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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: To promote genealogical research on Hawkins families and related lines; to promote and share family history; and to strengthen extended family ties.

NEWSLETTERS: **HAWKINS HERITAGE** is published three times a year in April, August, and December. All members are encouraged to contribute letters and material to the editor. It is preferable if you type your material, but if not convenient, please share it anyway.

QUERIES: Members are also encouraged to send queries to the editor.

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Sources for *Bits and Pieces of the Hawkins Family Puzzle* by Millie Showalter Farmer
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This concludes our continued excerpts from Millie's book.

Plymouth Armada Heroes by Mary W.S. Hawkins Available from LDS Library
Salt Lake City, Utah

Mayes and Related Families by Edward Mayes

History of Scott County, KY

Historical Families of Kentucky by Green

Kegley's Virginia Frontier

Spotsylvania CO. Records 1721-1800 by Crozier

Hawkins Families of Virginia, Kentucky and North Carolina by Dorothy Ford
Wulfeck

Hawkins Family by Annie Hawkins Miles

Culpeper CO Court Records microfilm LDS Lib. Salt Lake City, Utah

Patriots of the Upcountry by WM. H.B. Thomas available from Orange CO,VA
Historical Society, Orange, VA

American Rev. Soldiers Records on microfilm at Salt Lake City, Utah

The Edwards Family by James Eldon Edwards Some copies still available
Permission granted to use material on Hawkins families from Miss Glenda
Edwards, sister of the late James Eldon Edwards.

Miss Glenda Edwards
2037 North Tyler
Topeka, KS 66608

History Of Franklin County Kentucky by L.F. Johnson available from
Historic Frankfort, Inc.
PO Box 775
Frankfort, KY 40602

History of Woodford County Kentucky by W.E. Railey available from
Pathfinders
1601 Bunker Hill,
Pueblo, CO 81001

Kentucky A History Of The State by Perrin, Battle and Kniffin

Franklin CO KY Marriages by Ellesburg
Census Records Franklin CO.,KY

Family Bibles
Property Tax Lists of Orange and Culpeper Counties, VA

Forks of Elkhorn Church by Erma Jett Darnell

Records at Franklin CO.,KY

Records at Orange Co, Lunenberg CO., Spotsylvania CO VA

Records at the Virginia State Archives at Richmond, VA and Virginia State Lib.

History of Orange CO by Scott

Orange CO. VA Deed Bks 3&4 by John Frederick Dorman

Essex CO. VA by Dorman

DAR Records

Mr. J.W. Singer's book on his Hawkins Family
Singer's Gardens
Stamping Ground, KY

The Sanders Family of Grass Hills

Our Kin by Ackerly-Parker

Mr. Reginald Smith's book on his Hawkins ancestors some copies still avail.
1805 Fifth Avenue
Canyon, Texas 79015

Information in file folders at Kentucky State Historical Society

History of The Crockett Family

The Sevier Family
Virginia Hist. Magazines

Historical Southern Families by John Boddie

Old William and Mary Quarterlies Series 1&2

Mercer CO., KY Will Book

Amherst CO VA Records

Index of Old Marriages of Old Rapahannock & Essex CO., VA

The Diary Of Robert Rose

Hawkins Family Bibles

Lunenburg CO. VA Records Bk 4

Gen. John Hawkins Reminiscences

Mrs. Willie Shearers Hawkins Family History copies available from the
Spotsylvania CO. Historical Society, Spotsylvania, VA

Morman Microfiesch

Early Virginia Settlers compiled by the late Dr. Ransom True

North Hampton CO. Rent. Rolls

LDS Library microfilm # 855035

Marriages Amelia CO. VA 1735-1815 by Katnleen Booth Williams

Old Rappahannock CO Records 1664-1673

Louisa CO, VA Will Book

York CO, VA Records

Hawkins Family Marriages, Orange CO., VA

Tylers Quarterly Historical & Genealogical Mag. by Lyon G. Tyler

Dictionary of American Biography

St. Mark Parish Vestry Book & Levies 1720-1785 Spotsylvania & Culpeper COS. by
Rosalie Edith Davis avail. from
Heritage Trails
923 La Cherie Dr.
Manchester, MO 63011

A History of Spotsylvania by John Roger Mansfield avail. at Spotsylvania
CO Historical Society

Culpeper County Marriages by Dorothy Ford Wulfeck

Information from descendants of Hawkins Families

Copies of Bits & Pieces of the Hawkins Family Puzzle available from
Mildred Farmer
3614 Parbel Drive
Bremerton, WA 98310

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QUERY

Hawkins - Chenoweth

I am related to **Hardin Hawkins**, born 27 March 1791, who
married **Letitia Van Meter Chenoweth** in Nelson CO KY on 20
Jan 1814....If you have any information on this Hawkins line
in Kentucky, please contact John L. Faulkner, 502 East
Silverleaf St., Greer, SC 29650.

Submitted by Wanita Lucas, 100 W. Fourth Strteet, Pana, IL 62557.
(Permission has been given for printing this article in *Hawkins Heritage*.)

CYNTHIA HAWKINS SPEARMAN (1851-1943)
by Peggy Smith Hake

Sometimes when I walk down the road of yesterday, I encounter some of the most remarkable people. One of the more extraordinary ladies I have found in my many hours of research was Cynthia Frances Hawkins Spearman. Cynthia was born in Miller County in March 1851, a daughter of Presley and Serepta (McCubbin) Hawkins. Her birthplace was near the present town of Brumley in southern Glaze township. Cynthia was a product of a fine, old Virginia family where, for generations, her ancestors lived. Her great grandfather was John Hawkins (1759-1831), a Revolutionary War soldier who married Frances Thorpe (1782-1837) for whom Cynthia was named. They once lived in Hampshire County, Virginia, now West Virginia, but moved westward into the new state of Kentucky as many other pioneering families did in the early 19th century. On July 9, 1967, a tombstone for her great grandfather, John Hawkins, was unveiled at Three Forks Bacon Creek Church near Elizabetown, Kentucky by the Van Meter Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Cynthia's grandparents were Coleman Hawkins, son of John and Frances, and his wife, Sarah Martha Bond. Coleman was born in Virginia in 1786 and died in Hart County, Kentucky, near Hammondsville, in 1863. Martha was born in 1782 and died in 1839.

Cynthia's father, Presley Hawkins, was born in Virginia in 1819. He came to Miller County circa 1842 from Hart County, Kentucky. He and his wife, the former Serepta Ballard McCubbin (1822-1874), married in Miller County on June 15, 1843, the marriage performed by Rev. William C. McCubbin. They became parents of several children including: James Martin Hawkins 1851-1934; Mary Catherine Hawkins born 1849; Cynthia Frances Hawkins 1851-1943; Dr. Zachariah W. Hawkins 1856-1878; William Lewis Hawkins 1858-1930; and Millard Fillmore Hawkins born 1859.

Presley Hawkins died in 1859 and left his young widow with six children to rear. Evidently some of these children left Miller County after the Civil War and went to Texas, because Serepta Hawkins died near Waco, Texas in 1874 and is buried near the town of Bosqueville.

Cynthia lived in Texas during the years her mother was alive, but she returned to Missouri after 1880. In 1885, she married Zebedee Spearman, a widower with four children. Zebedee's first wife was Mary Gardner of the Iberia community who was born in Barren County, Kentucky in 1835. The children of Zebedee and Mary were Gilbert S. Spearman, Alzona Spearman,

Laura Alice Spearman, and Willard S. Spearman. Zebedee was a son of Thomas W. and Nancy (Shelton) Spearman, natives of South Carolina.

Zebedee served in the Civil War in the Union army. He was a 2nd Lt. in Capt. Martin's Company E, Osage Co. Regiment, Missouri Home Guards. He was in this regiment between 1862-1864 and was stationed at Iberia most of the time. The Spearman homestead was about 4 miles west of Iberia. Cynthia and Zebedee had no children of their own, but she remained close to her stepchildren after his death in 1897. He was buried at the Spearman/Rankin Wright cemetery in southern Richwoods township beside his first wife, Marv (Gardner) Spearman.

Cynthia Hawkins Spearman was a schoolteacher in the early schools of Miller County. She studied and attended school until she was 16 and, at that time, felt she was ready to teach. Her first school was a subscription school, the only type in the area at the time. A group of parents would get together and decide to hire a teacher and they would then pay her to teach their children. She taught for over 40 years and helped many children down a successful path in life.

What made Cynthia any different from the other women who taught Miller County's children in the 19th century?.....At an early age, she lost both her lower arms in a cane mill accident. The year was about 1861 and her mother, a widow, was operating the cane mill on her farm. The men had volunteered to go to war as the Civil War was beginning to rage across the countryside. The women were left home alone to manage the best they could with the farm work. The day the accident happened, Cynthia decided she could help her mother....the mill was running and no one was feeding the stalks into the wooden rollers. By nature, and being an inquisitive child, she started feeding stalks into the mill, but something else attracted her attention and suddenly, her arms were in the rollers...Her mother was able to get her arms out of the machine, but they were crushed and mangled. Doctors in the area were not plentiful and it took two days before a doctor could be summoned. Dr. Nixdorf was the first to arrive and then another one came along. They had an immediate problem....there was no saw which could be used for amputation. A carpenter nearby had a small saw and it used to amputate her arms!

Cynthia was the first woman elected to a public office in Miller County. During 1895 and 1896, she served the county as Superintendent of the Public Schools. Her Hawkins family were prominent in politics. Her brother, James Hawkins, was a state representative, a county court judge, and collector. Her nephew, Charles R. "Ted" Hawkins was state representative for

many years. She was also related to Alvin P. Hawkins, a former Governor of Texas.

In March 1940, approximately 250 former pupils and family gathered at the Brumley high school and honored 'Miss Cynthia' on her 89th birthday. She told them about the changes she had seen in her lifetime. She told how she traveled to Texas in a covered wagon when she was a young girl.....later she traveled by train and automobile...sailed on a ship while in California...and finally had flown in an airplane on a trip back from California. She also related incidents while teaching school. She said, "Sometimes it was necessary to whip in those days" and many of her former students agreed that she could use a hickory switch just as well as a person who had both hands!

Miss Cynthia died in Miller County on July 14, 1943 and was buried in Hawkins cemetery which is located in the same community where she was born 92 years earlier.

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QUERY

Walter W. Hawkins

Does anyone have information on Walter W. Hawkins, listed on the 1850 census of Bath CO KY? Walter was 70-years-old, a shoemaker born in VA. His wife was Elizabeth, 56, born in NC.

Next household: **George W. Hawkins**, 35, blacksmith, born in KY. His wife, Sarah, was 32. Children listed were Sarah, age 10; William, 8; James, 6; and Elizabeth age 3.
... Please write *Olyve H. Abbott*, 3737 Summercrest Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76109.

Note: This is a long shot in research, but it occurred to me that the above Walter W. Hawkins might have been a brother to my ggg gf James Hawkins, b1765 in VA. Walter R. Hawkins, was son of James Hawkins, and also had children named George, William, and James. William W.'s age, Bath Co, as well as VA as birth state, would all be appropriate.--
Olyve.

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HAWKINS FAMILY OF MARYLAND

John Hawkins and wife, Mary. John died 1676, leaving will in Anne Arundel Co. Named children--Joseph Hawkins, Anne Hawkins (married Charles Gorsuch, 1690), Mathew Hawkins, and Thomas Hawkins.

(This is found in Barnes and in Baltimore Co., Md. Wills, by Baldwin, etc.)

One reference claims the John Hawkins who married second Rebecca Emison Cobb, as a son of this Joseph Hawkins, son of John and Mary. (Barnes does not show him that way.)

Joseph Hawkins, son of John and Mary, died and left will in 1726. Wife's name not known. Children --the John Hawkins who married Rebecca, Augustine underage in 1726, Ruth who married Josephus Murray, Jemina, Sarah married Morgan Murray, and Elizabeth.

Thomas Hawkins, son of John and Mary, married Elizabeth Giles, died 1715. Children named in will (underage at time of will) Aron born 1706, Joseph born 1708, and Ruth born 1713/4.

Mathew Hawkins, son of John and Mary, died 1705.. Wives were Parrish sisters, first Ann Parrish and second Mary Parrish. Children named in will--Mathew, Augustine, Mary married Thomas Noland, Dinah married as second wife to John Cole, Sr., Ann, and Rebecca.

In a family history, "The Parrish Family", which I find at the Decatur Genealogical Library, compiled and published by Scott Lee Boyd, Santa Barbara, Calif. in 1935, and reprinted in 1988 by a granddaughter of Mr. Boyd, the Edward Parrish family is outlined. Edward Parrish was a Quaker, who died in Anne Arundel Co., Md., in 1723 and had a will, probated in that county. His wife was Mary Roberts, who died in 1750. They had seven children, which included Ann and Mary who married Mathew Hawkins.

From the Parrish book, Mathew Hawkins died in 1705, and his will was probated in Baltimore Co, Md., 24 April, 1705, Bk. 1, p. 138. He left the government of his children to his brothers--Thomas and Joseph Hawkins. His children, by first and second marriages, not known which belongs to which wife, were: Mathew Hawkins, Jr., Ann Hawkins, who married Thomas Broad, Mary married Thomas Noland, Dinah (Diana) married after 1705 to John Cole, Sr., Augustus, and Rebecca. Mary, Dinah, Ann, and Rebecca were not married at the time of their father's death and will. They were left a tract of land "Better Success", 250 acres by their father, of which, 90 acres were deeded to Joseph Hawkins, and the remainder deeded by these daughters and their husbands to Launcelot Todd of Baltimore Co. (ref. IL.S. No. G, page 209, 23 Sept. 1723) (Note--It has been stated that Rebecca Hawkins was not married at the time of this deed, but died soon after. See Barnes' reference to this family. The Parrish book does not refer to Rebecca further.

On page 337 of the book on the Parrish family, the writer takes up the family of John and Dinah (Hawkins) Cole, and states their children were Charles, Joseph, and Mathew Cole. John Cole had first married Johanna Garrett and had these children--Thomas, Sarah, John, Jr., Elizabeth, Dennis, William, and Samuel. Cole. I find no mention of a Ruth Cole in this family history.

Family Group Record

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Husband Vardeman (Jeremiah) HAWKINS		
Birth	8 Mar 1811	Mercer Co, KY
Residence	1902	
Death	10 Apr 1902	Elmira, Solano, CA
Burial		Vacaville/Elmira, Vacaville, CA
REFN		22.0
Marriage	26 Nov 1836	
Father	John Carlostin HAWKINS (b abt 1786)	
Mother	Melissa BARNES (b abt 1786)	
Wife Margaret Louisa HULEN		
Birth	9 Jan 1818	Estill Co., KY
Death	3 Jun 1893	Elmira, Solano Co., CA
Burial		Elmira/Vacaville, Vacaville, CA
REFN		23.0
Father	William George HULEN (b 22 Mar 1788)	
Mother	Mary Elizabeth SWAIN (b 25 Nov 1795)	
Children		
1 M	Clarence HAWKINS	
Death	In childhood	
REFN	11.9	
2 F	Estell HAWKINS	
Death	in childhood.	
REFN	11.A	
3 M	Leland Barnes HAWKINS	
Birth	23 Feb 1838	Schuyler Co., MO
Death	20 Feb 1924	Moneta, , CA
Burial		Tulare, Tulare, CA
REFN		11.1
Spouse	Rhoda Ann FOWLER	
4 M	Woodson HAWKINS	
Birth	1839	MO
REFN		11.2
5 F	Sarah Frances HAWKINS	
Birth	19 Jul 1841	Schuyler, MO
Death	17 Nov 1920	Solano, CA
Burial		Vacaville Elmira, Vacaville, CA
REFN		11.0
Spouse	Garland Maupin GATES (m 29 Dec 1858)	
6 M	William Creath HAWKINS	
Birth	1844	MO
REFN		11.4
7 F	Minerva HAWKINS	
Birth	1845	
Residence		
REFN		11.5
Spouse	William D. WITT (m 7 Oct 1866)	
8 F	Melisa HAWKINS	
Birth	1848	
REFN		11.6
9 F	Lucinda HAWKINS	
Birth	17 Feb 1852	MO
Death	29 Apr 1909	
Burial		Vacaville, , CA
REFN		11.7
Spouse	M. D. COOPER (m 1868)	
10 M	John C. Johnnie HAWKINS	
Birth	1853	MO
REFN		11.8

Family Group Record

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Husband Vardeman (Jeremiah) HAWKINS	
Wife Margaret Louisa HULEN	
Children	
11 F	Janette HAWKINS
Birth	1857 CA
REFN	11.9
Prepared 1 Jun 1996 by: Joyce L. Bode P.O. Box 1587 Bowling Green, FL 33834 (941) 767-0234	
Comments:	

Slaughter - Butler - Hawkins

About 1742 Ezekiel Slaughter married in VA to Sarah Butler, born 22 Oct 1727 King William CO VA, d/o Samuel Butler and Sarah ?. Ezekiel was granted 400 ac. in Cumberland CO VA and had land in King William CO VA. Children of Ezekiel and Sarah:

Mary	b.1748, m. Edward Worsham.
John,	b.1750, m. Mary Hendrick
Sarah,	b.1751, m. Peter Roberts.
Elizabeth,	b.1753, m. Nathan Jones
Judea	b.1754, m. Daniel Gill
Ezekiel Jr.,	b.1756
Samuel	b.1758, m. Frances Gill
Nancy Ann	b.1760 m. ? Stillwell
Susannah	b.1762, m. Samuel Hawkins. Their son EZEKIEL HAWKINS , b12-29-1790, d8-31-1868, m. NANCY MCKAY , b12-25-1796.
Patty	b.1764, m. John Gill
Reuben	b.1766, m. 1st Ann?; #2 Mary Lawson.
Lucy	b.1769, m. Wiley Clark

The above outline taken from information printed in "Family Puzzlers," #1245, Aug. 29, 1992. Submitted by Herbert M. Russ, who at the time of publication lived at 421 So. 10th, Teague, TX 75860.

HAWKINS HERITAGE QUERIES

The first issue of *Hawkins Heritage* was December 1986, edited by Kathleen Briglio. The second issue was April 1987. The publication was resumed April 1988 with your present editor. The following queries are listed with their original publication dates. While some addresses will now be incorrect, those listed are the last known to the editor. It is hoped the query information may be helpful to you. Many members who submitted the queries several year ago have found their answers; however, this information may still put you in contact with someone sharing your line. -- Olyve

April 1987:

Isaac and Sarah Hawkins. Seeking information on Isaac Hawkins b1793, KY and wife Sarah T. Sarah possibly d1860. Children Levi and Minerva Hawkins. Minerva b1839, m. my gr gr gf William Thomas Berry, 2 mar 1854 in Bath CO KY. They moved to IL in the 1860s. Please contact: *Mrs. Dolores Berry Blase, 691 Pleasant Ridge Road, Fairview Heights, IL 62208.*

April 1988:

Francis Coleman Hawkins. Would like the birthdate, place, and parents of Francis Coleman Hawkins, b. ca1790, probably in VA. Happy to share any information. . . . *Jack Moore, R12 Box 378, New Braunfels, Texas 78132-1602.*

August 1988:

Samuel, Joseph, and Benjamin Hawkins. Does anyone have information concerning the Hawkins brothers, possibly Samuel, Joseph, and Benjamin? They reportedly came to Gloucester CO VA in 1685. Joseph, who drowned in 1770, perhaps descended from one of the above . . . *Wanita Lucas, 100 W. 4th, Pana, IL 62557.*

Note: Notable Southern Families, Vol. V., "The Crockett Family and Connecting Lines." Information in this issue.

Luther Hawkins - #1 ? - #2 Lydia Bradock. Seek information: Ancestors and siblings of my gr gf, Luther Hawkins b. ca1812 in MA. Married ca 1830 - 1st wife's name unknown. 2 sons: George b1831; Luther b1833. 2nd wife was Lydia Bradock/Brodock b1817, NY state. There were 8 children: Elizabeth, b. 24-7-1840; Wm., b. 31-7-1842; Melinda, b 23-4-1844; Emma, b 31-5-1847; Charles, b 17-4-1850; Albert, b. 1-12-1851; Mary, b. 1-3-1854; Ellen, b. 21-4-1857. This family was in the 1840 census, living in Pendleton, Niagara CO NY, on 1850 census in Vienna, Oneida CO NY; and 1860 census

of Royalton, Niagara CO NY *Willis D. Hawkins, 5412 Bethany Way, Lakeland, FL 33809. 813-858-8811.*

Elizabeth Hawkins m. 1774 (?) to **Enoch Davis, Sr.**, b. Feb 14, 1740, in/near Philadelphia. Enoch d. in Wash. CO IN in 1837. At least one son, Enoch, Jr. m. in Grainger CO TN in 1798, and then lived in Guilford CO NC before moving to Salem, IN.

A will of Arnult Hawkins d1862 in Chowan CO NC, listed heirs, Mrs. Jane Bell, Robert, and Elizabeth. Elizabeth Hawkins Davis had at least 3 children, Elias, Abner, and Enoch, Jr. had 10 children, 2 of whom were named Jane and Robert, and also an Elias. This does not mean that Arnult is the father of Elizabeth, but it is the evidence that I have at this time Any information appreciated. *Mrs. Bechi Leucht, 403 N. Nappanee Pt., Peoria, IL 61604.*

Rebecca Hawkins. Would anyone know the issuer of Rebecca Hawkins who married Dec. 22, 1826, to James Rudd of Halifax CO NC? I am trying to find out if my gr gr gf Samuel Rudd was their son. I would also like to know the ancestry of Rebecca Hawkins. . . . *Dee Ann Buck, 908 Leprechaun Lane, Omaha, NE 68128.*

December 1988:

John Thomas Hawkins. My husband's grandfather was John Thomas Hawkins, b1861 in Webster CO KY. I believe his father was William Hawkins and his mother's name was Mary. Also, I believe that William d. ca1874/75. Any help will be appreciated *Euretta Shirley, 14547 NE 40th J-204, Bellevue, WA 98007.*

Rachel Hawkins was b. ca1797 in SC. Did she marry **James Woods**, b. ca1788 SC? They are listed in the 1870 Anderson CO SC census, with: Susan, b1829, d. 19-3-1923; Nathan Richmond, b. 22-9-1831, d. 19-3-1923. Nathan was buried near Ft. Smith, AR. He was the husband of Susan "Mattie" Abercrombie; Elizabeth Woods 1833, date of death unknown; and William James Woods b. 4-10-1839, d. 11-7-1926 in Cross CO AR. He was buried in Harris Chapel Cemetery with wife, Elma Jane Freeman, b. 23-2-1846, d. 11-7-1934.

Another daughter could have been Sarah Woods who married Benjamin Franklin Garrett. Sarah was b. 30-4-1820 Greenville SC, and d. 22-3-1911 in Tarrant CO TX Contact *Betty Garrett Horn, 4805 No. Locust St., No. Little Rock, AR 72116.*

April 1989:

Robert W. Hawkins - Husk - Whitmore: Need proof ancestor Robert W. b. ca1787 NC, married #1 21 June 1807 Christian CO KY Catherine Husk, #2 Trigg CO 1835 Sara Whitmore. Only known children, Malinda, Elizabeth, and Madison E. Robert died 1870s. . . . Please contact Joan B. Piercy, 1755 Rockdale, Memphis, TN 38116.

Hawkins - Berry: My gg gm was Minerva Hawkins, b1839, presumedly in Bath CO KY. She m. my gg gf, William Thomas Berry, 2 Mar 1854 in Bath CO. William Thomas and Minerva had one child, a son, Thomas Alfred Berry. They moved to IL in the 1860s. Minerva Hawkins was d/o Isaac Hawkins b1793 in KY & Sarah T. ? Hawkins. They were residents of Bath and Nicholas COS KY. Sarah died, possibly in 1860. Isaac and Sarah also had a son named Levi, b. 7 Nov 1826, who married Elizabeth Edwards. Unknown if there were other children. Elizabeth was d/o James M. and Sarah Coons Edwards.

There is a tombstone in the East Union Cemetery, Nicholas CO, inscribed: "Hawkins, Elizabeth Ann, wife of Levi Hawkins " (no dates.) Also buried in the cemetery are Francis Berry 1791-1857, my ggg gf and his son Wallace Berry 1829-1849. Any help you can give will be appreciated . . . Dolores Berry Blase, 691 Pleasant Ridge Road, Fairview Heights, IL, 62208.

Hawkins - Dunklin - Shannon: Napoleon F. Hawkins was b. 1826 in NC. He d. June 1878 in Jackson, MS. He was first married to M. Dunklin and had children, Christina (?), Emma, Mollie and George. His second wife was E. A. Shannon. Children were Willie, b1863; Mattie, b1866; Leo, b1868. Napoleon was in the 1850 census of Jackson, MS. He owned a Daguerreotype Studio. His obituary stated that he died in the home of his brother James Hawkins, in Jackson. A relative thought his father was either Thomas Jefferson Hawkins, or Theophilus Hawkins. I believe his relatives were in Carrol Par. LA, Vicksburg, Port Gibson, MI and Hardin CO TN. He may have had a sister, Amanda, who possibly went to Texas during the Civil War. His brother fought for MS. I will be glad to share any information that I have . . . Mrs. Jacqueline Hawkins Davis, 9908 Perry Drive, Overland Park, KS. 66212.

Hawkins - Ralston: I'm a descendant of John Milton Hawkins b1796 Bath CO KY and Polly Graham Ralston, b1804 Bourbon CO KY. They came to Carroll CO TN in 1826 and had thirteen children. Can anyone verify that John Milton Hawkins' father was John Hawkins who married Cassandra Roberts? They are buried in "Old Republican Cemetery" on Flat Creek, Bethel Prec., Bath CO KY.

Hawkins, John 20 Jan 1760 18 Oct 1823

Hawkins, Cassias 14 Nov 1767 9, 1833

Write to: Brad Jarratt, 8149 Cairn Dr., Cordova, TN 38018.

Editor's note: John M. and Polly m. 12 Feb 1821 Bath CO KY. Could parents of John Hawkins (h/o Cassandra,) be Gregory Hawkins and Eliz. Matson? Dolores Berry Blase has some information on this line. Bath CO was created in 1811 from Montgomery CO. Montgomery was created in 1797 from Clark CO which was formed in 1793 from Bourbon and Fayette Counties. We would like to think John Milton Hawkins' family records could be found there somewhere!

Hawkins - McDonald - Caloway - Bailey: Mary Janet Bailey Bryant is a descendant of Martha Ella Hawkins, with give name of Martha's father unknown. Martha's mother was a McDonald. Martha Ella was b. 21 Apr 1861 in AL. She d. Apr 1957 in Hampton, AR. Martha married John Clements Caloway, b26 Aug 1855 in Smead, AR. He d. 29 Jan 1927 in Bearden, AR. Perhaps a member of *Hawkins Heritage* will have a Hawkins/McDonald ancestry and can send information to: *Mary Bailey Bryant, 1209 So. Long, Stuttgart, AR. 72160.*

Walter R. Hawkins, b. VA1818, probably Stafford CO. He married Angelina Snedeger ca1840 Bath CO KY. Walter /Wat R. was s/o James and Margaret Hawkins. Wat d. after 1896 in Rowan CO KY. Their children:

William R.	b. ca1841	Moses	b. 1-9-1854
James R.	b. ca1843	Sarah E.	b. ca1856
John R.	b. ca1845	Alonzo	b. 6-10-1859
Thomas R.	b. ca1847	George	b. ca1861
Lucy J.	b. ca 1849	Walter	b. ca1861/2
Lewis	b. ca18--	Mary	b. ca1865

Walter R.'s second wife was Mary. According to census records, a stepson with the surname of Presly, was listed in their household, giving the assumption Presly was Mary's married name. I do not know Mary's maiden name, but have a clue that it was Hedges. The last three children listed above may be Walter R.'s and Mary's.

James A. Hawkins b. 17-6-1822, was s/o William R. Hawkins and Judah Hawes. This Wm. R. was an older brother of Walter R., brother of the above Angelina Snedeger. James A. married Susanna Logan 7-6-1841 in Fleming CO KY. Their children were:

J.W.	b. ca1842	Henry S.	b. ca1852	Frances M.	b. ca1850
Richard F.	b. ca1844	Eliza J.	b. ca1855		
Ed. F.	b. ca1845	Margret	b. ca1856		
Lucy Jane	b. ca1845	Lucinda	b. ca1858		
Eliz. C.	b. ca1849	Moses R	b. ca1859		

I do not know the parents of Susanna Logan. At one time she and her husband, James A., lived next door to Dr. Henry S. Logan, then named a child after him. Does anyone know

their connection? If you have any information concerning any of the above, please write *Olyve H. Abbott, 3737 Summercrest Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76109. 817-926-2059.*

August 1989:

Amy Hawkins was b. 20 Apr 1806 in Oneida CO NY and married my gg gf David Cleaveland on 13 July 1823 in Oneida CO. They both died in Whiteside CO IL, she in 1879 and he in 1878. Her father was Edward Hawkins, b. between 1760 and 1770 in New York State and married Charity Shipman ca 1800. He died in 1846 in Jackson CO IA. I believe his father was also Edward Hawkins, who died in Saratoga County, NY in 1798. I hope *Hawkins Heritage* will be able to verify these names and dates and give me Edward Hawkins' heritage *Mrs. James Peak, 7833 E. Hampton Circle, Denver, CO 80237.*

Hawkins Heritage member, Harry E. Long, has submitted an article concerning **Davy Crockett and Rebecca Hawkins**. It appears in this issue. It is his hope that "this information will come to the attention of a Hawkins or Crockett researcher who can verify that Davy Crockett's grandfather was Benjamin Hawkins and will share with me their research on this Benjamin Hawkins" *Harry E. Long, Box 985, New Market, VA 22844.*

John Hawkins - Elizabeth Dickenson. Who were the siblings of John Hawkins who married Elizabeth Dickenson? John died in Washington CO VA, leaving a will dated 1793 proven 1794, that named sons John and Phillip, and daughters, Lucy Brooks, Martha Newland, and Elizabeth Hawkins. Some of these went on to live in Madison CO KY. Thank you for any information you might have *J. Mark Rowland, 99 Harpsichord, Stamford, CT 06903.*

December 1989:

Nathan Hawkins b. 16-Nov 1722 in Baltimore MD d. 1802 in Sullivan CO TN. He married on 14 Feb 1744 to **Ruth Cole**, b 1724, Baltimore. Their son, John Hawkins was b. 1760-1778 in Sullivan CO TN. Died 1859 in Salt Creek, Franklin CO TN. He married 1797 in Salt Creek, IN to Nancy Gray, b. 1774 in TN and died in Salt Creek. Was daughter of Robert Gray of North IRE and Baltimore, and Margaret Wilson, b 1752 in IRE. Their daughter, Elizabeth (Betsy), b. 1808, married Benjamin Abraham in 1854. I would like to identify the parents of Nathan Hawkins and Ruth Cole Please write *Corinne Winget, Box 154, Monroe UT 84754.*

Matthew Hawkins, Sr. Want proof of Matthew Hawkins, Sr.'s parents and family of his wife, Hannah (Maxwell) Hawkins (his will pro 19 June 1920 Culpeper CO VA) daughter of James and Rachel (widow of John Popham - Westmoreland CO) Maxwell. *Joyce Libes, 818 W. Riverside #B6 Muncie, IN 47303.*

See change of address on p. 26.

John David Hawkins (possibly Jr.) was born in GA, probably Macon CO 4 Apr 1848. He is listed in the household of David (age 39) and Eliza (38) Hawkins in the 1860 Macon CO census. He came to Limestone CO AL at the end of the Civil War. In December 1880, he married Mary Louisa Christopher. According to the census, Eliza was born in SC. Thank you for any help! . . . *Bessie Hawkins Jackson, Rt 1 Box 55, Lester, AL 35647.*

Hawkins - Lewis. David Lewis b1765 PA, m. 1788 in TN on Holston River, Mary (Eliz?) Hawkins. To Franklin CO IN 1812. She was believed to have sisters Ruth, Rebecca, and brother, John Hawkins. Rebecca m. John Crockett - parents of Davy Crockett, b 1786. Mary Hawkins Lewis d. 1820 Franklin CO IN. Who were parents of Mary (Eliz?) Hawkins? Seek proof. Glad to exchange . . . *Harold L. Meeker, RR 1, Box 261, Grinnell, IA 50112.*

John Hawkins b. England and died MD. John Hawkins, Jr. b. 1730 MD, d. 1797/1799 Abbeyville CO SC, m. Elizabeth Jones in 1750. James Hawkins, b. 16-Jan-1766 MD, d. 6 July 1840 Bartholomew CO IN, m. Rachel Lytle 6 Apr 1789 . . . *Kathleen Hill, 4630 E. Thomas #F-13, Phoenix, AZ 85018.*

James Hawkins (1759-1811) of Montpelier VT. We are interested in obtaining information preceding this time. Also, why did James, who was very prominent in Montpelier, leave there and turn up in Smith's Creek, Ontario, CAN, in 1801? . . . *Richard and Barbara Hawkins, 3517 Berger Rd., Lutz, FL 33549.*

John Hawkins married Ann Withers ca1782-85, possibly in Stafford CO VA. He moved to Jessamine CO (Fayette) KY in 1789. They had fifteen children before Nancy died, prior to 1814. John then married Margaret (Hayden) Singleton on 14 Oct 1815. His daughter was my ancestor, Hannah Hawkins, b. ca1786 in VA, and m. George Smith on 27 Oct 1803 in Jessamine CO and died in 1864 . . . *Judith H. Dixon, 124 Valley View, Joplin, MO 64804.*

April 1990:

William Graves Hawkins, b1813 NC; m. St. Clair CO AL to Sara Jane Adkins, b1816 SC. William d. 1902 in Prentiss CO MS. His sister Jane is believed to have married Sarah's brother, Thomas Adkins . . . *Bettie Parker Gustafson, 1755 Georgian Dr., Memphis, TN 38127.*

August 1990:

William A. Hawkins (Colonel). Would like to correspond with descendants of William A. Hawkins b1872 Valley Head, DeKalb AL. Married **Prudence Crow** (Prudy) 4 Sept 1892, DeKalb CO AL. Known children: Ernest and Kike (Dyke.) In 1944 was living at Nocona, Montague CO TX. Surnames: Adams-NC; Chadwick-GA; Ellis-AL; Ferrell-NC, TN; Fleming-TN, TX; Silvers-GA; Throneberry; Vowell-NC Please contact *Wanda Pearce, 3033 Jane Lane #710, Fort Worth, TX 76117.*

Luther Hawkins. Seek information on ancestors and siblings of g gf, Luther Hawkins, b. ca 1812. First wife's name unknown (Louisa?). Had 2 sons, George b1831 and Luther, b1833. Remarried to Lydia Brodock ca1838-40. She was b1817 in NY state. 8 children: William, b1842; Charles b1844; Albert, b. 1851. Family on following US Census: 1840 in Pendleton, Niagara CO NY; 1050 in Vienna, Oneida CO NY; and 1860 in the town of Royalton, Niagara CO NY. Reply to: *Willis D. Hawkins, 5412 Bethany Way, Lakeland, FL 33809. 813-858-8811.*

Samuel Kilby Hawkins - Elizabeth Barnes. (A) Need to know parents of Samuel Kilby Hawkins who married Elizabeth Barnes on June 5, 1819 in Mercer CO KY. (B) Need to know children of Samuel Kilby Hawkins and Elizabeth Barnes. They lived in Anderson CO KY in 1830. My G/GF was named Henry and is believed to be the eldest. The 18_0 census shows six children. (Editor's note: The date was not clear.)

It is believed that Samuel Kilby Hawkins is connected with either an Elijah Hawkins and Polly Kilby, or could be the grandchild, Samuel Hawkins who is mentioned in the will of Matthew Hawkins, who were all of Culpeper CO VA.

There are listed in Woodford CO KY three Barnes who married into a Hawkins family:

Willis Hawkins m. Polly Barnes Jan 23, 1801

Robert Johnson m. Elizabeth Barnes 1814.

Zackariah Barnes m. Mary Hawkins 1817-1818.

. . . . Submitted by *Dustin O. Hawkins, Box 23067, Columbus, OH 43223.*

Mary Frances Hawkins was b. 12 Jan 1873 in Carroll CO VA. She married 5 Sept 1891, Samuel Leonard Smoot. Mary Frances d. 6 Nov 1943 in Elkin, (Wilkes CO) NC. They had 10 children. Father was Solomon Hawkins (no info.) Mother was Rebecca Winfrey (no info.) Most of the family lives in and around No. Central NC, near Elkin, Surry, and Traphill Please contact *Rebecca Kathleen Mueller, 321 Rosemary St., S.E. Grand Rapids, MI 49507. Phone 616-452-1885.*

December 1990:

Hawkins - Bullington: Mary Elizabeth Bullington married John Clardy in Amelia CO VA, ca1769-70. Mary's mother was a Hawkins. Any information on this family, please reply to: *Mrs. A. Grant Fewsmith, Jr., (Julie) 4167 Inman Crt., Fort Worth, TX 76109.*

Horatio Bates Hawkins married his second wife, **Mary Elderkin Higby** in St. Louis, MO. Their youngest child, Delphine, was my husband's grandmother. She died in northern California, and the only clue is that her father, David Higby, was born in NY state. Family verbal history (not always correct) says her family was killed by Indians; and that during a cholera epidemic, she was a nurse for Horatio Hawkins' first wife in St. Louis. The 1st wife and two of her children died there. Horatio married her and went west, where they had the 2nd family Reply to *Mrs. O. L. Van Skike (Judy). 18331 E. Allegheny Dr., Santa Ana, CA 92705.*

John S. Hawkins. Civil War veteran, b. 8 Oct 1815 in OH, d. 29 Mar 1892 in Indianapolis, IN. He had two wives I know of. #1, Nancy Hamilton, and #2, Ephra (or "Effie") Shepard/Shephard. I'm descended from John and Effie. They had two sons, Thomas and Rollyn. Thomas married Lilly May Loucks. Their son, Harry Leroy Hawkins was my great grandfather. Any information appreciated *Wendy Hawkins Hoffman, 462 Shadyglen Lane, San Dimas, CA 91773-1035.*

Valentine Hawkins. Son of John Hawkins and Cassandra Roberts. Does someone have information concerning a descendant of his in the Bethel, KY area? John Milton Hawkins is also of interest. Cassandra was d/o Roger Roberts *Brad Jarratt, 8149 Cairn Dr., Cordova, TN 38018.*

Mary (Polly) Hawkins. Born ca1783 in Lunenburg CO VA; m. 12-10-1800 in Lunenburg CO; Died before 1827 Madison CO AL. She was d/o John Hawkins, b. ca1752-60 (wife unknown); d. ca1827 in Lunenburg CO. John was the s/o possibly Thomas or John Hawkins, who lived in Lunenburg CO Submitted by *Wanda Colvin, 202 S. Roosevelt, Cleveland, TX 77327.*

Robert Wayne Hawkins. Born 6-July-1895 in New Orleans; m. Edith Ressler, b. 4-July-1894. Robert's first known ancestor was possibly Jeffery Hawkins of England. Robert's ggg gf was James Hawkins, b. ca1715 and m. 1740 in Montgomery CO PA to Martha Howell. Their son was Benjamin, b. 1747 in Delaware. His first wife was Martha Hollingsworth (Union CO SC) and second was Olive Cook. Their son was Levi, b1785, d. Farmers Institute, IN. He m. Mary Evans in 1809 in Butler CO OH. Robert Wayne's grandparents were William Evan Hawkins (182101883) and Hannah Hollingsworth; and

his parents were Robert Douglas Hawkins, b1873 and Helen (Nellie) Berkey, b1870 in Monon, IN Submitted by *Andrew and Karen Clark, 1600 Stafford St., Canton, MI 48188.*

Theophilus Hawkins. Theophilus (also called Thomas Jefferson Hawkins) was listed in the 1850 census of Hinds CO MS. He was 44 years old and a carpenter by trade. His wife was Nancy J. His son, living next door, was 23-year-old Napoleon F. Hawkins, b. NC; Mary S. 22, born KY, and Christiana M. 8/12, b. MS. In this household, there was also listed Joel Washam, age 15, b. AL. Does anyone know of a connection between the Hawkins and Washam? Marriage record (1 Feb 1848 of Napoleon F. to Mary S. Dunklin is listed in Hinds CO MS Marriage Records 1823-1848. Napoleon's 2nd wife was Elizabeth Anna Shannon, and they were my gr grandparents Information from *Jackie Davis, 9908 Perry Dr., Overland Park, KS 66212.*

John Hawkins. Born 1536 in Castor, Northampton, ENG. "John became the head of an international mercantile house in Castor; his posterity established a branch house in Dublin and it flourished under the family name for many generations." Does anyone have either a connection with, or more information on this line? *Shirley Williams, 63337 Eastview Drive, Bend, OR 97701.*

John Coleman Hawkins. Seeking birthdate, place and parents of John Coleman Hawkins, b. ca1760 in VA near the NC line. Immigrated to KY in later days of his life. Died and buried in Munfordville, Hart CO KY *Carroll Hawkins Evans, PO Box 385, Loomis, CA 95650.*

Note: Carroll's chart states John Coleman died at age 90. His wife was Sarah/Martha Bond. Carroll's ancestor was Presley Hawkins, b. 19 Feb 1819 in VA. He m. Sarepta B. McCubbin, b1822 NC; d. 15 Dec 1874 in Waco, TX. Their dau. Mary C., b1849 in MO, d. 14 Apr 1932 in Cundiff, TX. Mary C. m. James Solomon Dobson, b1843 in KY; d1928 Cundiff. Their dau., Grace Hawkins Dobson b1888 Cundiff, d1980 in Roseville, CA. (Related information on this Hawkins family in this issue.)

Hawkins in Union CO SC. Is anyone researching the Hawkins line of Union CO SC? Cherokee CO, AL; or Bell CO, TX? *If you have this line, please write to the Editor.*

Benjamin Hawkins. Ancestors and siblings of Benjamin Hawkins b. ca1779 VA. Wife's name Mary (Polly.) Family rumor is that Mary was Cherokee. Possibly that Benjamin had brothers named Peterson and Silas. Benjamin and Mary lived the majority of their lives near Cloversport, Breckenridge CO KY. Known to be the parents of Caleb Hawkins, b. ca1820 in Breckenridge CO. Would like to correspond with any other Hawkins descendants from Breckenridge CO KY *Leslie Alden, W. 522 Park Place, Spokane, WA 99205.*

Hawkins - Hallford - Dowling - Boutwell. I need information on Jackson D. Hawkins (Jack or J.D. was his usual signature.) Was "D" for Dupree or similar? He was born in 1855, possibly in TN. He d. 5 Nov 1922 in San Antonio, Bexar CO, TX. He married 24 Dec 1884 to Susan Costilla Hallford, b. 15 July 1867, Dale CO AL. They had seven sons, my father among them. They owned a livery stable and possibly a millinery shop in Franklin, Robertson CO TX. For a short time they were in Uvalde, TX. Surely my Jackson had a family and a paper trail, but I have not found it. I'm willing to share information. Also have lines, Trotte, De Noise (MO). Gipson and Francis . . . Write to *Hawkins Huly, Box 1376, Bracketville, TX 78832.*

John Hawkins. In 1794 John Hawkins of Washington CO VA died. He left a will naming his wife, Children and executor, Henry Dickenson. I am most interested in corresponding with anyone who has information on this family . . . *Betty Hawkins Stuart, 29900 So. Bay Shore, Orange Beach, AL 36561.*

James A. Hawkins - Susanna Logan. James A., b. 17-6-1822, eldest son of my gg grandparents, William R. Hawkins and Judah Hawes, was brother of my g gf Andrew Jackson Hawkins. James A. was married to Susanna Logan 7-6-1841. The last record I have of them is an 1860 KY census. A cemetery book of Christian CO IL shows a stone with the inscription, "Susan Hawkins, wife of J.A." Susan's birth year of 1823, is the same my own family history shows for James A.'s wife. Another brother of William R. Hawkins, b1791, was Walter R., who had among his children, Alonzo, Lewis, George, and Walter R. The 1880 Christian CO census shows the first three living in the same household with the latter. Their ages also match my files. The coincidence seems too great for the families not to be the same. Does anyone have more information on any of these names? Walter R.'s family is the direct line of *HH* member, George Gulley . . . *Olyve Hallmark Abbott, 3737 Summercrest Dr., Ft. Worth, TX 76109.*

April 1991:

Eleanor Hawkins - Aaron Smith. Jane Baxter is researching Eleanor Hawkins, b. 17 Apr 1850 ion N.Y. City, and possibly died in Norwich, CT. She m. 3 May 1867 to Aaron Smith, b1839 in Wilton, CT, and also prob. d. in Norwich. He was s/o Harriet F. (Marvin) Smith. Jane seeks information concerning Eleanor Hawkins. Other lines being researched are Marsh, Batterson, Olmstead, and May . . . *Jane Lyson Baxter, Box 619, Elmer, NY 08318.*

John Hawkins. Desire information about parents and siblings of John Hawkins who

d. 8 July 1818 at Providence, RI. He had two sons, Harris, b. ca1787 and Stephen, b1784. Please find John on your family group sheets and write to me . . . *Connie Beck, RR2, Box 31, Lenox, IA 60851.*

John Hawkins - Emily Cullem. John Hawkins b1822 in Ireland. Sometime before 1860 John and Emily settled in Burlington, IA, where John was a tailor on Jefferson St., downtown Burlington. At least seven children: Mary Jane, John, Ann, Frank, William, Edward and James. Jeff Forsythe descends from Mary Jane who m. Joseph Robinson 27 June 1882. In 1890 they lived in Tombstone, AZ. Later lived in Colorado. Their children include Jennie Elizabeth, Richard, John, Emily and Agnes Ann. After Joseph died, Mary Jane returned to Chicago where she died in 1933 . . . Please write *Jeff Forsythe, 1541 Allen Lane, St. Charles, IL 60174.*

James Hawkins - Rachel Lytle. Kathleen Hill descends from James Hawkins, b. 16-1-1766 Lincoln CO NC. He m. on 6 Apr 1789 to Rachel Lytle, b. 9-1-1769, Lincoln CO. Children: Elizabeth (m. Pruitt); Mary (m. William West); John (m. Hackleman); Rebecca, from whom Kathleen Hill descends, m. 1796 in Abbeyville Dist., SC; d. 19-9-1868 in Bartholomew CO IN (m. William Pruitt, Sr.); Margaret; Rachel; James; Matthew and William Lytle . . . Please write *Kathleen Hill, 4630 E. Thomas Rd. #7-13, Phoenix, AZ 85018.*

Ephraim Hawkins - Sarah Farmer. Ephraim Hawkins, b1761 Baltimore CO MA, m. Nancy Ann Farmer, b1767, s/o John and Sarah (Green) Farmer. Their son, Thomas, b1790/1800, m. Mildred Norris. Thomas and Mildred's daughter was Malaeny Hawkins, b1817 in Person CO NC, and m. Carter L. Jones in 1842. She died in 1902 in Whitfield CO GA. . . . Submitted by *Connie Howard, PO Box 122, Pocahontas, AR 72455.*

Hawkins - Withers - Fossaker - Fowke - Thorowgood - Hawes. Several of our members research Stafford CO VA. Since it was a burned county, many valuable records are not available. Four years ago, in the VSL in Richmond, I found an index with many familiar names in it. The bad news was the book for which it was an index had been destroyed. Judith H. Dixon, Tony Stump, and I descend from the Withers family of Stafford CO. Since my (and other members') James and Margaret Hawkins lived in Stafford CO from at least as early as 1791 until 1825, please notice if you have notations on any Hawkins at all who connect with these surnames listed above? There were early Hawkins in Stafford, but there is also a time lapse before James Hawkins showed up in my Stafford CO research. I would like to connect James to the earlier Stafford CO Hawkins families . . . *Olyve H. Abbott, 3737 Summercrest Drive., Fort. Worth, TX 76109.*

Are You Trying To Locate An Unknown Maiden Name?

DEEDS: In the lower left-hand corner of most deeds you will find signatures of two to four witnesses. The first one is always from the husband's side. The next one is always from the wife's side. This is to protect her 1/3rd dower right under the law. Nothing you ever use will give greater clues to maiden names than witnesses to old deeds.

MORTGAGES: In the 1800's and before, it was traditional when the daughter got married, as part of her dowry for the father, to either cover the loan or carry the note for his son-in-law. If you know the husband's name but not the wife's maiden name, find out to whom they are making their mortgage payment. About 70% of the time it will be her father.

ISGS Newsletter, March/April 1991.

(Note: I've found this to be a good tip! -- Oha)

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QUERY

HAWKINS - BAGWELL

Looking for ancestors of **Thomas Jefferson Hawkins**

b. 30 March 1859 in Webster CO MS.

d. Aug 1903 Fellowship Baptist Choctaw CO MS.

m. **Mary Bagwell**

b. 5 May 1861 Choctaw CO MS.

Please contact Gordon Hawkins, 351 Court Street,
B, New York 11231 . . . 718-522-3278.

BOOKS

True Women by Joyce Woods Windle. I mention this book again because it refers to Benjamin Hawkins, Indian agent, as a family member of the author's family. "I grew up listening to great stories. Janice Windle's novel is an engaging story of three generations of Texas women whose lives capture your imagination and your heart."--Ann Richards, former Governor of Texas. "Janice Woods Windle recalls vivid scenes from her family's past. . . Exciting storytelling."--James A. Michener.

American Indians: Stereotypes & Realities by Dr. Devon A. Mihesuah, Associate Professor of American Indian history at Northern Arizona University. "Devon Mihesuah is one of the most gifted Native American scholars in the country today." --Robert A. Williams, Jr., Professor of Law, University of Arizona, Tucson. (Note: There are no Hawkinses in this book, but I list it because the author is a Hawkins descendant.)

Eastern Kentucky: A Pictorial History, by Stuart Sprague. Dr. Sprague has taught history at Morehead State University in Morehead, Kentucky since 1968. This "picture book" covers the forty-nine counties in Appalachian Kentucky. The photographs and narrative tell the story "of a people, of coal and timber, iron and industry, of seat towns and hollows: a visual record that far exceeds in scale and quality any similar Eastern Kentucky work that preceded it." --Olyve

Yesterday's Magazette, Editor/Publisher E.P. "Ned" Burke. "Son of The Police Chief" by Tom J. Abbott, Jr. (July-August 1996.) This bi-monthly nostalgic magazine has been published since 1973. P.O. Box 18566, Sarasota, FL 34276. Subscription \$15 per year. This story was written by my husband.--Olyve.)

The Writer's Guide To Everyday Life in the 1800s, by Marc McCutcheon. You don't have to be a writer or a Hawkins to enjoy this book. While it basically helps a writer get his/her facts correct for the time period, this book is fun and informative reading. Besides, have you ever wondered which carriage would keep you dry in a downpour: a barouche or a landau?

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! HAPPY HOLIDAYS !

Dear Hawkins Cousins,

Our appreciation goes to membership chairman, JOAN GEORGE. for compiling the special issue this year. The hard work of many hours is apparent in the Hawkins descending chart. If you do not find your line on the chart, but think you may connect to it, please contact Joan. She has more information available on much of this outline chart.

We thank Millie Showalter Farmer for allowing us to print her book, *Bits and Pieces of the Hawkins Family Puzzle*, as a continuing feature. Its conclusion is in this issue.

I recently returned from a driving trip to Flagstaff, Arizona. My little granddaughter, Ari, was only three days old and a pleasure to cuddle. Her big brother, almost three-year-old Tanner, seems to think she's pretty neat and proved it with a kiss on the forehead. Their mother and father are doing great too.

And I guess I've never told you, but I've really enjoy putting together this publication. Corresponding and speaking on the telephone with so many Hawkins friends has been a plus.

The best wishes to all our *Hawkins Heritage* members and their families. May the blessings of the Holiday Season be yours.

! HAPPY NEW YEAR !

QUERY

Hawkins - Chenoweth

Hardin Hawkins 1791-1851. Mar. 20-Jan-1814 in Nelson CO KY, to Letitia Van Meter Chenoweth, b. 11 Jun 1796 Nelson CO KY, d. 3 Nov 1875 in KY, d/o Wm. CHENOWETH Major & Mary VAN METER. *Please write John L. Faulkner, 502 E. Silverleaf St., Greer, SC 29650.*

Editor's note: According to the Master Index of Virginia Surveys and Grants, 1774-1791, KHS Vol. No. 5, Original survey no. 1183, William Chenoweth owned 600 acres, Jefferson County, Watercourse, Rock Cr., Original book and page; 2, 98-99; Grantee, William Chenoweth and heirs, 12-2-1785, Original book & page 16, 192-193.

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BOOK

Thomas Faulconer and Related Tidewater Virginia Families

by

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This book was mentioned in an earlier issue, but I will give some more information about it. Hawkins pages are from 74 - 102. This section begins with Captain Thomas Hawkins, in the house of burgesses in 1632, in Rappahannock. His legatees were wife Francis and sons, Thomas and John. Some surnames included with this Hawkins connection are Hinchman, Rouzee, Vawter, Lucas, Blomfield, Stallard, Reynolds, Boutwell, Covington, Faulconer, and Moseley (much information on this family.)

Captain Thomas Hawkins II (Thomas I, III, and IV were included) married a second wife named Mary. Faulconer mentions that one deed allows her maiden name -- "Deed of gift by Mr. John Binchman to my daughter Mary Hawkins" Approximate dates are from the early 1600's through that century.

Mr. Faulconer lists titles of publications from which he found his information. He also included information of the Ralph Hawkins line. His will was proved in 1626 in the Archdeaconry Court of Canterbury, England. Descendants apparently first lived in York CO VA.

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