

at my father's house. As I never knew or heard of the death of his first wife, I don't know whether he or she obtained a divorce. It seems to me that I heard something of him getting a divorce while he was at my father's house before he married Elizabeth Nash. I have an Elder Sister, a widow Benedicte Pearson, living near Goodwell, Chatham Co. Tenn, who could give better information than I can about Walker and his first wife. I moved to this place the same year the Hos. Commenced, said Thomas B. Walker was then living with his second wife, whose his daughter Mary, grows now lives. I don't remember that I heard of him being troubled with any disease or disability at that time. I remember that he and said wife called to say I wanted nothing wrong about him. As I don't know anything of his physical condition when he came home from the army, I believe he came home before the end of the war. I remember that after he came home from the Army, he went over to Knoxville with a lady, who was going to see a sick son, and a husband who was a soldier. I saw them when he started, and when they returned, and he went on with her to her home in Powell's Valley, said Thomas B. Walker appeared to be in good health then. I don't think I saw him in his last sickness, but I attended his funeral. I understood that he died of Chills and fever, that he caught from some of his wife's relatives that came from the West. That appeared to be the general opinion in the neighborhood. It was an accepted fact that he died of Chills and fever. I know the children of said Thomas B. Walker and his last wife, Elizabeth Nash, but I have forgotten the names of some of them. Don't know the age of either, Elizabeth and Joseph Foster, is now in Powell's Valley, Chatham Co. on business. Don't know exactly when he will return. I don't know as much about Thomas B. Walker as I do. He was known to me as his first wife. Don't know that he died. I remember now that he was there first in Powell's Valley, Chatham Co. Tenn. is called some persons. I understand your question, my answer is correctly noted in the deposition of each with to me.

James Beeler

Deponent.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16 day of August, 1897, and I certify that the contents were fully made known to deponent before signing.

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