

ii. Delilah Bunn, died 22 Sep 1868, Green Co, AL

iii. Elizabeth Bunn, born about 1795; died Marshall Co, MS

iv. Green Walker Bunn, born 1788, Wake Co, NC; died Oct 1851, Franklin Co, NC



v. Jesse Walker Bunn, born about 1799, Wake Co, NC; died between 1818 – 1825 Notes for Jesse Walker Bunn: Jesse Walker Bunn served in the War of 1812. His military records indicate that he was only 15 years old when he was enlisted into the 43<sup>rd</sup> US Infantry in North Carolina by Lieut Combs for a period of 5 years on April 18, 1814. The records further indicate that he had blue eyes, light hair, and a fair complexion and that he was born in Wake County, NC. While on duty, Jesse was at Camp Federal Point, Camp Greenfield and was confined at Fort Hampton for desertion. Last entry indicates that he was "learning music". This documentation can be found at the Olivia Raney Library, Raleigh, NC on micro film #233 titled US Army Register of Enlistments 1798 – May 17, 1815, Vol 3, Page 93.

Jesse Walker Bunn acquired land in Wake County, NC, from John Hopkins on 13 Jan 1818. However, he did not live long enough to received land from his father who had left 850 acres (page 384, Record Book 12, Wake Co, NC) to his wife Levinia that was to be divided among his children at her death. Apparently, Jesse Walker Bunn died prior to 1826 since in the division of that land in 1826 after the death of Levinia (Page 69, Record Book 7, Wake co, NC) his share was divided among his surviving siblings.

vi. Gilly Bunn, born about 1800, NC10.

## Notes for Gilly Bunn:

Williford Upchurch [son of James Upchurch, VII & grandson of Richard Upchurch, III] was to appear before the Justices of Franklin County, NC, Court of Pleas and Quarter Session to be held in Wake County, NC, in November of 1820 to answer a charge of Bastardy, committed on the body of Gilly Bunn. The 1850 Census for Franklin Co, NC, indicates that Polly Bunn, 14, was living in the household with Gilly. The 1870 census for Franklin co, NC, indicates that Ann Medlin was living in the household with Gilly Bunn at the time of survey.

vii. Riley Walker Bunn, born about 1803, NC viii. Wiley Walker Bunn born about 1807, NC

(1) See letter 17 Dec 1999 Charles John Peterson, Jr. to RPU – Page 10
On 2 Mar 1999 D. Stoddard posted on the internet [per an old genealogy written 1899]
I. Jubal Upchurch – Head of Clan
A. Stephen Upchurch

married 20 Jul 1828 (Franklin Co, NC) Rebecca Ann Chamblee in RPU files [Stephen md 2nd 16 Mar 1841 (Wake Co, NC) <u>Ann Medlin</u>] Children of the first marriage (all presumed born prior to 1841)

1. Benjamin Upchurch married and lived Cumberland Co, NC RPU [on 1830 census as 0-5] [assume born about 1829]

2. Jack Upchurch – went to MS

- 3. Calvin Upchurch went away
- 4. Lucinda Upchurch went away (born about 1837]



(family outline continued below)5. Lottie Upchurch [Charlotte Upchurch] [born about 1837]married ( ) Jack Phillips – went away

[Note: The above children #1 - #5 are new to RPU files as issue of this couple. All presumed born before March 1841]

Note: As of 17 Aug 2002, I find no reason to object to the above five children being of the first marriage of Stephen Upchurch. He had time to produce five prior to his second marriage Mar 1841. He is on 1830 Census Franklin Co, NC, head of a seven-member household, only one of which is less than five years old (a male) and thus possibly his son (tentatively Benjamin Upchurch). I cannot find Stephen Upchurch on the 1840 census in Wake or Franklin Cos, NC or otherwise; hence his first marriage could have been dissolved by 1840 and his children "distributed". In fact in 1850 child #5 Charlotte Upchurch is in a home headed by her grandmother Charlotte Upchurch [nee Pearce]. In 1860 Child #4 Lucinda Upchurch is age 23 (born about 1837) and in home of her father Stephen Upchurch and his second wife. [DS reports Lucinda age 25 on 1850 with father which is correct.] – RPU

(2) NC Marriages- 5 Sep 05- Peterson- Wake Co

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Mary Upchurch	Odom Barns	3 Feb 1806	Wake	
Mary Upchurch	Odam Bunn	5 Feb 1806	Wake	
Whiting Upchurch	Elizabeth Goodwin	3 Jan 1811	Wake	
Mackey Upchurch	Edmund Cole	9 Aug 1816	Wake	
Gilbert Upchurch	Elizabeth Upchurch	20 Mar 1819	Wake	
Murray Upchurch	Nancy Scott	23 Aug 1820	Wake	
Hubbard Upchurch	Esther Bird	24 Oct 1822	Wake	
Frances Upchurch	Blake Baker	18 Nov 1829	Wake	
John Upchurch	Angelina G. Green	29 May 1830	Wake	
Kerney Upchurch	Emila Perry	22 Nov 1830	Wake	
Sims Upchurch	Abigail Olive	11 Dec 1832	Wake	
Acriel Upchurch	Mary Olive	30 Mar 1833	Wake	
Quilla Upchurch	Nathaniel Mitchell	2 Dec 1833	Wake	
Abel Upchurch	Nancy Sorrell	27 Nov 1839	Wake	
Eliza Upchurch	William Beddingfield 2 Dec 1839		Wake	
William C. Upchurch	Adline Royster	15 Dec 1840	Wake	
Stephen Upchurch	<u>Ann Medlin</u>	16 Mar 1841	Wake	
Gilbert Upchurch	Margaret Bird	23 Sep 1842	Wake	
Bartley Upchurch	Jane Whitaker	27 Dec 1842	Wake	
Clargy Upchurch	William Wilson	24 Feb 1842	Wake	
Betsey Upchurch	Haywood Laurence	2 Dec 1844	Wake	
Nancy Upchurch	William Hobby	19 Dec 1845	Wake	
Clargy Ann Upchurch	Wesley M. Odaniel	11 Mar 1846	Wake	
Candis Upchurch	John Mann	19 Dec 1847	Wake	
Mariah Upchurch	Robert Rollins	13 Oct 1849	Wake	
Alferd Upchurch	Adelia M. Crowder	23 Dec 1850	Wake	
Armelia Upchurch	Hinton Hudson	31 Dec 1850	Wake	

Allied Families

(3) Per Attachment #34 West Letter 18 May 1975 – Wake Co, NC Marriage Records "16 Mar 1841 Stephen Upchurch married Ann Medlin – witness Ruffin R. Massey and W. A. Williams"

(4) See Marriage Bonds – Wake Co, NC – with 31 Oct 1977 letter Mrs. L. W. Priest to RPU " Ann Medlin married Stephen Upchurch; Bond date = 16 Mar 1841. Bondsman = Ruffin R. Massey; Witness = A. Williams"

(5) From letter 12 May 1999 James Roy Taylor to RPU, Pages 47-51

Robert (Robin) Chamblee

Little River District, Bertie and Wake Counties, NC

Robert was probably born circa 1738. His first land transaction was in 1759 in Bertie Co, NC. Robert most likely married Esther Warren, daughter of Benjamin Warren, Sr., of Bertie Co, NC. There is one single reference to Robert and Hester (Esther) Chamblee together in court records. Esther Chamblee is listed as a member of the Poplar Springs Baptist Church in Franklin Co, NC. In 1744, Bertie Co, NC, Benjamin Warren proved his rights and listed his wife, Esther and others: James, Benjamin, Margaret, Mary Patience, William, and Esther Warren.

References:

Robert's Children: (Order as listed in his will) Millie, Winnie, Elizabeth, Sarah, Benjamin W., James, Rachel, John, Jarred, Ruthy, Mary/Polly, William [he was specified as "youngest son"]

James Chamblee born circa 1770, died in Wake Co, NC circa 25 Mar 1836 Married circa 1796 Chloe Massey, daughter of Richard Massey

Married 8 Feb 1813, Wake Co, NC Nancy Pippin. Recent research is determining if Nancy is the sister of Delilah (Dilly) Strickland who married James Chamblee's brother, John.

Children by Chloe Massey:

1. Richard Shamley ["Shamley" as he was known in Indiana and Michigan] born circa 1788 married Clarissa Pendergrass [Massey] 19 July 1815, Wake Co, NC; daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth Massey Pendergrass

2. Robert Carter Chamblee born circa 1792 married (1) Mary/Polly Warren 31 Jan 1821, Orange Co, NC; (2) Lucy Taletha Sandlin

3. Mary/Polly Chamblee born circa 1795 married Bryant Ferrel 21 Aug 1819, Wake Co, NC; son of James and Elizabeth Ferrell

4. Isham Chamblee born circa 1797 married circa 1818 Elizabeth Chaney, daughter of Jeremiah and Phoebe Chamblee Chaney; Elizabeth married 10 Dec 1854, Blount Co, Al (2) John Anderton, Sr.

5. Nancy Chamblee born circa 1798 married 11 Jan 1816, Nash Co, NC Reuben Strickland

6. Delany Chamblee born circa 1801

7. Sally Ann/Elizabeth Chamblee born circa 1806 married James Todd, son of Moses and Elizabeth Massey Todd, Jr.



8. Rebecca Chamblee born circa 1807 married Stephen Upchurch 20 July 1828, Franklin Co, NC, son of Jubal and Charlotte Pearce Upchurch; Stephen married 16 Mar 1841, Wake Co, NC (2) <u>Ann Medlin</u>

9. Martha Patsy Chamblee born 18 Sep 1808 married John Griffin 22 May 1826 Nash Co, NC, son of Jesse Griffin

10. Letha Chamblee born circa 1811 married Daniel Bissett 27 Feb 1830, Wake Co, NC, son of Joseph and Aley Perry Bissett

Children by Nancy Pippin:

Millie Chamblee born circa 1816 married David Pugh 19 Nov 1838, Wake co, NC

John Chamblee born circa 1817 married (1) Delaney Strickland 1 Jan 1836, Franklin Co, NC (2) Frances A Baker 13 Feb 1843, Franklin Co, NC Cynthia H Chamblee born circa 1819 married (1) Labon Horton, 2 June 1832,

Wake Co, NC (2) Hartney H Medlin 15 April 1846, Franklin Co, NC