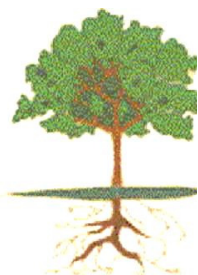


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## WELCOME

*Hello Everyone;*

Welcome to the **Summer 2013** issue of the *McVicker, Moreland, Pinnell, Scruggs* (MMPS) family newsletter. We've included you on our mailing list because you are someone who shares a common interest of searching for information on the surnames associated with our maternal family line. We hope that some of the topics addressed within this newsletter will assist you with your genealogical endeavors.

This issue's **Feature Article** is about our Augusta County ancestors in the Virginia Militia during the Revolutionary War. Within the **News of Interest to the Family Historian** are articles about upcoming genealogy events as well as an article about the pros and cons of publishing your genealogy via a traditional or ebook. The **Campbell** surname is featured in the **Surname Search** section which displays matches of a surname in our database to the huge resources found at RootsWeb.com. You are reminded to look at the **Research Connections** to see if anyone else is researching your family or a similar surname. Check

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*Trip This Summer*

out our **MMPS Databases** at the *RootsWeb World Connect Project* and *Ancestry.com* to see if we've added any new ancestral family lines, individuals or new and revised web records that may be of interest to you. Also, take time to review new pages and image galleries recently uploaded to the **Maternal and Paternal Ancestors Website** at *RootsWeb's Freepages*. Included therein are pages containing worthwhile information about individual surnames, ancestral locations, free genealogy records as well as other topics such as military units, our genealogy reference book library, and historic American roads and migration routes.

As always we will attempt to keep the newsletter brief but informative and hope you will enjoy reading it. If you do not want to remain on our mailing list please let us know and we will stop sending to you. To read our previous newsletters, see the link in the **Contact Information** section of this issue.

*Fred Siler, Editor*

## A QUOTE TO NOTE

*"Everyone has ancestors and it is only a question of going back far enough to find a good one."*

Howard Kenneth Nixon

## FEATURE ARTICLE

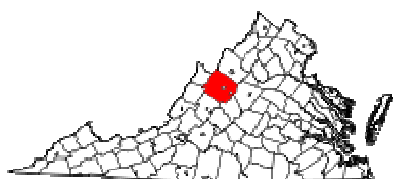
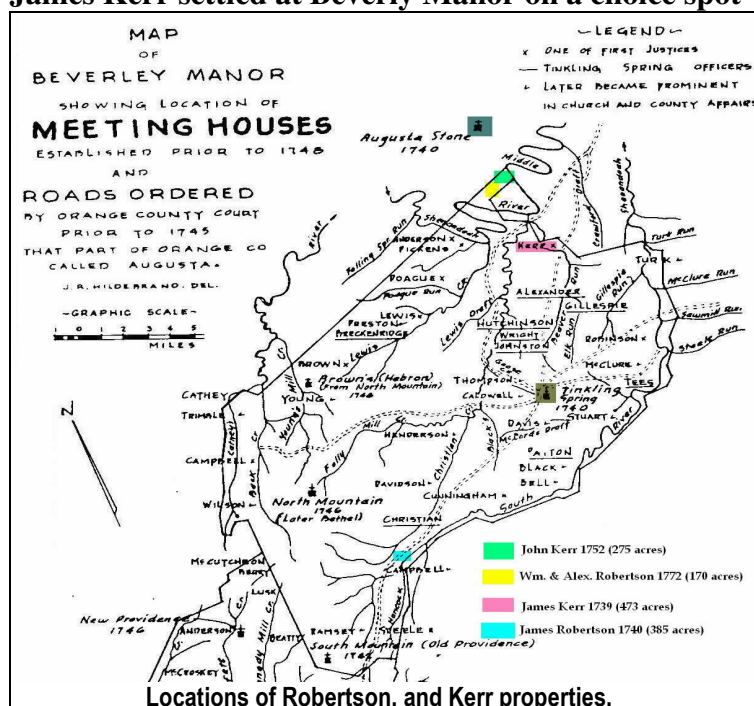
### Our Augusta County Ancestors who served in the Virginia Militia during the Revolutionary War

During Colonial times the few Virginia counties west of the Blue Ridge mountains were not only large, but because of their great extent they possessed a considerable population. This was particularly true of Augusta and the counties southwest of it. Originally, Augusta County was a vast territory with an indefinite western boundary. Most of what is now West Virginia as well as all of Kentucky were formed from it, and it also claimed the territory north and west of those areas, theoretically all the way to the Pacific Ocean. It therefore explains the large number of officers and men who came from those counties as the boundaries then stood. Because of the additional circumstance that their inhabitants were nearly all caucasian, they took a very conspicuous part in the Revolution. Probably no one county furnished so many soldiers as Augusta. One other fact remains to be noticed. The Shenandoah Valley of Virginia had been settled such a length of time, and that a majority of the men it sent into the Revolution were native to the soil. This is especially true of our Augusta County ancestors who fought in the American Revolution as many of them where second generation and born in Augusta County.

The first Settlers of Augusta Co., Virginia arrived in the 1720's primarily from Eastern Virginia, Pennsylvania, and Maryland. Some were German-born or the Pennsylvania-born children of German-speaking Protestant immigrants from the Palatinate and other areas bordering the Rhine River. These were Lutheran, Reformed, or Brethren. The greatest numbers of early Augusta settlers were from the province of Ulster in the north of Ireland, or were the Pennsylvania and Maryland-born children of these Ulster Scots or Scotch-Irish Presbyterians. Many early settlers took up land on the 112,000-acre tract that the colonial government granted to William Beverley, later referred to as "Beverley Manor".

Our 7<sup>th</sup> great-grandfathers James Robertson and James Kerr (Carr) are two examples of those Scotch-Irish Presbyterians who were among the first to settle

this area of Virginia that would become Augusta County. Robertson came over the Blue Ridge Mountains from eastern Virginia and Kerr came from Pennsylvania by way of the Indian path that would become the "Great Wagon Road." Both purchased hundreds of acres from William Beverley. In 1738 James Kerr settled at Beverly Manor on a choice spot



Location of Augusta County, Virginia

at the juncture of Christian's Creek, Long Meadow Run, and Middle River. He was among the first settlers of Beverley Manor whose title deeds are recorded in Orange County. By 1740 James Robertson had settled in the southwestern section of Beverley Manor. Other Ulster-Scot ancestors who came to Augusta County prior to the American Revolution were our 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> great-grandfathers Robert Douglass Sr. and his son Robert Jr. who are known have settled in Augusta County prior to 1758. In addition is our 1<sup>st</sup> cousin (7x) John Eades who is an example of the settler of English descent who came to Augusta County from eastern Virginia. Overall our database contains sixteen surnames that are directly associated with Augusta County during this time in American History. They are: Bailey, Ball, Bell,

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**Campbell, Cord, Douglass, Downing, Eades, Kerr, Oaks, Paxton, Poage, Robertson, Royston, Turk, and White.**

The following narratives of our patriot ancestors will provide the reader with a general description of how the citizens of Augusta County contributed to the War for Independence.

Our 6<sup>th</sup> great-grandfather **William Robertson**, of Augusta County, is a recognized patriot of the Revolution by virtue of his contributions of supplies to the war effort. William was born circa 1720 in the Ulster province of Ireland. He came to America before 1740. By 1749 he was living in the Beverly Manor area of Augusta County, Virginia. He married Letticia Kerr a daughter of James Kerr one of the original settlers of Augusta County. To the union at least 12 known children were born. At the start of the American Revolution William was already over the age of 40 years. He lived the remainder of his years in Augusta County where he died in 1812.

**Robert Douglass, Jr.**, our 5<sup>th</sup> great-grandfather, has been confirmed as a Patriot of the war based upon his military service. Robert was born 1758 in Augusta County, Virginia. In 1784 he married Elizabeth Robertson a daughter of the aforementioned William Robertson. On September 3, 1777 Robert enlisted into the militia and served at various times during the Revolutionary War, amounting to 8 months. His rank was that of a private with the Virginia Troops and he most likely was a teamster. He served under Capt. John Talbot and Colonels Mason and Vance and was present at the siege of Yorktown. According to some sources Robert was also a Private in the Virginia Militia during the War of 1812.

**James Robertson**, son of the aforementioned William Robertson, thus our great-grand uncle was born at Augusta County in 1751. He served three tours with the Augusta County Militia. The first was



A typical Virginia militiaman

when he was drafted on September 1, 1777 and placed under the command of Capt. George Moffett. Whereupon he was a member of an expedition against the Indians near Point Pleasant on the Ohio River. Although he was not engaged in any battles he did witness the death of the celebrated Indian Chief Cornstalk who was murdered while being held hostage. In December, 1777. River. His third and last tour of duty was performed in the Summer of 1781 when he was marched to Charlottesville immediately after Lt. Col. Banastre Tarleton's capture of seven legislators, on the 4<sup>th</sup> of June. Subsequent to this event he marched from Augusta County, in Capt. John Given's company, to near Jamestown, where he was in the Battle of Green Springs Plantation, on July 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Alexander Robertson**, our 1<sup>st</sup> cousin (7 times removed) is the son of James Robertson 1716-c.1754, and nephew of the aforementioned William Robertson c. 1720-1812. Alexander was born, about a mile from Staunton, Virginia, in 1748. Early on Alexander Robertson was seen as an important man in public affairs. On 19 August 1777 he was elected a Captain in the Augusta County Militia, and on 21 October 1778 he became a Major of the First Battalion of the Militia. Records also show that he was a Lt. Colonel by 1781 and commanded a regiment of militia who fought near Jamestown, Virginia in the aforementioned Battle of Green Spring, and on June 26<sup>th</sup> at Hot Water Plantation (Spencer's Ordinary), located 6 miles northwest of Williamsburg, Virginia. D.A.R. records also show he is recognized as a Patriot of the War in Independence because of his Civil Service in Virginia. Alexander was elected a member of the Virginia Federal Convention, at Richmond, June, 1788, and also elected a member of the Virginia Legislature the next winter.

**James Robertson**, our 1<sup>st</sup> cousin (7 times removed) is the son of Matthew Robertson our 6<sup>th</sup> great-grand Uncle. D.A.R. documents note his service as a Colonel of the Augusta County Militia as well as his other patriotic contributions to the War for Independence. It is known that Col. Robertson commanded a regiment of militia at the Battles at Hot Water Plantation and Green Springs during the Yorktown Campaign in 1781.



# NEWS OF INTEREST TO THE FAMILY HISTORIAN

## NEW **FREE** Databases added from Historical Record Collections



We are continually adding links from various historical record collections, such as state archives, FamilySearch, Rootsweb, USGENWEB, and others to our **FREE** Genealogy Records pages at: <http://tinyurl.com/3saa5z9>. Following is a listing of some of the new or updated databases that we have recently uploaded to our website:



- Iowa State Census, 1895
- Massachusetts, State Census, 1855
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- New York, State Census, 1875
- New York, Queens County Probate Records, 1785-1950
- North Carolina, Civil Action Court Papers, 1712-1970
- North Carolina, Estate Files, 1663-1979
- Ohio, Probate Records, 1789-1996
- New York, County Naturalization Records, 1791-1980
- Ohio, Southern District Naturalization Index, 1852-1991
- Pennsylvania, Philadelphia Passenger Lists, 1800-1882
- New England, Petitions for Naturalization, 1787-1931
- DeKalb Co., Illinois, Land Records, 1838-1927
- Piscataquis Co. Maine, Deed Books, 1838-1902
- Massachusetts, Land Records, 1620-1986
- Itasca Co., Minnesota, Land Records, 1872-1930
- Vermont, Vital Records, 1760-2003
- Colorado, Statewide Marriage Index, 1900-1939
- Illinois, County Marriages, 1810-1934
- Indiana, Marriages, 1811-1959
- Missouri, County Marriage Records, 1819-1969
- Nebraska, Marriages, 1855-1995
- New York, County Marriages, 1908-1935
- Oklahoma, County Marriages, 1891-1959
- Confederate Officers Card Index, 1861-1865
- Georgia, Fulton County Records, 1827-1933
- Gooding Co, Idaho, Records, 1879-1962
- Idaho, Bonneville County Records, 1867-2012
- Idaho, Lincoln County Records, 1886-1972
- Illinois, Lee County Records, 1830-1954
- Maine, State Archive Collections, 1718-1957
- Chouteau Co., Montana Records, 1876-2011
- Swisher Co., TX Records, 1879-2012

**FREE** Social Security Death Index see DEATH RECORDS webpage at: <http://tinyurl.com/8x7m44r>



## Some “Good News” submitted by our Readers



The Trail of Tears a poem submitted by Savannah Jordon at, [lakegirltyler@yahoo.com](mailto:lakegirltyler@yahoo.com)

Run and hide the old ones said  
while mounted horses fly overhead  
little corn girl of farming tribe  
lies flat and does not cry, later carries  
bodies away

Rain brought water to the mix  
now it is mud in the corn stick rows  
she prays for darkness close and dark  
and smoke curls away while river carries  
bodies away

Great Spirit hears the cries  
with knotted brow he sees  
soldiers with the longsticks hot  
even babies have they shot, carry  
bodies away

Brown eyes stare at the wanton place  
small and sober is her face and cries  
are heard of the not-quite-dead  
spot where someone bled  
bodies away

Gather us and hide and seek  
a place on the land already ours  
white man the one to mistrust  
kills for land that only nature owns  
more bodies away

## Important Upcoming Events

### SCRUGGS FAMILY ASSOCIATION REUNION JULY 25-27, 2013

The Scruggs Family Association will hold a reunion in Huntsville, Alabama from July 25-27 at the Holiday Inn Research Park. Anyone interested should contact the Association's Secretary Mary Rephlo at



[marv@rephlo.com](mailto:marv@rephlo.com).

### "WHO DO YOU THINK YOU ARE?" PREMIERES JULY 23 ON TLC

It's official: Ancestry.com has confirmed the rumors that "Who Do You Think You Are?" is coming to TLC. The show will premiere July 23. Eight episodes will feature celebrities including actresses Christina Applegate and Zooey Deschanel, and supermodel Cindy Crawford.

As a sponsor of the Ancestry.com provides family history research on the featured celebrities. The US version of the celebrity-genealogy show, produced by Lisa Kudrow and Dan Bucatinsky aired for three seasons on NBC and was canceled after the 2012 season.

*If you have any research tips, recipes, photographs, web links, news articles, maps, etc. that you would like to share with our readers please feel free to send them to me at [silrem@comcast.net](mailto:silrem@comcast.net).*

## Technology Tips for the Family Historian

### Publishing Your Genealogy – Traditional vs. eBook

Writing a book about your family or your genealogical research can be a major challenge, but it is just the first step in getting your publication out to your family and other interested people. The advent of print on demand and of electronic publishing, also known as eBook publishing, adds options for publishing and distribution of family histories and genealogies. It is important to understand the overall process of

traditional publishing to understand the differences with the newer technology. It is also important to note that very few traditional publishers will even consider paying to publish a genealogical publication unless it has broad appeal. Usually, a pedigree or history of a family does not fall into that category and you will have to pay a price per copy to have a book published. Read the full article at: <http://tinyurl.com/m6677pn>

### Adding to your Genealogy with Online Digital Newspapers

Throughout the world, local and national organizations, including governments, are realizing that much of their national heritage, culture and

online. Genealogists benefit from this huge influx of searchable online images through the information that is contained in the newspapers. Some of the types of

history has been chronicled in newspapers. Most newspapers have been printed on cheap paper and deterioration of the paper is threatening to have newspapers disappear before they are preserved. As a result, newspaper digitization projects are popping up all over the world and millions of pages of national and local newspapers are being preserved with access

information that may be found include articles about births, marriages, death notices, obituaries, social events, sporting events, church activities and affiliations, occupations, legal notices, land sales, taxation, military service, businesses, and advertisements.

Read the full article at: <http://tinyurl.com/kys5v54>

## The Ins and Outs of Really Big Online Genealogical Databases

In the past very few years, online genealogy records have grown to the point that the larger databases are talking in terms of billions of records. How can you begin to comprehend that many records? Where do you start and where does your searching online end, if it ever does? What do you do when you search for an

ancestor's name and there are thousands of results? And of course, the main question is, if you already know enough about your ancestor to search for him or her in the huge database, why do you need to do the search?

Read the full article at: <http://tinyurl.com/n5k3238>

## Great Places To Look For **FREE** Genealogy Information



When it comes to genealogy websites, most of them seem to be nothing more than lists of *links to other* resources. Occasionally you'll find a truly useful website with a search feature that accesses real data. The

following are free genealogy websites that appear to be valuable to anyone researching their family history. These sites provide valuable tools, guides and access to databases that are abundant with historic data.

**National Archives and Records Administration:** at <http://www.archives.gov/research/>

Not everything at the "nation's attic" has been outsourced to Archives.com, Fold3 and other sites. Under Research our Records, you can use the new Online Public Access system to search both the Access to Archival Databases collection of more than 85 million historic electronic records—among them more than 9 million WWII enlistment files—and the Archival Research Catalog index to 6.3 million records (with 153,000 digital copies).

**Library of Congress:** at <http://www.loc.gov/index.html>

Wonder about your tax dollars at work? Search this online catalog of pretty much every book there is, along with the National Union Catalog of Manuscript Collections (you may have heard it called "nuk-muk"). Or picture the past with the American Memory digital collection of maps, photos, documents, audio and video on topics from landscape architecture to war. Then check out the Chronicling America newspaper collection <[chroniclingamerica.loc.gov](http://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov)>, which has grown to more than 4.8 million digitized pages, plus a directory of historical US newspapers and archives where you can find copies today.

**Family Search:** at <https://familysearch.org/>

Completely overhauled and expanded, this early innovator in online genealogy is once again at the front of the pack. A wealth of digitized records, family history books, new ways to search the Family History Library catalog, a Research Wiki and improved records searching make this free site—and its more than 2.5 billion records—your first stop in almost any genealogy undertaking.

## FREE Research Courses

**Learn About the Methods and Key Resources Needed to Jump-Start Your Family History Research**

Stuck at a brick wall, or feeling overwhelmed by your research? Then it is probably time to increase your skill set by educating yourself. Once understanding of records and research planning is acquired we become better researchers. This means we are more selective in what we gather, more

of this newsletter. Although there are many sources for **FREE** online genealogy lessons we have decided to start with those tried and proven courses offered by Family Search that can be seen at: <https://familysearch.org/learningcenter/home.html>.

These classes are taught by genealogy research

confident that we can find information again, and better equipped to scale our brick walls. To assist you with this effort we have included this "Research Courses" article as an on-going feature

consultants from the Family History Library in Salt Lake City, Utah, as well as experts from around the world. Below you will find information about the featured lesson. **Click** on the [URL](#) to get the lesson started.

## A History of the Public Record Office

This 38 minute course will take you through a brief history of the United



Kingdom's Public Record Office, looking at public records from 1086 to 2003.

<http://tinyurl.com/k5hzkfy>

*If you have any ideas, and or information you might have regarding ways to enhance our researching experiences. Send them to me at [silrem@comcast.net](mailto:silrem@comcast.net).*



## Database Updates



### New Records Uploaded to the Databases at RootsWeb and Ancestry

Our Moreland-Scruggs Family Line (MMPS) database at *Ancestry.com* currently contains the records of **3,295** persons. The database can be viewed by all Ancestry subscribers. This tree will change every three months as we edit, remove, or otherwise modify the data therein.

An updated version of our MMPS Database was recently uploaded to the, open to all and FREE, "World Connect" site at *RootsWeb.com*. Several new records have been added over the past three months. We now have information on **3,161** persons. Since we update the database quarterly to coincide with the publishing of this newsletter our readers are all reminded to take a look at what is new with our family history research. If you do check out the website

you may find some new information that will enhance your own research or you may find some errors in ours that we need to know of.

The Database at *Roots.web* is free for all to use. It is located at: <http://tinyurl.com/4z3ky6>. You may also access our family tree by going to: <http://worldconnect.rootsweb.com/>.

The Database at *Ancestry.com* can only be accessed by subscribers. It is located at the Home Page <http://www.ancestry.com/> in the "Search" pull-down button under "Public Member Trees".

Please know that we would always welcome any new information that you may have on our common ancestors.

## WHAT'S NEW AT THE WEBSITE ??

*Our Ancestors: 380 Years of History in America*

New Webpage - Gazetteer of Historical European Places

Since we usually update our website several times between the publishing of this newsletter you are reminded and encouraged to periodically review what is new with regard to the family information and genealogical resources contained at, **Our Ancestors 380 Years of History in America: An Archive of Genealogical Information**. To access the site's Home Page use the following link: <http://tinyurl.com/3lbrly>.

Over the past three months **two** new or revised **Surname** web pages have been created and added to the **MMPS SUBSITE**. We've also completed a few revisions to our **Source Documents.Archives**. These archives include many of the documents we have utilized to cite facts within our database. Each of the

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over a thousand links to free genealogy record databases. Most of these free records come from websites such as Family Search, Ancestry.com, Distant Cousin, various U.S. State archives, and Fold 3.

We have continued to upgrade and increase the number of volumes within our **Genealogy Reference Library**. Due to our growing library of books we've added a separate page for easier access to the **152** volumes now in our **Missouri** State collection. As far as we know our online library collections are the only ones categorized by subject and county. Most of these books are fully searchable and can be downloaded to your computer. In addition text may be cut & pasted directly to your family tree software or other document.

For our readers who have an interest in **Historic American Roads And Migration Routes** we now have

galleries has been created in alphabetical order of the persons first name.

At our **ANCESTRAL LOCATIONS** sub-site **six** new or revised web pages have been created and uploaded to the internet. This includes our new "Gazetteer of Historical European Places" that has been developed as an ancillary resource to heraldry information provided in our Surname web-pages.

The scope and volume of the various sub-sites created for our **SPECIAL TOPICS** continued to increase since the last issue of this newsletter. For example we have added many more links to our **Free Genealogy Records and Databases**. Here you will find

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the names of **657** notable early American travel routes. Major revisions have been made to the webpage about **Historic Routes Within the North Central Lakes Plains**. As a result we've added many new trails, maps and image galleries about historic routes within the states of Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, and Illinois. We've also add "Landing Places" to our **Directory of Historical Fords and Ferries** as a supplement information on historic routes of the U.S.A.

As with our databases you may find some new information at our web-site that will enhance your own research or you may want to advise us of some updated records that we can include at the site. Either way we would appreciate an email from you just to let us know that you've found your way to our online website.

## **NEW AND REVISED "MMPS" SURNAME PAGES**

To these pages follow this link <<http://tinyurl.com/56odpr>>.

**MMPS SURNAME INDEX:** Ashbury<sup>NEW</sup>; Loux

**OTHER:** MMPS War Veterans;

## **NEW & REVISED "ANCESTRAL LOCATION" PAGES**

To access these pages follow this link <<http://tinyurl.com/5rcafv>>.

**UNITED STATES:** Missouri; Tulare County, CA

**WORLD:** Gazetteer of Historical European Places<sup>NEW</sup>; Bavaria, Germany; Lower Saxony, Germany; Hesse, Germany;



## “SPECIAL TOPICS” NEW & REVISED PAGES

To access these pages follow this **link** <<http://tinyurl.com/3lbrly>>.

**FREE GENEALOGY RECORDS & DATABASES:** Biographies & Surnames; Cemetery; Census & Directories; Church; Court; Death; Immigration & Naturalization; Land; Marriage; Military; Newspaper; Organizations; Federal, State & Local Records; Tax & Voter

**GENEALOGY RESEARCH LIBRARY:** Connecticut; Illinois; Massachusetts; Missouri **NEW**; Ohio; USA Locations Library; USA Reference Library

**HISTORIC AMERICAN ROADS AND MIGRATION ROUTES:** Historic Routes in the North Central Lakes Plains; Ohio Fords, Ferries & Landings **NEW**; Illinois Fords, Ferries & Landings **NEW**; Fords, Ferries & Landings of Wisconsin, Michigan and Indiana **NEW**; Chicago Road; National Road; Zane's Trace; Chicago-Galena State Road

**RESEARCHING OUR WAR VETERANS:** 5<sup>th</sup> Virginia Cavalry (Civil War); Virginia Militia of Augusta County **NEW**

## RESEARCH CONNECTIONS

Since the first issue of this newsletter was created its distribution list has grown significantly. Along the way we have interacted with many genealogists that have expressed an interest in one or more of the family lines contained within our MMPS databases located at RootsWeb and Ancestry.com. Because networking is a key to the success of any family historian we feel that it is important for this newsletter to help in making that connection. As a result “Research Connections” has become part of

every edition because we all realize the importance of a forum for researchers to reach out to others who may be working on the same family. Since most of the readers of this letter share several surnames in the aforementioned databases we believe that we would all benefit from the publishing of your significant “brick wall”.



## Subscribers Seeking Assistance With their Research



I am researching the LEYENBERGER connection. I have a George H LEYENBERGER b.1897 Indiana, m. 1936 Martha HOUSER b.1899 Indiana. Martha's maiden name was TABER. She had married a Carl HAUSER in 1917. She also had a daughter before that named Grace Alva TABER. Have you come across any information on this branch of the family? I am looking to find George's parents names and when they came to America. Any help or suggestions would be greatly appreciated. Cindy Munson Weber [cindylou57us@yahoo.com](mailto:cindylou57us@yahoo.com)

I have been hunting for information on parents and siblings of Andrew MORELAND born 1751 in Northern Ireland who died 3 Mar 1802. He married Elizabeth DAVIDSON born 1748 Northern Ireland died 7 May 1837. They married 9th March 1776 Donaghadee Parish Church they had four sons and one girl. Claire Louise Warnock [clairelouisewarnock1990@mail.com](mailto:clairelouisewarnock1990@mail.com)

I am researching the Valentine KUFFER/KUEFFER/KIFER/etc. I have his wife as Anna Barbara STOBER, and they came from Baden. Germany in 1737, on the Bilander Townshend to Philadelphia. I am also researching Valentine KUFFER who has changed his name to Cooper and one of the Valentine COOPERS lived in Wood Co., W.V. He was in the old French and Indian War of 1754 to 1758, and so was his three brothers, and the other Valentine Cooper lived in Hardy Co., W.V. This one we have his hand writing on his Land Deed, and he signed it as Valentine Kiefer/Kuffer, his wife signed her name as Mary Cooper. Contact Viola James at <[Vijames77@aol.com](mailto:Vijames77@aol.com)

### Some Current Subscribers & the Common Family Lines They are Researching

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Susan Norton <a href="mailto:nortoncrew@cableone.net">nortoncrew@cableone.net</a>	McVicker	Randy H. Schmidt <a href="mailto:peshewa@comcast.net">peshewa@comcast.net</a>	Thomas Holeman (1675- 1723) m. Mary Moreland
Luann Seamons <a href="mailto:lubose@plmw.com">lubose@plmw.com</a>	Green, Bracken of New Castle County, Delaware	Jerry Deatherage <a href="mailto:jerryditdotdeatherage@yahoo.com">jerryditdotdeatherage@yahoo.com</a>	James A. Deatherage born c. 1825 in Tennessee
Who	Researching Surname(s)	Who	Researching Surname(s)
Gay Edens Carrigan <a href="mailto:gaedcar@xipline.com">gaedcar@xipline.com</a>	Peter Eades, b. ca 1773-79, Albemarle Co., VA, m. Sarah Henderson Sandridge, 1803	Kasey Hart <a href="mailto:angelkcp23@angelic.com">angelkcp23@angelic.com</a>	Peachee family, Salem Co., & Burlington, Co., NJ
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Cal Craig at <a href="mailto:calbarb@xplornet.com">calbarb@xplornet.com</a> ,	Samuel Moreland, b. 1800 in Ireland, lived in New Brunswick, Canada, & Maine, USA. Married Isabella Dohahue, Sarah Craig, Margaret McDowell.	Patti Waitman-Ingebretsen <a href="mailto:pattitwirler@comcast.net">pattitwirler@comcast.net</a>	Bracken/Brackin of Sumner Co., TN, Orange Co., NC, Washington Co., AR and/or Clay Co., MO

*If you would like to be included on this list or if should any of the above named persons would like their information deleted or revised contact Fred at [silrem@comcast.net](mailto:silrem@comcast.net).*

## SURNAME SEARCH

“Surname Search” features matches of a direct ancestral surname from our database to records found on the internet that may be useful and hopefully rekindle your own research into this family as well as other related topics. To see what information we have uncovered about our direct family surnames follow the links to our Website at <http://tinyurl.com/3lbrly>. and Database at <http://tinyurl.com/4z3ky6>.

## CAMPBELL Surname at RootsWeb

**Campbell** is an ancient Scottish nickname from the Gaelic *cam* 'crooked', 'bent' + *beul* 'mouth'. That it was originally a nickname can be seen by a charter of 1447, which records Duncan le Cambeli, the first Lord Campbell, the "le" being the Scottish "lie", meaning "so called", or "known as". The surname was often represented in Latin documents as *de bello campo* 'of the fair field', which led to the name sometimes being 'translated' into Anglo-Norman French as Beauchamp.

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Featured Databases	Matches	Other Searches	Matches
<u>WorldConnect</u>	984,056	<u>Book Indexes</u>	982
<u>Rootsweb Surname List</u>	2,007	<u>Canadian Records</u>	9
<b>Vital Records</b>	<b>Matches</b>	<u>Cemetery Listings</u>	9
<u>California Death Index</u>	13,945	<u>Church Records</u>	24
<u>Texas Death Index</u>	6,368	<u>BLM/GRO Land Records</u>	2,585
<u>Kentucky Death Index</u>	6,610	<u>Naturalization Records</u>	17
<u>Kentucky Marriage Index Husband</u>	2,739	<u>Obituaries</u>	477
<u>Kentucky Marriage Index Wife</u>	2,758	<u>Plat Records</u>	45
<u>Maine Death Index</u>	791	<u>POW/MIA Records</u>	10
<u>South Dakota Birth Index</u>	84	<u>British, UK and Ireland Data</u>	303
<u>World War One Draft Index</u>	1,954	<u>Atlas/Gazetteer Listings</u>	25
<u>Early Death Records</u>	1,526	<u>Deeds</u>	2
<u>Pre-1920 Marriages</u>	1,418	<u>Military Records</u>	214
<u>Pre-1920 Births</u>	410	<u>Newspaper Indexes</u>	836
<b>Other Searches</b>	<b>Matches</b>	<u>Passenger Lists</u>	53
<u>Web Site Search</u>	175,187	<u>Utah State Archives</u>	22
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