Key family histories in "The Heritage of Surry County," Vol. I. Books "Key Is My Name" by Irene Frances Key Padgett and "The Key Family" by Betsy Hiatt Davis is in the Genealogy Room at Surry Community College. Martin Rice Key (1760-1833). (Query in SCGA 1993 Journal) Rice Key m. Sarah "Sally" Hogg ca 1800. They lived in Surry Co. Achillis Key lineage. (Simple Pleasures - April-May 1996) Hyatt-Key Cemetery is in Ararat, Surry County, NC. Directions in Kallam Cemetery Book 1, page 37. Primitive Baptist Assoc. Obituaries printed in SCGA Journal Feb. 1994: S. D. Key, Eld. A. B. Key, Eld. G. O. Key, Russel Rutherford Key, Elder William J. Key, Mrs. Eliza Ellen Key, Joe Key, Gabrie'l J. Key, Robie Key. Obituary of Oscar B. Key (Mt. Airy News 1977) printed in SCGA Journal Feb. 1994, page 35. Wm. J. Key, 4-29-1840--12-29-1928, 88-8 mos. Married Sarah J. Key 11-28-1867, had 12 children. Joined PBC 1887. (Kallam Cem. Book 4, page 176) W. S. Key 1875-1915, J. D. Key 1887-1967. Buried at Pine Hill Friends Church Cemetery, Level Cross, NC, SR 2038. (Kallam Cem. Book 4, page 74) Emma Key b. 3-10-1836 d. 2-4-1919. John A. Key b. 3-12-1821 d. 2-29-1901. A. J. Key b. 3-9-1866 d. 12-26-1889. Isaac Key b. 12-19-1872 d. 8-7-1874. Buried Mulberry Primitive Baptist Church Cem., Dobson, NC, Surry Co. (Kallam Cem. Book 5, page 71) James and Peter Key are in Marsh District of Surry County in 1850 Surry Census. (info from query in SCGA Journal Fall 1995, page 24) Millard Key and wife Phebe were parents of Maude Novella Key b. 28 Nov 1896. She m. James Austin Aaron Carter in Wilkes Co. on 15 Jul 1917. James was the son of Bessie Levaria (Tucker) and James Henry Carter. Millard Chafin Key m. Phebe Anne Chipman and Samuel Chafin Key m. Nancy White. (query of Fred Fanning, E-mail, Surry Co., 1-3-97) Martin Rice Key migrated from Amherst Co., VA before 1800 and John Key migrated from Amherst Co., VA after 1800 and stayed only a few years in Surry Co., NC before moving to Alabama (there by 1824). Relationship is not known. (info from query of Philip Shipp, e-mail, Surry Co., 8-25-96) Samuel Key Will (1892) printed in SCGA Journal Spring 1997, page 20. Maude Novella Key Carter celebrates 100th Birthday - printed in SCGA Journal Spring 1997, page 22. Minnie Easther Key Hancock, dau. of Louis Jones Key & Martha Harbor, b. 26 Nov 1889 Surry Co. d. ;16 Jul 1973 and husband Dillard L. Hancock, son of James Thomas Hancock & Medora Moser, b. 30 Mar 1883 Surry Co. d. 24 Mar 1969 are buried in Rocky Fork Christian Church Cem., Lee Co., NC (info in Lee County Gen. Journal Winter 1996, page 78)

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Hi Wilma, forwarding on to you. I am telling this girl, that I will give to research committee. Thanks, judy

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I am trying to find out if there was a Key that owned a farm and across the street, a country store. This would be in the 1920's-1930's. Thanks Jan Childress janchildress@mindspring.com

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Aunt Wilma,

The store owner in the 1920's-1930's probably was not William Jones Key because he and his wife both lost their sight in the 1910's and went to live with their son, Gabriel Jackson Key (my mother-in-law's father). Prior to this William Jones Key operated a store that was located on his farm. The house and store building is still standing and is pictured in my book. The house is located at the end of the road and the store is on the right just yards before you reach the house. The house and store are located off Rock Hill Church Road near the Eldora/Ararat communities.

Gabriel Jackson Key owned a store at Ararat, NC that was located by the RailRoad tracks at the Ararat River. Their first home was on the same side of the road as the store, but this house burned on January 22, 1926. Gabriel built a new home across the road. Gabriel was quite affluent during the 1920's but he lost the store during the Great Depression. The store is no longer there but the house remains although it has been sold out of the family.

Another possiblity is the brother of Gabriel's wife. Emma's brother Charles Westley Key and his wife, Eliza Denny had a farm and a store located on their farm. They lived in the Shoals community.

I hope this will help. Please let me know all you can find out about Jan Childress. If she is researching the same line as Joe's family, perhaps we can share some info.

Thanks, Betsy

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KEY FAMILY BIBLE

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This family information was copied as faithfully as possible from the Bible of Augustine and Clarrisa(Herring) Key...now in the possession of their granddaughters, Mary and Rachel Key of Orchard Street, Mt. Airy, N.C.

The Bible is very aged and tattered and some of the script is almost illegible....therefore it has been hand copied and typed rather than zeroxed.

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Elder Alexander Bird Key died in a well cave-in.
 Oscar Boaz Key's marriages are as follows:

Julia Ruth Cockerham = 28 Nov 1918 (Thanksgiving Day) Emily Jackson = 1 Jan 1921 (3) Raymond Lesley Southard and Corinna Key were divorced.

Page 1 of 2 the computer Subj: **Re: Key Bible Record** 3/3/07 9:19:49 AM Eastern Standard Time Date: From: fjchurch@earthlink.net To: Wjhiatt@aol.com Sent from the Internet (Details)

Wilma,

Thanks! I sent a query to the journal last week when I came across the SCGA on the Surry County genealogical webpage. I would appreciate any information you might be able to glean from the Key books and from Mr. Key. This is the information I have pieced together to date:

Peter Key b. abt 1805 d. 16 Oct 1851 Surry County, North Carolina m. (abt 1827) (Rebecca*) Jane Suttle b. abt 1810 Rutherford County, North Carolina Children: (from 1850 federal census): William Key b. abt 1827 Matilda b. abt 1831 Mary A. b. abt 1836 Isaac b. April 1838 North Carolina d. 7 Sep 1903 Prosperity, Lawrence County, Kentucky James b. 1839 Gasper (Jasper) b. abt 1841

Isaac Kee (Key) m. (abt 1867) Cleopatra "Cleo" Sanders b. May 1839 Lawrence County, Kentucky, d. 17 Nov 1913 Carter County, Kentucky Children (from federal censuses and family records; all b. Lawrence County, Kentucky): Nancy Jane Kee b. 2 Sep 1868 d. 1937 Mary Etta Kee b. abt 1870 d. 23 Oct 1959 Louisville, Jefferson County, Kentucky Peter L. Kee b. abt 1872 d. 20 Aug 1949 Carter County, Kentucky Henry L. Kee b. Sep 1873 Albert S. Kee b. abt 1876 Genoa A. Kee b. Sep 1879 d. 13 Jul 1914 Infant Kee (from 1870 census records which indicated number of births/number of living children)

Genoa A. Kee m. John Winfrey Thompson, Lawrence County, Kentucky Among their children was John Walker Thompson m. Nancy Emeline O'Bryan, 2nd daughter Genoa Ann Thompson m. Homer Church, and I'm one of Genoa Ann and Homer's daughters.

Great-grandmother Kee died when my grandfather was a young boy. He always told my mother that she looked just like his mother. Before my mother died, I was able to find a photograph of her grandmother Kee. The photo had been handpainted and is a beautiful portrait. My mother's siblings (11 of them) thought the photo was my mother, dressed up in an old-fashioned dress. The resemblance was uncanny! So, the Kee/Key family is dear to my heart, and any information I can add to the line is a treasure.

*Census records show that Peter Key was married to Jane in the 1850 Surry County federal census. The 1860 federal census shows Rebecca Key living with her children in the Western District, Lee County, Virginia. Online records at the LDS Family Center indicate that Jane is Jane Suttle and the records show that she married Peter Key; the records also show a Rebecca Suttle in the same family, married to a Key. Given the

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age of Jane and Rebecca and the years married that are listed in the censuses, not to mention the same children, I believe that Rebecca and Jane are the same person.

I have more information on Isaac and Cleo's children, and of course, more information about Genoa Ann Kee's descendants that I am more than happy to share.

Thanks again for all your efforts on my behalf. It is truly appreciated.

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Sunday, March 04, 2007 America Online: Wjhiatt

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Wilma.

To:

Thank you so much. Any information will be helpful. My Kee/Key 4x-great-grandfather Peter Kee is present in the 1850 Federal Census for Marsh Township, Surry County, North Carolina. But, apparently, there were several Key brothers who came to that area at the same time, and I've been unable to link Peter Kee directly to one of these families. It's quite clear that he is related. In the census, his is one of four Key households in a row. His household is preceded by that of Milbourn Key, then widowed Elener Key, then Peter, followed by young Joseph Key and his even younger wife. Any information on any of these families would be great!

Thanks for your time and effort.

Flora Church

-Original Message-----From: Wihiatt@aol.com Sent: Mar 1, 2007 7:41 PM To: fjchurch@earthlink.net Subject: Re: Key Bible Record Road Order by Sheriff C. H. Haynes submitted by Teresa Smith

Flora, I'll put the copies in the Sat. mail. I'm sorry that a couple of dates did not print. They did not print in the journal. They were on the right hand side and apparently whoever ran the journal did not realize they had cut off a couple of dates. Hope it helps with your family research. Wilma Hiatt, Chairman, SCGA Journal Committee and and a state of the s

Sarah Willard (Widow) Claim for Burial Expénses 1910 submitted by Tevera Smith

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Friday, March 02, 2007 America Online: Wjhiatt

Family Tree Information for Newton (Nick) Nicholas Badgett & Lydia Bowls Key

Lydia Bowls Key's Parents

William S. Key and Lydia Davis Jones - married 3/19/1839 in Surry Co, NC

William S. Key Born – 3/10/1820 NC Died – 12/6/1888 Oregon** Parents –Archillis (Killis) Key and Sarah (Sally) Denny Lydia Davis Jones Born – 3/28/1821 Virginia Died – 11/30/1890 – Surry Co, NC Parents – John (Elder) Jones and Rose Anne P. Boaz

Children

Key, John Key, Archilles D. (1/31/1875 – 12/18/1969) wife Mary Jones Key, Augustin Key, Russell Key, King David Key, Sarah Jane Key, Rosa Price (Rosanna) Key, Gabriel (Dock) **Key, Lydia Bowls** Key, Mary

** The Key family farm is still located in Umatilla County Oregon, near the town of Weston. Hezekiah Key was the first to go west. He was born in 1847, and was part of the Confederate Army. He married in 1866, and moved to Iowa and then to Sacramento, California, About 1875, he moved his family to Weston, Oregon. Hezekiah and his wife had twelve children, but only six lived to adulthood.

Hezekiah made a living by making and distributing whiskey to local saloons. In 1880, he acquired 160 acres from the U.S. Government, and bought 640 additional acres soon after. He returned to North Carolina for a visit, and the dream of success hit many Surry County families. Families that moved to the Weston area after Hezekiah's visit included the Badgetts, Yorks, and Bannisters. Many of this family's children married Hezekiah's children. His sons-in-law had names of York, Badgett, Read and Wyland.

Joe and Ruth Key were owners of a small store in Mt. Airy, N.C. At just 21 years of age, Joe and Ruth decided to go to Oregon with their new baby girl, Ollie. They came on the train directly to Weston, in March 1889.

Information undated 11/20/06

*Buried in grave yard located at Union Primitive Baptist Church, Surry County, North Carolina

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Nicholas Newton Badgett Parents

Presley Badgett and Elizabeth Marion - Marriage: 24 Nov 1845 in, Surry Co, NC **Presley Badgett** Born – 1/9/1824 Surry County Died – 6/2/1892 Surry County Parents – Abraham Badgett (1789 – 1840 Surry Co) and Mickey Ann Holder

Abraham Badgett (1789 – 1840 Surry Co) and Mickey Ann Holder- Married 12/13/1810, Surry Co, NC

Abraham Badgett's parents James Badgett and Nancy (Fanny) Freeman - Married around 1775 in, Surry Co, NC

James Badgett 's parents Roger Badgett and Elizabeth Roger Badgett – Died 1781, Granville Co, NC

Elizabeth Marion

Born – 6/4/1825 Surry Co, NC Died – 4/18,1899 Surry Co, NC Parents – Robert Marion and Mary (Polly) Alberty

Children of Presley and Elizabeth Badgett Badgett, Richard W. (Rich)* wife Rosa buried in Iowa Badgett, Nicholas Newton (Nick) Badgett, Americus Jackson (Mack) Badgett, Abraham Jackson (Babe) Badgett, Robert Sidney (Bob)* Badgett, Martha Ellen Badgett, Mary Jane Badgett, Samuel Presley

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<u>Newton (Nick) Nicholas Badgett & Lydia Bowls Key</u> <u>Married - 12/19/1872 Surry County, North Carolina</u>

13 Children

Nicholas Newton (Nick) Badgett* Born – 10/9/1851 Died – 4/4/1920 Parents – Presley Badgett and Elizabeth Marion

Lydia Bowls Key*

Born – 1/3/1857 Died – 4/6/1947 Parents – William S. Key and Lydia Davis Jones

Children

- 1. Badgett, Hattie Pearl (1870-1900) 30 years old*
- 2. Badgett, Floyd Lester(1890-1894) 4 years old*
- 3. Badgett, Lydia (1902-1903) 1 year old*
- 4. Badgett, William (Willie) P. (6/10/1895 4/12-1980)* wife Cora Collins (8/14/1901 9/2/1983)* Children

Badgett, Edith married Robert Glenn Snow (Edith Badgett Snow Fulk)

Children Snow, Gay Snow, Carolyn Snow, Jill

Badgett, Ethel (Ethel Badgett Hobson) Badgett, Mildred (Mildred Badgett wall) Badgett, Bobby Ray (Bob R. born 11/18/1936) wife Edith Badgett, William, Rex (5/21/1927 – 11/13/1934)* Badgett, Mary Ruth (5/8/1930 – 6/11/1932)* Badgett, Duke

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Children of Newton (Nick) Nicholas Badgett & Lydia Bowls Key - Continued -

5. Badgett, Sarah Lilla (9/27/1874 – 12/8/1935) married John Marion Nichols

Children

Nichols, (Infant) 1/29/1899 Nichols, Mamie Christine ? Nichols, Cora (5/13/1901 – 7/8/1901) Nichols, Dora (5/13/1901 – 7/15/1901) Nichols, Dora (5/13/1901 – 7/15/1901) Nichols, Hattie Pearl (Pearl Nichols Brinlle) Nichols, William Albert (5/5/1905 – 2/16/1912) Nichols, Robert Wesley Sr. Nichols, John Leland or John Allen? Nichols, Raymond Franklin (Frank) Nichols, George Fox Nichols, Alice (Alice Nichols Draugh)

6. Badgett, Susan Ella* married Key, Henry Rufus* 12/17/1893

Children

Key, Minnie (Minnie Susan Key White) Key, Bessie Key, Harvey Key, Roy Key, Wilbern Key, Elbert Key, Maude (Maude Key Bunker) Key, Ester (Ester Key Calhon) Key, Edd Key, Gilmer or Warren Key ? Key, Ruth

7. Badgett, Charlie married Susa (Sussie) Key 3/25/1898 in Surry Co, NC

Children

Badgett, Lottie Badgett, Herman Badgett, Elbert Badgett, Oscar Badgett, Elsie E. (Elsie Badgett Shelton) Badgett, Bert or Bertha ? Badgett, Marie Badgett, Roger? Badgett, Chester Badgett, Hazel Badgett, Mecie

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Children of Newton (Nick) Nicholas Badgett & Lydia Bowls Key - Continued -

 Badgett, Samuel Jacob (Jake) (1/2/1882 – 12/6/1970 Winston Salem, Forsyth Co, NC) Married Bonnie Gertrude Davis 11/3/1907

> Children Badgett, Bernie Badgett, Myrtle Badgett, Beulah (Beulah Badgett Kidd) Badgett, Howard Glenn Badgett, Hallie Mae – 1921 - 1928 Badgett, Curtis Hoover Badgett, Kenneth Rex

9. Badgett, Thomas Walter (buried in Lee Co, NC) – married Lizzie Bennett 1/26/1908 in Surry Co, NC Children

Badgett, Ruby (Ruby Badgett Gregg) Children Pat Badgett, Gilmer - Wife Claire Mae Children Judy Jimmy Badgett, Earnest - Wife Lou Children Linda Badgett, Evelyn Badgett, Doris - (Dot Badgett Cameron) Badgett, Harold - Wife Neil Children Amy Jo Suzanne Badgett, Bruce Children Deborah Susan (Born Deborah Susan Hardy) **Robin Dale** Helen Elizabeth (Helen Badgett McIver) Bruce Douglas Thomas Nicholas

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Children of Newton (Nick) Nicholas Badgett & Lydia Bowls Key - Continued -

10. Badgett, Mary Ida Birth: 7 Nov 1887, Surry Co, NC Death: 2 Jan 1936 Sanford, Lee Co, NC Married Cicero Briggs Children Briggs, Hettie Briggs, Treva Lorene (10/30/1908 – 11/6/1991) Briggs, Vera ? Briggs, Hall Briggs, Ruby Briggs, Helen Briggs, Metta Briggs, Metta Briggs, Alma Briggs, Jimmy

11. Badgett, Roxie (10/7/1893 – 5/1/1986) and Tyra Simpson (4/13/1896 – 1/11/1987) - married 12/21/1913 Children

Simpson, Enice * Simpson, (Boy) * Simpson, Lenora Simpson, Claude Simpson, Carl Simpson, Opal Simpson, Ina Simpson, Faye Simpson, Eva Anne

12. Badgett, Lillian married Javan Johnson 12/26/1920
 Children
 Johnson, Clifton
 Johnson, Calvin

13. Badgett, John Wesley (1880)

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from Helen McIver, McIverh@ lobcop. com -----

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Hudson

WILMOTH DOBSON — Mrs. Eva Hudson Wilmoth, 88, of Cross Roads Church Road passed away Monday, Feb. 10, 2003, at Elkin Health Care in Elkin. Eva was born in Surry County Dec. 3, 1914, to the late William Riley and Lougenia Coe Hudson. Mrs. Wilmoth was a homemaker and a member of Cross Roads Baptist Church. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Rufus Wilmoth; a son, Larry Wilmoth; nine sisters; and three brothers. Survivors include a son and daughter-in-law, Jack and Kay Wilmoth; a daughter-in-law, Jo Ann Wilmoth; and two daughters and sons-in-law, Rosemary and James Bledsoe and Elaine and Van Whitaker, all of Dobson. She is also survived by seven grandsons, Jeff Wilmoth and his wife, Lori, Barry Wilmoth and his wife, Anne, Keith Wilmoth and his wife, Emily, Danny Bledsoe, Bobby Wilmoth and his wife, Kaysa, Scott Wilmoth and his wife, Stephanie, and Jon Whitaker and his wife, Sally, all of Dobson and two granddaughters, Jami Dearmin and her husband, Steve, of White Plains and Sommer Whitaker of Baltimore, Md. She is also survived by nine great-grandsons; two greatgranddaughters, all of Dobson; and several nieces and nephews The funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 13, 2003, at Cross Roads Baptist Church. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Her body will remain at Davis & Son Funeral Home in Dobson until carried to the church to lie in state 30 minutes before the service. The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 this evening at the funeral home. Flowers will be accepted or donations may be directed to Cross Roads Baptist Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 404 Dobson, NC 27017.

		Born	Died	Married
m. 24	Martin Key (1) 4 Dec 1887 a Foster Hodges ("Liza")	28 Mar 1870	1947 Mulberry Pr Bap Ch 23 Jan 1955 Mulberry Pr Bap Ch	s/o John A. Key, Jr. & Emily Chandler d/o Pleasant H. Hodge & Mary C. Moody
Child	dren:			
1.	Andrew Jackson		21 Mar 1889 Mulberry Pr Bap Ch	never married
2.	Cora Emma		18 Jul 1970 Poplar Springs Bap	Walker Columbus Ray 27 Dec 1914
3.	Betty Florence	6 Jun 1893 Marsh TS, Surry, NC	25 Nov 1984 Mulberry Pr Bap Ch	Sye M. W. Southard 12 Apr 1914
4.	Lena R. ("Linnie")		12 Oct 1982 Mulberry Pr Bap Ch	Esker J. Collins 26 Dec 1916
5.	Hattie Flora		28 Dec 1981 Mulberry Pr Bap Ch	Guthrie Bryan Wall 19 Jan 1920
6.	Pholie Roosevelt		30 May 1941 (2) Mulberry Pr Bap Ch	Lola B. Cockerham 30 Sep 1923
7.	G. Paul		16 May 1933 (3) Mulberry Pr Bap Ch	
8.	Mabel Polly	-	20 Jul 1995 Bessie's Chapel Bap	
9.	Opal	1911 Marsh TS, Surry, NC		Raymond Smith
10.	Charlie Lee Braxto	n 28 Sep 1913 Marsh TS, Surry, NC	14 Nov 1983 Bessie's Chapel Ch	Myrtle Fowler

(1) John Martin ("Mart") Key was a farmer in the Mulberry Community of Marsh Township, Surry County, NC. He was a member of Mulberry Primitive Baptist Church, as was most of his family.

(2) Pholie Roosevelt Key was drowned in an attempt to cross Mitchell's River.

(3) This date comes from his death certificate [Surry 19:17], but the year "1932" is on his tombstone.

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It is stated that M. Mercier has pre-pared a paper to be laid before the Government, embodying the views of iem 1 08, pra-Napoleon.

From Vicksburg.

VICKSBURG, Feb. 14 .- One of the enemy's gunboats passed our batteries last night at 12 o'clock, under cover of darkness. Several shots were fired at her, but none believed to have taken effect. All quiet this morning.

CHARLESTON, Feb. 14 .- Three steamers, the Ruby, Leopard and Wagner, from Nassau on the 9th, arrived here this morning with valuable cargoes.

The steamer Douglas ran out suc-cessfully last night, and took Hon. James B. Clay, of Kentucky, for Livand adversity by those that should be their friends. When the sun sets our

erpcol. The blockade is virtually raised, as not a gun was fired at any of these vessels.

Capt. Carlon, who was captured last July with the steamer Memphis, and imprisoned in Fort Lafayette, was re-leased at the instance of Lord Lyons, as a British subject, in January, and had arrived at Nassau. He represents the horrors of the Abolition bastile as terrible.

Col. Zarvona was still kept in solitary confinement, and was expected to die from cruel treatment.

The steamer Florida, Capt. Maffit, which the Yankees falsely reported burned or captured, had been at Nas-sau, loaded up and departed, and since her leaving it was rumored in that place that ske had taken a Yankee transport with seven hundred men on board

On Tuesday last there was at Nassau the steamers Eagle, Emma, Havelock, Nicholas I, and Calypso. The last The last Monday the 9th inst. The Antonia had arrived at Nassau, and afterwards left for Hayana in charge of the mate, Mr. Robert Thayer, Capt. Coxetter having remained to take charge of the fine steamer Havelock, which had just arrived from England via St. Thomas. Nothing had been heard at Nassau

relative to the steamer Nina, which left that place several weeks since.

FREDERICKSBURG, Feb. 15 .- The New York Herald of the 15th has been received. It says the movement to settle the present difficulties by a convention of representatives from the free States, is progressing in the West. The Illinois Legislature has appointed a com-mittee to confer with those of Indiana, Kentucky and other States, to meet at Louisville in March. Foremost on the committee is a strong adherent of Lincolu, and heretofore a strong Republican.-The loyal gentlemen in question urged all his friends to vote the Democratic ticket in November last, to save the country. Other eminant Republi-cans are on the same committee. The measure was opposed in the main by the Abolitionists. It is expected that Ohio, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and New York will combine in the movement.

The Weehawken, iron-clad, has arrived at Port Royal. Gen. Hunter has issued orders con-

scripting able-bodied negroes in his department.

The Alabama has been heard from in latitude 26, 30, on the 2d of February. Peace resolutions passed the Illinois Legislature on the 12th.

The army of the Potomae has three hundred regiments and 100,000 men. Rosencranz, in the Murfreesboro fight, had one hundred and forty regi-

ments, and forty-five thousand men. Young Williamson, of Baltimore, Secretary of Mr. Mason, our English Minister, has been sent to Fort McHenry at Seward's instance.

Gen. Sprague has been elected Sen-ator from Rhode Island.

Resolutions inviting Gen. McClellan to visit Albany as guests of the State passed the New York Legislature.

Gen. Pope is in St. Louis. He is excommand the expedition gainst Vicksburg.

CHARLESTON, Feb. 16 .- The ivon steamer Princess Royal, captured by the enemy some time ago, has arrived at Philadelphia.

News had also reached Nassau that the Alabama was positively the vessel which destroyed the Yankee gunboat Hatteras, and sunk her in thirteen minutes after opening fire, the Hatteras carrying down most of the crew with ber

A Yankee transport ship which got ashore near Nassau had the soldiers on board—some 700 in number—taken of by a Yankee hantMurray, got ashore last night on Sul-livan's Islan I teach. With assistance she will no doubt, come off this afternoon at high water.

RICHMOND, Feb. 16 .- A scout just from Maryland reports from personal observation that the whole Yankee army is leaving Acquia Creek-the greater portion being bound to Washington, and the remainder to Fortress Monroe. The published object is to recruit and organize.

RICUMOND, Feb. 15 .- The Phillips House, opposite Fredericksburg, noted as Burnside's headquarters, was burnt yesterday. It is supposed accidentally.

163" Ex President Pierce, of New Hampshire, occupies the position of Vallandigham, Benj. Wood, Bright, and other peace Democrats. Use is actively engaged in the politics of his State, laboring to early it in the March elections against the Lincoln despotism.

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ATTENTION ABSENTEES.

A LL Absentees from Co. C, 40th Reg. Ga. Vols. are hereby notified to beat Rome with five days' rations, on the 25th of this month, as I shall leave on that day for the Command at Vicksburg, and wish all that are able to go with me. Those failing to appear will be at once published as desert-ers. J. H. MCARVER, Sgt. Co. C. feb19 feb19

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ON hand and to arrive, a full assortment of Swedes Iron, for Plows-at Hard-ware Store. CHAS. E. HILL. feb17-2m.

NOTICE TO ABSENTEES. HEADQ'RS 29TH REG'T GA. VOLS.

ALL absentees from Co. D, 29th Regt, Feb. 12th, 1863. ALL absentees from Co. D, 29th Regt, immediately. Those that are physically disable to do so, will forward, forthwith

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Birthday Dinner" Times"

On Saturday For Mrs. M. E. Taylor July 12- 1940 mt. Aiky, Mc Mrs. Hahala Emily Taylor, well known resident of Pilot Mountain, Route 1, was honored on her eightieth birthday last Saturday, when members of her family laid a birthday dinner at the old home place three miles northeast of Pilot Mountain near Highway 52.

Mrs. Taylor, who was a Key be-fore her marriage to the late Ste-phen Anderson Taylor, was born and raised in this county. She is unusually hale and hearty for her advanced aged, being able to do her own housework. She has sev-en living children, 32 grand-children and 14 great-grand-children.

dren and 14 great-grand-children. The children, five of whom were present for the birthday din-ner, include Mrs. Violet Hepler, of Liberty; Walter Taylor, of Trinity; Mrs. George Bryant, of Cumberland, Va.; Edgar Taylor, of Pilot Mountain; Emory Taylor, of Rockingham; Mrs. Cora Law-rence, of High Point: and Mrs. Bertha Hunter of Mount Airy Bertha Hunter, of Mount Airy.

In Memory of Versie Mae Forrest Key

SCGA member Versie Key of Pfafftown, NC passed away on April 5, 2013. Versie and husband Jim joined SCGA in 1999 and attended meetings when she was able to make the trip to Dobson. Versie and Jim served as treasurer of SCGA from 2002 through 2007. They became interested in genealogy through their daughter Cindy who gave them the "bug" of research. Cindy was busy collecting copies of records at the Surry County courthouse before they became members of SCGA.

For the last four years Versie had several health issues and could not attend our meetings but she and Jim always remained faithful members of SCGA. We appreciated their support. Versie was such a talented lady and was a great friend to all of us fellow researchers. One of her favorite past-times was scrapbooking. At her visitation in her church, Pfafftown Baptist Church, several of her scrapbooks were displayed for all to enjoy.

Versie was born on September 29, 1936 and daughter of Lacy Baird Forrest and Gracie Draughn Forrest of Mount Airy, NC. She is survived by her husband of 56 years, James E. (Jim) Key; one son, Robert William Key and wife T. J. of Wake Forest, NC; one daughter, Cynthia (Cindy) Raye Key of Raleigh, NC; two grandsons Adam (wife Erin) of Laurel Springs, NC and Austin (wife Jennie) of Raleigh, NC; and her brother Kenneth Ray Forrest and his wife Donna also of Raleigh, NC.

Versie was preceded in death by her parents Lacy Baird and Gracie Draughn Forrest, and a sister Annabelle Odom.

Versie graduated from Flat Rock High School in Mount Airy, NC. After moving to the Winston-Salem area, she became a faithful member of Pfafftown Baptist Church in Winston-Salem. Her funeral service was conducted at Pfafftown Baptist Church at 11:00 a.m. April 9, by Rev. Thomas Bounds, pastor of the church, and Rev. Doug Rights, former pastor of Olive Moravian Church. Burial followed at the Indian Grove Family Cemetery in Mount Airy, NC.

Versie, we will miss your friendship and we feel so privileged to have known such a friendly and thoughtful lady. You were always caring about others and so supportive to your family and friends. We thank you for being a good friend.

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Lines suited to the death of Miss Ada J. Key, the oldest child of Elder and Mrs. G. O. Key, of Pilot Mountain, N. C., who died of Typhoid fever July 9, 1897; aged 16 years, 8 months and 24 days.

How sad and lonely the hours roll on, This lonesome Sabbath day; Our hearts are grieved and forlorn, Much joy hath passed away.

Death again hath stalked abrord, Not deigning a word to say, Hath thrusted his sickle and from us snatched A much loved one away.

This victim was of tender age, A young and beautiful girl; Ere she was grown, from off the stage Her form be chose to hurl.

Grim monster hath--oh let us ask Of thee the reason why Thou couldest not an older victim find, And pass dear Ada by?

How sad for one so kind, so good, Mid all her youthful charms, To be thus laid, in bloom of youth, In death's cold icy arms!

How very sad to know in truth, That one esteemed so high Should thus be called in early youth, Mid girlhood dreams to die.

But--oh, that form, once brisk and free, Now lies beneath the sod; Her body soon but dust will be, Her spirit rests with God.

Her gentle voice no more we'll hear, No more her smiles we'll see; Her merry laugh, so full of cheer, Will henceforth silent be. Her conversation and her songs Will no more greet our ears; And all relief that's left to friends, I found in sighs and tears.

Yes, dear friend, thy loss we mourn; Our tears we can't restrain; But hope this, our earthly loss, Is thy eternal gain.

Cease, then, our souls, oh cease to mourn; To us she never can return; Peace to every heart! Be still; For Jesus took her at his will.

I feel that God only loaned dear Ada to us for a while. While dying, an hour or more before her death, she spoke these words: "Come quickly, Uncle Jacob." Her Uncle Jacob Jones, my brother, died when Ada was only a little over three months old.

Ada had not an enemy in the world. Her cousin told me that she, before her sickness, would not deny having a hope to him. What a blessed thought is this to a mother, the thought of having children at rest with Jesus in happiness and peace. Ada was a dear child, so kind and obedient to.

> Her mother, ELIZA E. KEY.

Pilot Mountain, N. C.

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(submitted by Esther D. Johnson, typed by Wilma J. Hiatt)

FRANKLIN-CLEVELAND-YANCY - Searching for the Will of Barnard Franklin who was born in Spotsylvania Co., VA 26 May 1731. He died 2 Jan 1828 in Surry Co., NC. He married Mary Cleveland. The Will is needed to prove his son Abner Franklin (1764-1826) was married to Rhoda Cleveland. Also need to prove Abner and Rhoda's son was David Yancy.

Contact Sylvia Maehler, 2021 Woodland Glen, Escondido, CA 92027-1140, email: oriskany1777@att.net

HANKS/BARKER/CREED/CHANDLER - Searching for information on the Hanks, Barker, Creed and Chandler families of Mount Airy. Trying to identify some of the people in a photo (1920/1930) showing William Jeff Hanks, Mary "Creasy" Hanks and William Bedford Hanks.

Contact Kathleen Hanks at kat0624@bellsouth.net

INMAN/THOMAS - Searching for the parents of Lucinda Thomas. She is the wife of Morris Inman. She was born in 1792 in Surry Co. and died in 1875. Her first child Burrell was born ca. 1811. Wilma Hiatt, email wjhiatt@aol.com

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