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Dear Cousins.....

we have several new subscribers who have submitted their research data so there are many new names and new families to investigate. I know that beginning this month you will all be going on vacation...or having houses full of out-of-town visitors...so relax and take a rest from your "root" digging.

I'm putting together my sons' photo albums. What a lot of memories that invokes! Babies on swings...first day of kindergarden...how much Michael looks like my brother Larry...and Christopher looks like my brother Harold. David is the image of his father at all ages...and Robert looks like Grandma Kieffer. Then there's football and baseball photos...swimming photos...prom and graduation photos...and wedding photos. I have 12 big filing boxes full...and my parents' albums..Wayne's parents' albums...photos of people we have never met but recognize. And out of that only one grandchild, lovely Christy, aged 10. I envy those of you who have 6 - 8 - 10 grandchildren. I always dreamed of having a houseful of them at Christmas and Thanksgiving. But Christy is in New York...Robert is in Arizona...but the other three are here or just north of here. It's not like when most of us were young and aunts and uncles and grandparents were nearby, even in the same town. That's why I believe it's so important to discover our past and those who peopled it..back as far as we can go...for the benefit of those who follow us who have scattered far and wide...seemingly rootless. In this way we can give them their roots, their foundation, their knowledge of where they came from and what family means in its deepest sense. I hope you agree.

Have a great summer.

Katherine



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CORRECTIONS

In the March 2000 Editorial letter correct the phrase "not on the net" to "NOW on the net". Sorry!

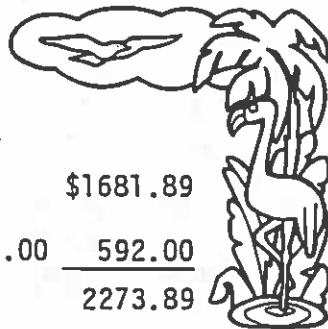
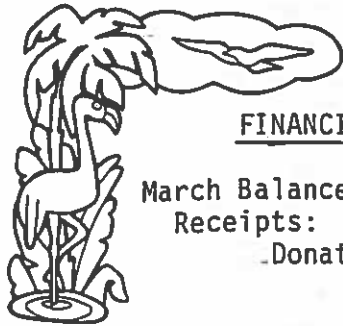
On P. 8 of the March 2000 newsletter, bottom item of Queries signed by Barbara Waddell: correct the date of birth of Jane M. Thompson, wife to Wm. J. RAWLINGS Sr., from 1910 to 1810. That's two sorries!!

If your nearest genealogical library has a copy of the EDWARD PLEASANTS VALENTINE PAPERS, you will find in it several references to various members of a particular RAWLINGS family.

P.556, Vol I - refers to land purchased by John Tatum from JOHN RAWLINGS. Surry County Deed Book 1, P.213

P.212, Vol. 1 - JOHN RAWLINGS of Surry County, VA, leased a mill and other property from John Brasseare of Nansemond Co. (Surry Co. Deed Book 1, P.319)

P.691, Vol.II - Will of Ann Jordan, dated 22 Feb. 1697: Left to JOHN RAWLINGS Sr. "my servant boy named. William Little". To ELIZA RAWLINGS "my best sute of cloathes". MARY M. RAWLINGS, Witness. Surry Co. Deed Book 4, P. 146.



FINANCIAL REPORT

March Balance	\$1681.89	
Receipts: Dues & Donations-\$592.00	592.00	
	<u>2273.89</u>	
Expenses:		
Back issues -	764.15	
March N.L.	96.80	
Post Office	144.00	
Book	10.00	
	<u>1014.95</u>	<u>-1014.95</u>
June Balance	\$1258.94	



JOHN ROLLINS/RAWLINS was the contractor on improvements at Mt.Vernon, hired by George Washington. The large banquetroom at the north end of Mt. Vernon was placed in his hands since he was a craftsman in decorative plaster-work. He was from Baltimore.



From C.E.Peck, 6855 Pea Neck Rd., St. Michaels, MD 21663

From an article in "Genealogical Gleanings from Early Land Records of Kent.Co. DEL 1987 Book A., p. 1 from Kent Co. Land Records (compiled by P.G.Baynard.

"At a Court held for St.Jones's upon the Third Tuesday 25th of December 1680 upon the several petitions of the hereafter persons the Court has granted each" JOHN RAWLINES(sic), Jr. - 600 acres ANTHONY RALINES (sic) - 400 acres JOHN RALINES (sic) - 800 acres

Mr. Peck further explains that JOHN and ANTHONY RAWLINGS (RALINES) are the sons of ANTHONY RAWLINGS (1615-1651) whose wife was named Jane. After ANTHONY died, Jane moved to Dorchester County, Md, and remarried. Kent Co, in Delaware includes the headwaters of rivers which feed the Chesapeake Bay, so it was reasonably accessible to residents of Dorchester County.



The following bits of information concern a particular descendant of the Spotsylvania, VA family, descendants of the progenitor in North America of JAMES RAWLINS of England who came to America in either the last decade of the 1600's or the early decade of the 1700's. This particular descendant is THOMAS C. RAWLINGS, son of JOHN W. or H. RAWLINS, son of JAMES RAWLINS Jr., son of the original JAMES mentioned above.

THOMAS C. RAWLINS, spelled RAWLINGS in many instances, was the eldest son of JOHN W. or H. RAWLINS and his first wife, Nancy Holladay, dtr. of Benjamin Holladay. THOMAS was born April 1, 1747, in Spotsylvania Co., VA, and died in 1820 in Howard Co., Missouri. He came with his parents and siblings to Clark Co., KY. His brothers and sisters were: MARY, BENJAMIN HOLLADAY, LEVI, JOHN C., SUSANNAH, ROBERT and OWEN, all children of Nancy. It was in Clark Co. that Nancy, his mother died in 1800. We know that one son of JOHN Sr. was born in Kentucky, and that was OWEN. For some reason all these siblings remained with their father except LEVI who was sent or remained in Virginia with relatives.

JOHN md. a second time to a widow, Jane (Bush) Embree, and fathered one more son and 5 daughters - JAMES DAWSON, WILMA, ELVINA, JULIA, JANE and NANCY. Later the family moved on to Howard Co., Missouri



THOMAS married Esther (Bush) Landrow, a widow, in 1803 in Clark Co., Kentucky. They followed his father to Howard Co., MO, raised their family there, died and were buried there in the RAWLINS Cemetery located on the old farm. The children were: COMMODORE PERRY, JOHN, AMBROSE D., THOMAS JR., EMMA KATE/EMMICOtte, MELVERIA, NANCY H., LUCY B. and MARY "MOLLY" who died young. (another source has said that MARY "MOLLY" married a Mr. Calvert.) One of our subscribers is a descendant of THOMAS thru his son COMMODORE PERRY who is her grandfather. The farm is still owned by a RAWLINGS, and is located in Howard Co., MO, Township 49, Range 15, section 34.

THOMAS C. died 1845/46, and Esther died May 26, 1851. Other information states that COMMODORE PERRY md. Pauline Adams, he was born in 1824 and died in 1869.

THOMAS Jr. was born ca 1829 and md. a Julia _____. EMMA KATE was born Dec. 2, 1812 and died March 15, 1873. She md. John Calvert April 20, 1832. MARY "MOLLY" was born Dec. 17, 1817 and died Jan. 19, 1886. She married a Martin Calvert Dec. 17, 1836. (researchers should check on this information concerning MARY "MOLLY"

An update on this information discloses that : MELVIRA B. b. 1810 md. a Mr. Farris... NANCY H. md. Mr. Mullins... LUCY B. md. Mr Head.

COMMODORE PERRY was born in 1824 and died in 1869. He and his wife Pauline according to the 1860 census in Howard Co. had 4 children at that time... ANNA M., THOMAS, ALPHA and DUDLEY. A brother of his, OWEN, is also found in 1850 census, with wife FRANCES and children ANN J., MARTHA J., NICHOLAS B. and CELIA S.

Will of THOMAS C. RAWLINS, Howard Co., MO, from the Missouri State Archives, P.257.

I, THOMAS RAWLINGS Senior of the County of Howard and state of Missouri, being of sound mind and memory, doth make, constitute and ordain this instrument of writing as my last will and testament in the manner and form following:

First it is my will that all my funeral expenses and all my just debts be fully paid.

Second I give, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife Ester RAWLINGS all of my estate of any description whatsoever during her natural life or widowhood.

Third I give to my son COMMODORE P. RAWLINGS the West half of the Northeast quarter of Section 34 in Township 49, Range 15. Also the East half of the Northwest quarter of Section 34 in Township 49, Range 15, it being a part of the farm I now live on... at my wife's death.



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Fourth I give all the balance of my estate at my wife's death to the rest of my children, namely: JOHN RAWLINGS, AMBROSE D. RAWLINGS, THOMAS RAWLINGS Jr., EMMICOTHE (EMMA KATE), MELVIRA B. Farris, NANCY Mullins, LUCY B. Head, to be equally divided between them.

Fifth I have given my eight last-named children in advance the following sums, to wit: to my son THOMAS Jr., \$100; to my son JOHN \$100; to my son AMBROSE D. \$100; to my daughter MARY S. Calvert, \$100; to my daughter EMMOCOTE Calvert \$100; to my daughter MALVERIA B. Farris \$100; to my daughter NANCY B. Mullins \$130; to my daughter LUCY B. Head \$180.

Sixth it is my will that each of these last-named children should give an account of the moneys that were advanced to them at the division of my estate so as each might receive equal parts.

Written with my own hand this 28th day of July in the year of our Lord, eighteen hundred and forty-five A.D. I do appoint my sons THOMAS RAWLINGS Jr. and JOHN RAWLINGS, Executors of this my last will and testament.

Witnessed by: WASHINGTON RAWLINGS, Hardin Coate, F. RAWLINGS

SIGNED



Another small item is that there is a possibility THOMAS C. RAWLIN(G)S served in the Kentucky Militia during the War of 1812.

This information has been gleaned primarily from Laura Crane, 1906 Dartmouth, Columbia, MO 65203.

Another correspondent whose name I have lost, unfortunately, informed us that LEVI, the son who remained in Virginia or was returned to Virginia, was born Feb. 27, 1788 in Virginia, md. Eliza Hansbrough and they had 4 daughters. He died Oct. 29, 1824 in Virginia. He was THOMAS C.'s brother.

Another brother was JOHN C. RAWLINGS, b. 1789 in VA, died 1818 in Missouri. He married Mildred Embree and they had 10 children: OSCAR F., ROBERT G., WILLIAM O., WASHINGTON, NANCY J., MELVINA, SUSAN, FIELDING, JEFFERSON and JOSEPH. Maybe one of our subscribers can furnish more information on these siblings of THOMAS, whose parents were JOHN RAWLINGS and Nancy Holladay RAWLINGS.

THOMAS RAWLINGS (1703-1767), English musician, was a member of Handel's orchestra, performed at both operas and oratorios, and from 1753 was the organist at Chelsea Hospital, London.



FRANCIS RAWLINS, son of JOHN and Eleanor (Ridgely) RAWLINS, was the owner of the Inn where many members of the underground Militia held secret rendezvous during the American Revolution...and was commended by Congress for his active support of the patriot cause after the war.





From George Rawlings, 202 Stonegate Trail, Belton, TX 76513

The following is information sent us regarding his ancestry from GEORGE B. RAWLINGS Sr. of Brunswick Co., VA...to the present day, as the line travelled thru Tennessee and then Texas.

GEORGE B. SR., b. March 6, 1817, in Brunswick Co., VA
Md. Nancy Howell.

Also md Caroline R. Harding in N.C. July 17, 1839. Had three children, ROSE E., RICHARD and GEORGE B. Jr.

GEORGE B. RAWLINGS Sr. sold the farm in Brunswick Co. and moved to LaGrange, TN in 1851. He died May 9, 1857, and was buried in La Grange. (Our correspondent has not been able to locate his grave there.) CAROLINE, ROSE E. and GEORGE B. Jr. can be found on the 1860 census in Fayette Co., TN. George B. Jr. joined the Union Army May 27, 1864 to June 26, 1865. He became a doctor after the War and moved to Illinois. He md. (1) Damaris Baldwin Feb. 24, 1867 to 9/19/1882. Their children were JAMES F., LORENA C., ROSE M. GEORGE BENJAMIN III and HALLIE B. He md. (2) Ella J. Sisk on Oct. 30, 1883. Their children were HAROLD E. who died young. GEORGE B. Jr. died June 7, 1924 and is buried at Wolf Creek Cemetery, Eldorado, Illinois, where he practiced medicine. There are many RAWLINGS in the Wolf Creek Cemetery.

GEORGE BENJAMIN III (Mar.4,1875-July 1, 1939) md. Cora Icie Wade on Oct. 16, 1907. They had one child, GEORGE WADE RAWLINGS, b. Aug. 28, 1908. He md. Delia Clayton on May 29, 1929. They had 2 children, GEORGE CLAYTON, b. Nov. 7, 1930...and TWILA ANN, b. June 10, 1934.

GEORGE CLAYTON md. Ann Sanders on Dec. 20, 1953 and they have four sons - GEORGE S., LARRY FOY, NORMAN WADE and KEVIN WAYNE. (GEORGE S. is our correspondent.)

Note: our correspondent tells the story that his grandfather, GEORGE BENJAMIN Jr. did not like the name BENJAMIN. He always told his son GEORGE III that his middle name was BUCK. However when the Union Army pension record turned up he listed his name as BENJAMIN and his son got a good laugh out of that.



Further to the ongoing research into the descendants of HARRY LEE and HENRY RAWLINS. Carole Kennedy has recently discovered that HENRY's parents were JOSEPH RAWLINS and Isabella Francis. JOSEPH WAS A FARMER and also may have owned the pub "George-in-the-Tree". She also has discovered that HENRY had brothers and sisters and will send on further information on them. The family lived in the Midland, Balsall, Leominster, Kenelworth area in Warwick, England.

She also enclosed a snip from a newspaper in Picyune, New Orleans, dated Jan.8,1900. In it we find that HARRY LEE RAWLINS played "Adolph", ISABEL RAWLINS played "Divonne" as well in "The Flower Girl".

More on her findings in September's newsletter.





Can someone help me find the parents of my g-g-g-g-grandfather JOHN HOLLADAY RAWLINGS? I have been able to trace my paternal ancestors on the RAWLINGS side back from my grandmother CORDELIA RAWLINGS, b. 1878 in Sacramento, California...thru her father WILLIAM SIMPSON RAWLINS, thru his father JOHN RAWLINGS, thru his father THOMAS C. RAWLINS to JOHN HOLLADAY RAWLINS. (In some cases these surnames are spelled RAWLINGS). JOHN HOLLADAY RAWLINS came from Virginia to Kentucky, then to Missouri. His descendants have branched out throughout the west as far as California. Any help will be greatly appreciated.

Susan Wood, 24651 Saturna Drive, Mission Viejo, CA 92691

I am searching for the parents of JOHN RAWLINGS of Tennessee who married a Sarah Hoover in that state on July 1, 1817. JOHN was my paternal great-great-great-grandfather. His son was CHRISTOPHER H. RAWLINGS who md. Elizabeth Keile/Keele. Their son was THOMAS PRESTON RAWLINGS, who md. Sarah C. Epplý. They had a daughter SARAH JANE RAWLINGS who was my paternal grandmother. She married Joseph H. Whitman. My father was their son Barney Eugene Whitman. I have been searching a long, long time and JOHN seems to be a favorite choice for names in the RAWLINGS lines. I would appreciate any help you can give.

Dixie Stogner, RR 10, Box 599, Lubbock, TX 79404

I am interested in the RAWLINGS found in Brunswick Co., VA. Several of my families' lines, include RAWLINGS, GIBBS, BROWERS, HARRISON and DUGGER. My great grandfather, JOSEPH F. GIBBS, md. a REBECCA H. RAWLINGS, the H standing for HANNAH, in 1849. Can anyone help me? I will exchange information.

Anza Bast, 1720 Rachel Lane, Kissimmee, FL 34744

I am requesting help from any subscriber in my search for MATTHEW ROLLINGS, b. ca 1835. The family to whom he belongs seems to have settled in the Chesterfield/Lancaster county area of South Carolina. MATTHEW md. an Adaline, surname unknown, who was born either in 1826 or 1835. All their children were born in Chesterfield County. Children were FRANK, CALVIN C., WESLEY, OLIVE M., LILLY, GEORGE, FANNY, ELIZA and one other child, name not mentioned on the 1870 census. All these children were born between ca 1852 and 1870. There are other RAWLINGS in the area with names like REUBEN, LOUISE, WILLIAM, ALONZO, etc. Any help anyone can offer me will be gladly received.

Susan Brooks, 1393 Avery Lane, Lancaster, SC 29720

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I descend from one of the New England RAWLINS/ROLLINS, the original New Hampshire settler JAMES RAWLINS thru his descendants in this order...THOMAS, then BENJAMIN, then JOHN, then his JOHN, then STEPHEN, then JAMES, then JOSEPH SLEEPER, then JOSEPH FORREST to my grandmother HELEN ELIZABETH ROLLINS, b. 1893 in Corinth, VT. In this family there are also names like DAVID and EBENEZER. I would be interested in contacting anyone who comes from this line.

Wendy Cosper, 703 Fitzgerald, Durand, MI 48429
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I am looking for the antecedents of JAMES SMITH RAWLINGS, B. Jan.1, 1784, who lived his adult life at least in Davidson, TN and Madison Co., Alabama. He md Rachel Donelson Hutchings, niece of Andrew Jackson, in Davidson in 1807, and his oldest son JOHN HUTCHINGS RAWLINGS was born there in 1807. By 1825 JAMES was in Madison Co., Alabama, which is located a very short distance from Davidson, TN, and obviously died there in that year as his will was probated at that time. By then his family had grown to 5 children - JOHN, ELIZA, EDWIN, THOMAS and JACKSON. JOHN HUTCHINGS RAWLINGS md Sara Jane Hayes Feb. 14, 1833 in Tennessee. My interest primarily is in locating the place of birth of JAMES SMITH RAWLINGS, and the names of his parents and siblings and other data. I welcome any assistance.

Jean Rawlings Meaney, 36 Planters Wood Dr., Hilton Head Island, SC 29928
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I am hoping to connect a NATHAN/NATHANIEL ROLLINS, b. in North Carolina and found in the Bradley Co, TN census of 1850 with a DAVID ROLLINS whose will can be found in Greene Co., TN in 1827. This will among other mentions children NATHAN and ORPHA, brother and sister. NATHANIEL ROLLINS in the 1850 census has a wife named ELIZABETH and among their children a daughter ORPHA. The two girls' names are rather unusual so could DAVID be my NATHAN/NATHANIEL's father? Does any subscriber have any information on this family he or she could share with me. oh yes, NATHAN was born ca 1800 in North Carolina.

Karen Rollins Cooper, P.O.Box 1355, Cheseapeake Beach, MD 20732





OBITUARIES

LEO RICHARD ROLLINS, 48, died Dec. 15, 1999, at Harrison Memorial Hospital in Bremerton, Washington.

Born Oct. 8, 1951, to LEO RAYMOND and Edna Marie (Wilson) ROLLINS in Fairbanks, Alaska, he married Pauline Kay Metcalf in 1978 in that state. Mr. ROLLINS was a designer and builder who was self-employed in several businesses related to heavy equipment. In 1994 he moved from Alaska to Quilcene, Washington.

Survivors include his wife Pauline at their Quilcene home; daughters LACEY LYNN and BREANNA, both of Quilcene; father LEO R. ROLLINS of Homer, Alaska; brother JACK HELGENS of Quilcene; sisters SHARON MASON of Anchorage, Alaska, Patsy Waldock and Cheryl Mountain, both of Santa Anna, California; and Bobbie Dominguez of Sterling, Alaska; plus half-sister Jessica Thomas of Fairbanks. Memorial services were conducted Dec. 18 at Quilcene Bible Church, and burial is in Quilcene Cemetery.

ONELL T. RAWLINS, died February 18, 2000 in Sacramento, California. Employed at McClellan Air Force Base for 31 years, she won numerous service awards. Prior to retirement she worked in the Technical Library, was a lifetime member of the NAACP, and also a member of the River City Go-Getters. Mrs. RAWLINS was the mother of WALTER J. RAWLINS III, and a devoted grandmother to SHAWN Barrows, ERIKA RAWLINS, OMAHR Barrows and WALTER J. RAWLINS IV. She was a great-grandmother to Camille Barrows. She was a loving sister to Annabelle Robinson and Andre Reed. After a memorial service at Morgan Jones Chapel of Chimes interment will be at Odd Fellows Lawn.

JAMES A. RAWLINGS, aged 73, and his wife Naomi J., aged 71, died together May 3, 1999, during the Oklahoma Tornado. JAMES was born August 14, 1925, in Moran, Kansas, son of LEVI and LULU RAWLINGS. He is survived by two brothers; MILTON and PAUL, and one sister OPAL. NAOMI was the daughter of Art and Leona Hutton, and is survived by sisters Dorothy and Pauline. Both are survived by their 7 children: JAMES M., CONNIE, STEVEN, THOMAS, WANDA, GARY and BRENDA, plus 22 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

From the Seattle Times - January 12, 2000

MARTHA MIDA WILLIAMS (Rollins) Schumacher, left this world January 10, 2000 in Seattle, Washington. She was born September 30, 1919, in Kingsville, TX, where her father, FRANCIS MONROE ROLLINS, worked on the famous King Ranch. She and her twin sister MADA were one of 3 sets of twins born to Martha and FRANCIS ROLLINS, plus 11 other children. MARTHA was a goal-setter. When she was eight years of age she set a goal to live to see 2000; when she contacted lupus in her twenties she vowed to conquer that, too, and not let it stop her from achieving other goals. She became a nurse in spite of the disease and when she was 50 she moved from Seattle to Sitka, Alaska, to nurse in the native American hospital there. In 1980 she moved back to Seattle and later married Herman Schumacher and grew roses and won many prizes. Herman predeceased her two years ago.

She is survived by her daughter Jennie Frodsham and granddaughter Ginger of Washington, sister MADA & brother PETE of Texas, and brother OTIS of Wisconsin.

From Susan Rollins Brooks, 1393 Avery Lane, Lancaster, SC 29720 (e-mail address P.18)

BITS and PIECES from South Carolina

From the 1850 Lancaster Co., SC Fed. Census, P. 146-b (all b. & died in Lancaster Co.)

EVAN RALLINGS, aged 36, male, farmer (b. Chesterfield Co., SC)

Wife: Amanda, aged 28, female (possibly dtr. of Wm. and Jane Horton)

LDS has Amanda and EVAN marrying Feb. 11, 1837

Children: S.(?) C., male age 12 (hard to read but initials may be J.C. 1838-1907)

M.A., female aged 11 (Martha Ann 1839-1893)

R.A., male aged 9 (Robert A. - 1843-1862 - killed in action in Civil War at Richmond, VA)

L.J., female aged 7

E.F., female aged 5 (Elizabeth Jane - 1845-1928, md A.H.Duncan 1878)

M., female aged 3 (Mary C. Rollings - 1847-1867 - never married, died by drownin

L., female aged 4 (could mean 4 months) (Frnces Louisiana - 1850-1925 - md. Zed Robertson)

In the same household was Mrs. F(?) Horton -1800-1854 - dtr. of John Ingraham.

Sarah Ingraham Rollings - 1843-1924 - unmarried

EVAN Ransom ROLLINGS - 1852-1926 - md Mollie Beckham 3/27/1926

JOHN WESLEY ROLLINGS - 1854-1946 - md (1) Placidia Weeks

(2) Emily Weeks

ARABELLA PARATHENIA ROLLINGS - 1856-1940 - md. John Stover

ALONZO ROBERT ROLLINGS - 1859-1934 - md Natalie Weeks

LEWIS ROBERT ROLLINGS 1862-1948 - md. Lou Dunlap

In the 1850 Chesterfield Co., SC Fed. Census, p. 139

A JAMES ROLLINS, aged 11, b. SC, in family of Peter M. Kurkin

On P. 161

LEWIS ROLLINS, aged 38, farmer with 400 acres, b. SC.

Wife: Sarah, aged 31

Children: EVAN, aged 8

RICHARD, aged 6

NANCY, aged 4

ELIZABETH, aged 2

all born in SC



From White Plains Baptist Church Cemetery, Chesterfield Co., SC

MATTHEW ROLLINGS, b. March 1, 1814 - died March 17, 1888

ADELINE ROLLINGS, b. March 25, 1826 - died ?

AMOS RAWLINGS, b. March 25, 1844 - died Nov. 27, 1922

ELIZABETH Snipes ROLLINGS, b. April 15, 1846 - died May 12, 1918

G.W. ROLLINGS, b. May 24, 1851 - died June 7, 1913

C.ML ROLLINGS, (aged 65 yrs) died April 8, 1925

WM. S. ROLLINGS, b. May 13, 1873 - died March 6, 1966

G.W. ROLLINGS, died aged 33 years, August 13, 1895

LOUISE R. ROLLINGS, b. May 16, 1875 - died Feb. 3, 1959

SUSIE JANE ROLLINGS, b. Aug. 27, 1878 - died Nov. 5, 1954

ARTHUR M. ROLLINGS, b. Sept. 27, 1878 - died Aug. 17, 1879 (son of R. & L. Rollings)

J.J. ROLLINGS, b. Oct. 5, 1889 - died April 21, 1971

Hattie ROLLINGS, b. July 28, 1892 - died Jan. 1, 1929



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MARY FRANCES ROLLINGS, 1st wife of LITTLETON ROLLINGS) b. Aug.14,1870 - died Mar.16,1910
 (LITTLETON md. (2) Lillie Mae Miller Eubanks)
 DORA ROLLINGS, b. July 29, 1880 - died Aug. 12, 1960
 BEN ROLLINGS, born May 3, 1890 - died March 14, 1951 Pvt. SC MG Co. 118th Infantry WWI
 Infant ROLLINGS, dtr. of Mr/Mrs J.T.Rollings - died October 1900
 CLYDE H. ROLLINGS, b. May 12, 1912 - died Jan. 9, 1954
 ELIZABETH ROLLINS, aged about 68 yrs.
 LEWIS ROLLINS, b. Nov. 24, 1811.- died March 5, 1904
 NANCY ROLLINS, aged about 68 yrs.
 ALFRED ROLLINS, b. June 20, 1822 - died Feb. 11, 1890
 wife MALISSA - b. Dec. 25, 1827 - died Aug. 5, 1879

Also buried there per obituary but could not find a marker -
 JONAS R. ROLLINGS, b. Jan. 1873 - died 1934
 LIT,(his brother - could be LITTLETON ?) b. 1879, died 1930
 JONAS is a grandson of MATTHEW - see P. 21

More on this family in September newsletter.



From Pat Rawlins, P.O.Box 202, Mead, WA 99021

Here are FGS notes on her husband's line.

WILLIAM J. RAWLINS/ROLLINS, b. Md. (?)

Died 1849/50 Scioto Co., Ohio. Perhaps married in Pennsylvania

Wife: Nancy Marshall, dtr. of Samuel Marshall & Nancy Hazelrigg

1733-1869. Died at 97 yrs. in Scioto Co., Ohio

Children: MARY (1793-1870) Born in Pennsylvania, died in Scioto Co., OH.

Married Benjamin Bennett Nov. 18, 1914 in Scioto Co.

CHARLES birthdate unknown, died pre Jan. 1850. Md Elizabeth Perry

12/9/1830 Scioto Co., OH

ELIZABETH "BETSY", birthdate unknown, died pre 1830; md. Michael Cable

7/9/182/ Scioto Co., OH

WILLIAM Jr., b. ca 1799/1800, death date unknown; md. (2) LEATHA Harper

9/30/1830 Scioto Co., OH

ELIJAH, birthdate unknown, died by Jan. 23, 1850 - married Matilda Cable

11/26/1821 Scioto Co., OH

CYNTHIA, birthdate unknown, died before 1/25/1829; md. Lemuel Washburn

10/13/1822 Scioto Co., OH

SAMUEL, b. ca 1810 in Ohio, no more known

JOHN, birthdate unknown, dead by 1/23/1850; md. Rebecca Piles 1/1/1824

Scioto Co., OH

JESSE MARSHALL, no information known except he died pre 1/23/1850.

DAVID, birthdate unknown, died by 1/23/1850, me. Katherine Harper(?)

9/11/1832 Lawrence, Ohio

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JOHN RAWLINS, birthdate unknown...son of WILLIAM J. RAWLINGS and Nancy Marshall.
He was married 1/1/1824 to Rebecca Piles of Virginia...b. ca 1800
Children: NANCY, birth and death dates unknown, md. 8/8/1849 to Alexander McCreary
Scioto, Co. Ohio

AMOS/AMER, birth ca 1825; married Nov. 21, 1848 to Mary Jane Thompson
Scioto Co., Ohio

DILLARD, no more known (see P.7 March 2000 Newsletter)

MARY, no more known

BIRD, no more known

JEFFERSON, birth ca 1831/32 in Ohio, md. Nancy M. (?Hatfield) 8/11/1853
Jackson, Ohio

JOHN R., birthdate ca 1836, no more known except he md. Nancy, surname unknown
ELIJah, birthdate ca 1841, no more known.

AMOS(AMER RAWLINS, b. ca 1825 in Ohio, married Nov. 21, 1848 in Scioto, Ohio, to
Mary Jane Thompson, b. ca 1835 in Ohio

Children (all born in Ohio): JOHN, b. ca 1848 no more known
LUCINDA, b. ca 1853, no more known
LYDIA A., b. ca 1854, no more known
DAVID, b. ca 1855, no more known
ARAMINTA, b. ca 1856
SARAH J. , b. ca 1859
AMER Jr., b. ca 1864 in Scioto Co., Ohio, md. Clementina
Smith Sept. 16, 1882 in Jackson Co., Ohio
He died Feb. 27, 1926 in Billings, Montana



AMER RAWLINS, Jr., b. Jan. or Feb. 25, 1862 in Jackson Co., Ohio. He married
Sept. 16, 1882 Clementine Amanda Smith, dtr. of James Smith
in Jackson Co., Ohio. AMER died Feb. 27, 1926 in Red Lodge, Montana.
Clementine died Jan. 29, 1918, in Red Lodge, Montana

Children: CHARITY, b. May 10, 1883, place unknown...died Feb. 14, 1953 in Billings, MT.
She md Charles A. Burton Dec. 25, 1899 in Illinois

GERTRUDE, b. Aug. 15, 1885 in Jacksonville, Ohio, died March 4, 1936,
in Clarksdale, AZ. She md. Paul Stimish.

CORA, b. May 1, 1887, place unknown; died place and date unknown, married
Charles Lovell.

ARNIE, b. Sept. 28, 1888, place unknown; died in infancy

AMER ARTHUR:III, b. July 24, 1870 at Stony Ridge, WV; died 11/15/1952
in Montana; md. Edna Leone Brown Dec. 25, 1911 in
Fromberg, Montana.

JESSE EDGAR, b. Dec. 6, 1892, Raymond City, WV; died Feb. 29, 1936 in Billings
Montana; md. (1) Catherine ? (2) Dorothy Fulk 6/22/1935



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AMER ARTHUR RAWLINS, III - b. July 24, 1890 Stonecliff, , unreadable state name.
died Nov. 15, 1952, Billings, MT. Md. Leone Edna Brown
Dec. 25, 1911 at Fromberg, MT.

Children (all born in Montana): MAXINE PEARL, b. Jan. 3, 1914, death date unknown,
Md George William Patek Apr. 20, 1940, Billings, MT
LYNN ARTHUR SR., b. Feb. 6, 1916; md. Margaret Jane
Anderson June 25, 1937, Bozeman, MT
RAY HAROLD, b. Sept. 1918, died December 1923/24
Fromberg, MT
DORIS MARIE, b. Apr. 10, 1923, death date unknown,
md Jacob Helzer June 21, 1941, Bridger, MT
DONALD RODNEY, b. Feb. 2, 1924; death date unknown,
md Mary Fisher, Oct. 6, 1949 in Japan
ANITA FAY, b. Feb. 10, 1928, death date unknown,
md (1) Wm. C. Elliott, 6/10/1948 Spokane, WA
(2) Clair McDuffie
ROBERTA JEAN, b. Nov. 10, 1933, Yellowstone, MT,
md Gerald Gemmill, Jan. 19, 1952
ROBERT WAYNE, b. Nov. 10, 1933, Yellowstone, MT
md (1) Ramona (?) (2) Kay (?)



Lyn ARTHUR RAWLINS Sr., b. Feb. 6, 1916, Frombert, MT, death date unknown;
md Margaret Jane Anderson June 25, 1937, Bozeman, MT
Children: LYNN ARTHUR Jr., b. May 12, 1938, Tacoma, WA; md. Patricia Ann Kirk
Aug. 9, 1957, Spkane, WA - death date known of LYNN.
WAYNE ANTHONY, b. Sept. 1939, Tacoma, WA...died same month
WILLARD RAY, b. Sept. 7, 1940, Bozeman, MT, no more known except never
married
KAYLA MARIE, b. Dec. 21, 1941, Bozeman, MT; died Jan. 13, 1999
Phoenix, AZ, md. Donald D. Copeland, FEB. 25, 1963,
Spokane, WA.

LYNN ARTHUR Jr., b. May 12, 1938; md. Patricia Ann Kirk, Aug. 9, 1957, Spokane, WA.
Children: KIRK ALEN, b. July 20, 1958, Spokane, WA
KEVIN JAY, b. May 14, 1960, Spokane, WA
JULIE LYNN, b. July 29, 1961

More detailed information can be discovered from Pat Rawlins.





From R/RFHA Files:

CHARLES RAWLINS, b. ca 1749 in London, England, a Methodist Episcopal. He along with his family, came to America and settled in Sussex Co., Delaware. He died in 1812. The name of his wife is unknown. His father was WALTER RAWLINS of London. CHARLES was an instructor of music, navigation and surveying. He had 5 children. JOHN died March 29, 1851, in Scott Co., KY.

JOHN, b. Feb. 6, 1861, in England; md. Feb. 6, 1806, in Sussex Co., Del., (1) Nellie Smith...and in 1810 md. (2) Patsy Morris in 1810 in Sussex County...and (3) in 1849 Catherine Hutchinson, a widow. By his first wife Nellie, JOHN had 1 child, NANCY D., who md. Thomas Griffith in Scott Co., KY

By his second wife Patsy, JOHN had 3 children, SALLY ANN who md George Power...ALAZENA who never married and died in 1845...and ELIZABETH who md. Thomas Offut, probably in Kentucky.

By his third wife Catherine, JOHN had four boys - JOHN P. Jr. who married Mary Warring...WILLIAM K. who md Mary Hinton...JAMES B. (no more known)...and FRANKLIN J.C., who md. Mary Weaver in Indiana. WILLIAM K. had a son SOLOMON who was a physician in Ohio...JAMES B. had a son SAMUEL who was a physician in Kentucky...and a third son FRANKLIN also became a physician practicing in Indiana.

WINDSOR was born in 1785 in England, md. in 1816 in Georgetown, KY it is believed, and died December 18, 1862. He md. Catherine Hinton his sister-in-law. He emigrated to Kentucky from Delaware in 1811. He and Catherine had 9 children, 1 infant dying young. His remaining children were: MARY who md. Samuel Cody (?) in Georgetown, KY...PATSY md. Samuel Hastings in Georgetown, KY...NANCY md Hawkins Fitzgerald...SOLOMON W. II md. Nancy Allen...ELIZABETH never married... GABRIELLA md. James Young...PENELOPE md. John Estill and they emigrated to Missouri...and SARAH md. Leaner Steidman.

LOT was born in 1787 in England, and he remained in Delaware until his death in February of 1862. He md. (1) Eliza Twiford...(2) Ann Brown..and (3) a widow Mrs. Mary A. James. Lot was a soldier in the War of 1812. Since we don't have the dates of his three marriages we cannot know the mothers of his 7 children. They were MARY ANN L. who md (1) in 1837 Obediah Baker; and (2) Stephen M. Morgan. WILLIAM, b. 1815, md. Susan Osborne. JOHN MORGAN md. in 1845 Leah Anderson. JAMES b. 1821, md. in 1857 (1) Sarah Hopkins, and (2) Mary Hopkins, date unknown. CHARLES A.T., Lot's 5th child md. Sabra Hall in 1849. THOMAS L. b. in 1826, md. in 1854 Sina Kinder. PHILIP HENRY, b. 1834, md. Rhoda A. WRIGHT. He became a minister.

JAMES, the remaining child about whom we know something, was born Feb. 12, 1800 in England, md. Feb. 4, 1828 in Delaware to Gabriella Jones, dtr. of Wm. Jones of Bucks Co., Pennsylvania. They had 3 daughters: SARAH ELIZABETH who md. Edward C. Barlow...CHARLES ANN who md. Urias Hambrick...and so far as we know MARY BELL who never married, at least had not been married by 1869. JAMES went to Kentucky in 1813 and obtained his medical degree from Transylvania University in Lexington, Kentucky.

There have been several sources for this information, one being the John R. ROLLINS book on miscellaneous RAWLINS and ROLLINS.





From Steve & Carol Henkel, 214 Four Knot Lane, Osprey, FL 34229

Family Records in the descent from AARON RAWLINGS III (ca 1757-ca June 1810) and his wife HETTIE "T" (ca 1760-1840) (Hettie md. twice after AARON's death: (1) James Dunbar; and (2) Josiah King). This data will be a shortened version of what Steve and Carol have compiled, which is extensive for any of you who may be descended in this line. This is RAWLINGS surnamed, spelled with a "G".

AARON RAWLINGS, "whose father came from England" according to an 1870 RAWLINGS family Bible, "lived on Eastern Shore of Maryland 50 miles from Baltimore, removed to Henry Co. Kentucky at the place where New Castle is now located, where he died. His wife HETTIE died in Jefferson Co., Indiana in 1840.

Note: Some other sources say that AARON and his family removed to Henry Co., KY not in 1788 but in 1794. He first appears in Shelby Co., KY (later Henry Co.) tax lists in 1794: ROLLINS, AARON, 1 horse, 11 cattle, Shelby Co., Plumb Creek."

He is mentioned also in the Pennsylvania Archives as being in the PA Militia in 1782; also in the "History of Washington Co. PA" by Boyd Crumrine, p.130.

In the book "The 1783 Tax Lists and the 1790 Census for Washington Co., PA, AARON appears along with other RAWLIN(G)S?ROLLIN(G)S...MARY, NATHAN and DANIEL, who may or may not be related. AARON ROLLINGS Jr. and Sr. estate are listed in Cumberland Township tax records in 1784, no details given. Only one AARON ROLLINS is listed in 1792. Note that Cumberland Twp. was in 1784 part of Washington Co., but now is part of Greene Co.

Other research has discovered THAN, AARON, SARAH, ELEAZER, JOSIAH, STEPHEN and LEVI RAWLINGS in Henry Co., KY Tax Lists between 1800 and 1827.

AARON RAWLINGS and Hettie, his wife, had 7 children, so far as we know.

EFFY, b. ca 1778/79, md. John Denning Jan. 7, 1796, no more known.

SOPHIA or SOPHIRA, b. ca 1780, md. Samuel Young Aug. 3, 1798.

REBECCA, b. ca 1783, md. three times (1) William Carter Feb. 24, 1804; (2) John Wood or Woods, May 3, 1817...and (3) Edward Lawrence 1809/10. These three girls md. in Shelby Co., KY.

ELEAZER, b. June 9, 1786 at Fort Pitt, now Pittsburgh, PA, per family bible. He died in July of 1854 in Indiana. He md. (1) Sally Hoak/Hoke Nov. 13, 1805, and by her had 5 children: VINCENT, NANCY, EMILY, HENRY and HARVEY. After her death he md. Louisiana Eastin in Scott Co. Indiana, and by her had 4 children: MELVINA b. ca 1825 in Indiana...LEROY Feb. 5, 1829 in Jeffersonville...MOSES b. ca 1837 in Jefferson Co., Indiana...and CELESTINA b. ca 1841, in Dupont, IN.

JOSIAH, b. ca 1790, not much more known except he md. Nelly Speer Mar. 19, 1810.

MOSES MARSHALL, b. 1793 in KY; died Jan. 11, 1863 in Pulaski Co., Ill.

He md 3 times...(1) Sarah Jane "Sally" Seaton, Aug. 6, 1809...

(2) Henrietta Buck Calmes in 1829...and (3) Ann H. Simms in 1840. Between his 3 wives he had 9 or 10 children, all of whom preceded him in death.

MARY "POLLY" - b. ca 1794 in Henry Co., KY...md. STEPHEN RAWLINGS Feb. 15, 1813; died 1872 in Johnson Co., Indiana.

For more information on MOSES MARSHALL RAWLINGS see the September 1995 issue of the Newsletter, pp 33 & 34...and the December 1996 issue, pages 57 & 58





From Marian and Clinton Rawlings, 3181 Humbolt, Santa Clara, CO 95051

The following is a collection of "Bits and Pieces" from various parts of the country concerning actions taken by persons whose surnames are RAWLIN(G)S/ROLLIN(G)S et al.

May 17, 1867 - a land deed transferring 80 acres from ASAHIEL RAWLINGS to JAMES D. RAWLINGS for the sum of \$14.15, signed and witnessed finally on the 9th of October, 1869. Lawrence Co., Illinois.

May 26, 1867 ASAHIEL RAWLINGS pays off taxes on 40 acres in Lawrence County, Illinois... the grand total of \$5.50.

Probate Records, Sangamon Co., Ill (1827-1835)
JOSEPH BOGART, affidavit of decease...died Oct. 11, 1830. Among the signers of the Administrators Bond Feb. 14, 1831, was BENJAMIN S. RAWLINGS.
(S = Scott...NATHAN RAWLINGS son)

Divorce Record - 1877 & 1878, Jackson Co., Illinois
GEORGE W. ROLLINS vs Elizabeth J. Rollins, granted Sept. 21, 1877, grounds - cruelty.
Divorce Record - 1837-1855 Franklin Co. Ill.
DAVID RAWLINGS vs Susannah RAWLINGS, granted Sept. 4, 1848 (pp 78,95,99)

From Maryland to Indiana's Monroe County in 1820..a journal of the travel of John Sedwick with his family from Calvert Co., MD, down the Ohio, then on land to Monroe Co. a distance of 1200 miles in 37 days.

Among the group was a MR. RAWLINGS, no Christian name mentioned.

The description of this trip is very interesting for anyone who would enjoy it. You can find it in the Indiana State Library. Other families mentioned are Crane, Hardesty, Gardner, Baker, Whaley, Carmichael, Breeden and Fowler.

Census, Brown Co., Kansas, 1870, town of Claytonville.

N.P.ROLLINS, farmer, aged 45, and wife Lettie M. , aged 40. Born in Ohio.

Census, Brown Co., Kansas, 1870, town of Irwin

T.S. or T.P. ROLLINS, aged 20, male, on the land of JOseph Anderson, aged 46, carpenter, his wife Elizabeth, and children (7) ROLLINS b. Illinois

Harrison Co., WV Taxpayer - ELIJAH RAWLINGS - 1794 & 1795

Harrison Co., WV Marriages - ZACHARIAH ROLLENS to Elizabeth Howell, March 14, 1815
LEROY ROLLINS to Adaline C. Custer, Feb. 23, 1865
E.G.ROLLINS to M.A.Greynolds, Dec. 24, 1857

Lewis Co. Birth - LAURA MAY ROLLANS, May 25, 1867, dtr. of ROBERT W. and Frances June ROLLANS.

Reeds Run Birth - OLIVER R. ROLLINS son to LEROY and Adaline ROLLINS, Nov.20,1869





From Ann Valois, 5359 East Broadway, Long Beach, CA 90803

Bits and Pieces from the Genealogical Newsletter of Calvert Co., MD July 1991 P.7

In an extended genealogical history of the Sedgwick Family there is found RAWLINGS mention:

JOHN SEDGWICK Jr., b. Sept.30, 1775; md ELIZABETH RAWLINGS Dec. 1, 1796
Their children were Caroline, Eloise May, Daniel R. and
Rebecca Priscilla, born between 1797 and 1805.

JOHN SEDGWICK Sr. had another son, Joshua, who md SARA JANE RAWLINGS, no date
given, Joshua was born July 2, 1770. One of his daughters, Mary,
b. Feb. 19, 1778, md another RAWLINGS, first name unknown.

Lillie, another Sedgwick daughter of Thomas and Mary Sedgwick, md. (1) a John
Fenwick; and (2) JOSEPH M. RAWLINGS.

In the Index to Wills, Administrations and Inventories in Prince George's County, MD
(1696 to 1900) we find the following RAWLINGS:

CALEB A., Jan. 12, 1880, File 1117

CAROLINE M.S.RAWLINGS, Nov. 17, 1855, File #0356

CATHARINE RAWLINGS, Apr. 10, 1821 (no # indicated)

FIELDER RAWLINGS, Executor Richard Gardiner, Feb. 11, 1806, Book TB 1, P. 154

Also June 12, 1810 TT1, P.258

Also Feb. 4, 1806 (no # indicated)

Also Sept. 8, 1807, Book TB-1, P.243

Also June 10, 1806, Book TB 1, P. 179

JANE ELIZABETH, April 10, 1857, File 0405

JOHN RAWLINGS, Feb. 21, 1795 (no # indicated)

JOHN I. RAWLINGS, Sept. 16, 1856, File 0380

JOHN T. RAWLINGS, June 21, 1853, File 0252

Also April 15, 1853, Book PC 1, P. 500

PAUL RAWLINGS, Executrix ANN RAWLINGS, Aug. 25, 1767, Book GS 2, P. 084

Also Aug. 24, 1767, Book JD 1, File 031

RICHARD SMITH RAWLINGS, Dec. 12, 1831, Book TT 1, File 486

SARAH S.C. RAWLINGS, Nov. 19, 1895, File 1569

VERLINDA RAWLINGS, Feb. 9, 1847, File 1569

Also Feb. 9, 1847, PC Book 1, P. 337

WILLIAM I. RAWLINGS, Sept. 23, 1823, (no # indicated)

WILLIAM JOHNSON RAWLINGS, Oct. 13, 1822, Book TT 1, P. 325



From Land Records, Prince George's County, MD (1702-1709):

Folio 109, Indenture, July 6, 1703. From Richard Clark of Anne Arundel Co. to
AARON RAWLINS; planter, of same county.

Thomas Roper of Prince George's County, by indenture 17 April 1702, did convey
unto Richard Clarke 200 acres of land, part of a greater tract called Roper's Range:
Richard Clarke sold this land for 243 Pounds Stirling to AARON RAWLINS; bounded
by land of Samuel Duvall and Richard Butts.

Signed: Richard Clarke

Witnessed: Edward Meriarte and Mereen Devall

Certification: acknowledged this deed before J. Boardley, Clerk, Sept.18,1704

