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DEPOSIT - \$50 - A DAY

FIND
GUARDIAN INFO.

G.G. Gaudin -

M. KATIE FAIRLESS

18206 - HERTFORD
STARKEY DAWS b. 1784 NC.

ca. 1810/11 BERTIE
OR HERTFORD
D. TN.

G. Gaudin

JAMES DAWS b. 1812 -
BERTIE Co.

G. Gaudin

REV. GEO. BARNUM DAWS

Dear Mrs. Comin,

I know you think I'm
ungrateful. I've had family problems
and things get behind. I do appreciate
your efforts and needless to say I'm
disappointed. Hopefully, somewhere
around ca 1826 Starkey ^{or W} sold out and
moved to Tenn. With my luck it's
probably in Hertford not Bertie.
I'll work for this deed of Jacob
Daws. Incidentally - The Grandherres
came this way also - If you will
note my Fayette to Court minutes
1840-44 in Ansearchin News you
will see Redditts, Grandherres, HARE
Karnell - we have Starkey Fleetwood
and Starkey Hare + Starkey Dupuy
there.

I believe Jacob Daws of Chowan
is one + same as Jacob Daws of Bertie
He made across the river.

Thanks for the wills - Interesting
And I'm sure they should tie in

Yours most

March 13, 1981

Jean West
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Dear Jean,

Thank you for your quick response. Had understood your first letter to say the deed was in Bertie Co. Could not locate under any spelling imaginable. -- Finally decided that the cameramen had failed to film one page of the Ds!!!! Wrong. After working on the Daws for almost 1 1/2 days, I finally found the deed. The listing is under Davis and is in deed book Q - 424. Same is next to unreadable here. You can order a copy from the Bertie Co. Reg. of Deeds, Windson, N.C., 27983. The archives no longer copies deeds.

Jacob Dawes - Thomas Granberry Deed in Bk. Q, pg. 424.

Campbell - James Daws Deed in Deed Bk. O, pg. 195. 1787

Read Bertie P & Q S Ct. mts. looking for Daws deed. (P&QS-1793-1801)
Found 10 Aug. 1795 "The persons appointed to divide the estate of James Daws, decd. made return to the court." / Terrific. There is merely enough information available on the Daws to be upsetting. Nothing available in Hertford Co., and next to nothing in Bertie!!! Have gone through Guardian Papers, Wills & Estates in Bertie, Beaufort, Edgecomb for Daws & Fairless.

Bertie Index Absts shows:

1735	Nicholas Fairless	Bk. D	pg. 247
1750	Farless etals., Wm.	Bk. G	pg. 348
1755	Fareless, Wm. - Evans	Bk. H	pg. 177
1759	Fairless, Rbt. - Bell	Bk. I	pg. 375
1799	Fairless, Ben. - Perry	Bk. S	pg. 203

Bertie Co. Estates:

Nicholas Fairless - Mary 1745

Elijah shows up as a Daws name in the Haun Absts prior to 1740. (appt. constable) as well as the 1719 will from the Secry of State records. Names do run within families and would be very suprised if Shadrach's father Benjamin was not decended from the Wm Daws of 1719 will. Know that the co. is named in "Grimes". The one is from Beaufort. If you do not have the co for the other, drop a card and I will look it up for you. Suggest that you work in that co. and see what shows for you.

Bertie has not suffered a fire but, there are certainly many records missing that the other cos. have. Div. of Land would have been nice. Also a guardian for Anyone.....

Think the only record that might be of help to you is the P&QS - 1-781 - 1787 now being prepared by Haun. for publication, and between that and 1793 where I started. Really believe all else has been covered.

Good Luck.

Sincerely,

PAID



Thursday 2-12-81

Dear Mr. Krum,

I need some research information from Bertie Co. I was wondering if you were able to do it or could recommend some one. Also let me know your fees and I will be most happy to pay you.

My Great-Grandfather was

Starkey Daws (DAWS) B 1784 NC
Katie Fairless (FAIRLESS) m ca 1810 in Bertie or Hertford Co
D Tenn - Haywood Co after 1870.

Issue -
My great grandfather

James DAWS - Born 1812 Bertie Co
" 1815 NC
" 1824 NC
" 1825 NC
" 1826 NC
" 1826/7 NC
" 1830 TENN
" 1834 ✓

Wonder why
the wide gap
of kids - Census
1850 Haywood Co

My great grandfather - James Obituary says
He was born in Bertie Co, NC

A Biographical Sketch of my grandfather
Rev. George Barnum Daws in who's who
in Tennessee gives his parents and grandparents

2. a Biographical sketch of Rev.
Isaac Laws in Barum's Tenn.
Baptist ministers say Starkey Laws
and Katie Fairless were his parents
and that he was born in Callaway
Co NC. I believe this is Callaway Dist
of Bertie as Hertford and came to Tenn in
1826
Starkey Laws shows in 1820
Census of Hertford Co, NC

I friend and Laws researcher of Bellville
26. sent me a note about a Jacob Laws
(Laws) in 1795 who sold land he was
given by his father James Laws
who bought it from James Campbell in
1787 adjoining land (belonging to several
people including Starkey Laws, Orphan

I would very much appreciate
Guardian information from Bertie
Court minutes regarding Starkey
This has to be my man.

I also have a list of Sales of Personal
estate of James Laws. Bertie Co
March 15, 1792 (Feb term 1792)

I also would like to see a division of Property
(it doesn't cost anything to dream)

3 My mother has an old
Episcopalian Prayer book with a
mutilated family sheet. It belonged
to a Cousin of my Grandfather Starkey
Brent Daws son of Rev. Starkey Daws
Jr. I haven't seen it recently but as I remember
It has names James, ~~Charity~~
Charity

Jacob
Starkey

1771

I believe James Daws & Charity to be
my Great great great Grandparents AND
I'm letting she was Charity Starke.
The Bertie do marriage bonds for 1810
are not in Hathway - My Lucke.

I realize that Durham is nowhere
near Bertie - but figured you
either have microfilm or go to the
books

J. West.

24 Chowan 1785

Wm Story Daves

Danny Jackson

18 July 1785

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Jacob Daus

Mary Mc Quire

20 Dec. 1800

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February 6, 1981

Dear Jean,

In what county should I expect to find that Jacob Daws deed? (adj. Starkey Daws, orphan).

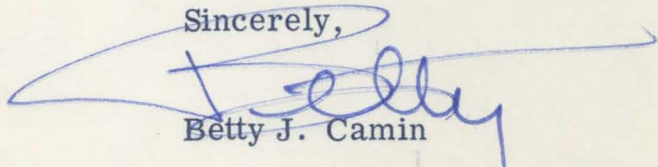
Have gone through a lot of records and know where there are no Daw-es papers.

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Is there a chance that this family is from the Dawsons which I see have land grants (Granville) in Northampton and Bertie?

See that Nicholas Fairless was one of the buyers at the sale of James Daws estate. The only other paper is the appoinment of adm. (Bertie).

Sincerely,


Betty J. Camin

Have time left to work on this.

Jacob Daws sold land

*Bertie Co 1795 - Land given him
by his father James Daws who
bought it from Col. James Campbell
in 1787.*

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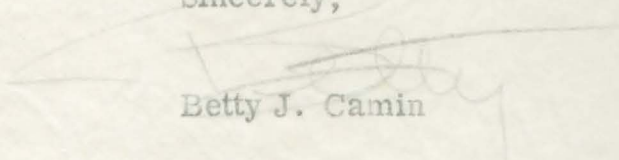
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Monday

Dear Mrs. Camin,

I enclose here a check for \$50.00.

We'll see what this turns up. My mother is the last living child of her George Barnum Daws (DAWS). She is 82. I would like to tie her family up to the r.c. immigrant while she still lives. As my letter shows

we have proof that Starkey Daws who married Katie Fairless is our Tennessee Ancestor. My great grandfather James

DAWS Sr was born in Bertie Co nc in 1812. This is per his obituary - copy in my mother's possession. I would like a

copy of that deed where Jacob Daws (1795) sold land adjoining Starkey Daws orphan I mentioned. I would also

like the orphan (Guardian) information on Starkey. I ^(per next coming) imagine James Daws

died in 1792 since the sale was then.

I have a copy of the sale. We're also looking for Parents of Emphraim Daws B 1770 nc who died in Edgcomb. He, no

doubt is from same family - somewhere

Wonder if
he is
Jacob of
C. Howard
who married
1800 there

I enclose a copy of a biographical sketch of Starkey Brent Daws who was an Indian Lawyer. This is wrong as they skipped at least one generation. He was eldest son of Starkey Daws Jr and grandson of Starkey Daws Sr.

Whether Starkeys (Sr) father came from England I don't know. I've felt that they all were descended from Nic Daws who shows as early as 1695 at Bath N.C. and left sons William and Elijah. The middle names of some of the children are interesting. Susie Ray, Lillian May, Nannie Hunter, Annah C., Frank Haste, Guy Barnum, Georgia Conline, Ethel Fay, James Thomas. Thomas Edward, Elizabeth

I can send you a rundown on several of Starkeys (Sr) Children

James Born 1812 NC, William B 1815 NC, Charity B 1824 NC, Jacob B 1825 NC, Starkey Jr B 1826 NC, Joseph B 1826/7 NC, Julia B 1830 Tenn, Alexander B 1834 Tenn. On 1850 Census Haywood Co Tenn.

My grandfather AND Rev. Josiah DAWs both said Katie Fairless was Starkeys (Sr) wife But the Census calls her Elizabeth

1 or 2
marriages
note gap
in ages --

Starkey Daws Jr. named his
Children ALONZO, Starkey Brent, Willie,
Lewis Erastus, Junus Adolphus, Mary
Heile, Wallace, James, Ed + Alice.

Sincerely
Jan Alexander West.

If you ever need Shelby information
from Mecklenburg Co NC. I have ~~agreat~~ deal
worked out - my Ancestor Dnases Sr
Son, Evan the immigrant - would
be glad to swap for or share. Wish
I had my 3 Alexander lines straight
they are Mecklenburg^{NC} - Maryland
families

ps²
I've looked at NC Census index 1800
and Can't pinpoint Widow Daws, Dews, DUN,
Dye. Davis, Dow, Due except a Mary Daws
and Jacob Daws in Chowan.

I found a thing in the Carolina Genealogist
where Spencer Dew lately executed at Duplex
made a confession that he was a cattle thief
counterfeiter, guns. He also mentions a
J. S. Davis in connection with counterfeiting

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received at Webb Brothers School at Bellbuckle, Tennessee. He afterwards entered Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tennessee, receiving his A. B. degree from that institution in 1903. He also continued his legal education at Vanderbilt University, receiving the degree of LL.B. in 1904.

Soon after his graduation from Vanderbilt he went to California where he married Miss Lallie Colburn, daughter of Dr. John R. Colburn, a Los Angeles physician. He shortly afterwards became City Attorney of Long Beach California. He moved to McAlester, Oklahoma, in 1908, where he spent the rest of his life. Known for many years as a successful trial lawyer and an outstanding orator of the State, he was selected as Temporary Chairman and keynote speaker for the State Democratic Convention in 1920. He had previously served Pittsburg County as Assistant County attorney from 1910 to 1912 and later as County Attorney from 1914 to 1921, when he resigned entering private practice of law with Frank D. McSherry of McAlester, Oklahoma. He was elected State Senator of the 25th District in 1923, serving in that capacity until 1927. He was a 32° Mason, a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity and held membership in the Pittsburg County and Oklahoma State Bar Associations. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Upon his retirement from politics he engaged in the general practice of law in McAlester until his death on March 29th, 1932, death resulting from injuries received in an automobile accident near Holdenville, Oklahoma, on March 24th, 1932. His wife, Lallie C. Monk, his daughter, Margaret Elizabeth Monk, and his three sons, John C. Monk, Carl Monk, Jr., and Alonzo Monk, survive him.

STARKEY BRENT DAWES.

(1864-1930)

Starkey Brent Dawes born June 21st, 1864, in Carroll County, Tennessee, and died December 31st, 1930.

His parents were Starkey and Amanda Dawes nee Butler, his father being a teacher and a minister of the Christian Church. His grandfather emigrated from England, settling in North Carolina, and later moving to Tennessee, where his father Starkey Dawes married his mother.

Starkey Brent Dawes was educated in the public schools of Tennessee and Texas. His family first came from Tennessee to Ft. Worth, Texas, later removing to Gainesville, Texas, in which city, in 1888, he was married to Miss Margaret Maupin, daughter of Rev. Milton and Malinda Maupin. He read law at Gainesville Texas under his father and Judge Gardner.

He and his wife came to Muskogee in 1889, he being one of the first lawyers enrolled before the United States Court for the Indian Territory, and from then until a short time before his death he was actively engaged in the work of his profession. Upon his arrival in Muskogee, or within a few days thereafter, he became associated with Judge N. B. Maxey in the practice of the law, and afterwards for several years he was with Judge W. P. Thompson. At the time of his death he was associated with Luther Kyle, Esquire.

For forty one years Mr. Dawes was a factor in his profession in the Indian Territory and Eastern Oklahoma, and also active in church affairs, having assisted in organizing the First Christian Church of Muskogee, and for 15 years was the Superintendent of the Sunday School of that Church, and for several years until shortly before his death he taught a Bible Class at the Veterans Hospital in Muskogee.

His widow and an adopted daughter survive him. He was a devoted husband, a fond parent, and a Christian gentleman.

Starkey Dr B N C
Starkey Dr m Amanda
Starkey Brent Dr
Butler
1864/TN