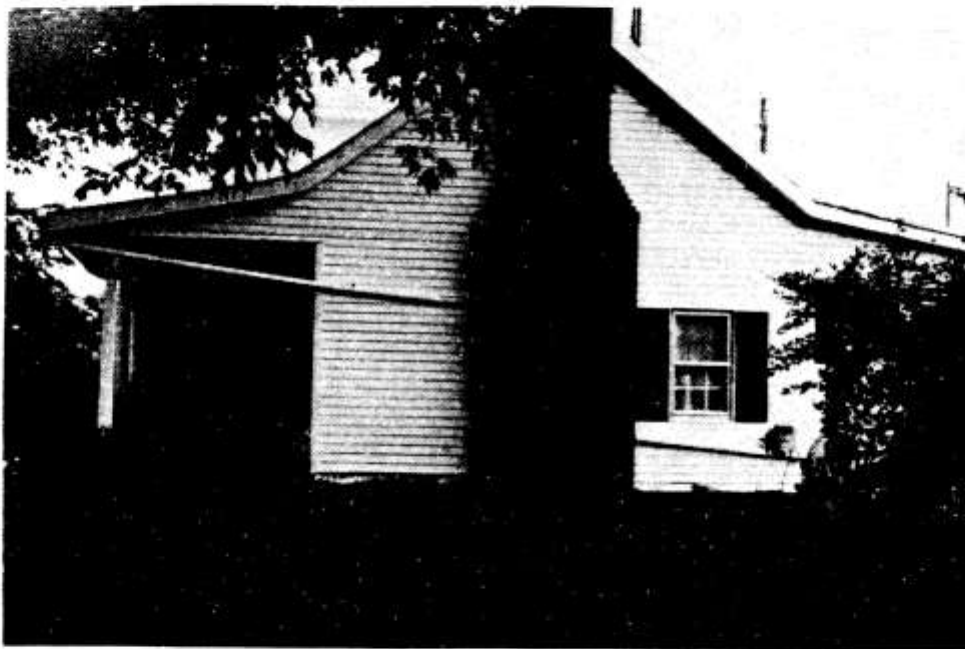


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Hawkins Family Organization.*



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# HAWKINS HERITAGE

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**Purpose** The Hawkins Family Organization began in 1985. It is conducted by mail and has no scheduled meetings. The purposes are mainly:

To promote genealogical research on the ancestors and descendants of the James and John Hawkins families and related lines, to promote and share family history, and to strengthen extended family ties.

**Newsletter** Hawkins Heritage is to be published three times a year for December, April, and August. All members are welcome to contribute by mailing letters and materials to the publisher.

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### Message From the President

Greetings from Canada! This issue of the newsletter is a bit later than anticipated but it is still an April issue. During the school spring break in March my husband and I visited Texas for six days. I didn't get to see any genealogy cousins this trip. There were many family members to see and for my husband to meet and our time was too short. He enjoyed his first Texas trip so much that he will be happy to return and stay longer. So the next time I will plan to include some genealogy work and visits with cousins in the area while my non-genealogy husband is happily occupied with my family members.

Our publicity lady has been at work and our numbers are growing. The pedigree service has been able to successfully help a few people lately. Our newsletter costs are based on a modest number of subscribers but we haven't reached our subscription goal yet. Please everyone, help us increase our numbers and find our distant cousins.

We would enjoy hearing from our new members in the next newsletter. The dates for submission to the newsletter have been extended for each issue. See the last page for the new dates and other submission information.

- Kathleen Briglio

### Corrections and Additions to the First Issue

page 14 Andrew Bourne was born by 1721, not in 1757.

page 15 John Hawkins, III was born before 1670.  
John Hawkins, I was married 27 Oct 1636.

page 17 Joanna Neilson has some informatin on sorting out the two John and Mary Hawkins families. Hopefully we can sort out the sources and publish the results in a future issue.

page 18 Joseph Hawkins, Sr was born 1712 and died in Frederick County, Virginia. His father, John, died by 7 Oct 1740.

page 19 This Joseph Hawkins was born about 1706. His son John married Mary Waller and died 19 Dec 1786.

page 10 & 11 - Descendant Chart of James Hawkins:

Grandchild #43 is Callie George, not Collie.

This chart was hard to follow and left out some of the descendants oldest son, William R. Olyve Abbott has sent us family group sheets of James Sr, William R, and of all William's children. They appear in this issue with sources included.

Husband <u>HAWKINS, James</u>	Wife <u>Margaret</u>
Birth <u>ca. 1765</u> Place <u>Va.</u>	Birth <u>ca. 1769</u> Place _____
Death <u>23-7-1834</u> Place <u>Fleming Co.? Ky.</u>	Death <u>1-4-1838</u> Place <u>Fleming Co.?, Ky.</u>
Burial _____	Burial _____
Marriage Record <u>ca. 1790</u>	Marriages _____
Other Marriages <u>?</u>	_____
Census Records _____	Census Records _____
Father _____	Father _____
Mother _____	Mother _____

CHILDREN	BIRTH and Place	DEATH and Place	HUSBAND/WIFE	MARRIAGE DATE
1 William R.	31-3-1791 Va.	Siloam Cem., Rowan Co., Ky. 1-1879	Judah Hawes	2-9-1821
2 John R.	12-3-1792 Va.	New Hope Cem., Fleming Co., Ky. 13-10-1881	Sarah Barnett	2-10-1822
3 James R.	ca. 1794 Va.	23-12-1834 Ky.	?	?
4 Jane	ca. 1810 Va.		James H. Moody	28-7-1830 Fleming Co.,
5 Moses R.	16-6-1812 Va.	New Hope Cem. 4-6-1874	#1 Melvina Nickell * #2 Martha J. Nickell*	ca. 1839 12-11-1843
6 Lucy Ann	15-4-1815 Va.	New Hope Cem. 1-3-1884	Jesse Hedges	23-12-1832 Fleming Co., Ky.
7 Margaret	ca. 1813 Va.		David Ringo	28-11-1833 Fleming Co., Ky
8 Walter/Watt	* Stafford or 1817 Staunton Co. Va.	ca. 1896 Probably Rowan Co., Ky.	#1 Angeline Snedeger #2 Mary (Hedges?)	
9 Sally Ann			George Holliday	4-3-1835 Fleming Co., Ky.
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#### Sources and Misc. Information

James and Margaret, Wm. R. and James R. are listed in the Hawkins family Bible, handed down to my mother, Survella Shults Hallmark. John R. and Moses R. are listed as brothers in records of Kathleen Briglio and Joan George.

- \* In the Vital Stats records of Rowan Co., Ky., it lists Watt's place of birth "Stafford Co." On another card it lists it as Staunton/Stanton Co., Virginia.

The marriage records in Flemingsburg, Ky., of the Hawkins' daughter, list James Hawkins as father. An extensive letter collection of Permelia Nickell Hawkins, w/o Andrew J., gives several references to descendants of James, Margaret (the elder), and of William R. Hawkins.

- \* Daughters of Robert and Eleanor Perry Nickell.

*These group sheets of James and Margaret Hawkins, and the descendants of William R. Hawkins, are from the records of Olyue Hallmark Abbott*

<b>Husband</b> <u>Hawkins, William R.</u>	<b>Wife</b> <u>Judah Hawes</u>
<b>Birth</b> <u>31-1-1791</u> <b>Place</b> <u>Va.</u>	<b>Birth</b> <u>2-8-1799</u> <b>Place</b> <u>Va/Ky</u>
<b>Death</b> <u>1-1879</u> <b>Place</b> <u>Rowan Co., Ky.</u>	<b>Death</b> <u>14-2-1875</u> <b>Place</b> <u>Rowan Co., Ky.</u>
<b>Burial</b> <u>Siloam Cem., Rowan Co.</u>	<b>Burial</b> <u>Siloam Cem., Rowan Co., Ky.</u>
<b>Marriage Record</b> <u>2-9-1821</u>	<b>Marriages</b> _____
<b>Other Marriages</b> _____	_____
<b>Census Records</b> <u>Rowan, Fleming, &amp; Clark Co., Ky.</u>	<b>Census Records</b> <u>Mason, Fleming, Clark, &amp; Rowan Co. Ky.</u>
<b>Father</b> <u>James Hawkins</u>	<b>Father</b> <u>Alexander Hawes, s/o William*</u>
<b>Mother</b> <u>Margaret</u>	<b>Mother</b> <u>Lucy Powke</u>

CHILDREN	BIRTH and Place	DEATH and Place	HUSBAND/ WIFE	MARRIAGE DATE
1 James A.	17-6-1822	?	Susanna Logan	7-6-1841
2 Lucy Anne	20-9-1824	Ky.	Isaac E. Phelps	16-3-1843
3 Joyce	21-9-1826	4-8-1826 Ky.	-	-
4 *Andrew Jackson	2-2-1829	22-7-1909 Galveston Co. Tex.	Permellia F. Nickell	18-9-1859
5 son	8-1-1831	8-1-1831 Ky.	-	-
6 William Morton	11-1-1831	Mo.	Rose Anne Cassity	17-2-1853
7 Margaret Jane	24-8-1834	6-2-1894 Rowan Co.	#1 Matthias Lee #2 Henry Clay Powers	8-11-1851 Circa 1871
8 Jo Anne	4-4-1838	Ky.	Lewis R. Lane	23-9-1858
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#### Sources and Misc. Information

Hawkins Family Bible, formerly belonging to  
 Survella Shults Hallmark, g gd of Wm. R.  
 Hawkins: now in the possession of her  
 daughter, Olyve Hallmark Abbott; Hayden's  
Virginia Genealogies; Cemetery visits;  
 Census records of Fleming and Rowan, and  
 Clarks Counties, Ky.

\*Gr gf. of Olyve H. Abbott

Husband <u>Hawkins, James A.</u>	Wife <u>Logan, Susanna</u>
Birth <u>17-6-1822</u> Place <u>Ky.</u>	Birth <u>1823</u> Place _____
Death _____ Place _____	Death _____ Place _____
Burial _____	Burial _____
Marriage Record <u>7-6-1841</u>	Marriages _____
Other Marriages _____	
Census Records _____	Census Records _____
Father <u>William R. Hawkins, s/o James &amp; Margaret</u>	Father _____
Mother <u>Judah Hawes, d/o Alex. &amp; Lucy Hawes</u>	Mother _____

CHILDREN	BIRTH and Place	DEATH and Place	HUSBAND/WIFE	MARRIAGE DATE
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J. W.	Ca. 1842			
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Richard P.	1844			
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Edward P.	1845			
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Lucy J.	1847			
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Elizabeth C.	1849			
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Frances M.	1850			
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Henry S.	11-3-1852			
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Eliza J.	1855			
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Margaret	1856			
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Lucinda	1858			
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Moses R.	6-1859/60			
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**Sources and Misc. Information**  
 Census records. After census of 1860 in Ky., I could not locate this family. It is possible that he died during the Civil War, or they moved. James & Susanna lived next to Henry S. Logan, who was bondsman at her wedding. She was not listed on census as his sister. It has been thought that she might be a daughter of Tobias Logan.



Husband <u>Phelps, Isaac E.</u>	Wife <u>Lucy Anne Hawkins</u>
Birth <u>6-3-1822</u> Place _____	Birth <u>20-9-1824</u> Place <u>Ky.</u>
Death <u>8-2-1889</u> Place <u>Rowan Co., Ky.</u>	Death _____ Place _____
Burial <u>Siloam Cemetery</u>	Burial _____
Marriage Record <u>16-3-1843</u>	Marriages _____
Other Marriages _____	
Census Records _____	Census Records _____
Father <u>Zacharia Phelps</u>	Father <u>William R. Hawkins, s/o Jms. &amp; Margaret</u>
Mother <u>Martha Kissick</u>	Mother <u>Judah Hawes, d/o Alexander &amp; Lucy</u>

CHILDREN	BIRTH and Place	DEATH and Place	HUSBAND/WIFE	MARRIAGE DATE
1 Manerva Jane	1846			
2 Harriett	1848			
3 Mary E.	1850			
4 Orpha A.	1856			
5 Isaac W.	1861			
6 John	1867		Lucy H. Heflin	7-3-1890
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#### Sources and Misc. Information

Hawkins Bible records of O. H. A.; Cemetery visits; Parents' names of Isaac E., from Bill (desc.) and Maxine Swango.

On a footstone of a grave next to Milford Lane in Siloam Cem., there are initials, "L. P.", but no headstone. It is in the Hawkins/Lane area, and could be Lucy (Hawkins) Phelps.

Note: There was a will probated in Bath Co., Ky., in 1896, of Lucy A. Phelps:



Husband <u>Hawkins, Andrew Jackson</u>	Wife <u>Permelia Florence Nickell</u>
Birth <u>2-2-1829</u> Place <u>Ky.</u>	Birth <u>4-7-1843</u> Place <u>Ky.</u>
Death <u>22-7-1909</u> Place <u>Alto Loma, Gal. Co., Tex.</u>	Death <u>31-7-1899</u> Place <u>George's Creek, Tex.</u>
Burial <u>Arcadia</u>	Burial <u>George's Creek Cem., Somervell Co., Tex.</u>
Marriage Record <u>18-9-1859</u> <u>Ky.</u>	Marriages _____
Other Marriages _____	Census Records _____
Census Records _____	Father <u>William C. Nickell, s/o Robert and Eleanor Perry Nickell</u>
Father <u>William R. Hawkins, s/o Jms. &amp; Marg.</u>	Mother <u>Lucinda W. Pearce</u>
Mother <u>Judah Hawes, d/o Alexander &amp; Lucy</u>	

CHILDREN	BIRTH and Place	DEATH and Place	HUSBAND/ WIFE	MARRIAGE DATE
1 Daniel Boone	16-7-1860 Rowan Co.(?), Ky.	22-7-1888 Denison, Tex.	Millicent Amelia Gilkison	20-12-1879, Ky.
2 baby	23-1-1863 Ky.	same	-	-
3 baby	7-4-1864 Ky.	same	-	-
4 James Wm. "Willie"	5-6-1865 Ky.	George's Crk., Tx	-	-
5 John R bert	23-2-1868 Ky.	5-2-1940 Tx.	Maggie Scarbro	3-1-1891
6 Anna Pruden Kate*	6-10-1870 Ky.	21-10-1903 Bartlett, Tex.	James Wm. Shults	17-12-1891 Somervell Co., Tx.
7 Eva Cora	22-2-1873 Ky.	2-11-1933 Snider, Okla.	Geo. Franklin Shults	18-12-1892 Somervell Co., Tx.
8 Eliza. Frances "Lizzie"	28-12-1874 Ky.	10-1911 Alto Loma, Tex.	Robt. Henry Romine	20-12-1894 Somervell Co., Tx.
9 Louisa Ellen McKissick	18-2-1878 Ky.	6-6-1955 Wichita Falls, Tx.	#1 Th. Clark Page #2 Oliver C. Blanton	Ca. 1906 16-7-1921
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#### Sources and Misc. Information

Hawkins Family Bible; Cemetery visits;  
census records, Rowan Co., Ky., Somervell,  
and Galveston Cos., Tex.  
\* Grandmother of Olyve H. Abbott

<b>Husband</b> <u>Hawkins, William Morton</u>	<b>Wife</b> <u>Rose Anna Cassity</u>
<b>Birth</b> <u>11-1-1832</u> <b>Place</b> <u>Clark Co., Ky.</u>	<b>Birth</b> <u>10-3-1833</u> <b>Place</b> _____
<b>Death</b> _____ <b>Place</b> _____ <b>Mo.</b> _____	<b>Death</b> _____ <b>Place</b> _____
<b>Burial</b> _____	<b>Burial</b> _____
<b>Marriage Record</b> <u>17-2-1853</u>	<b>Marriages</b> _____
<b>Other Marriages</b> _____	
<b>Census Records</b> <u>Ky. &amp; 1880 Clinton Co., Mo.</u>	<b>Census Records</b> _____
<b>Father</b> <u>Wm. R. Hawkins, s/o Jms. &amp; Margaret</u>	<b>Father</b> <u>James A. Cassity, s/o Peter T.</u>
<b>Mother</b> <u>Judah Hawes, d/o Alexander &amp; Lucy</u>	<b>Mother</b> <u>Mary Ann Hedges, d/o Levi</u>

CHILDREN	BIRTH and Place	DEATH and Place	HUSBAND/WIFE	MARRIAGE DATE
1 Martin J.	1854 Ky.	1943 Clinton Co., Mo.	Nancy C.	ca. 1879
2 Irena/Aurena	1852 Ky.		Wm. A. Hunt	divorced 1879; remrd. 21-12-1880
3 Gessella	1866 Ky.		Edward J. DeVall	3-1-1879
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#### Sources and Misc. Information

Hawkins Bible records; Clinton Co., Mo. History; Cemetery Records, 1910 Soundex.

Note: Martin's ch. were #1 Gertrude, b. ca. 1879, m. Jacob E. Matthews on 2-9-1900. #2 Bertha, m. Geo. Hall on 21-2-1912. Irena's ch. were Rosella, b. ca. 1875, & Daisy O, b. ca. 1879.

Husband <u>Lee, Matthias</u>	Wife <u>Margaret Jane Hawkins</u>
Birth <u>ca. 1830</u> Place <u>Fleming Co., Ky.</u>	Birth <u>24-8-1834</u> Place <u>Ky.</u>
Death <u>before 1870</u> Place _____	Death <u>6-2-1894</u> Place <u>Morehead, Ky.</u>
Burial _____	Burial <u>Lee Cemetery, Morehead, Ky., Rowan Co.</u>
Marriage Record <u>8-11-1851</u>	Marriages <u>#2 Henry Clay Powers, ca. 1870</u>
Other Marriages _____	
Census Records _____	Census Records _____
Father <u>Joseph Lee</u>	Father <u>William R. Hawkins, s/o James &amp; Margaret</u>
Mother <u>Abigail Moppin</u>	Mother <u>Judah Hawes, d/o Alexander &amp; Lucy Hawes</u>

CHILDREN	BIRTH and Place	DEATH and Place	HUSBAND/WIFE	MARRIAGE DATE
1 Joyce Abigail	5-10-1852 Bath Co., Ky.			
2 Ann Elizabeth	ca. 1855			
3 John T. W.	22-9-1856 Rowan Co., Ky.		Laura Douglass	18-8-1881
4 William Riley	5-7-1859	21-12-1927 Kansas City, Mo.	Hattie Douglass	1889
5 Mathias Barber Hurt	8-11-1861 Fleming Co., Ky.	20-2-1899 Kansas City, Mo.	Lizzie Douglass	16-8-1881
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#### Sources and Misc. Information

Hawkins Bible Records of O. H. A.; Cemetery visits; Fleming, Rowan, and Bath Cos.' census records; Specific dates of above children, Douglass information, and verification of Matthias' parents, from Jim and Shirley Ervin.

Henry Clay Powers, b. 14-1-1834, d. 30-12-1896 in Morehead, Ky. He was active in Rowan Co., Ky.'s Martin-Tolliver Feud of 1884-1887. Henry owned a hotel in Morehead, and added an opera house. See Days of Anger, Days of Tears, by Blair & Brown. Henry was married before and after Margaret Hawkins.

Husband <u>Lame, Lewis R.</u>	Wife <u>Jo Anne Hawkins</u>
Birth <u>30-4-1838</u> Place _____	Birth <u>4-4-1838</u> Place _____
Death <u>23-10-1913</u> Place <u>Rowan Co., Ky.</u>	Death _____ Place _____
Burial <u>Siloam Cem., Rowan Co., Ky.</u>	Burial _____
Marriage Record <u>23-9-1858</u>	Marriages _____
Other Marriages _____	
Census Records _____	Census Records _____
Father _____	Father <u>Wm. R. Hawkins, s/o James &amp; Margaret</u>
Mother _____	Mother <u>Judah Hawes, d/o Alexander and Lucy</u>

CHILDREN	BIRTH and Place	DEATH and Place	HUSBAND/ WIFE	MARRIAGE DATE
1 Millford William	20-1-1860, Ky.	26-1-1863, Siloam Cem., Rowan Co.	-	-
2 Emma	28-3-1863, Ky.	2-1956 Caudill Cem., Morehead Ky.	Absalom Perry	
3 John Morton	1866, Ky.	1952, Clearfield Cem., Morehead, Ky.	1. Anna Collins 2. Arthlis Evans 3. Cordie Collins	
4 Addie	1874, Ky.	1936, Clearfield Cem., Morehead, Ky.	Overton A. Maxey	29-9-1891
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#### Sources and Misc. Information

Hawkins Bible records of O.H.A.; Cemetery visits; Names of wives of John Morton from Chester D. Prater, Jr., a desc.; Lewis R. Lame was a Baptist preacher and a Mason.

Absalom ("Ap") Perry was active in Rowan Co.'s Martin-Tolliver Feud of 1884-1887, and was a son of Cyrus Perry.

The Hawkins Family Organization has a collection of family group sheets of Hawkins in Virginia, plus a few outside of Virginia, who were born before 1800. Now the collection has been completely cross-checked so that there is a sheet for every child on every parents' sheet, every grandparent on a parent's sheet, and every girl born a Hawkins. Index cards have been made for the children on these sheets who were born after 1800 so that their ancestry may be located in the collection. Cross-checking has doubled the size of the collection to 550 family group sheets. Undoubtedly some sheets are for the same person, one showing his parents, another showing his wife, without sufficient data to show that they are the same person. The collection is not complete for all the Hawkins people in Virginia at the time but surely it must have most of them. There are enough in it to give some possibilities when one wishes to find someone such as James Hawkins whose sons settled in Kentucky and are ancestors to several of us.

The collection shows the earliest Hawkins in Virginia as Thomas Hawkins of York County. He was born about 1570 in Plymouth England and died in 1636 in York County Virginia. His wife was Elizabeth and their son was Major Thomas Hawkins, Jr. Subsequent Hawkins immigrants to Virginia were also from Plymouth so perhaps they are all related.

The collection also shows which given names were popular among Hawkins families. John is the favorite by far with 68 sheets. William is second with 51 sheets. The other popular men's names and their frequency are: 25 Thomas, 21 James, 18 Benjamin, 16 Joseph, 10 Elijah/Elisha, and 9 Moses. Popular women's names are all paired with nick-names: 23 Elizabeth/Betty, 23 Sarah/Sally, 20 Mary/Polly, 15 Lucinda/Lucy, 12 Ann/Annie, and 10 Margaret/Peggy. The women have a smaller total number than do the men's names because of a smaller number of women in our records.

James Hawkins was born in Virginia about 1765 and married once or twice, his last or only wife being Margaret. The collection shows two possibilities for his parents: Benjamin Hawkins and Martha Borden/Burden or William Hawkins and Mary (Littleberry ?). The family group sheets of both these couples are included and both contain many estimated dates. There is no information on a James and Margaret marriage.

Estimated dates can be 30 years off the mark but in cross-checking the Hawkins collection I have found them amazingly accurate. They are calculated as follows. At marriage a woman is estimated to be 20 years old and a man 25 years of age. Actually most Hawkins couples in the collection married two or three years younger than this except in the event of a second marriage. The oldest child is calculated as born one year after the marriage and subsequent children are estimated as born every two years thereafter. The birth order of children is listed as it appeared in the source because sometimes they are listed in chronological order, however many times they are not in order. Consequently with only one marriage or birth date the statistics for a whole family can be estimated. Sometimes there is only a death date or will to work with. I usually estimate the birth as 60 years earlier but this is very unreliable. All sheets in the collection must have

**HUSBAND** Benjamin HAWKINSOccupation "a gay, handsome,  
graceful cavalier"

Born	est. 1739	Place	
Chr.		Place	
Marr. on or by	24 Aug 1764	Place	James River Settlement, Virginia
Died	early	Place	
Bur.		Place	
Father	John HAWKINS	Mother	
Other Wives			

**WIFE** Martha BORDEN / BURDEN

Born		Place	
Chr.		Place	
Died	after May 1779	Place	
Bur.		Place	
Father	Benjamin BORDEN, Jr	Mother	Magdalene WOODS

Other Husbands 2) Robert HARVEY m 9 Dec 1788 Roanoke, Virginia

Children	Sex	When Born When Died	Where Born Where Died	Marriage Date & Place To Whom
1 Magdalene		est. 1765		(a younger bro of Rbt.) Matthew Harvey
2 Sally		est. 1767		John Todd
3 John		est. 1769		
4 James		est. 1771		
5 Burden		est. 1773		
6 unknown		est. 1775		
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**Sources of Information****Other Marriages**

Wulfeck's book  
 "History & Genealogy of the Families of Miller,  
 Woods," etc by W.H. Miller, from a film of the  
 American Genealogy Lending Library  
 "Kegley's Virginia Frontier" in Bits and Pieces  
 of the Hawkins Family Puzzle by Mildred Farmer.  
 I.G.I. batch 7133429-69 for m of Martha & Robert.



**HUSBAND**

William HAWKINS, Sr

### Occupation

Born	est. 1733
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Other Wives	bought land in Bedford Co. Va in 1781.
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**WIFE** Mary (LITTLEBERRY ?)

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### Children

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When Died

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Where Died

Marriage Date &amp; Place

To Whom

1 William, Jr	- - est. - 1759
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2 Littleberry	est. 1769
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3 Robert	- est. 1769 24 Jul 1820
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4	Joseph	est. 1961
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5 Benjamin	- - est. -1763
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6 James	- - est - 1765
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7 Mildred	- - est. -1767
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### Sources of Information

### Other Marriages

I.G.I. for the marriage of Littleberry and Jane



a birth date or estimation as they are filed chronologically under given name. With 68 John Hawkins the birth dates are a big help in finding the right one.

The sources given in the collection are not always complete. This is because the collection was started from a file of Hawkins information collected from the Round Robin - the forerunner of "Hawkins Heritage". Some of the things in the file had no source on them and I wasn't patient enough to record all those that did. Everything that has been added since the original start has been listed with enough of a source to follow-up on. Pedigree charts are listed as sources so that the descendant may be contacted from the address on his chart. Everyone who has shared or submitted his pedigree has his chart on file to help us match up cousins.

If any reader has corrections or information to add to these three family group sheets, or anything else in "Hawkins Heritage", then please send it to Kathleen Briglio for use in a future issue. The collection has not given us anything definite on our James Hawkins but with two possible families to search we now have a better chance. If research proves them both to belong to other James' then at least the collection can be enriched for someone else. To see what the collection might have for you, send your free queries to the publisher or submit your chart to the pedigree service. Ancestors that are not found in this collection will be sent to our other members who collect Hawkins.

- Kathleen

### **Trips and Reunions**

On Sunday, March 15, 1987 there was a reunion of the Guy Curtis Hawkins family of Denison Texas. Guy and his wife and seven children had not been able to all gather together in the same house for twenty years. Spouses and grandchildren swelled the number present to over twenty and everyone enjoyed a Texas barbeque. The oldest present was Guy Curtis Hawkins Sr, who will retire this year from his job as food service manager at Grayson College in Denison. The youngest attending was three month old Garrett Lord Finch, a grandson from San Antonio Texas. The people coming from the farthest away were daughter Kathleen and her husband Tano Briglio from Victoria, British Columbia.

Everyone was too excited or too tired from traveling on that evening to take any pictures. The following evening the families gathered again to watch slides of themselves as children. Cameras began flashing but already one daughter was absent due to other commitments. With today's busy lifestyle a family reunion of everyone is a challenge to achieve, and rewarding when you succeed.

Hawkins Heritage could be of help in advertising family reunions and travel among cousins so that more of us will have a chance to plan to see each other. You are invited to share information on your reunions or travel plans.

This summer I would like to make a genealogy trip to central Illinois, but if I can not, then I will go to Seattle for a week of research. The rest of the summer I will be at home and my husband and I can offer accomodation if any cousins would like to visit us.

- Kathleen Briglio

### New Members and Subscribers

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761 West Cushing St  
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Kathleen M. Higgs  
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Oakdale, California 95361

Linda L. Brandt  
Route 1, Box 82  
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Mrs Dolores Berry Blase  
619 Pleasant Ridge Road  
Fairview Heights, Illinois 62208

Tim Hawkins  
P.O. Box 744  
Concord, North Carolina 28026-0744

### Queries and Answers

Query Seeking information on Isaac Hawkins b 1793, Ky and wife Sarah T. Sarah possibly d 1860. Children Levi and Minerva Hawkins. Minerva b 1839, m my gr-gr-grandfather William Thomas Berry, 2 Mar 1854 in Bath Co, Ky. They moved to Illinois in the 1860s. Please contact: Mrs Dolores Berry Blase, 691 Pleasant Ridge Road, Fairview Heights, Illinois 62208.

Answer Here is a family group sheet from the Hawkins of Virginia collection. It was sent by subscriber Rita Souther who is descendant from Levi. The collection shows two possible parents for Isaac. Both couples are named William and Elizabeth and have large families with mostly estimated birth dates so the dates may be quite inaccurate. Their family group sheets are included as well. The William born in 1754 appeared on the Hawkins pedigree chart in the last issue. In this issue we are including the pedigree of his wife, Elizabeth Bourne whose mother was a Morton. If anyone can correct or add to this information then please contact Mrs Blase and in turn we ask Mrs Blase to share additional information she receives with all of us through the newsletter.

Query "Prior to 1752 the civil year began on March 25th and March was the first month of the year." How far back in time does this apply? Does it hold true for all the states, for Britian, and Europe? How then does one calculate dates for genealogy? If you know any of these answers please write to the publisher.

Pita Southern  
4145 Century Ct  
Alexandria, VA 22312

FAMILY  
GROUP  
RECORD

ENTER ALL DATA IN THIS ORDER:  
DATES: 14 Apr 1794

NAMES: WATSON, John Henry  
PLACES: Sharon, Windsor, Vi

To indicate that a child is an ancestor of the family representative, place an "X" behind the number pertaining to that child.

HUSBAND

(full name) Isaac

HAWKINS

Born (date) c. 1793

Place (age 14-24-1810c & 40-50-1840c.)

Chr. (date)

Place

Marr. (date) prob. prior to 1820

Place

Died (date) 1846-1849

Place

Bur. (date)

Place

HUSBAND'S  
FATHER (full name)

Place

HUSBAND'S  
MOTHER (full name)

Place

WIFE

(full maiden name)

Sarah T.

Born (date) ca. 1793

Place ca 57-1850c

Chr. (date)

Place

Died (date) p. 1860 census

Place

Bur. (date)

Place

WIFE'S  
FATHER (full name)

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WHERE BORN

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COUNTRY

DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE

DAY

MONTH

YEAR

1. Elisabeth L. HAWKINS

age 24-1850c

ca. 23-1850c

7 Nov. 1826

Bath Ky

John C. HON

13 Dec. 1826

13 Dec. 1826

2. Levi

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

3. Alfred

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

4. Silas

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

5. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

6. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

7. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

8. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

9. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

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ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

11. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

12. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

13. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

14. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

15. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

16. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

17. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

18. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

19. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

20. Minerva

ca 21-1850c

ca 18-1850c

ca 11-1850c

Nicholas Ky

Nancy

2 Mar. 1854

William J. BERRY

OTHER MARRIAGES

Levi m2) - Elizabeth Edwards - 13<sup>th</sup> census to m

13<sup>th</sup> wife

\* Alfred - 1860 c. Ky

SOURCES OF INFORMATION  
1810-1840 censuses of Ky and records. copies in my possession  
Bath Co. Ky probate & land records. copies in my possession  
Cass Co. Mo. History (Elizabeth & John C. Hon)  
Va. p101 Bath Co. Ky - Sarah T. Hawkins & children  
any of Nicholas Co. Ky (unindexed, p. 509 & 2)  
in list of the children-

**HUSBAND** William HAWKINS

Occupation

Born	1750	Place	England
Chr.		Place	
Marr.		Place	
Died	ca. 1835	Place	Harrison County, VA (now W.VA)
Bur.		Place	
Father		Mother	
Other Wives			

**WIFE** Elizabeth

Born		Place	
Chr.		Place	
Died	1820 - 1830	Place	Harrison Co, VA (now West VA)
Bur.		Place	
Father		Mother	
Other Husbands			

Children	Sex	When Born When Died	Where Born Where Died	Marriage Date & Place To Whom
1 Thomas		ca. 1770		
2 John		est 1772		
3 Walter A.		1774 1843	Fauquier Co., Virginia	26 July 1803 Harrison Co - Mrs Mary Yates Cross
4 Sarah "Sally"		est 1775		26 Jan 1795 Fauquier Co - 1) John Chesher VA
5 Hannah		est 1777		Samuel Harris
6 Isaac		est 1779		
7 William		est 1781		Catherine Brumage
8 Oliver		est 1783		Nancy Ann Jones
9 Elijah		est 1785		Drusilla Pearse
10 Jesse		est 1787		1) Polly Jones
11 Margaret Jane		est 1789		10 Mar 1803 Monongalia Co John Yates VA
12 Nancy		est 1791		John Williamson
13 James		est 1793		Eleanor Pearce
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**Sources of Information**

I.G.I. for b of Walter, source: Harrison Co Court Records in  
Harrison Co Library.

I.G.I. for m of Margaret, m of Sarah/Sally, & m #2 of Jesse

**Other Marriages**

Sarah m 2)

A. Hill

Jesse m 2)

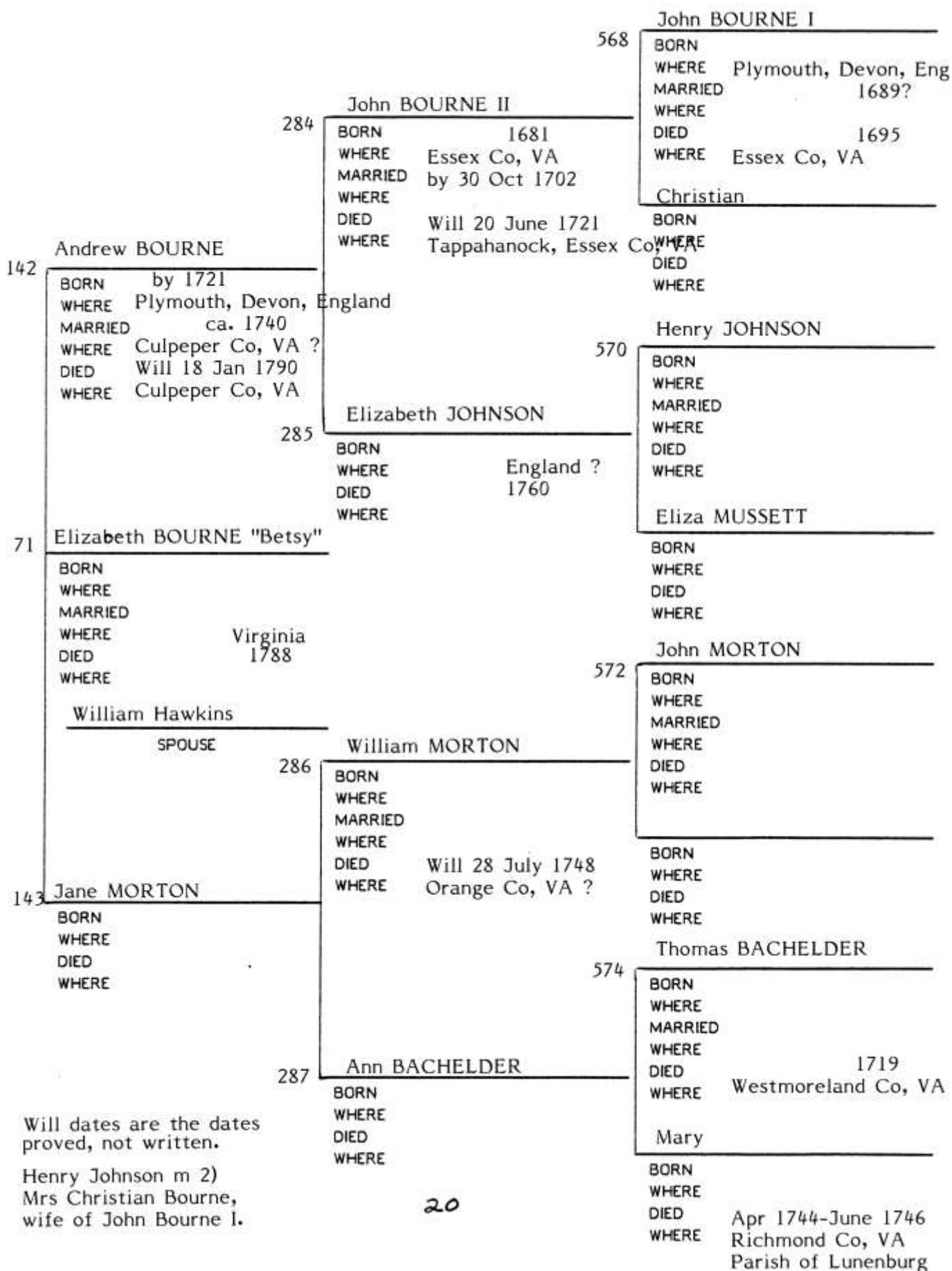
Cary Jones

17 Feb 1798

Fauquier Co, VA

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## Meet Your Cousin

It has been enjoyable to get acquainted with our fellow Hawkins Family Organization members and cousins. Each issue we would like to help you get to know one of these families or individuals. This issue the family of our membership chairman will be the first subject. Meet the Georges! Willard Lennie George is descended from Virginia Morton Hawkins. His wife Joan is the genealogy letter writer for the family. Both "Bill" and Joan were born in Salt Lake City in the 1930s. Bill is an office manager and they live in Irvine California with two daughters: Nancy 17, and Wendy 9 years old. The rest of this is told by Joan.

In introducing you to the Georges, we'd like you to know we have always been a genealogy-minded family. Both Bill and I grew up in families which appreciated our heritage and kept alive ancestors in our minds and great stories about them and their struggles and victories. From a very early age we have both delighted in discovering new facts previously unknown. The twenty years of our marriage have been spent in joint research efforts. I do most of the actual research although Bill has often been at the microfilm reader when really significant discoveries have been made. Actually the Hawkins line is Bill's side of the family, but I get just as great a thrill working on his lines as on my own. This side of the family has been virgin territory for research which has made finds even more exciting.

Despite the fact our two beautiful daughters are adopted, they know all the family stories and accept them as their heritage. Our oldest daughter Nancy is a senior in high school and lots of fun as well as challenging at times. Wendy is nine years old and in fourth grade. We are close as a family and enjoy doing things together.

Recently Bill and I have entered the computer age with our genealogy. We have entered many names and find it a fun new way to stay organized. We literally have volumes of material on our ancestors, so it will take us a long while to get everything entered. Both of us are descended from English royalty and are in fact related, having King Edward III as our common ancestor nineteen generations ago. We have found the pursuit of genealogical knowledge a fascinating hobby. It will undoubtedly intrigue us all the rest of our days, and we are very grateful for this method of working together for our common goal. We hope to interface with many others and have found one great side benefit of our research to be getting to know so many wonderful cousins. Happy hunting to all of us.

- Joan George





Roll #007970 Fleming Co., Ky. Taxation Records 1822-1841  
Hawkins and Allied Lines

Abbreviations: ac: acres h: horse ch: children  
C: cattle BC: Bushels corn BW: Bushels wheat hgs: hogs  
bl: black BH: Bushels hemp PT: Pounds tobacco TH: Tons  
hay m: male over 21 sl: slave WC: water course

1822

Gregory R. Hawkins 4h land \$700  
Alexander Hawes f/o Judah H. Hawkins 184ac 4bl 4h \$2,020  
Wm. R. Hawkins 1m over 21 \$50  
Wm. R. Hedges 2h \$100  
Levi Hedges 1h \$75  
Orris (Horace) Hawes s/o Alexander 1m over 21  
Robert Nickell f/o Melvina & Martha J., ws/o Moses R. Hawkins  
1 bl 1h 6ch 30ac Fleming \$1,590  
Elisah Gray \$253 Catherine 104ac \$788 Rachel \$700

No book for 1823

1824

Elisha, David, Catherine, John, Rachel, Fielding Gray  
William R. Hawkins \$50  
Gregory R. Hawkins 1 m over 21 4h 5ch \$700  
Alexander Hawes 184ac 4bl 4h \$2,020  
Wm. Hedges  
Levi Hedges  
Orris Hawes (Horace)  
Wm., Lewis, Henry Markwell  
Robert Nickell 30ac 1bl 1h

1825

Wm., Fielding, John, Elisha, Catherine, John Gray  
William Hawkins 1h land at \$58  
Alexander Haws (f/o Judah Hawes, w/o Wm. R. Hawkins)  
174ac 1bl 2h \$1,490  
Samuel, Arthur, Horace Hawes  
Levi Hedges Wm. Hedges  
Lewis, Henry, Wm. Markwell  
Henry Razor 100ac Licking Water Course \$600  
Samuel, George, Noah, John, Paul, Ben, Thomas Razor  
Robert Nickell

1826

Samuel, Jms., Fielding, Matthew, Elisha, Catherine, John Gray  
Levi Hedges  
Gregory R. Hawkins 3h \$1,000  
Alexander Hawes 184ac 1bl 2h \$1,286  
Arthur, Samuel, and Horace Hawes, brs/o Judah Hawkins  
Henry Razor 100ac \$400  
George 1h \$45 Samuel Razor 2h \$85

1827

John Gray 102ac 1h \$350  
Elisha, Catherine, Jane, Matthew Gray  
Thatcher, Allen Hyatt  
William Hedges 4h \$160, Levi Hedges  
Alexander Hawes 2bl 2h \$1,250  
Arthur, Horace Hawes

Samuel Hawes 2 m over 16 3bl \$670  
 Lewis, Hunt/Hurst?, Jms., Wm., Henry Markwell  
 Henry, Samuel, George Raisor  
 Eleanor Nickell wid/o Robt.; moth/o Melvina & Martha Jane  
 (Robt. Nickell d. in 1827) 300ac Triplett 1bl \$1,300  
 1828  
 Elisah, Catherine, Solomon, John, David, Wm., John Gray  
 Alexander, Samuel, Horace, Arthur Hawes  
 Levi, Wm. Hedges  
 Eleanor Nickell 300ac 1bl \$1,300  
 Henry Razor 200ac Licking \$450 Geo Razor 1h \$40  
 1829  
 Alexander, Horace, Arthur, d. 4-7-1829, Samuel Hawes 160ac  
 Eleanor Nickell  
 David, Wm., John, Elisah, Solomon, Abner Gray  
 Henry, Samuel, George Razor  
 No book for 1830  
 1831  
 Alexander, Samuel, and Horace Hawes  
 Levi, Addison, Wm., and Jesse Hedges  
 John R. Hawkins 1086ac Triplett 6h \$900  
 Thatcher Hiatt 160ac  
 James Moody listed, h/o Jane Hawkins  
 James Hawkins 100ac 2h \$100  
 Eleanor Nickell  
 Henry Razor 200ac 2h \$800  
 Samuel Razor 3h \$50 Geo. Razor 288ac 1bl 2h \$1,300  
 No book for 1832  
 1833  
 Levi, Wm., Addison, & Jesse Hedges  
 John R. Hawkins 1086ac Triplett 6h \$1,200  
 James Hawkins 120ac 1h (Note: James or James R.?) \$153  
 \$153 Alexander Hawes (Alexander d. June, 1833 in the  
 Fleming County cholera epidemic.)  
 William, Henry, & James Kissick listed. Kissick is an  
 allied line through Hedges/Ribelin/Hawkins.  
 Madison, Elisah, Jms., Cath., Wm., Davied, John Gray  
 Henry Razor 200ac 2h \$800 Samuel Razor 2h \$100  
 George Razor 400ac 1bl 6h \$1,600  
 1834  
 Horace and Samuel Hawes  
 James Hawkins (Only 1 James listed. No middle initial.  
 James & James R. d. 1834.) 120ac \$120  
 John R. Hawkins 1,086ac Triplett 6h \$1,200  
 William R. Hawkins (Appeared 1st first here in 1834. His  
 son & dau., Wm. Morton & Lucy Anne Phelps b. Clark Co.  
 30ac Trip. WC 1m over 21 1h \$65  
 Eleanor Nickell, Robert and Andrew Nickell  
 Wm., John, David, Elisha, Cath., Jms., Matthew Gray  
 Addison, Jesse Hedges 100ac Trip. 2h \$175  
 William Hedges 130ac Licking WC 2h \$650  
 Henry Razor 200ac 3h \$865 Samuel Razor \$75  
 George Razor 400ac Licking 1bl 7h \$1,650

No books for 1835 nor 1836

1837

Elisah, Henry, Wm., Jr. and Wm. Sr. Gray	
Mrs. Margaret Gray 100ac Licking WC 3h	\$610
James Hedges, Jesse Hedges, h/o Lucy Ann Hawkins	
David R. Hedges/Hodges	
Levi Hedges 40ac Fox WC 2h	\$320
William Hedges 1,180ac Licking 4h	\$1,700
Horace Hawes, Samuel Hawes	
William Hawkins 30ac \$150 Trip 3h \$130	\$310
John R. Hawkins 1086ac Trip. WC 3h 1stud	\$1,150
Moses R. Hawkins 122ac	\$200
Andrew, John, Robert Nickell	
Eleanor Nickell 300ac Trip 1bl 4h	\$2,100
Samuel, Jackson Razor Henry Razor 200ac Licking 2h	\$860
George Razor 410ac Licking 20h	\$3,144

1838

Wm. R. Hawkins 80ac 4h 3ch bet 5-18	\$400
John R. Hawkins 1,086ac 4h	\$2,000
Moses R. Hawkins 4h	
Eleanor, Robert, Andrew, John Nickell	
Margery, Wm., Henry, John, Elisha R. Gray	
Samuel Hawes	
Jesse, Addison, and Levi Hedges	
Samuel Razor \$775 Jackson \$650 Henry \$880 Geo.	\$4,509

1839

Samuel Hawes	Horace Hawes	
Wm. R. Hawkins 80ac 4h 3ch 5-18		\$400
John R. Hawkins 1086ac 4h		\$2,200
Elisah, Henry, Wm., Andrew, John, Mariah, Wm. Sr., Gray		
Levi, Addison Hedges Wm. R. Hedges 1181ac		\$2,400
Moses R. Hawkins		
David Ringo 30ac 2h \$550 Margaret Jane Hawkins, apparent sister of Wm. R., John R., etc., mrd. a David Ringo in Fleming Co. This could be he.		
John R. Ringo 3bl 12h		\$7,815
Henry Razor 100ac 2h \$880 Wilmington Razor		
George Razor 450ac 18h \$11,908 Samuel, Jackson Razor		

1840

Fielding Hawkins	
Samuel Hawes	
John Gray 230ac 10h 4ch 7-17 \$3,200	Mariah Gray \$700
Henry Gray 1 lot Pop. Pl. 3h	\$9,580
David R., Levi, Addison Hedges	
Wm. R. Hedges 22h 3ch 7-17	\$2,325
Wm. R. Hawkins 80ac Trip. 5h 3ch 7-17	\$550
Samuel, George, Jackson, Wilmington Razor	

1841

Wm. R. Hawkins 80ac Triplett 3h 4ch 7-17	\$420
John R. Hawkins 1050ac Triplett 5h 2ch 7-17	\$2,200
Horace Hawes Samuel Hawes	
Jesse Hedges William R. Hedges	\$2,325
Henry Gray	
Samuel, Geo., Henry, Epcey?, Wilmington Razor	

CLARK CO., KY. Taxation, Roll #007932, 1825-1834

	1826	
William R. Hawkins	1m over 21	
James H. (clearly an "H") Hawkins		
Benjamin B. Hawkins	1m over 21	
	1827	
James R. Hawkins	1b1 1h	\$220
Wm. R. Hawkins	1m over 21	
James Gray, Sr.	1m over 21 1 winchester 1 carriage	\$100
	1828	
Wm. R. Hawkins		
	1829	
Samuel Hawes	1m over 21 1h	\$50
	1830	
Asa F. Hedges		
(The book for 1830 was very blurred.)		
	1831	
Jonas Hedges	300ac 6b1 39h	\$6,800
William Hawkins (?)	1m over 21 1h	\$100
Benjamin Hedges		
William Hawkins	40ac 4h 4 Mile WC	\$500
Samuel B. Hawes	2h \$100	Thomas B. Hawes 1h \$100
Matthew Hawes	1h \$100	John Hewes 1h \$100
No book for 1832		
	1833	
Jonas Hedges	305ac 11b1 12h	\$4,215
Nicholas Hawkins		
Thomas B. Hawes	1m over 21 2h	\$100
	1834	
Samuel Hawes, s/o Alexander, later in Fleming Co. (William R. Hawkins appeared on the Fleming Co. taxation list of 1834. Not listed in Clark Co. in 1834.)		
Nicholas Hawkins	4b1 13C	\$3,010
P. B. Hedges	Geo. W. Hedges	

The above taxation lists were ordered from the LDS Library. If you have any questions, I will re-check the film, which is now on indefinite loan locally. There seemed to be an occasional omission from the film, and that person would reappear the following year. Olyve H. Abbott

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NOTE: The Kentucky Historical Society in Frankfort, Ky., has filmed many family files, at least through the letter "M". I have the Hawkins film and have ordered "Morton"; which may offer additional Morton/Hawkins information for our next newsletter. Film to KHS members is \$14. \$17 to non-members.



BATH COUNTY, KENTUCKY - VITAL STATISTICS

VOLUME I - MARRIAGE RECORDS - 1811-1826

<u>GROOM</u>	<u>BRIDE</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Hawkins, John	Jane Rogen	2 Nov 1815
Hawkins, Thomas	Polly Deane	6 Apr 1824
Workman, James	Rebecca R. Hawkins	14 Oct 1824

BATH COUNTY, KENTUCKY - VITAL STATISTICS  
VOLUME II - MARRIAGE RECORDS - 1826-1866

<u>GROOM</u>	<u>BRIDE</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Benton, Simeon	Hawkins, Narcissa	6 Mar 1855
Berry, Wm. T.	Hawkins, Minerva	2 Mar 1854
Donaldson, Fletcher	Hawkins, Mary	11 Dec 1852
Daniel, James W.	Hawkins, Mrs. H. H.	15 Mar 1859
Donaldson, Fletcher	Hawkins, Edy	25 Aug 1853
Hawkins, Alpheus	Davis, Nancy	17 Sep 1850
Hawkins, Feliz	McFarland, Eliza	8 Oct 1850
Hawkins, James	Boyd, Elizabeth	8 Feb 1829
Hawkins, Dennis	Cannon, Rebecca P.	7 Mar 1854
Hawkins, Farmer D.	Lewis, Hannah	15 Mar 1854
Kincaid, John	Hawkins, Emma	24 Jan 1851
Masterson, Hathaway	Hawkins, Nancy Ann	24 Mar 1845
Prater, Allen D.	Hawkins, Maranda	21 Feb 1843
Powell, John M.	Hawkins, Mary	26 Sep 1860
Tucker, Nathaniel	Hawkins, Eliza	15 Mar 1829
Wilson, Nicholas	Hawkins, Amanda	18 May 1854

NICHOLAS COUNTY, KENTUCKY - VITAL STATISTICS  
VOLUME 11 - MARRIAGE RECORDS - 1799-1855

<u>GROOM</u>	<u>BRIDE</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Blair, Wm.	Kasander Hawkins	7 Sep 1815
Bingham, Wm.	Nancy Hawkins	25 May 1820
Campbell, George W.	Cyntha Ann Hawkins	14 Oct 1851
Cloughton, Elisha E.	Susan Hawkins	3 Dec 1827
Colliver, Joseph	Priscilla Hawkins	4 Feb 1847
Hawkins, Valentine	Dulcena Byram	15 Sep 1825
Hawkins, Dennis	Lucinda Powell	29 Dec 1836
Hawkins, George	Sarah Vinkirk	1 Jul 1835
Hawkins, Gregory	Elizabeth Shulise	21 Jan 1833
Hawkins, George B.	Mary Bussett	9 Apr 1846
Hawkins, Hansford	Rhoda Ann Fletcher	5 Jun 1849
Hawkins, John C.	Jane Mers	13 Feb 1851
Hawkins, Samuel	Lucretia Powell	27 Sep 1838
Hawkins, Squire	Lucinda Conyers	5 Jan 1831
Hon, John	Elizabeth L. Hawkins	6 Feb 1839
Hook, William	Elizabeth Hawkins	28 Apr 1837
Robinson, John F.	Catherine Hawkins	28 Nov 1848
Snider, John	Sarah Hawkins	29 Jun 1834
Vanscholiack, Jeremiah	Rachel G. Hawkins	2 Sep 1830

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<u>BIRTHS</u>				
<u>DATE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>FATHER</u>	<u>MOTHER</u>
10 March 1852	Frances Ellen Hawkins	Nicholas	Hansford Hawkins	Bodi Ann Fletcher
17 March 1853	Female - - -	Nicholas	William B. Victor	Mary Jane Hawkins
23 Nov. 1854	Ann Eliza Robinson	Nicholas	John F. Robinson	Catherine Hawkins
23 March 1857	Perry D. Campbell	Nicholas	George H. Campbell	Cynthia A. Hawkins

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>BORN</u>	<u>DIED</u>	<u>PARENTS</u>
William Hawkins	22	Nicholas County	Nicholas County	Valentine & D. Hawkins

**Obituary**

Mrs Elizabeth Hawkins,  
widow of Acles C. Hawkins

From Decatur, Illinois Rev. page 23  
Sunday Sept. 1915

Mrs Elizabeth Hawkins, widow of A.C. Hawkins died at 3:30 Saturday afternoon at her home at 579 S. Jackson Street. She was 62 years old. She had been ill for several months with a complication of diseases. She was born June 28, 1853 at Hillsboro, Ky. Her husband died Aug. 15, 1914. They came here from Kentucky and had resided in Decatur for the past 4 years. Mrs Hawkins is survived by one son, Joseph J. Hawkins of Decatur and the following step-children: Henry Hawkins of Springfield, Carroll Hawkins of Covington, Ky., Winston Hawkins of Rush Springs, Oklahoma, J. Otho Hawkins of Decatur, Guy C. Hawkins of Peoria, and Mrs L.B. Markwell of Hillsboro, Ky. She leaves also a brother in Indiana, and three sisters in Ky. She was a member of the first Christian Church.



## Book and Film Reviews

There are no reviews to be shared this issue but there will be some next time. One should be a film of DAR Virginia records that has been on order since February and should arrive soon.

Some people have asked to purchase a copy of Mildred Farmer's book "Bits and Pieces of the Hawkins Family Puzzle". Copies are available from the author for \$16.00 postpaid. She is our publicity person and her address is on page 2 of this newsletter. The pre 1900 sections of her book will be appearing in Hawkins Heritage in installments, so you are actually getting it in bits and pieces. Post 1900 sections will be omitted from the newsletter both because they may not be of interest to as many readers and to respect the privacy of the living family members whose permission we haven't asked.

### Bits and Pieces of the Hawkins Family Puzzle

Continued from last issue.

by Mildred Showalter Farmer

Benjamin Hawkins and Sarah Willis had a son William b. ca 1750 who mar. Elizabeth Bourne, dau. of Andrew Bourne of Culpeper CO. and his wife Jane Morton. Several sources of information say that William and Elizabeth were married in Fauquier CO., VA and moved to Harrison CO., VA. This may not be true. There was another William Hawkins who came from England and lived in these places. He was a butcher and his wife was Elizabeth. His children's names will be given later with his story.

The following information is from THE HAWKINS FAMILIES OF VIRGINIA, KENTUCKY AND NORTH CAROLINA by Mrs. Dorothy Ford Wulfeck pg. 32 and pg.

57. "Deed Book B. pg. 328. John, Benjamin, and James Hawkins, Polly Barnett, Willis Hawkins and Sally Hawkins, chdn. of Eliz. Hawkins dau. of Andrew Bourne of Culpeper CO., VA to our Bro., Moses Hawkins P of A to recover slaves left us by our grandfather, Andr. Bourne: Feb. 1808 s and ack. by John Barnett and Willis and Sally Hawkins only and rec. same."

Capt. James Hawkins, son of Sarah Willis and Benjamin Hawkins married Jane Bourne, the sister of Elizabeth Bourne Hawkins. He received a land grant for his services in the American Revolution and they moved to Kentucky.

Benjamin Hawkins Jr. son of Benjamin Hawkins and Sarah Willis married Ann Bourne, another dau. of Andrew and Jane. One source of information says that they moved to Kentucky to Fayette County and had children: Andrew, Francis, Benjamin, Abraham and Sarah, who married Reuben Boston. There may be other daughters. Some of these children lived in Anderson CO., KY on the Kentucky River.

Another source says that Benjamin lived in Culpeper CO. and died there in 1793. His father died in 1782. This Benjamin's children were Matthew, Elisha, Benjamin and Arculous and perhaps others. His will mentions wife Juda or Judith. One member of this family who was named Benjamin died in KY in 1807.

Matthew, son of Benjamin of Culpeper CO., VA married Elizabeth Maxwell, dau. of James Maxwell. Their children were: Betty, Job, James, Rebecca, who married Hawkins Popham, Phebe married Thomas Popham, Susanna married --- Lightfoot, John, and Sarah who married Armistead Kelly on Sept. 25, 1794. Matthew served in the Culpeper CO. Continental Army in 1781. His will was written on May 27, 1820 in Culpeper CO., and was probated June 19, 1820.

Betty, his dau. married Humphrey Popham, son of Job and Ann Popham, on Nov. 2, 1788 in Culpeper CO. They moved to Nelson County, KY and were listed on the 1800 and 1810 census there. In 1820, they were in Washington CO. At this time there were two sons and two daughters living with them. Lucy, dau. of Betty and Humphrey Popham married George Morrison on Apr. 15, 1813 in Nelson CO. Elizabeth married William B. Ferguson on April 18, 1812. Mary the daughter that was called "Polly" was b. July 9, 1792 and married Reuben Morgan on Sept. 24, 1811 in Nelson CO. Jacob, son of Betty and Humphrey Popham lived in Washington, CO., KY in 1820. He had two daughters. William Nall Popham, son of Betty and Humphrey was b. ca 1789, married Mary (Polly) Davis on June 13, 1816 in Nelson CO., KY. She was the dau. of Travers Davis and Frances (Fanny) Melton Davis. William Nall died in Scott CO., Arkansas.

The information on the Pophams was contributed by Mr. Rodger Crocker, a Baptist Minister and also a History and English teacher in Llano, Texas. His mother was a Popham, a direct descendant of William Nall Popham.

Archelous, son of Benjamin, was having financial difficulties in 1814, in Culpeper CO. On December 25, 1814, he owed \$100. He agreed to give certain property to James Green, Jr. for the payment of his indenture. The property was adjacent to M. ? Scott, John Popham and others. "Green can sell the property Dec. 25, if Hawkins doesn't Pay." John Strother was the witness. .... from Culpeper CO Court Records at the LDS Genealogy Library in Salt Lake City, Utah.

William Hawkins, son of William and Mary was married to Elizabeth Wall and lived in St. Thomas Parish, Orange, CO., VA. In 1786, he purchased land on Flat Run joining Craig's Lease. Flat Run was called Wildcat Run in earlier years and most of it was owned by Gov. Spottswood who deeded some of it to his overseer as payment for looking after his affairs while he was in England. The rest was leased. The Hawkins property was obtained from an heir of Spottswood.

William's name appears as a witness on various documents and he was an appraiser who worked in several counties in Virginia.

His signature is on several petitions in Orange CO. which are printed in a very interesting book called PATRIOTS OF THE UPCOUNTRY by William H.B. Thomas. One of the petitions was a plea to divide the county into separate districts because of the inconvenience travel to the Courthouse caused.

Another petition, signed by William Hawkins, was instrumental in obtaining separation of Church and State after the American Revolution.

When the War of Independence was over, the majority of the Americans became disillusioned with the Church of England for obvious reasons. A law was passed in Virginia to give the Church Property to the Protestant Episcopal Church. Around the same time, tent revivals were becoming appealing to residents of the area who were dissatisfied with the discrimination in the Church of England. Only the wealthiest members were invited to become officers in the Church and even certain pews were assigned to the more influential families. In other colonies, there was a status connection with the location of graves in the Churchyards. In Virginia this was not of too much concern as most of the families had their own cemeteries on their plantations. Usually strangers and residents who lived near the Church were buried in the Churchyards. Before the war, membership in the Church was mandatory with fines and punishments given to those who failed to attend. There were residents who preferred to be Baptists or Presbyterians or Quakers and they resented strongly, their tax money being given to the Episcopalians. William Hawkins' signature appears on several petitions requesting that this law be repealed.

William Hawkins died in 1799 and left a will written in 1789 in which he mentions his widow, Elizabeth, daughter, Mary Mankspile, widow of John Watson. His sons were Reuben, Archelous, John, Elisha and William. The property on Flat Run was left to sons Reuben and Elisha.

Reuben served in the American Revolution as an Ensign, Lieutenant and Captain with Capt. Francis Taylor in the Regiment of Colonel Spottswood. At one time, he was a recruiting officer in Orange County and another time was stationed at Augusta County in a camp where British prisoners were held. While in the Army, he married Rebecca Edwards whose sister Elizabeth had married Reuben's brother Elisha. They were daughters of Uriah Edwards and Mildred Head. The wedding took place in August, 1778 with Reuben in uniform, at the St. John's Episcopal Church by Parson James Marye. The Church was near Uriah Edward's home but he refused to attend the ceremony and stayed home and made peach brandy. It is not known if he objected to Reuben or the Church but he did mention Reuben in his will and Rebecca lived at his home while her husband was away. She was sixteen when she married Reuben.

After the war, Reuben was active in political affairs in Orange CO. and his signature is often seen on petitions. In THE EDWARDS FAMILY by Eldon Edwards Sr. "Reuben and Rebecca seemed to have been living in Kentucky prior to 1800. It is reported that they lived in the region called Dry Run. Their names are to be found in the Elkhorn Records as early as 1800." He died in Orange CO., VA in 1812 and Rebecca and her younger children returned to Kentucky.

Reuben and Rebecca had 12 children: Elizabeth, William Benton b. 1781 in Orange CO., Elisha, Roddy, Archulus, Reuben Jr., Lucy, Moses, Uriah, Milly, Benjamin S. and Sally.

Reuben didn't leave a will but his material possessions were listed in Orange CO., VA. The inventory and copies of Rebecca's applications for a pension in her old age are on film in the LDS Genealogy Library in Salt Lake City. She was finally granted her pension even though her mind was forgetful. Relatives and friends provided the necessary information on her applications.

It is not known where Rebecca and Reuben are buried. In 1820, she was living with her youngest son, Benjamin in Franklin CO., KY. There is an old grave yard near his home but the stones are all gone.

Mr. Hugh Hawkins, a descendant of Reuben's son Roddy contributed the following information on Elizabeth: Elizabeth Hawkins was b. ca 1786 in Orange CO., VA. Her date of death is unknown, her place of burial is unknown. She married her kinsman, Moses Hawkins on May 8, 1814 in Franklin CO., KY. He was b. ca 1789 probably in Virginia. He died prior to July 1, 1872 in Franklin CO., KY. Moses was the son of William Hawkins and his second wife, Ann Bohannon Smith. Elizabeth and Moses had six children: Burn M. Hawkins b. ca 1820, Jephtha D. Hawkins b. ca 1821, Agnes Ann Hawkins, b. May 26, 1823, Sophronia E. (Susanna), Sarah Rebecca b. ca 1829 and Elizabeth M. b. ca 1833.

Jephtha D. Hawkins, son of Elizabeth Hawkins and Moses Hawkins married Catherine Watts in Anderson CO., KY on October 26, 1845. They had children: Sarah Hawkins b. ca 1846, Robert, b. ca 1849, John b. ca 1852, Charles A. b. ca 1855, Elizabeth b. ca 1858, Mary (Molly) Frances b. ca 1860 and Morton W. b. ca 1864. They lived in Franklin CO., KY.

Agnes Ann, dau. of Elizabeth and Moses Hawkins married Roddy Hutson Hawkins on Feb. -, 1845 in Franklin CO., KY. He was the son of Roddy Hawkins and Elizabeth Jones. They had four children.



Sarah Rebecca, dau. of Elizabeth and Moses Hawkins married Jess Brown, Jr., in Franklin County, KY on Mar. 21, 1853.

William Benton Hawkins, the son of Reuben and Rebecca Hawkins was born on Feb. 26, 1781 in Orange CO., VA. He was known in Kentucky where he lived as "Black Head Billy." On Jan. 15, 1802, in Franklin CO, he married Mary (Polly) Crockett. Mary was b. Feb. 9, 1781 and d. Mar. 31, 1851. She was the dau. of Col. Anthony Crockett and Mary Robertson. William and Mary had children: Elizabeth Stephenson, b. Dec. 29, 1802, Mary Robertson b. Aug. 30, 1804, Rebecca Edwards, b. Sept. 15, 1806, Anthony Crockett, b. Dec. 15, 1808, Martha Norman, b. Feb. 18, 1811. Emily Head was b. May 31, 1817, William Grandville Crockett, b. April 11, 1819, Sarah Ann, b. Oct. 11, 1821, and Samuel Fountain b. April 6, 1826.

William Benton Hawkins died on May 29, 1845. He is buried at the Evergreen Church Cemetery at Farmdale, which is in Franklin CO., KY. He had his will carved in stone on his gravemarker. Some of his relatives took the matter to court and it was accepted. The stone reads:

I, William B. Hawkins being of sane mind and disposing memory do make this instrument my last will and testament in manner and form following this is to say: I will and bequeath to my wife Mary Hawkins the farm on which I now reside with all the appertances thereto belonging household and kitchen furniture all the negroes that I own all my hogs, cattle and sheep, farming utensils and four horses which she may choose for and during the time of her natural life and after her decease I give that farm to my son, S.F. Hawkins to be divided equally amongst all my children herein after mentioned, (except S.F. Hawkins), E.O Hawkins, W.G. Hawkins, Katherine Farmer, Sarah McKee and the heirs of Elizabeth Wright, and it is further my will and desire that on the decease of my wife Mary Hawkins that there be given one of the young negroes to my son Samuel F. Hawkins. I also give to each of my daughters Mary Blanton, Rebecca Wright, Martha Clark and Katherine Farmer a horse a piece. At my death I wish the farm on which James G. Wright and John Clark now reside to be divided equally amongst all my children herein before mentioned and the children of Elizabeth Wright (Except S.F. Hawkins) within by selling and dividing amongst all my children herein mentioned. It is further my wish and desire that my son Samuel F. Hawkins live with his mother as long as she may live. And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my friends John G. Farmer, James G. Wright and my wife Mary Hawkins and my son Samuel F. Hawkins of this my last will and testament by me heretofore made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this day and date above written.

SEAL Signed William B. Hawkins

Attested Thomas Farmer and Silas C. Farmer.

Elizabeth Stephenson Hawkins m. Dec. 23, 1823 William Henry Wright. Their children were: William Winfield, James Lucas, John Madison, Dandridge Crockett and Mary Buford Wright.

Mary Robertson Hawkins mar. Mar. 1, 1827 in Franklin CO., KY Rev. William H. Blanton. They had children: Susan, Caroline, Mary C., Lavinia, and William C. Blanton Jr.

Rebecca Edwards Hawkins m. Oct. 20, 1825 in Franklin, CO. James G. Wright.

Anthony Crockett Hawkins mar. Mar. 14, 1840 Larinda H. Sanders. Their children were: William Henry, Martha F., Elisha Obediah and Madaline Middleton.

Martha Norman Hawkins m. Feb. 23, 1832 in Franklin CO., John Clark. Their children were: Jack, Sally and Granville Clark.

Katherine Spencer Hawkins m. Sept. 17, 1835, John Goode Farmer. Their children were: Mary Thomas, Susan Goode, William Benton, Virgil, Cadmus, Lucien and John Goode Farmer.

Elisha Obediah married Martha A. Saunders. He was a Captain in the Civil War under Gen. John Hunt Morgan, the Confederate General. He was shot in the face near his eye, resulting in a large scar. Afterwards, he was a Post Master in Rough and Ready, KY which is now called Alton, in Anderson County. He was the sheriff of Franklin CO from 1880-1882. In THE HISTORY OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY by L.F. Johnson pg. 200, we find "E.O. Hawkins was elected Sheriff in 1880. In the month of June, 1882, it was discovered that he was short in his accounts with the State, in the sum of \$3,859.43 and thereupon J.W. Gaines was placed in charge of the Sheriff's office. In 1883, E.O. Hawkins was re-elected Sheriff notwithstanding his shortage but he was not able to execute the required bond and J.W. Gaines was again appointed until the next election." Elisha Obediah was sometimes a very cruel man, was known as "Uncle Obie" and is mentioned in a story written by his nephew Carroll Wright.

William Grandville Crockett Hawkins married Eliza Jane Davis in Shelby CO., KY on Jan. 6, 1846. Their children were: William H., Katie Kester, Joseph, Julius, and Lucian Hawkins.

Sarah Ann married Samuel D. McKee on Feb. 6, 1840 in Franklin CO., KY.

Samuel Fountain Hawkins married Martha J. Thomas on Sept. 12, 1850 in Franklin CO., KY. He died in Bates CO., MO where he was a prominent judge. He founded the town of New Home.

William Henry Hawkins, son of Anthony Crockett Hawkins and Laurinda Sanders was born in Shelby, CO., KY and lived in Franklin CO., where he died on Jan. 6, 1911. He is buried at the Frankfort Cemetery. He married Margaret Jane Crockett on Dec. 18, 1873. Their children were: William Coleman, b. Sept. 24, 1874, Margaret Ola, b. May 25, 1877, Anthony Samuel Blackburn, b. Oct. 25, 1879, Homer H. b. May 25, 1882, Pinkney Crockett, b. Sept. 3, 1883, Isaac Newton, b. Sept. 1886, and Ray M., b. Nov. 11 1889. All were born in Franklin, CO., KY.

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Elisha Hawkins, son of Rueben and Rebecca Edwards was b. ca 1785 and died on April 8, 1859. He was living at Caseyville, Union CO., KY at the time of his death. He married in Franklin CO., on Dec. 9, 1807, Sally Crockett,

who was b. Nov. 11, 1784 and died Oct. 16, 1842 in Elizabethtown, KY. Her grave is in the DAR Cemetery in Franklin, CO. She was the dau. of Col. Anthony Crockett and Mary Robertson. Elisha and Sally's children: Kitty, Fountain Posey, b. ca 1812, Emily, Eveline, Mary, Anthony Samuel, Sarah Grandville, and Rebecca E.

Elisha married three times. His second wife was Elinor--- of North Carolina and his third wife was Mary Livinia---. In his will, he mentions his wife Mary Lavinia and his living children, Kitty Simms, Fountain Posey, Emily Pierson, Eveline Henry, Mary Henry, Anthony S. Hawkins and Sarah Miller.

Kitty married ---Sims and they had a son William, who was b. at Port Hope, Canada. He was a Vice Admiral in the U.S. Navy and died in Boston, MA on Sept. 28, 1936.

Fountain Posey b. ca 1812 in Franklin CO., KY, died in Cook CO., Texas on June 28, 1882. His first wife was Pricilla Taylor who died ca 1848. Her parents were James and Mary--Taylor. Their children were Mary Ann, b. ca 1836, Sarah b. ca 1838, Martha Margaret b. ca 1839, Richard G. b. ca 1841, Emily, and Joan.

Fountain Posey's second wife was Marinda Branham, b. ca 1832, d. ca 1870 at Caseyville, KY. Her parents were Richard Branham and Mary (Polly) Bohannon. Their children were William Walden, b. Aug. 22, 1850 at Caseyville, Elisha P. was b ca 1850, born at Caseyville, KY, Eliter Owen, b. Feb. 2, 1861, Fountain Posey Jr. b. Dec. 22, 1862, Samuel Ripley, b. ca 1867 and Ida Victoria, b. May 10 1869. These children were all born in Caseyville, KY. The Edwards Family by James Eldon Edwards, Sr. tells the following about Fountain Posey's life. He removed with his family to Union CO. KY about 1830. From there, he went to Missouri and was there from 1836 until 1840. After his wife died, married Maranda Branham who was only 17 years old. He was 37. They returned to Caseyville where he worked as a miller. He freed his slaves and joined the Union Army even tho. his relatives were on the other side. He was a member of the 15th KY Cavalry and became a First Lieutenant in Oct. 1862. He was transferred to the 48th KY Infantry Volunteers, but was a recruiting Officer for Marion and Crittenden Counties until he became a Captain on Oct. 26, 1862. He was then transferred to the 148th KY Volunteers, Company, A. His mustering out was on Dec. 17, 1864 in Bowling Green, KY. He was a carpenter in Union, CO. until he and William W. Samuel R. and Ida Victoria moved to Cook, CO., Texas. He died at Hardy, CO. and is buried there at the family cemetery.

Mary Ann Hawkins, dau. of Fountain Posey and Pricilla Taylor married on Jan. 1, 1852, Julius P. Bohannon. They had children: Pricilla, b. 1854, Virginia Ellen, b. Nov. 18, 1856, Sarah Mildred, B. Jan. 28, 1858, Willet Clay B. Aug. 20, 1860, Forest, b. ca 1864, Francis, b. June 1866, Archibald Taylor, B. Oct 31, 1869 and Annie Elizabeth b. Jan. 5, 1872.

Richard, son of Fountain Posey and Pricilla Taylor d. ca 1884. He had three children: Pricilla Georgia, Mollie Porter and Nina.

Emily, dau. of Fountain Posey and Priscilla Taylor died ca 1912 in Missouri. She married James Hart and their children were: Gus, Mary Belle, Charles and Ella. He was a steamboat pilot who lived in Paducah, KY but his death took place in St. Louis, MO.

William Walden Hawkins, son of Fountain Posey and Marinda B. Branham died on Oct. 13, 1889 at Hardy, Texas. He married ca 1870 Emma Barefield and their children were Fountain Garrett Hawkins b. June 23 1871, John Edward, b. ca 1873, William, b. ca 1876, Bertie, b. ca 1879, Samuel Owen b. April 28, 1885, Robert Waldon, b. June 2, 1889 and Annie May.

Eliter Owen, son of Fountain Posey and Marinda Branham died on Nov. 20, 1893. He married Carrie Young Hammett ca 1883 and their children were: Floyd Ripley b. ca 1886 and a daughter b. ca 1891.

Fountain Posey Jr. died on April 3, 1916. He was married twice. His first wife was Harriet Brown. They were married ca 1883 and they had at least one child: Harry Hayden b. Aug. 22, 1885. His second wife was Katherine Johnson. His other children were: Walter Owen b. ca 1887, Ida Marie, b. April 8, 1890, Alma, b. ca 1891, Lucille, b. Apr. 22, 1892, Sherman Ripley b. June 30, 1894 and Bernice b. July 3, 1897.

Samuel Ripley, son of Fountain Posey and Marinda was b. ca 1867 and d. ca 1925 at Paris, KY. His wife was Rosemary Moran, dau. of State Sen. P.G. Moran and Fannie Doyle.

Ida Victoria dau. of Fountain Posey and Marinda Branham died on Apr. 14, 1900 at Simons, TX. She is buried at Seagoville, TX. She married James Rolland Griffin at Tupelo, Mississippi.

## Welcome to The Hawkins Family Organization

We like to hear from each other in Hawkins Heritage, our newsletter, and we hope that you will contribute something - every issue, once a year, or whenever you like.

Be your own editor and proof reader. We have no editor, our publisher organizes and prints our material as is or with minimal changes. Please follow these guidelines for anything to be put into the newsletter so that it will make a good, readable copy.

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Material for the newsletter should be mailed:

by February 28 for the April issue,  
by June 30 for the August issue,  
by October 15 for the December issue.

Blank copies of pedigree charts and family group sheets are available from the publisher by request.