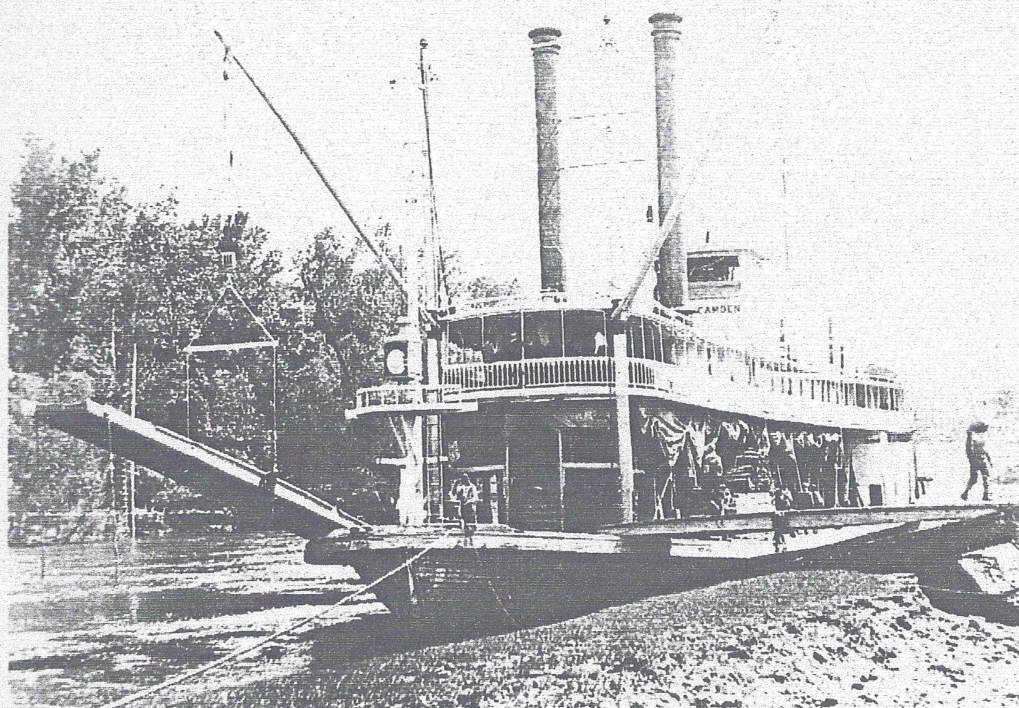


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The ROGERS of OUACHITA COUNTY, ARK.



City of Camden 1893

The PIONEER FAMILY of JONATHAN ROGERS

And SARAH ROUNDTREE ROGERS

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From: Autauga County, Alabama 1846-1856

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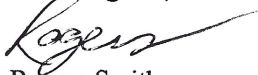
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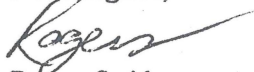
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INTRODUCTION

The year long search for my Rogers family tree was shortened by the discovery of an existing Alabama tree and the able help of Cousins Jack Rogers of Morton, MS. and Sandra Files of Charlotte, N.C. Jack already had a great start with extensive computer files which he graciously shared. Thank You cousins. I was particularly aided by the frequent business trips that allowed me access to the Tennessee and Arkansas Archives Libraries as well as the Memphis, Camden, and Brownsville Public Libraries.

Early on Jack asked me, " Why did they go to Arkansas?" and such questions as "What about the Indians?" These types of questions pushed me more to read about Arkansas History, Ouachita County and Camden Arkansas History. The short history inside helps us understand why? Benjamin Franklin Rogers stated in his biography that his family was "Scotch-Irish". Then it was off to the library again for the history lesson on "Just who were the Scotch-Irish?". Inside I have included a summary on this research.

All family trees are prone to have errors and no doubt there may be some here. Please excuse them, notify me if you wish, and please correct your own copy for your own family history. Family name spellings may differ according to previous researchers or more frequently the "phonetic spelling" used by census takers in writing names of relatives who did not offer the spelling. A good example is the name Rogers, which is used interchangeably in many early census listings with the spelling "Rodgers". First names were also misspelled according to the difficulty. (Such as Treacy, Treasie, or Mirium-Mariam or Ephraim-Ephriam)

The Rogers were brave pioneers of the greatest of American tradition. Yet, they were typical immigrants searching for more fulfilling land and dreams. Like most they traveled well-known pioneer routes and came with a larger community of families whether to another county or another territory and state.

**A Family Reflection for the Descendents of
Benjamin Franklin Rogers 1852-1933
and Mattie V. Rogers 1882-1941**

Foreword

Because the Rogers family pride was instilled in my early years, I was intrigued by the relatively small knowledge we had of the "greater" Rogers family. I have tried to piece together small stories and sentimental comments to be passed on.

At this writing, September 1997, it has been 151 years since the Jonathan Rogers family moved from Alabama to Ouachita and Columbia Counties of Arkansas. Today our oldest living descendant is our beloved Mary Francis Rogers (Smith) Colquitt who resides with her second husband John Colquitt. Francis (84) and her sister-in-law Bettie Lu Gaughan Rogers gave the seed information for this expanded search. Just four telephone calls began the collection of various family trees and data. The Selma Alabama Public Library Genealogy section led me to Ms. Alpha Clayton Rogers whose husband had been recently buried back in Spiegner, Alabama (north of Montgomery) pop. 200. Her son Steve Rogers resides in Selma. Ben C. Rogers Jr. of Morton, Mississippi supplied the wonderful Rogers family Bible paper and the Venables of Georgia and Arkansas tree going back to 1685 (see Mattie Venable Rogers). Mr. Jack Rogers of Morton has done some extensive Rogers' tree work and provided a wealth of information.

Since I had grown up 65 miles south of Camden, Arkansas and 40 miles south of Ebenezer (Magnolia, Ark.), my recent trip to Columbia and Ouachita Counties was like taking my heart home.

At 8:00 a.m. September 11, I walked by the grave of Elizabeth Rogers Wilson, daughter of Jonathan and Sallie Rountree Rogers, originally from Wayne County North Carolina. This was at the original Ebenezer Methodist Church Est. 1849. From there I traveled in the country two miles and sat on the porch swing with delightful 84-year-old Lenora Burton Rogers. Mrs. Rogers gave me leads to my greater Rogers family from South Arkansas about whom we did not know was in existence. These contacts will eventually supply the trees of the descendants of Elizabeth Rogers Wilson and other relatives. Mrs. Rogers went to grade school in "Snipe" Columbia Co. , a close by location that our Venable relatives had also settled as they came from Georgia. From there I went to the Elliott Baptist Church to find directions to the community cemetery at the Bethesda Cumberland Presbyterian Church 4 miles away. There I found Elizabeth's brothers' graves Ephriam and Wiley and sisters Sarah Rogers Cook and Martha Rogers Venable. According to documents about 11 of the 14 children should lie in Southern Arkansas. The rest of the day I visited and took notes from Aunt Francis and Aunt Bettie Lu. I enjoyed hearing new stories and confirming old ones to give flavor and life to this family tree.

Aunt Francis was kind enough to accompany me to old Greenwood Cemetery and point to the Arnold family plot. There is the resting-place of Benjamin Franklin Rogers III and his wife Martha Joanna (*Johanna*) Venable Rogers. The Venables of Virginia are one of America's first families and have thoroughly documented connections to Pocahontas and English ancestry. These Georgia, Mississippi, and Arkansas Venables are interconnected with the Rogers of Elliot in about three or more places in our tree. These were the "founders" of our particular Rogers family for the 1900's. Benjamin Franklin Rogers of Elliot (d.1933) said in his biography that he was of Scotch-Irish lineage.

It is with a lump in my throat that I do this for us. My mother, Pauline Rogers Smith, had given me the name Benjamin Rogers Smith, and now I find that there were several other Benjamin Franklin Rogers, not just one! My excitement led to many phone calls and one special one to my cousin Johanna Rogers Harris of Flippin, Arkansas. Johanna, of course, shares the name of her great-grandmother Joanna (called Johanna). Several other relatives have been given the name of this beloved woman such as her granddaughter Mary Joanna Horne Crowder.

As the resulting tree will show, we are descended from Arkansas Rogers pioneers:

- 1 Jonathan and Sallie Roundtree Rogers
- 2 Ephriam Daniel and Martha Booth Rogers
- 3 Benjamin Franklin and "Johanna" Venable Rogers
- 4 William Robert and "Ludie" Lane Rogers

4 Mattie V. and Emma Stephens Rogers
4 Annie Mae Rogers Arnold, Clara Rogers Arnold, and Ida Rogers Horne

God Bless You All,



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A Condensed History of Camden, Arkansas (Family of Jonathan and Sallie Roundtree Rogers)

In 1803 the Louisiana Purchase made Arkansas a part of U.S. territory. By 1818, the westward growth through most of Arkansas was slow when compared to Missouri and Louisiana. The Missouri Compromise of 1820 established Missouri as a slave state. During state acquisition years, states were either "slave or free." This critical political divide of the times was shown as Arkansas became a "slave" state on June 15, 1836.

Although the Caddo and Quapah Indians of Southern Arkansas had ceded their land through treaty and were removed to reservations by 1818, growth in the Delta and Southern regions was slow. In 1836 only a handful of Indians remained and they were of no threat to the new settlers. There were no bridges across the Mississippi River, and this swampy area was practically impenetrable. The development of the Steamboat changed all of that and gave easy access to all the counties near the Ouachita River in Southern Ark. Ouachita County was established in 1842 with Camden being incorporated in 1844. In the early part of this century, the settlement along the Ouachita River bluffs was called *Ecore Fabre*, or "Fabre's Bluff" to the hunter and trapper trade.

In 1846 Texas gained statehood and the movement west of the Mississippi River for cheap land was in full swing. Large family economic units needed space for growth and many new settlers became "land rich and money poor." In 1844 the financial system, as it was, collapsed. In fact, Columbia County adjoining Ouachita would not have a bank until 30 years after the start of the Civil War. Families kept gold in chests or buried it for safety. The Venable family tales talk of an episode where a neighbor's gold was found while clearing a field of stumps.

In the 1840's after the Mexican War the debate over slavery grew. There were 40,000 slaves in Arkansas in 1840 and by 1860, that number grew to 110,000. The delta counties were called "black counties." The southern and east central counties had their cotton demand soar along with the entire south in the 1840's and 1850's. Railroad and telegraph had hardly touched Arkansas in the 1850's.

The first steamboats up the Ouachita were the *James Monroe* and the *Leopold*. Both docked at Camden in about 1823. This river traffic rapidly grew here and just south up the Red River to Shreveport. By 1850 over 20 boats per season delivered pioneers and shipped cotton to New Orleans. Camden shipped 22,000 bales per year and serviced commercial needs for 100 mile radius. Records from 1860 stated that a steamboat arrived every few days. A round trip to New Orleans took three days and a trip from central Alabama down the Alabama River to Mobile and on to New Orleans and Camden required about two weeks. Frequent visiting boats were *Moro*, *Paul Jones*, *Lizzie Simmons*, and *Twilight*. In 1896 the *City of Camden* docked with great celebration.

Arkansas historical archives show a newspaper, South Stamp of Camden, date Nov. 15, 1856, which was one month before Jonathan Rogers came to Ouachita County. "*JUDAH TOURO*, J. L. Kouns, Master. New Orleans and Ouachita Packet. Passenger packet having been completely fitted up is now ready to take her place in the area trade and will be at Camden on the first rise. She will continue to ply as a regular Packet between N.O. and Camden, touching all the intermediate Landings, during the season. Capable of carrying 2500 bales. Every effort will be made to accommodate and entertain passengers in the best style. A reasonable share of Patronage is respectfully solicited." The election results were also listed: Lafayette Township— Buchanan- 32votes Filmore- 15votes.

Before 1880 Arkansas' economy was based on extraction of natural resources and shipping to industries in other areas. We can only imagine the difficulty of hand cutting and planing timber; and using oxen and mule teams for hauling timber and cotton bales to market, heat and insects, cold and mud roads, spring floods for floating timber where whole mule teams drowned. By the 1800's the depleted wood resources of Maine and Wisconsin brought steam-driven sawmills to the Ouachita Mountains and its basin down the Ouachita River. These vast timber resources represented the last virgin forest east of the Rockies. Large German industrialists moved their large mills to this area and began to lay rail spurs to the wooded areas. In 1892 Mr. Fordyce built the Cotton Belt railroad which stretched from Pine Bluff through Fordyce,

Camden, McNeil (north of Magnolia), and through Hope to Texarkana and Tyler TX., Waldo in Columbia County along this route became a major rail hub. The Neimeyer Lumber Company became one of the giants in Stephens and the Bodcaw Lumber Company was called the largest sawmill in the world. The timber had virtually been untouched until completion of the Cotton Belt and Iron Mountain branch. Milling plants sprang up within 2 ½ miles on either side of the track. There were 54 mills from Pine Bluff to Texarkana. Camden was now "Camden on the Cotton Belt" replacing "Camden on the Ouachita: Best Town in Arkansas."

The Civil War devastated the south and Arkansas as well. The reconstruction era found Arkansas \$10,000,000 in debt. In 1871 only 271 miles of rail had been laid and mostly from Memphis to Little Rock. In 1874 the reconstruction period ended and the Confederate heroes, called Redeemers, wrestled political power back from the Carpet-baggers and scalawags. The share cropper system of poverty replaced the plantation system.

These were a few of the conditions that defined the elements of the trip westward and the economy of these first two decades that our family faced.

The promises of Ouachita County included more land, abundant timber, and much game. Bear, wolf, beaver, and duck were plentiful. In the 1840's and 1850's indescribable flocks of passenger pigeons blackened the skies and were reported by the Gaughan family on the East side of the Ouachita River. Families near Ebenezer, Columbia County reported roosts so great that limbs broke from their weight. Certainly this Ouachita basin was still a primitive land even with its growing population.

The Rogers, Rountrees, Wilsons, Booths and many other support families came from Autauga County, Alabama and nearby towns of Speigner, Wetumpka, Booth, Prattville, Elmore, and Selma. These families were farmers who sold their Alabama land and bought land upon arrival. They also made their way to the timber industry as so many did with its virgin forests in abundance. The staple cash crop of course was cotton. Forty miles to the north in Dallas County, community of Tulip, the Children of John J. Dickinson and Martha Rogers Dickinson moved from Haywood County Tn. and also Daniel relatives. This was most probably unknown to their cousins south of Camden.

Camden had been named from the old South Carolina town of Camden. The town spread about 1/4 mile on either side of the Washington Street. The population in 1850 was 9591 and by 1860 had mushroomed to 12,936 and was the second largest town in the state. Camden was depot for 12 counties and the cotton bales that filled the streets were a typical scene.

The family of Jonathan and Sallie Rountree Rogers that came to Arkansas included about 11 of their 14 adult children. Two probably did not reach adulthood and Jonathan R. Rogers remained in Alabama. There were about 6 Rogers children on farms near Elliott, about 7 miles south of Camden. The actual location has just been established to parcels adjacent to Bethesda Church and cemetery. The other half settled farms less than thirty miles away at another small hamlet three miles north of Village, Arkansas in adjoining Columbia County. The Methodist Church there was named Ebenezer in 1849. Eleven of the children were married prior to their move to Arkansas. They began the move in 1846 with Jonathan and Sallie and several of the children's families coming in 1856. They were among the major pioneers of southern Arkansas and rose to prominence in this area and later in Central Mississippi. These were strong Methodist and Baptist families who carried their faithful remnant from North Carolina to Georgia to Alabama and finally Arkansas. Several of these men and women are written about in *Goodspeeds History of Arkansas* and *Hearndon's Centennial History of Arkansas* published in 1890 and 1922 respectively. Alpha Clayton Rogers, the son of Jonathan R. Rogers who remained in Alabama, is listed in *The Dictionary of Alabama Biographies*.

This story is our history and legacy

The Rogers of Ouachita County Arkansas
Jonathan and Sallie Roundtree
1793-1871

Family bible documents, family trees, and other published works verify the lineage of Rogers families from Ouachita Co. AR., Columbia Co., AR., Scott Co. MS., and Elmore Co., AL. from Jonathan Rogers (I) of Wayne County, N.C., born about 1764 and died October 10, 1793. **Jonathan(I)** married **Elizabeth Daniel** in about 1787. She was the daughter of Ephriam Daniel and Brambley Caroline Brown, who were originally from Northampton Co., N.C. and lived near Jonathan in Wayne Co. Jonathan was a farmer with about 5 slaves. Jonathan was probably of Scotch-Irish ancestry. These were actually lowlanders from Scotland who were transplanted to Northern Ireland and after several generations, fled to America. About 200,000 strong came from Ulster, Ireland from 1715 to 1776 into North Carolina. Most came through the port of Philadelphia.

The deeds and documents in Wayne County show that there were transactions and close links between **Jonathan Rogers, Ephriam Daniel** and the descendants of **John Dickinson** and **Francis Roundtree**. These three other families are traced back to England. These deeds as well as the census of 1790 (the first U.S. census) establish each family as "thriving and successful". (Other possible Rogers ties of this census offer the names Isum, Jesse, James, and Willowby, most who were in the Revolutionary War but having no provable family connection or lack thereof). Jesse was a signature witness in a land purchase involving Jonathan (I). Some researchers indicate that James possibly was a brother and James' son, David therefore would be the first cousin of Jonathan II. These families and the other Rogers listed above offer our best clues as to the roots of Jonathan I.

Jonathan (I) and Elizabeth had 4 children: Sarah born 1788, Benjamin Franklin (I) 1789, Martha 1791, and Jonathan (II) 1793. We know much from the bible genealogy of **Elizabeth Daniel Rogers** and the Dickinson family history, which tell the story of Elizabeth and her daughters Sarah and Martha. The Dickinson's date back to John Dickinson of Chowen Precinct, Northampton County. Jonathan (I) died about the same year (1793) as the birth of their son Jonathan (II). Elizabeth remarried Isaac Dickinson and had 5 more children. Elizabeth and Isaac and their family moved to Alabama in the same general area as her son Jonathan (II). Isaac died there in 1820. Martha Rogers, Jonathan's (II) sister, married an Issac Dickinson (II), a cousin of her mother's husband. After her husband died, Elizabeth went to live with her daughter Sarah Rogers in Haywood County (Brownsville) TN. She probably traveled with Issac and Martha. During that winter journey, Issac (II) died of pneumonia. The Dickinson families were the pioneer settlers of Haywood County and they are written about in the *History of Haywood County*. Elizabeth died there on 12 July 1847. The estates of both marriages show that Elizabeth purchased her prized bible for small sums and today the bible still remains with the Dickinson family in Alabama. This bible attests to many of the names, dates, and locations of early Rogers ancestors. The children of Martha Rogers Dickinson would move on from Haywood Co. to Dallas County Arkansas, community of Tulip, about 40 miles north of Camden, Ark.

Our direct lineage is from **Jonathan (II)** born 1793. **Jonathan (II)** married Sarah "Sallie" Roundtree March 12, 1812. Much is in the established records of N.C. about the Roundtree family in Wayne Co. and neighboring Johnston Co. Sarah was the daughter of Kader (Cader) Rountree and Penelope Renfroe. Sarah Roundtree's family dates back five generations to Francis Roundtree (I) in Stokeley England, born 1649. Jonathan and Sarah's first three children were Benjamin Franklin (I) b. 1814 N.C., Penelope b. 1815 N.C., and **Ephriam D. b. 1817 Georgia**. After only 3 or 4 years of marriage Jonathan and Sallie moved to Georgia following Cader Rountree, her father and Cader her brother. These families would remain physically close with further moves to Montgomery County Ala and Ouachita County Ark. Cader, her brother, married Jane Strother in Morgan County Georgia.

These growing families had moved to Montgomery Co. Alabama by 1819, now Elmore and Autauga County, as Elizabeth their fourth child was born Dec 17, 1819 in Alabama. These families were farmers near the junction of the Coosa and Tallapoosa Rivers just north of Montgomery. Land transactions,

censuses, and the Alabama Family tree (1979) establish our more current roots at Spiegner (Elmore Co.), AL. Jonathan and Sallie lived in a large two-story house near a local church Mt. Hebron. This river junction area began as one of the two oldest French settlements in Alabama, called Fort Toulouse and was a major stop on the pioneer movement through west to Alabama.

By 1837 Jonathan and Sallie had 14 children. Those reaching adulthood in the late 1830's and 1840's began to marry, have children, and needed to establish farm homes of their own. Near Speigner, AL, is the community of Booth, which is named for the descendants of Charles "Squire" Booth. Five of Jonathan's children (Benjamin, Ephriam, Alpha, Brambley, and Treasie) would marry into this Booth family. Two would marry into the Cook family and two with the Wilson's. Wiley married Malinda Roundtree, the daughter of Cader and Jane Roundtree. Lastly, the youngest Martha, would marry a Threadgill, whose farm was next door to them in Ouachita Co. Ark. After Threadgill's death she married widower William Lumpkin Venable also of Ouachita County.

Goodspeed's Arkansas biography of Ephriam reports that Jonathan had fifteen children. This could be, considering a recently discovered orphan in addition to the 14 known offspring lived with Jonathan and Sallie as reported in the Alabama census of 1850. He was George Owen Rogers, age 13. He also came to Ouachita Co., married, moved to Lincoln Parish, La., and died in Commanche Co. Oklahoma. He could also be a clue to Jonathan's other NC kinfolk.

Letters and tales of the Arkansas frontier were coming back from other settlers in South Arkansas who had made the trip by water from Autauga County to Ouachita County. Few were attempting overland travel past the Mississippi River and most were coming up by steamboat from New Orleans and on to the Ouachita River then docking at Camden, nearby Frenchport, or Champaniole Landing at Eldorado, AR. In the winter of 1856 most of these adults moved with Jonathan and Sallie to Ouachita County Arkansas or had already moved. The earliest of our ancestors left Alabama in 1846. These appear to have been Benjamin, Elizabeth, Penelope, Sarah in 1846-48. Then probably Bramley, Treasie, and Alpha moved about 1852 to 58. And finally in 1856 Jonathan and Sallie moved along with Ephriam, Wiley, Cater, and Martha. These dates are established from various family sources or the birth years listed in the 1860 & 1870 Censuses of Arkansas. Jonathan Roundtree Rogers (III), the youngest son, remained in Elmore County, AL. to be near his wife's family. Of these children, Emily and Francis obviously did not live to adulthood or make the trip.

Other families from Autauga County, Alabama also moved during this period to just south of Camden (Ouachita Co.) and Ebenezer, near Village, AR. (Columbia Co.) such as the Wilson's, Rountree's, Venable's, Booth's, etc. Passenger and cotton hauling steamboats could make the round trip from Camden to New Orleans in three days according to records in the Camden Public Library. The exodus was obviously repeated many times. It took about one to two weeks by boat from central Alabama. The family of David Rogers, again possibly the son of James Rogers, also settled at Ebenezer and melded with the Columbia County group who descended from Bramblie, Treasie, Cater, and Alpha. The Columbia County Rogers family has long celebrated their Arkansas/Alabama roots with a family tree and reunions. The exact relationship between David Rogers and Jonathan has not been firmly established. We do know that David Rogers was a Justice of the Peace in Autauga County and married many of its citizens in that period.

The family of William Lumpkin Venable and Mariane DeLamar of Georgia established themselves first in Columbia Co. then moved close to Bethesda Church south of Camden, AR. and near Jonathan and Sallie. As stated earlier he would remarry Martha Rogers Threadgill. His whole family established a closeness to the Rogers clan. His daughter Joanna would marry Jonathan's grandson, Ben. For more than 50 years a family relationship grew with the Venables in both Ouachita County and Mississippi.

It is interesting to point out that genealogists have established the specific routes of movement westward: One road was, *The Fall Line on Southern Road*, S. by SW, Philadelphia, PA; Baltimore, MD; Richmond, VA; Raleigh, N.C. (Wayne Co.); and Fayetteville, N.C.; Cherant, Camden and Charleston S.C.; Augusta, Ga.; Macon and Columbus; finally Montgomery Alabama. Steamboat traffic from central Alabama to Mobile, Mobile to New Orleans, and N.O. to Camden carried many families from Autauga Co., Ala. to southern Arkansas counties.

Jonathan and Sallie Rogers sold 268 acres in Alabama August 8, 1856 and son **Ephriam Daniel Rogers** sold 360 acres on Nov. 8, 1856. December was a "high water" month and the time that the final exodus began. Up to twenty steamboats per season were servicing Camden and other points up the Ouachita River. Daughter **Elizabeth** and Wells Wilson were already established in Columbia County near Ebenezer Methodist Church. This historic church still is active with the adjoining cemetery. The Wilson's were among the pioneer members when it was established in 1849. Elizabeth's sister, **Penelope** and Well's brother, Joseph Gray Wilson M.D., were established at Frenchport on the Ouachita River near Elliott, AR. Joseph Gray and the son of Wells, Benjamin F. Wilson are described in Goodspeed's historical biographies.

We do not know with assurance the final location of Benjamin Franklin Rogers (II) and wife, Nancy Booth, and no children are reported. Ephriam, Wiley, Martha, and Sarah with Jonathan and Sallie also settled in Ouachita County. The exact location of family farms is hand labeled on an Arkansas Archives county map in 1865 as being adjacent to the church and cemetery about 3 miles from Elliot and 5 miles from Camden on the Mt. Holly county road. On either side of Jonathan we find daughters Sarah Cook, and Martha Threadgill, with Wiley, Ephriam, and other families, who later married with the Rogers, within 2 miles on these roads. Indications are that this began as a Primitive Baptist Church and was chartered the Bethesda Cumberland Presbreyterian Church in 1946. Among these 1946 charter members were **Andrew Mathis Rogers**, who was born February 6, 1871, son of Jonathan Wiley Rogers and the grandson of **Wiley M. Rogers**. This rural community surrounding Bethesda Church continued for well into the middle 1900's and even today as the "home" of those who descend from Wiley Rogers, Sarah Cook, and Martha Rogers (Threadgill) Venable. The son's of Wiley and Malinda Rogers were Jonathan Wiley, Cader, Jasper, and Alonzo Daniel. The daughters were Sarah Jane (Daniel), Lovenia, Nancy (Daniel), Mary, Malinda (Ross). And Elizabeth (Marks). The descendents of Jonathan Wiley and Alonzo Daniel generally married folks from within the county community. (Ross, Daniel, Venable, Marks, Tyson, Yarborough, Jeffus, and Pedron to name a few).

These Rogers roots expanded greatly at "Ebenezer" in Columbia County to include Stephens and Magnolia: and "Bethesda" with the town of nearby Elliott and Camden in Ouachita County. By the 1900's communication between these branches became separated as older generations passed on. In 1920 this Rogers family was basically Elmore Co. Ala., Columbia Co. Ark, Ouachita Co. Ark., and Morton, Scott County, Miss.

The Ephriam D. Rogers family was firmly rooted in Lafayette Township 5 miles south of Camden and about two miles north of the community of Elliott, AR. In the late 1890's the aging Ephriam Daniel Rogers sold his old home place to his son **Jonathan R. Rogers** and moved in with him. Ephriam's middle son **Benjamin F. Rogers** had a successful mercantile store in Elliott. He had married Joanna Venable, called "Johanna", of Georgia. Her well known Venable name traces back to the 1600's in Virginia and even to Pocahontas' family. Ben's oldest son, **William Robert Rogers** was in the timber business at Elliott in the early 1900's and then moved his young family to Jonesboro, La. and then Morton, Miss. Robert was an intelligent businessman and thrifty family man who amassed a huge land and sawmill business in Scott County, Miss. Robert is clearly the patriarch of the Scott Co. Rogers as he and his wife Ludie are remembered for nurturing their extended families for years. Ben's second son **Mattie Venable Rogers** remained in the Elliott, Smackover, and Eldorado area. Just like his brother he became a self-made entrepreneur in sawmills and oil interests and was a leading citizen in both Eldorado and Camden. He then permanently moved his family as well as father and mother, **Benjamin and Johanna**, to Camden in March 1922 and "*the Rogers of Elliott*" began to pass as the mills closed during the depression. Matt's sister, Clara, was an active businesswoman in managing the family business of her father and also her late husband John Arnold from Elliott and then Camden. Biographies of both Benjamin and his son Matt appear in *The Centennial History of Arkansas* vol., 1922. The families of Benjamin's from Ark. and Miss. have maintained contact over the years.

"Matt" Rogers and wife Emma Stephens had three children Pauline, Curtis, and youngest daughter Francis. After the great depression Matt's college age children began careers in the paper industry or teaching. Beginning in the 1930's International Paper moved into the region and the new southern pulp and paper industry became a key employer. Matt's son Curtis Stephens Rogers was a career employee of I.P. Woodlands. His son Curtis Stephens Rogers II became a career F.B.I. agent. His daughter Johanna is a

homemaker in Flippin, Ark. Pauline's oldest, Tom, just finished a distinguished career as C.E.O. of Trane Air Conditioning and on the Board of Directors of parent American Standard Corp. The youngest, Rogers, is a professional paper sales representative with time in International Paper Co. sales management and now a Manufacturers Representative. Francis' son Fletcher is now retired after a very successful career with Georgia Pacific as Mill Manager and International Sales Manager with the Beloit Paper Machinery Co. for Indonesia.

One of the "*Rogers of Elliott*" legacies is the historic Elliott Baptist Church that Benjamin and his brothers and sisters founded in 1890 donating the land and building. Today it serves the greater county area for worship and school. Clara helped rebuild the early church after a terrible fire. One-hundredth anniversary documents show these Rogers charter members and a Liberty Baptist Assoc. meeting there in 1901 has many family participants, Rogers and Venables, listed in it's minutes and on record in the state archives.

Robert's children grew up in Morton, Ms. about 30miles east of Jackson, Ms. Robert's photos have striking resemblance to the attached picture of his grandfather Ephriam. His fourth child Benny Clyde Rogers established a huge poultry-processing facility with ancillary businesses in Morton. It was written about in Time Magazine in the early 1950's. Today his son John M. Rogers is C.E.O. of B.C. Rogers Poultry and other interests. Today, 1998, many of his remaining children, grandchildren, and cousin's are employed in family businesses in the Morton-Jackson area. His youngest son Ben C. Rogers (II) manages B.C. Rogers Oil Co. and other business. Robert's oldest child, Lola Rogers Thornton, was born April 12, 1898 and died in 1998 just 3 months shy of her 100th birthday in Morton. She carried a long friendship with her cousin Clara Rogers Arnold of Elliott-Camden. In fact the family of Robert and Matt visited each other at various times through the period 1911 to 1998 maintaining this family connection.

In 1979 the Rogers family residing in Alabama, all descendants of **Jonathan Roundtree Rogers of Alabama** established a family tree called *The Jonathan Rogers Family of Elmore County Alabama and Columbia County Ark.* descendants wrote *Ebenezer: The Song in Sung: The Rogers Families of South Arkansas* (1986). These trees show Benjamin Franklin Rogers "Jr." as the son of Benjamin Franklin Rogers b. 1814. Actually this B.F.Rogers is a son of Ephriam D. Rogers and a large contribution to this research begins here. *The Song Is Sung* was written by the descendants of the David Rogers family of Columbia County. Those interested in our Columbia roots including detailed accounts of the Booth and Wilson family lines are directed to these documents for further family descendants.

The families of **Ephriam D.** and brother **Wiley M. Rogers** number eleven and ten children respectively. The family of Ephriam's seventh child **Benjamin Franklin Rogers (III)** is shown in this tree. The descendants of **Wiley M. Rogers** are listed within this tree to the 1900's but it is less complete. The Bethesda Cumberland Church Cemetery has many of these descendants buried there. Among them are Ephriam, Wiley, Sarah, Martha, W.L. Venable, and many other offspring. Finding additional living relatives should not be too difficult. Wiley M. Rogers descendant's still occupied old Rogers land in the 1930's. The census of 1870 has the elderly widower Jonathan listed (although briefly) in Columbia County where he moved, probably, to be cared for probably by his youngest daughter Martha Rogers (Threadgill) Venable and family. Jonathan (II) died at the age of 78 in 1871 and Sarah (Sallie) had already passed at the age of 69 in 1864. Jonathan and Sallie are buried in the nearby Mt. Horeb Cemetery in unmarked graves obviously to be near where daughter Penelope had been laid to rest in 1854. Penelope Rogers Wilson, Penny, as she was called, was our "first" Rogers pioneer to Ouachita County.

Welcome to these cousins yet to be listed and recognized!





Benjamin Franklin Rogers ca 1920
1852-1933



*Family of - Benjamin Franklin Rogers Ca. 1905
-r Johanna Venable Rogers, Annie Mae, Clara
and Ida youngest (not pic. Buelah, Matt, And Robert)*

Ephriam Daniel Rogers
1817-1901

Ephriam D. Rogers, the third child of Jonathan (II) came to Ouachita County with the bulk of the family including Jonathan and Sallie's parents in December, 1856. He sold his 360 acre farm to James H. Booth for \$550 on November 8, 1856. He purchased a farm within a mile or so of his father who was next to the Bethesda Church in Lafayette Township. His name comes from his great-grandfather Ephriam Daniel of Wayne County N.C. He followed his sister Elizabeth and Penelope and their families from Autauga County, Alabama. Ephriam and his brother Wiley had large families and established deep roots in Ouachita County along with sisters Sarah and Martha. Ephriam died in 1901 at the age of 84 and a recently discovered photograph is a part of this tree and history. His eulogy within the Liberty Baptist Assn. minutes says "Bro. Rogers was 84 years of age and had been a deacon fifty years, and an active member of the church 53 years. In his last illness his faith in his Savior was strong and his hope of a blissful immortality was bright".

Ephriam, born in Georgia and raised in Alabama, married Martha Ann L. Booth from Autauga County. This continued a long marriage connection between the Rogers and the Booths as well as Rogers-Wilsons, and Rogers-Venables. Ephriam was a prominent farmer who purchased 400 acres on arrival. He and Martha had eleven children. See *Goodspeed's History of Arkansas* for a biography that was published in 1898 when he was 81 of foremost citizens of the county. His son Jonathan R. (John R.) Rogers is also profiled in this same volume.

Benjamin Franklin Rogers
1852-1933

Ephriam's eighth child was Benjamin, who also gained distinction as an outstanding citizen and businessman in the county area. Benjamin was born in Autauga County Alabama October 13 1852. He married Joanna (Johanna) Venable and their children were Beulah, Robert, Matt, Annie Mac, Clara, and Ida, Johanna was of the Venable lineage of Virginia and Georgia. Her stepmother was Martha Rogers (Threadgill) Venable, the baby sister of Ephriam. Ben was a small, blue-eyed man of Scotch-Irish background who owned a general mercantile store at Elliott. He also had a reputation for honesty and accuracy in the grading and weighing of cotton. In his later years, he operated a sawmill and had oil interests. The Rogers had been acquiring oil rich land for its forest resources surrounding Elliott and in the Smackover area when oil was discovered in this south Arkansas area. He eventually moved to Camden with Johanna and lived next door to his son Mattie Venable Rogers. Benjamin, as well as Johanna, was very beloved by their greater family as they set a loving and generous role model for grandchildren and others.

In the 1880's Benjamin worked in the timber business in the Buena Vista area and supplied wood to the sawmill located there. Then he moved to Elliott buying land in the area and built a sawmill with the help of John Roundtree and other family members. Source: Mrs. Van (Mildred) Rogers His two sons would find great prosperity in the sawmill business.

In 1890 Benjamin F. Rogers (III), his brothers John R., Charles B., William J., Elizabeth W., and Mary L., and daughter Marian Beulah founded the Elliott Baptist Church. This historic church celebrated their 100th birthday in 1990. It is now a multi-building and school serving the surrounding communities. The Liberty Baptist Association held its annual session at Elliott in 1901 and Benjamin was the "host" deacon. His brother Jonathan R. was there from Camden and his brother-in-law, the prominent minister and past president of Mississippi College, Dr. Robert A. Venable of Meridian Ms., was the guest speaker. Benjamin obviously was a fine church leader and provided a Christain role model for the family generations to come. [Also see the *Centennial History of Arkansas* for a biography published in 1922 when he was 70 years of age. The writing of Goodspeed's history and Hearndon's Centennial History during the lives of Ephriam and Benjamin and Mattie helps test these accounts for accuracy.]

William Robert Rogers with customer Mr. Norfolk of Eldrick and Norfolk Lumber Co. St. Louis, Mo.

(Left)

Ca. 1920

(fr. Right)



William Robert Rogers
1875-1950

William Robert Rogers, born July 16, 1875 in Elliott, Arkansas, was the eldest son of Benjamin Franklin Rogers and Martha Johanna Venable Rogers. He struck out on his own at age 14 and at age 19 married Luevenia "Ludie" Pauline Lane who was 18 years of age. Ludie Lane was born in Fort Smith, Arkansas. She was the daughter of Francis Marion Lane and Mary Elizabeth Carter both natives of Tennessee.

Robert and Ludie Rogers lived near Elliott when their oldest child, Lola Mae Rogers, was born in April 12, 1898. Their child, Victor Carter Rogers was born in September 18, 1900 and daughter Hazel Delamar Rogers was born June 17, 1904 while Robert and Ludie Rogers were living in "McMurray", AR. Ouachita, Co.

By the age of 31, he and his family were living in Jonesboro, Louisiana where he was foreman of a large planing mill that was owned by the German American Dinkman family, owners of huge tracts of land in the South. Here in Jonesboro, Louisiana was born to the family Benny Clyde Rogers in July 10, 1906. Their next child, Robert Duval Rogers, was born in October 20, 1908 while they were living again in Elliott, Arkansas.

Morton, Mississippi to take a position as superintendent of the large Hall-Legan sawmill where he managed the labors of 600 black men. His descendants still own the old Seth Thomas clock he used to clock them all in every work day. He also promptly established his own sawmill on property the locals knew as former campgrounds of the Confederate and Union Armies during the Civil War. That is where he later established Central Mississippi's first ice plant; all of the before mentioned being attracted by the fresh "springheads" that flow fresh cool water directly from the ground at all times of the year.

Daughter Cynthia Ailene Rogers was born in Morton in March 16, 1913.

Although of limited education, W. R. Rogers hewed a fortune with proverbial sweat, shrewdness and determination. Soon after settling in Morton, Scott County, Mississippi he began buying tracts of timber as he could afford it - sometimes at the rate of one acre for every hard earned dollar. Often the landowners would simply throw in the land as part of the deal believing clear cut land infested with stumps to be worthless. As he acquired more land he added two more sawmills to cut and sell the timber often to buyers from northern cities such as St. Louis, Mo. sharing the same customer as his brother Matt, a sawmill operator back in Elliot. W. R. meanwhile adopted a conservation program of his own to assure a continued supply of pine. Here he learned the importance of replanting and harvesting timber only when the trees were of marketable size.

He also knew of another potential for land. As a younger man his earliest disappointment had come when he sold his land in Arkansas. A short time later the land became part of the fabled Smackover oil field. (His father and brother would share in this discovery at Elliot.) He saw to it that it would never happen to him again and he vowed to never sell land he acquired.

Only once did he stray from this policy when he sold 450 acres to the State of Mississippi in January 14, 1936 as part of President Roosevelt's economic recovery plan to put young men back to work. Under military style work camps the Civilian Conservation Corp built what is now Roosevelt State Park near Morton. W. R. only departed with this land because of what he deemed his "patriotic duty".

W. R. Rogers and his family were from an era in American history when the family provided their own food to a point that very little was purchased from the city grocery stores to provide food on the table. He raised cattle, hogs and poultry to provide all the meat needed and had large vegetable gardens that were worked by field hands. Vegetables were canned for the winter. Milk provided by the milk cow. When meat was needed a "beef" would be slaughtered. He would smoke his own hams in his smoke house located behind his house. His grandchildren remembered that he would purchase bread however, but only bought it

loafed avoiding the extra charge for having it sliced. Regardless of his hard earned yet substantial for-the-day wealth he continued to walk home from the sawmill in Morton via the railroad track in order to pick up dropped coal so that his wife could use the coal to cook with each night. He resoled his own shoes using leather from slaughtered cowhides.

W. R. and Ludie Rogers, known as grandpaw and grandmaw Rogers by their grandchildren and great-grandchildren showed an unequalled devotion to their grandchildren by providing a needed home for many of them.

In about 1931, W. R. and his wife adopted granddaughter, Mattie Vivian Rogers and grandson William Robert Rogers, II with grandson (and brother) Tommy Francis Rogers (now Tommy Rogers Thornton) being adopted by their daughter Lola Mae Rogers and her husband Homer Thornton. Also, their son Duval and his wife Cornelia lived across the street from Robert and Ludie Rogers resulting in their children Robert Duval Rogers, Freddie Rogers, Jimmy Rogers and June Rogers being at the home of their grandparents on a daily basis. Grandson, John Milben Rogers also spent extended periods of time at the home of his grandparents resulting in many grandchildren being raised by W. R. and Ludie or "Grandpaw" and "Grandmaw" Rogers.

In the 1930's W. R. Rogers refused to allow the Federal Government to force him to pay a certain pay scale as required by the newly imposed Minimum Wage laws and therefore, closed down his sawmills. At one time or another he owned a cold storage plant in Brandon, Mississippi, was an agent for the Gulf Refining Company, a dealer for International Trucks, served on the Board of the Robert E. Lee Hotel in Jackson and owned a large hog and cattle farm and owned the Rogers Service Station located in Morton.

He often thought as he road his horse drawn buggy to his sawmill 4 miles south of his home in Morton that the soap stone formations in the clay banks along the road on his land told of oil beneath. "I know it's there," he often told his wife Ludie as they sat in front of their fireplace at home.

W. R. Rogers died in April 01, 1950 after an extended illness. His devotion to the proper management of his land was revealed in his Will drafted in 1947 that specified that none of his 4700 acres in his estate or even the royalties to the mineral rights could be sold until 10 years after his death. He also made it part of his Will that no piece of timber could be sold unless it was at least ten inches in diameter, and he further declared that his wife other heirs (which directly included his adopted grandchildren) must "unanimously" consent to any sale of the family holdings.

In other words, although they all share equally in the estate, any single member can block a proposed transaction. A simple majority could not allow a divestiture of the land or mineral rights within this 10 year period of time, it had to be unanimous.

Nine years after his death and one year before the ten year prohibition in his Will oil began flowing from oil wells on this land at the rate of 135 barrels a day supplementing the legacy of land, timber and other successful business ventures that W. R. Rogers had established.

He never flashed his wealth in fact he lived very unpretentiously. He lived for his family, his Baptist church and for generations in the future. Besides the less important material things of this earth, he left to his family a classic example of the fruits of hard work and clean living... the memory of a loving son, brother, husband, father, and grandfather.

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Benny Clyde Rogers – ca. 1950



Clara Rogers Arnold ca. 1938

1889-1977

Benny Clyde Rogers, Sr.
1906-1972

Benny Clyde Rogers was born in Jonesboro La. but spent the first few years of his life in Ouachita County Arkansas where his larger family was in the community of Elliott south of Camden Arkansas. While he was still but a lad, his father Robert moved the family to Scott County MS. at Morton where he managed the local sawmill operations.

As a young man, Ben was educated at Mississippi College. There had been and continued to be a long family association with this fine Baptist college. Through the years Ben would provide significant personal and financial support to his college.

Ben had a long and prosperous career as a poultry processor and corporation builder in this central Mississippi area. Although his father was very "successful", Ben plowed his own ground and began his career in small but decisive steps. His hard work and business sense seemed to mirror his father, Uncle, Grandfather, and Great Grandfather in that he was a self made man in business. Depression times were hard and he began by bartering feed grain from the Purina Co. to local egg dealers for eggs to resell. He eventually grew to have an egg dehydration business during WWII and by 1947 his relationship with Purina and local growers supported his new poultry processing facility. By the late 50's he was perhaps the largest family owned poultry producer in the U.S. Today the BC Rogers Poultry Corp. ships value-added Rogers Royal TM poultry products worldwide under the guidance of Ben's son, John, the current President and CEO. B.C. chaired the Mississippi Poultry Association as did his sons Ben and John in later years.

During the years Ben kept his close relationship with his Arkansas cousins, and visits back and forth nurtured and maintained the connection with his two Uncle's families, the Matt Rogers family and the John T. Arnold family.

John Milben Rogers was the first born to Ben and Mildred Rigina Rogers on June 13, 1929. Ben's two younger children were born to Ben and Janelle Rogers: Martha in 1942 and Benny Clyde Jr. in 1947.

The Daughters of B.F. Rogers (III)

The oldest daughter was Marian Beulah Rogers. She died in 1895 of a plague. Little is known of her. The second was Annie Mae. Annie Mae married Mr. John T. Arnold in a double ceremony with brother Matt and Emma at Elliott Baptist Church. Mr. Arnold became a very wealthy man in timber and later oil. Annie Mae had six children; Bill, Edwin, Pete, Rupert, Milrene and Worde. Curtis, their cousin, was a favorite and this gave him many boy friends to play with. Very shortly after delivering her sixth child, Annie Mae, who was enjoyed and loved by all, passed away. Their daughter, Milrene was only four. John T. Arnold later married Clara, the next daughter of Ben F. Rogers, and she provided the love and devotion obviously needed by the family. In the last years, Clara kept the books of his store.

The baby daughter Ida Vesta married Mr. Walter Horne of Sparkman, Arkansas. They have several descendants in Arkansas, North Carolina, and Illinois. Her children were Mildred Vesta, Walter Absalom, Jr., and Mary Joanna. Mildred shares the name of Cynthia Vesta (daughter of Jonathan (III) Al.) and Mary Joanna from her grandmother "Johanna". Ida is still recognized for her sweet disposition.

Mrs. Clara Arnold proved to be an astute businesswoman managing the affairs of her late husband who died in 1930. The old Arnold home out West Washington St. in Camden had burned but late in life this proud woman rebuilt the home on its original property. Mr. Emmitt Gaughan who lived on the downtown extremity of Washington, recalled speaking to Clara as she passed his house in her gleaming black carriage pulled by satin black horses. She would be dressed for the day's business in hat and glove. Later her niece would have a hard time discouraging her from driving herself in her long black Cadillac when she was well in her 80's. Her niece, Milrene, and her husband Jasper Morris live there now. Our cousin Milrene remained close friends with Francis, Curtis, Polly, and Bettie Lu. Clara and Annie Mae are buried in the Arnold family plot along with Benjamin Franklin Rogers and Johanna at Old Greenwood.



Mattie Venable Rogers — Emma Stephens Rogers / Annie Mae Rogers Arnold - John Tyler Arnold

ca 1918

Mattie Venable Rogers
1882-1941

As told in the *Centennial History of Arkansas*, when Matt was 14 in 1846 he caught a freight train to Conroe, Texas. From there he worked in a sawmill in every area. This apprenticeship served him well for his future vocation as a sawmill owner and operator. According to his daughter Francis, Matt was a baseball player and had heard of the outstanding baseball city team at Conroe. He went there and played ball and made the necessary contacts for millwork.

In the early 1900's Matt returned to Elliott. Shortly thereafter as he was being established he met and married Emma Stephens of the nearby Cross Roads community. Emma attended Ouachita College and taught school in those early years.

This was a particularly festive time for Mattie and his sister Annie Mae. They were married in a rare double ceremony at their home church at Elliott during the twilight hours with hundreds of candles. Emma's and Annie Mae's classic lingerie wedding dresses were later modeled in Camden style shows by daughters Pauline (Emma) and Milrene (Annie Mae). They were the same size. These beautiful dresses are still keepsakes in the family.

Matt prospered from his home area of Elliott and by 1913-1933 he had as many as 6 sawmills in the area with the hub of two being at Smackover. By the late 1920's he was a well-known businessman in both Camden and El Dorado (in adjoining Union County). When oil was discovered in about 1920 at Smackover, a boom of fortune seekers and outcasts arrived, the likes of which this section of the country had never seen. The land that he and his father had purchased for timber began to share its oil from below as many lumbermen had experienced during the era. At this point Matt moved his family from their residence in Eldorado to Camden. Matt was not only respected for his business acumen and judgement but he was a formidable man, physically standing 6'4" tall. He gained his considerable size from his grandfather William L. Venable who was 6'5" and 300 lbs. Among his interests were the M.V. Rogers and Son Buick dealership in Camden and the South Arkansas wholesale grocery co-owned by Mr. Doyle down near the old Coca-Cola Bottling plant.

In 1909 the first born was Pauline, then in 1912 Curtis was born. In 1913 Francis was born, as was her twin. The twin however died shortly after birth.

After Francis' birth, Emma was quickly and sadly diagnosed with Brites disease. She was not expected to recover as she began treatment at a sanatorium in Hot Springs. Luckily, with close doctor's supervision, she returned to El Dorado to relieve the homemaking duties of Matt and particularly the elder Stephens family that lived with them. She drank Mountain Valley Mineral Water for many years exclusively as treatment. The family had to move from a Smackover rent house to a new El Dorado home. Matt had not wanted to be more than 5 miles from his mills. They moved to Camden and, despite the hardship of distance and the family demands, the El Dorado Council convinced him to remain in service for the balance of the year, as he was needed. They needed distance from "the roughnecks."

The nation's economy had done well in the 1890's and 1920's. The growing need for housing, rail ties, telephone poles and the shipping needs of the great war (WWI) continues lumber demand. Matt's children continued their college education into the early depression however they eventually discontinued these after about two years.

Emma had substantially recovered. She is remembered occasionally playing the pump organ at Elliott Baptist, and leading the family in patriotic songs during the great war (WWI) "It's a long way to Tipperary." The tradition of gathering for family singing had begun. Emma's baby sister, Roxie Stephens lived with them and was the children's older companion, being about 10 years older. A trip to be the guest of Mr. Nolick, Matt's customer, in St. Louis, is recalled as they went to see the encamped "doughboys" at a nearby staging area. Emma was moved to tears at the sight of the brave young troopers.

During Pauline, Francis, and Curtis' college years at the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville, Emma had accompanied them. She took a house, as Polly was only 16 completing the 11 years of High School. Three years later Francis and Curtis began together because Francis skipped a grade in Junior High so they could be together. Matt told the opposing Principal essentially, "This is the way it's going to be," after he resisted. The college education of these children represented a new generation of educated Americans. Before now, all of the Rogers men had lived off the land and farmed and had no formal education.

Matt's business was booming, as was his brother Robert Rogers' business in Morton. They shared one customer from St. Louis, Elbring, and Nolick Lumber Co. Customers such as Nolick would tour the plant and stay at Matt's and Robert's in Morton, Ms.

The month before going to the University, Francis recalls, the big mill and planer mill with all of Mr. Nolick's orders burned. It was a sad day for the family and plant people. It added to the financial pressure of the depression. There a cousin from Stephens, Arkansas, Seth McNulty, ran the commissary. Most of the black employees were paid in "Brozines" or tokens redeemable at the commissary. This was a practice that began after the reconstruction. Shortly thereafter, "the Banking Holiday" was called to calm the bank runs that were destroying consumer confidence. Matt, like everyone, lost a lot. The Merchants and Planters Bank closed. Mr. Hilliard the Bank President skipped town. Matt was left as a major depositor to pay off many customers.

The depression, of course, caused lumber and timber values to plummet, and orders came to a halt. Matt's holdings were sold. He was "old" and in ill health when he passed at the young age of 58. Clara had nursed him a lot during this period. Emma became the matriarch of the family. Being only 53 she had become a practical nurse at the paper bag plant at the paper mill. Emma was the hub, as well as Aunt Clara for the Arnolds, for many years. As a young man of 10 years old, I will always remember the great sadness of her passing to my mother Pauline, as well as Francis and Curtis. The grief was difficult. An era had passed.

Pauline, Francis, and Curtis

It is hard to think of one without thinking of the other two. Their devoted love and loyalty was one that transcended most other things and gave great legacy to the families love and bond to each other. Pauline, tall, brunette, and beautiful; Francis, blonde, petit and beautiful; Curtis, black hair, brown eyes and handsome. They affectionately called each other Polly, Fran-Fanny- or just Frank, and Curt!

Emma passed her musical flair on to her children. Curtis played the sax. Pauline and Francis played the piano. They all loved the "sing along" tradition at the piano. In later years we would all gravitate to Francis' baby grand piano. Polly would bounce her left heel in rhythm as she played. Francis with her beautiful soprano voice and Curtis' singing with equal vigor and quality. Their reverie was so stimulating and contagious. Curtis would lead us in his S.A.E. fraternity songs (and I was a young University freshman and pledge). Whether telling jokes or sharing one of the many special meals and holiday occasions, the excitement was like that of a storybook. Their college years represented some of their best and most exciting years from which they would tell stories their entire lives.

Included in this special mix was Curtis' wife Bettie Lu and their first cousin Milrene Arnold Morris. Pauline, Francis, Bettie Lu, and Milrene were all Pi Beta Phi at the University of Arkansas.

**Pauline Rogers Smith
1909-1964**

Pauline married Howard T. Smith of Camden. He came from a large and successful family in the community. His tree is traced through Farmerville, Louisiana and on from the "Moore of Cannon Creek South Carolina." Their children are H. Thompson (Tom) Smith of Tyler, Texas and Benjamin Rogers (Rog) Smith of Memphis, Tennessee.

Pauline went with Emma for her first year at the University of Arkansas majoring in Music Composition. After two years, she transferred to Brenau College for Women in Atlanta. Afterward she dropped out due to malaria and the ensuing economic depression. She would later graduate from Southern State College in Magnolia (I was 16 years old - 1959). She was first a teacher of after school "eloquution" class. Being a natural leader and teacher, she taught the 5th grade and Junior High English. Naturally, good grammar and speech was insisted in the Smith home. Her musical talent was used as a church pianist and organist. She organized community fundraisers with musical Vaudeville type productions. These Black Face Minstrels were spin-offs of the Al Jolson era and "Showboat" Broadway shows. She recruited talent throughout the town. Polly died after a two- year struggle with ovarian cancer at age 54.

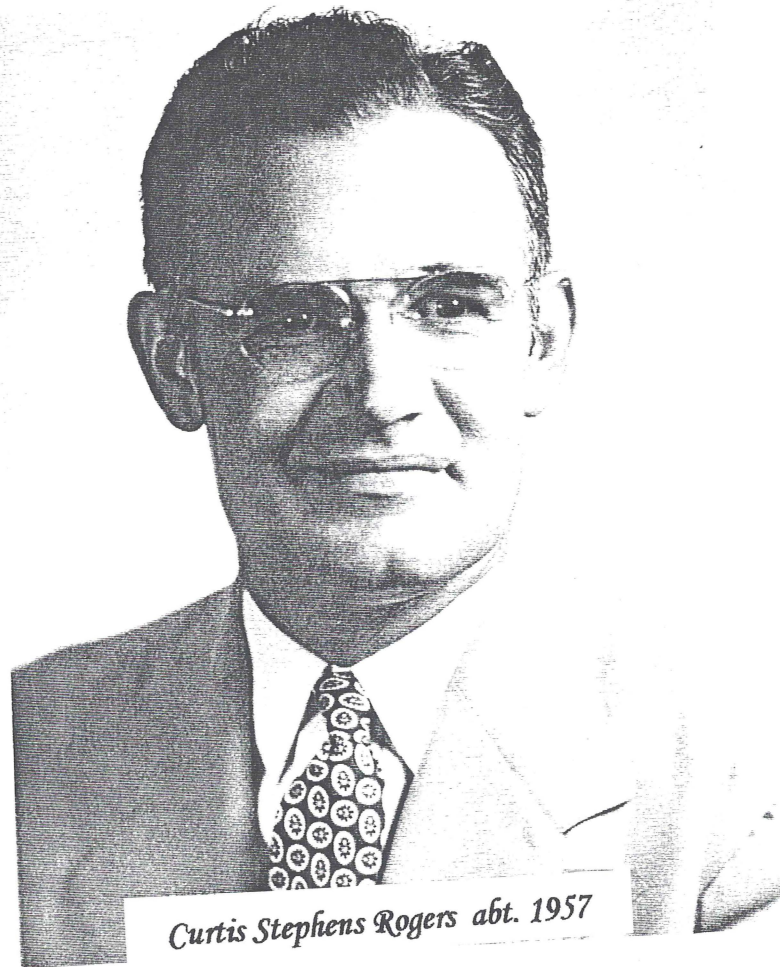
Mother was purposeful and disciplined in her life and known for her generous smile, outgoing personality, and integrity. Times were often difficult as in many families. Polly and Howard divorced shortly after Tom's birth but were remarried before Rogers was born. Howard suffered from alcoholism, severe depression, and special sacrifices were necessary and acknowledged

Howard, was a talented man who loved music, hunting and fishing, and golf. He could tell jokes and thoroughly entertain you with memorized poetry, Spanish, and humorous vaudeville type songs. He was a natty dresser and a strict about good manners and cordial behavior. He also was very intelligent and excelled in math and accounting.

Tom and Rogers were born in 1937 and 1943. Howard had joined International paper in about 1930 in Camden and finished over 30 years with IP at their Springhill, Louisiana Mill in 1941.

Tom would excel scholastically and win leadership awards in high school and at Tulane University. Tom retired to do consulting and service work after having distinguished manufacturing jobs with Ethyl Corp. and a corporate career as President and CEO of Trane Air Conditioning. He served on the Board of Directors of American Standard Corp and built a manufacturing facility in his home town of Springhill La. during his tenure as Chief Executive. Tom serves as elder in the Presbyterian Church. Tom and his wife Ann Monroe Smith have two adult children. Paul Rogers Smith and wife Kathryn live in Sarasota, Fl. and Elizabeth Monroe Smith is from St.Louis., Mo. Their grandson Paul Jr. was born to Paul and Kathryn in April 13, 1998.

Rogers went to Louisiana State and Louisiana Tech University. Rogers played college golf at La. Tech. After a period of sales and marketing with International Paper, he has spent 30 years in paper industry sales. Now Rogers is a Manufacturer's Representative in the Memphis area for George Mouk and Associates, out of Monroe, La. Rog served as elder in the Christian Church (Disciples). He and his wife Bonnie are members of the Baptist Church. Rogers' adult children are Stephanie and Andrew and Bonnie's are Brian and Melissa. Brian, Melissa, and Andrew live in Memphis.



Curtis Stephens Rogers abt. 1957



Pauline Rogers Smith abt. 1960



Francis Rogers (Smith) Colquitt abt. 1960

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Benjamin Rogers Smith

Curtis Stephens Rogers
1912-1967

Curt's childhood years were those of a typical southern lad. With his fathers large landholdings in Ouachita County he would become an avid outdoorsman. He loved the fun of horseback riding. Hunting and fishing became a great hobby for him and would remain so through adulthood. Curtis had two sisters but also had his first cousins the Arnold boys to satisfy those friendship needs.

When his parents felt he needed college preparation they sent him to Gulfport Military Academy. The principals letters to his parents validate what we already know about Curtis. He was very popular with his peers. The times when he would return home on holidays he would be wearing is uniform. With the shoulder capes that were fashionable he had already begun to catch the eye of young Bettie Lu Gaughan. Even in her childhood games with friends she would play being Curtis' wife.

When he first attended the University of Arkansas, he was elected President of the Freshman Class. There he pledged ΣAE and was with friends Thomas Lockett, Jigger Smith (Frat. Pres.), John Colquitt, and others. Francis, his sister was there with him as a freshman as she had skipped an elementary grade.

After two years Curtis left college as was typical during those depression years. One Christmas holiday, Curtis was 21 and back from Mississippi where he was working at the Rogers Poultry Plant. There at the Camden Country Club, Curt had a big evening. First, he was in the locker room having holiday cheer, when a local high school football player mouthed off about Francis in an off-color remark. A slightly built Curtis "decked him." Later he "discovered Bettie Lu Gaughan" was no longer the small town girl but a striking brunette at the age of 15. One dance and a movie date (with parental approval of course) and the romance was on!

After years of schooling for Bettie Lu at St. Mary of the Woods and graduaion at the Univ. of Ark.(and unwanted separation)they would marry. Howard Smith , his brother in law, was his best man at the wedding there at the Gaughan residence on old West Washington Street. The piano played and Bettie Lu made her radiant entrance down the stairway. Tom, Howard and Pauline's toddler, spotted his favorite uncle and exclaimed, "Hi, Uncle Curt!"

Curtis business career was with International Paper Co in their Woodlands Department. This seemed to compliment his "outdoors" background and his family's ties with the timber business. Curtis witnessed the evolution of southern sawmilling to be eclipsed with the giant paper mills that were built about every 75 miles. These years were spent in Camden, Benton, and Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

One of the real highlights of their marriage was the adoption of their son, Stephen, and their daughter, Johanna. In fact the celebration was shared by the whole family. It is hard to say who was most responsible for the loving support Polly, Francis, and Curtis seemed to give equally to their children as well as nieces and nephews. This crossover support and love was felt by us all and has established quite a standard. There was no doubt however that Curtis had a natural display affection for his children and his young nephews which was not so common among men. For example, he would affectionately grind his healthy ½ day old beard into our rosy cheeks and tell us he loved us. We miss him. He died of heart failure at the early age of 54.

Their oldest son, Curtis Stephens Rogers (II) "Steve" is a career agent with the FBI in Washington. After High School in Pine Bluff, Arkansas, he graduated in Chemistry at Arkansas A &M and attended St. Edward's College in Austin. He and his wife, Joan (a career government employee also) have two children Stephanie and Curtis.

Johanna Harris lives in Flippin, Arkansas with husband Vernie. She is a dedicated mom and a delightfully exuberant spirit. With Vernie being a career High School basketball coach, they have lovingly supported their children through high school and college both academically and in sports. All their children: Michael Shane, Angie, and Curt seem to be athletically blessed in basketball. Johanna and Vernie met while at Arkansas Tech in Russellville while Vernie played on a basketball scholarship. Angie and Curt now play college basketball.

Francis Rogers (Smith) Colquitt
1913-present

Francis was born in 1913 in Smackover, Arkansas and now resides at 218 Lakeside, Camden with her second husband, John Colquitt. She just celebrated her 85th birthday (1998). Francis was a twin, but the twin died at birth. She is high spirited with an infectious laugh and a giftedness for telling family stories and tales with a flair to capture the attention of any guest. Francis tells the story of a party that was given on a local steamboat, perhaps the *Camden* or the *Ouachita*. She was about 12 in 1925 and the very popular Captain Clooney invited her to the helm and hold the wheel near where the river flows beneath the Ouachita River bridge at Camden. This was not only exciting but it also marked the last of the steamboat times as the locomotive and the auto had been in full swing for some years.

Francis went to the University of Arkansas for two years and was graduated from Southern State College as an adult when degrees began to be required for teachers. She was a career third grade teacher at Cleaveland Ave. School in Camden and later at Whiteside. She had a gift for keeping the children's attention and I was fortunate to visit her class at age 8, as other young relatives also did with delight. She is remembered affectionately by her students.

Francis married Gerald "Jigger" Smith of Stuttgart, Arkansas after meeting him at the University of Arkansas. He graduated from the U. of A. and they moved to Atlanta as Jigger began a career in the laundry business. They eventually moved back to Stuttgart where Jigger got the laundry contract for the Stuttgart Arkansas Air Base. They ran a successful laundry dry cleaners in Camden for years. Their son Fletcher was born in 1935. Sadly, Jigger was a victim of heart disease and finally lost the battle in 1959 at the early age of 54. Ten years later Francis married John Colquitt, himself a widower, from Magnolia. She had not known John in earlier years while he was coincidentally a resident in the fraternity house with Jigger and her brother Curt. John and Francis enjoy John's daughter from earlier marriage Ann Mount. She and her husband John reside in the Washington D.C. area.

Today, Francis and John live in the same beautiful home she and Jigger had custom built. She remains my loving aunt and "confidant." Her only child Fletcher B. Smith resides in Little Rock with his lovely wife Shirley Adair Smith. Fletch was of a different "Smith" background than Pauline Rogers Smith. Fletch has his Smith roots traced back also. Fletcher graduated from the University of Arkansas in Geology after two years at the celebrated University of the South at Sewanee, Tennessee.

He has just completed a successful career in both the manufacturing and sales sectors of the paper industry. Fletcher is a leader and advanced to become Mill Manager with Georgia Pacific as Zackery, La. after holding many responsible positions at their large complex in Crossett, Arkansas. He also had a noteworthy career in sales management with Beloit Machinery in international sales. Beloit is the premier paper manufacturing, machinery company. Their two adult sons are Fletcher B. (Skip) Smith Jr. and Matthew Smith of Little Rock. Their grandson is Jack born September 18, 1991 to Skip and Ann.

Reflections by Benjamin Rogers Smith



Cousins descended from children of Benjamin F. Rogers of Ouachita County - left to right

*Annie Banks Stewart (Memphis), Fletcher B. Smith (Little Rock), C. Stephens Rogers (Arlington, VA.)
B. Rogers Smith (Memphis), Johanna Rogers Harris (Flippin, AR), H. Thompson Smith (Tyler, TX.)*

1-31-98 -80th Birthday Celebration of Mrs. Curtis S. Rogers (Bettie Lu Gaughan)

Descendants of Jonathan Rogers I

Generation No. 1

1. JONATHAN¹ ROGERS I was born Abt. 1764 in Wayne County, NC^{1,2,3}, and died October 10, 1793 in Wayne County, NC^{4,5}. He married ELIZABETH DANIEL 1787 in Wayne County, NC⁶, daughter of EPHRIAM DANIEL and BRAMBLEY BROWN.

Notes for JONATHAN ROGERS I:

Sources: 1. WFT Vol. 7

2. 1791 Land Records to Jonathan Rogers I from Ephraim Daniel, Wayne County, North Carolina.

3. Ancestral File ver 4.12 (JDRZ-JH) (as seen in WFT Vol. 6, Tree #2595)

4. See Will in Wayne Co., NC

!NOTES: Will Wayne County, North Carolina. His widow Elizabeth Daniel purchased the family bible for 9 shillings. She remarried Issac Dickinson. His land transactions in the 1890's show that his family was heavily involved with the Dickinson family and the Daniel family both of whom have ancestry back to the Northhampton County NC area in the earlier 1700's and on back to England.

More About JONATHAN ROGERS I:

Fact 1: B.F.Rogers, Goodspeeds biography 1898 states he was of Scotch-Irish ancestry

Fact 2: lived in Newbern District, Wayne Co., NC near Raliegh N.C.⁷

Fact 3: October 14, 1793, Will administered in Wayne Co., NC

Fact 4: Ephraim Daniel as Administrator

Fact 5: 1790, Census shows family and 5 slaves

Notes for ELIZABETH DANIEL:

Elizabeth's grandmother, Sarah Dickinson married John Daniel II about 1823, in Northhampton Co. N.C.

Her second husband Issac Dickinson placed her back into the same family.

More About ELIZABETH DANIEL:

Fact 1: See B. Neil Dickinson Bible Document

Fact 2: Eliz. was living with dau. Sallie in Haywood Co. census of 1830

Fact 4: October 14, 1793, petitions for a right of domain in deceased husband's estate

Children of JONATHAN ROGERS and ELIZABETH DANIEL are:

2. i. SARAH² ROGERS, b. September 14, 1788, Wayne County, NC; d. WFT Est. 1789-1882.
- ii. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ROGERS, b. Abt. 1789, Wayne County, NC^{8,9}; d. Abt. 1812, Wayne County, NC¹⁰.

Notes for BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ROGERS:

In May 1812 Benjamin Rogers left a will leaving his property to his mother Elizabeth Dickinson, Sally, Patey and Jonathan.

3. iii. MARTHA ROGERS, b. July 16, 1791; d. January 23, 1843, Haywood County, Tn.
4. iv. JONATHAN ROGERS II, b. February 18, 1793, Near Raleigh, Wayne County, NC; d. January 09, 1871, Ouachita Co., AR.

Generation No. 2

2. SARAH² ROGERS (*JONATHAN*¹) was born September 14, 1788 in Wayne County, NC^{11,12}, and died WFT Est. 1789-1882. She married LEVI ROGERS.

Notes for SARAH ROGERS:

On 20 October 1817, Sarah Rogers sells 110 acres of land to Isaac Dickinson for ninety dollars. The deed, recorded in Wayne County Deed Book 11, page 141, states that she received the land from her brother Benjamin, who had received it from their father, Jonathan Rogers. {The Jonathon Rogers Family of Elmore Co., AL by Laura Gayle Rogers Jolly (1979) p.34}

More About SARAH ROGERS:

Fact 1: Children per Bible document of Neil Dickinson

Fact 2: October 20, 1817, sells 110 acr. to Isaac Dickinson

Fact 3: census of 1830 shows mother Elizabeth living with her in Haywood county

More About LEVI ROGERS:

Fact 1: Levi according to Dickinson sources in the Brownsville Library

Children of SARAH ROGERS and LEVI ROGERS are:

5. i. WILLIAM³ ROGERS, b. January 10, 1809.
- ii. RUFUS ROGERS, b. January 18, 1818.

- iii. JONATHAN ROGERS, b. April 06, 1820.

3. MARTHA² ROGERS (*JONATHAN*¹) was born July 16, 1791^{13,14,15}, and died January 23, 1843 in Haywood County, Tn¹⁶. She married (1) ISSAC DICKINSON Abt. 1812¹⁷, son of DAVID DICKINSON and ANN HOOD. She married (2) JOHN JONES 1840^{18,19}.

More About MARTHA ROGERS:

Fact 1: Issac died in route from Montgomery to Tn.

Fact 2: John J. featured in the history of Haywood county page 60

Fact 3: John J. was called "Captain"

Fact 4: Relative Harrison Dickinson' founded" Haywood County

Fact 5: Came to Haywood in 1838 according to Dickinson family records

More About ISSAC DICKINSON:

Fact 1: 1830 died of Pneumonia in route to Tennessee in Jan or Feb.

Children of MARTHA ROGERS and ISSAC DICKINSON are:

6. i. JOHN J.³ DICKINSON, b. 1820-1880.
- ii. WILLIAM DICKINSON.

More About WILLIAM DICKINSON:

Fact 1: died young

Fact 2: Moved to Dallas Co. Ar.

iii. NANCY DICKINSON.

More About NANCY DICKINSON:

Fact 1: died young

Fact 2: Moved to Dallas Co. Ar.

iv. SARAH DICKINSON.

More About SARAH DICKINSON:

Fact 1: Moved to Dallas County Ar.

v. RUFUS WYLIE DICKINSON.

More About RUFUS WYLIE DICKINSON:

Fact 1: Moved to Dallas Co. Ar.

vi. EDWIN LEROY DICKINSON.

More About EDWIN LEROY DICKINSON:

Fact 1: Moved to Dallas Co. Ar.

7. vii. MARTHA ANN DICKINSON, d. Cairo, Illinois.

viii. ELIZA JANE DICKINSON, m. J.Z. BUNN.

More About ELIZA JANE DICKINSON:

Fact 1: Moved to Dallas Co. Ar.

4. JONATHAN² ROGERS II (*JONATHAN*¹)²⁰ was born February 18, 1793 in Near Raleigh, Wayne County, NC^{21,22,23,24,25}, and died January 09, 1871 in Ouachita Co., AR^{26,27,28}. He married SARAH ROUNDTREE²⁹ March 12, 1812 in North Carolina^{30,31}, daughter of CADER ROUNDTREE and PENELOPE RENFRO.

Notes for JONATHAN ROGERS II:

Jonathan was born the same year as his fathers death. He lived in the Newbern district, southeast of Raliegh, Wayne Co., NC and was bound out to a local farmer until he married Sarah Roundtree at the age of 18 in 1812. Shortly thereafter he moved to Georgia to be near his inlaws, Cader Roundtree. About 1819 he moved with wife and children Penelope, Benjamin, and Ephriam to Montgomery co. AL. In 1856 he moved with his remaining adult family (about 6 children) by steamboat to Ouachita County Ark. His descendents of the 11 adult spread in both Ouachita and neighboring Columbia County and also Scott County Miss. Many of these descendents are buried near his old homeplace at Bethesda Cumberland Presbretarian Church Ouachita Co. and Ebenezer Methodist Church Columbia Co.

More About JONATHAN ROGERS II:

Fact 1: 1793-1811, Wayne Co. NC, SOME SOURCES REPORT BIRTH IN 1790

Fact 2: May 22, 1831, Pur. 160 acres of land in Montgomery Co. AL.

Fact 3: August 08, 1856, Sold his land in AL. to prepare to move, TITLE on file

Fact 4: December 1856, To Oua. Co. AR. Sept. 1, 1860 Pur. 40 acres near Bethesda Church

Fact 5: 1840-1850, Alabama Census of Autauga County

Fact 6: 1870, Arkansas Census Columbia Co. AR> Boon Township (temporary)³²

Fact 7: 1871, January buried Mt. Horeb Cemetery near Elliott Ark. no stone

Fact 8: ³³

Fact 9: ³⁴

Fact 13: ³⁵

More About SARAH ROUNDTREE:

Fact 1: 1880 census shows Sarah's brother Cater Rountree 74

Fact 2: Buried in Mt. Horeb Cemetery, Ouachita Co., Ark. no stone

Fact 11: ³⁶

Children of JONATHAN ROGERS and SARAH ROUNDTREE are:

- i. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN³ ROGERS, b. April 12, 1814, North Carolina^{37,38,39}; d. 1845-1904; m. NANCY BOOTH, July 01, 1839, Autauga Co., Alabama⁴⁰.

More About BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ROGERS:

Fact 1: Born in GA

Fact 2: As of 1998 no known children, place of death, or burial site

Fact 3: Thought to have come to Ouachita County early in family move about 1846

8. ii. PENELOPE ROGERS, b. December 02, 1815, Wayne County, NC; d. 1854, Ouachita Co., AR.
9. iii. EPHRIAM DANIEL ROGERS, b. November 04, 1817, GA; d. March 07, 1901, Ouachita Co., AR.
10. iv. ELIZABETH ROGERS, b. December 17, 1819, AL; d. August 29, 1908, Columbia Co. Ark..
11. v. CADER ROUNDTREE ROGERS, b. February 13, 1821, Autauga Co., AL.; d. July 01, 1860, Columbia County, Ar..
12. vi. ALPHA W. ROGERS, b. December 12, 1822, Autauga County, AL; d. 1870-1923, Columbia County, Ar..
13. vii. WILEY M. ROGERS, b. September 13, 1824, Autauga Co., AL; d. December 11, 1887, Ouachita Co., AR.
14. viii. SARAH ROGERS, b. April 05, 1826, Autauga Co., AL; d. January 18, 1864, Ouachita Co., Ark..
15. ix. BRAMBLIE CAROLINE ROGERS, b. April 17, 1828, Autauga Co., AL; d. 1910, Columbia Co..
- x. EMILY B. ROGERS, b. April 05, 1829.

16. xi. TREACY ROGERS, b. April 26, 1831, Autauga Co., AL; d. May 23, 1910, Columbia Co..
17. xii. JONATHAN ROUNDTREE ROGERS, b. March 01, 1833, Autauga Co., AL.; d. September 24, 1903, Speigner, Elmore Co., AL.
- xiii. FRANCIS B. ROGERS, b. April 02, 1834.

18. xiv. MARTHA M. ROGERS, b. August 24, 1837, Autauga Co., AL; d. July 20, 1907, Ouachita Co., AR.
19. xv. GEORGE OWEN ROGERS (ADOPTED), b. September 1834, North Carolina.

Generation No. 3

5. WILLIAM³ ROGERS (*SARAH², JONATHAN¹*) was born January 10, 1809. He married LUCINDY.

Children of WILLIAM ROGERS and LUCINDY are:

- i. ISSAC LAFAYT⁴ ROGERS, b. July 26, 1831.

- ii. LOUIS LEROY ROGERS, b. September 19, 1832.

- iii. JONATHAN S. ROGERS, b. May 20, 1834.
- iv. BENJAMIN ROGERS, b. August 01, 1835.
- v. SARAH ELIZABETH ROGERS, b. December 25, 1836.
- vi. JAMES ROGERS, b. April 15, 1838.

6. JOHN J.³ DICKINSON (*MARTHA*² *ROGERS*, *JONATHAN*¹) was born 1820-1880. He married (1) ANNA ARABELLA BROWN. He married (2) REBECCA STOCKLEY CLARK.

More About JOHN J. DICKINSON:

Fact 1: Remained in Haywood County Tn.

More About REBECCA STOCKLEY CLARK:

Fact 1: Had John william and Joseph Clark by first marriage(Widow)

Children of JOHN DICKINSON and ANNA BROWN are:

- i. EDWIN⁴ DICKINSON, b. 1843.
- ii. NANCY ANN DICKINSON, b. 1847.
- iii. MARTHA JANE, b. 1849.
- iv. ELIZABETH P., b. 1851.
- v. HANNAH TERESA, b. 1854.
- vi. JOHN CLINT, b. 1857.

Children of JOHN DICKINSON and REBECCA CLARK are:

- vii. MARY⁴ ELNORA, b. 1861.
- viii. ETTA LILLIAN, b. 1864.
- ix. REGINALD EURETTE, b. 1866.
- x. EDNA PEARL, b. 1869.

xi. NEVA AMBROSE, b. 1872.

7. MARTHA ANN³ DICKINSON (*MARTHA² ROGERS, JONATHAN¹*) died in Cairo, Illinois. She married DAVID CLARK HALL 1844 in Arkladelphia.

More About MARTHA ANN DICKINSON:

Fact 1: Moved to Dallas Co. Ar.

Child of MARTHA DICKINSON and DAVID HALL is:

20. i. CLIFFORD⁴ HALL.

8. PENELOPE³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born December 02, 1815 in Wayne County, NC^{41,42,43,44}, and died 1854 in Ouachita Co., AR. She married JOSEPH GRAY WILSON November 27, 1834⁴⁵, son of BENJAMIN WILSON and MARTHA LUTHER.

Notes for PENELOPE ROGERS:

for a Bio of Joseph Gray Wilson & Penelope Rogers see GOODSPEED'S HISTORY OF ARKANSAS, OUACHITA COUNTY p.703 & 702

More About PENELOPE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Born in Wayne County, N.C.

Fact 2: had eight children

Fact 3: buried Mt. Horeb Cemetery, Ouachita Co., AR

Fact 4: Came with husband to Ark. in 1846

Fact 5: See Wilson's Tree in "Ebenezer: The Song Is Sung" Columbia Co. Tree

More About JOSEPH GRAY WILSON:

Fact 1: buried Mt. Horeb Cemetery, Ouachita Co., AR

Fact 2: Lt. Co. F, 1st. Arkansas, Reg't, CSA⁴⁶

Fact 3: From Southhampton Co. Va.

Fact 4: 1846 bought 320 acres in Colimbia Co. Boon Twmsp.

Fact 5: began medicine study 1850, liscensed by County in 1860

Fact 6: Moved back to Ouachita County

Children of PENELOPE ROGERS and JOSEPH WILSON are:

i. JONATHAN BENJAMIN⁴ WILSON, b. Abt. 1838.

More About JONATHAN BENJAMIN WILSON:

Fact 1: Served in the Conf. Army in 22 engagements

ii. JAMES WILSON, b. Abt. 1837.

iii. FLAVIOUS JOSEPH WILSON, b. March 22, 1838.

iv. WILLIAM E. ROGERS, b. Abt. 1839.

v. VIRGINIA ALABAMA ROGERS, b. July 03, 1840.

- vi. MARY ANN WILSON, b. March 31, 1843.
- vii. WELLS HARPER WILSON, b. February 16, 1844.
- viii. THEODORE E. WILSON, b. December 13, 1846.
- ix. MARTHA WILSON AKA. PENNY, b. Unknown.
- x. PAXTON WILSON.
- xi. MAX WILSON.

9. EPHRIAM DANIEL³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN*², *JONATHAN*¹)⁴⁷ was born November 04, 1817 in GA^{48,49}, and died March 07, 1901 in Ouachita Co., AR^{50,51}. He married MARTHA ANN L. BOOTH⁵² December 27, 1838 in Prattville, Autauga Co., AL^{53,54}, daughter of CHARLES BOOTH and NANCY OWENS.

Notes for EPHRIAM DANIEL ROGERS:

The following is from GOODSPEED'S HISTORY OF ARKANSAS, OUACHITA COUNTY published in 1898.

Ephriam D. Rogers is one of the pioneers of Lafayette Township, being the second oldest in this township. He was born November 4, 1817, in Georgia, a son of Jonathan and Sarah (Roundtree) Rogers, natives of North Carolina, the former born in 179(3). Jonathan Rogers' father having died when he was young, he was bound out to a farmer, and worked at farm labor until about eighteen years of age, when he was married to Miss Sarah Roundtree. Shortly after his marriage he moved to Georgia, and thence to Alabama, when the subject of this sketch (Ephraim Daniel Rogers) was but two years of age. In 1856 (Jonathan Rogers) came to this county and purchased an improved farm of 400 acres, on which he lived until his death, which occurred in 1871, his wife having died in 1863. They were both members of the Missionary Baptist Church. They had a family of fifteen children, twelve of whom lived to maturity, and have families, viz. : Benjamin (now deceased), Penny (married Dr. J.G. Wilson, of Columbia County, has eight children, all living), Cader (died leaving five children, all living), Alpheia (a farmer of Columbia County, has a family of six children), Wiley M. (died, leaving five children, all living), Sallie (married Mr. Cook, and died leaving seven children), Jonathan R. (a farmer of Alabama, has a family of eight children), and Martha (Mrs. Venable, of this township, has four children). Mr. Ephriam Rogers was reared in Alabama, and had no education whatever. He comenced farming for himself in Autauga County, Ala., when he was twenty-one years of age. In 1838 he was married to Miss Martha Booth, a native of that county, born February 17, 1822, a daughter of Charles and Nancy (Owens) Booth, both natives of South Carolina, and died in 1866 and 1837, respectivley, both members of the Missionary Baptist Church, by whom he had eleven children, viz. : Charles B. (now farming in this county), Nancy E. (deceased), Sarah A. (deceased), Martha Ann (now Mrs. Carter of this township), John R. (whose sketch follows this), William J. (who is engaged in farming in this township), Benjamin Franklin (farmer of this county), Elizabeth W. (now Mrs. Forbes of this township), Emly (deceased), and Ellen Frances (now Mrs. Jeffus, of this township). In 1856 Mr. Rogers moved his wife and family to this county, purchasing an improved farm of 290 acres, on which he still lives. He served one year in the late war, in the Arkansas Home Guards. In 1888 Mr. Rogers sold his farm to his son, John R., and is now residing with him. Both he and his wife are members of the Missionary Baptist

Church, to which they have belonged for nearly forty-eight years. Politically Mr. Rogers is a Democrat, before the war being a Whig, since which time he has been allied to the Democratic party. He is one of the best known citizens, and is highly respected by all."

More About EPHRIAM DANIEL ROGERS:

Fact 1: 1857 purchased an improved farm of 400 acres in Lafayette Township

Fact 2: Census of 1870 lists him in Columbia County, 1878 tax 240 acres

Fact 3: He probably moved to Col. Co. about 1869 with his dau. Martha Venable

Fact 4: Portrait provided by Sandra Files, Charlotte, N.C.

Fact 5: November 08, 1856, sold 360 acres to James H. Booth and moved to AR⁵⁵

Fact 6: 1864, served in Ark. Home Guards CSA

Fact 7: 1901, bur. Bethesda Cemetary, Bethesda Cumberland Church, Elliott, Ouachita Co., AR

Fact 8: Elliott Baptist Church founded by 6 of Ephriam's Children in 1890

Fact 9: 1880, Census: Retired Farmer living with John and Emily Rogers Allen and child Alice

Notes for MARTHA ANN L. BOOTH:

BOOTH , CHARLES, LAST WILL & TESTAMENT OF

State of Alabama, }
Autauga County }

I, Charles Booth, being of sane mind and feeling it to my duty, before death to make this my last will and Testament, do now before these witnesses give and bequeath to my wife Elizabeth Booth, during her natural life time and after her Death to my youngest Son, by her, Washington Wilks Booth. All my Real Estate, and Person Property - Consisting of the following Lands to-wit:

The East half of the South East quarter of Section Twenty nine, Township Eighteen, Range fifteen, Also the East half of the South West quarter of Section Twenty Eight, Township Eighteen, and Range fifteen Also the North East quarter of the North East quarter of Section Thirty Two, Township Eighteen and Range fourteen. Also the SouthEast quarter of the South West quarter of Section Twenty-nine. township eighteen and Range fifteen which Lands are lying and being situated in the County and State aforesaid and consist of Two Hundred and fifty acres more or less.

Also the following Personal Property, To-wit All the Cattle, Hogs, Horses, Mules, Sheep and Goats- Also all House-hold and Kitchen furniture. Also all Debts due me. After paying all Debts Against me and paying all my funeral Expenses.

Charles Booth

Witness therefore I or we have hereunto Set our name and Seals this the 22nd Day of May 1869

B.W. Rogers (Seal)

Emily Boon (Seal)

Sarah Rogers (Seal)

Children of EPHRIAM ROGERS and MARTHA BOOTH are:

- i. CHARLES BOOTH⁴ ROGERS, b. Abt. 1839, Autauga Co., AL^{56,57}; d. 1906.

More About CHARLES BOOTH ROGERS:

Fact 1: Present at Elliott Baptist August 31, 1890

Fact 2: Ordained a deacon at Buena Vista (AR) Baptist Church

Fact 3: C.S.A.

Fact 4: First Baptist Church Deacon and delagate to Liberty Baptist Assn. 1896

Fact 5: represented 1st Baptist Church Camden

Fact 6: Liberty Baptist minutes of annual session 1906 lists his obit.

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 - ii. MARTHA ANN ROGERS, b. 1845, Autauga Co., AL; d. Unknown.
 - iii. MARY L. ROGERS, b. November 16, 1846, Autauga, Co., AL.⁵⁸; d. July 30, 1899, Ouachita Co. Ark.; m. WILLIAM H. CARTER, Ouachita Co. Ark..

More About MARY L. ROGERS:

Fact 1: Present at Elliott Baptist August 31, 1890

Fact 2: Buried Bethesda Cemetery

Fact 3: 1880 Census shows WHCarter 24 Mollie 27 Ephriam 3

Fact 4: also Wm. Carter and Martha and Edwin 8, John 6, and Israel 3.

Notes for WILLIAM H. CARTER:

1880 Ouachita County census Lafayette township shows William H. Carter 24, Wife Martha 27 children Edwin 8, John, 6, Isreal 3

More About WILLIAM H. CARTER:

Fact 1: Buried Bethesda Cem

Fact 2: 1878 Tax record - 40 acres

- iv. NANCY ROGERS, b. 1846, Autauga Co., AL^{59,60}; d. Bef. 1850⁶¹.
22.
 - v. JONATHAN R. ROGERS, b. September 29, 1848, Autauga Co., AL; d. July 30, 1924, Camden, Ark..
23.
 - vi. WILLIAM J. ROGERS, b. November 13, 1849; d. October 22, 1921.
24.
 - vii. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ROGERS, b. October 13, 1852, Autauga Co., AL; d. April 21, 1933, Elliott, AR.
25.
 - viii. ELIZABETH W. ROGERS, b. October 10, 1855, Autauga, Co., AL.; d. August 14, 1920, Ouachita Co. Ark..
26.
 - ix. EMILY J. ROGERS, b. September 11, 1857; d. 1880, Ouachita Co., AR.
27.
 - x. ELLEN FRANCIS ROGERS, b. May 02, 1860, Camden, Ouachita Co., AR; d. January 22, 1927, Camden, Ouachita Co., AR.
 - xi. SARAH A. ROGERS, b. Unknown; d. Unknown.

10. ELIZABETH³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born December 17, 1819 in AL^{62,63,64,65}, and died August 29, 1908 in Columbia Co. Ark.⁶⁶. She married WELLS WASHINGTON WILSON November 01, 1840 in Autauga Co., Alabama⁶⁷, son of BENJAMIN WILSON and MARHTA LUTER.

Notes for ELIZABETH ROGERS:

Elizabeth and her husband were among the first of the Rogers family to come to Arkansas. The Old Ebenezer Cemetary is across the street from the Methodist Church and well maintained. Elizabeth's stone as well as her husband's have been laid flat in cement for protection and new granite stones have

been placed to protect them for years. Ebenezer is about 2 miles north of Village Arkansas in Columbia County.

More About ELIZABETH ROGERS:

Fact 1: Buried in Ebenezer Cemetary , Village Ark, Columbia Co. Ark.

Fact 2: See:"Ebenezer: the Song Is Sung" Complete tree of Wilson, Rogers Columbia County⁶⁸

Fact 13: ⁶⁹

More About WELLS WASHINGTON WILSON:

Fact 1: bur. Ebenezer Cemetary, Village, Columbia Co., AR

Children of ELIZABETH ROGERS and WELLS WILSON are:

- i. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴ WILSON, b. March 19, 1842; m. MARY E. LEWIS, November 04, 1868.

More About BENJAMIN FRANKLIN WILSON:

Fact 1: Justice of the Peace Boone Township

Fact 2: Heralded in Goodspeed's History of Arkansas

- ii. WILLIAM ELISHA WILSON, b. September 05, 1843.
- iii. MARTHA SARAH WILSON, b. June 15, 1845; d. July 15, 1873; m. JEFFERSON LEWIS, December 07, 1865.
- iv. GEORGE WHITFIELD WILSON, b. January 05, 1847.
- v. EDWARD M. WILSON, b. January 04, 1849.
- vi. PENELOPE WILSON, b. October 09, 1850.
- vii. JOSEPHAN FREDONIA WILSON, b. February 19, 1853.
- viii. ROBERT RUSH WILSON, b. March 31, 1855.
- ix. ALOZO (LON T.) WILSON, b. November 30, 1857.
- x. MARY ELIZABETH WILSON, b. April 25, 1860.
- xi. WASHINGTON LEE WILSON.

11. CADER ROUNDTREE³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born February 13, 1821 in Autauga Co., AL.^{70,71,72}, and died July 01, 1860 in Columbia County, Ar.⁷³. He married NANCY COOK February 26, 1846 in Autauga Co., Alabama, daughter of JAMES COOK.

Notes for CADER ROUNDTREE ROGERS:

See 1850 CENSUS for the Pine Flat beat of Autauga Co., AL

More About CADER ROUNDTREE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Children dates per Census 1860-70 Columbia Co.

Fact 2: had five children

Fact 3: See "Ebenezer: The Song is Sung", Columbia Co. Tree

Children of CADER ROGERS and NANCY COOK are:

- i. MARTHA A.⁴ ROGERS, b. 1855; d. WFT Est. 1843-1954.
- ii. MARY E. ROGERS, b. 1847; d. Unknown.
- iii. TRECY ELIZA ROGERS, b. November 02, 1848, Autauga Co., AL⁷⁴; d. February 26, 1924, Columbia County, AL⁷⁵; m. AMAZIAH LEWIS, November 08, 1866⁷⁶.
- iv. JAMES W. ROGERS, b. 1852.
- v. VIRGINIA ROGERS, b. 1851.

12. ALPHA W.³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born December 12, 1822 in Autauga County, AL^{77,78,79}, and died 1870-1923 in Columbia County, Ar.⁸⁰. He married NANCY B. BOOTH January 15, 1852 in Autauga County, AL.⁸¹, daughter of WILLIAM BOOTH and MISSOURI BULLARD.

More About ALPHA W. ROGERS:

Fact 1: Born in AL.

Fact 2: or "Alpea"

Fact 3: six children

Fact 4: Buried Old Salem Cemetery no stone, new marker

Fact 5: See "Ebenezer: The Song Is Sung" for Rogers and Booths tree

Fact 13: ⁸²

Children of ALPHA ROGERS and NANCY BOOTH are:

- i. CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS, b. 1857.
- ii. SALLIE ROGERS, b. 1859.
- iii. ELLA ROGERS, b. 1860.

vii. INFANT ROGERS, b. 1870.

13. WILEY M.³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born September 13, 1824 in Autauga Co., AL^{83,84}, and died December 11, 1887 in Ouachita Co., AR⁸⁵. He married MALINDA ROUNDTREE January 22, 1846 in Chambers Co., Alabama, daughter of CADOR ROUNDTREE and JANE STROTHER.

More About WILEY M. ROGERS:

Fact 1: Buried Bethesda Cem. Ouachita, Co. with stone

Fact 2: married his first cousin

Fact 13: ⁸⁶

More About MALINDA ROUNDTREE:

Fact 2: married her first cousin

Fact 3: bur. Bethesda Cemetary, Bethesda Cumberland Church, Elliott, Ouachita Co., AR

Children of WILEY ROGERS and MALINDA ROUNDTREE are:

28. i. SARAH JANE⁴ ROGERS, b. February 22, 1847, AL; d. May 07, 1925, Ouachita Co., Ark..
29. ii. JONATHAN WILEY ROGERS, b. November 27, 1848, Wetumpka, Autauga Co., AL.; d. May 07, 1931, Ouachita Co., AR.
- iii. CADER R. ROGERS, b. November 07, 1850⁸⁷; d. April 23, 1870.

More About CADER R. ROGERS:

Fact 1: Buried Bethesda Cem with stone

- iv. JASPER MONROE ROGERS, b. February 20, 1852⁸⁸; d. October 19, 1889.
 - v. LOVENIA ROGERS, b. 1853⁸⁹; d. WFT Est. 1854-1947.
 - vi. NANCY ALPHENIE ROGERS, b. December 29, 1855, Camden, Ouachita County, AR⁹⁰; d. July 06, 1930; m. JAMES TAYLOR DANIEL.
 30. vii. ALONZA DANIEL ROGERS, b. October 26, 1857, Ouachita Co., AR; d. June 06, 1921, Montgomery AL..
 - viii. MARY M. ROGERS, b. 1860⁹¹; d. WFT Est. 1861-1954.
 - ix. MALINDA F. ROGERS, b. September 18, 1861⁹²; d. October 30, 1929; m. WILLIAM F. ROSS.
- More About MALINDA F. ROGERS:
- Fact 1: Buried Bethesda Cem
- x. ELIZABETH ROGERS, b. 1868⁹³; d. 1918; m. JAMES EDGAR MARKS.

14. SARAH³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 05, 1826 in Autauga Co., AL^{94,95}, and died January 18, 1864 in Ouachita Co., Ark.. She married JESSIE COOK March 06, 1845 in Alabama.

More About SARAH ROGERS:

Fact 1: or Autuaga, Al.

Fact 2: had seven children

Fact 3: 1865 map shows homme near Bethesda across Holly Springs Rd. from Jonathan Rogers

More About JESSIE COOK:

Fact 1: 1846-1864, Children dates per Census 1850-70 Ouachita Co.

Children of SARAH ROGERS and JESSIE COOK are:

- i. JAMES D.⁴ COOK, b. 1846; m. MITTIE.

- ii. WILLIAM COOK, b. 1848.

- iii. JESSE T. COOK, b. 1849; m. MARY.

- iv. FRANCIS M. COOK, b. 1851.

- v. DECALB COOK, b. 1854.

- vi. GEORGE W. COOK, b. 1855.

- vii. WILEY W. COOK, b. 1859.

- viii. EMILY COOK, b. Unknown.

- ix. M. N. COOK, b. 1861.

- x. BUD COOK, b. 1864.

15. BRAMBLIE CAROLINE³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 17, 1828 in Autauga Co., AL^{96,97,98}, and died 1910 in Columbia Co.⁹⁹. She married JOHN L. BOOTH January 22, 1846 in Autauga Co., Alabama¹⁰⁰, son of WILLIAM BOOTH and MISSOURI BULLARD.

More About BRAMBLIE CAROLINE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Buried Old Salem Cemetary, no Stone, New marker

Fact 2: See: "Ebenezer: the Song Is Sung" Complete tree,Booths,Wilsons,Rogers, Col.Co. Ar

Notes for JOHN L. BOOTH:

!CENSUS: 1850 Autauga County, Alabama, Huddleston Beat, Oct 21, page 21, family 309. John and Brambly are listed with 2 children. He is a farmer.

!CENSUS: 1860 Columbia County, Arkansas, Boon Township, Liddersdale P. O., 1126/1152. John and Caroline Booth are listed with 7 children.

Children of BRAMBLIE ROGERS and JOHN BOOTH are:

- i. FRANCIS M.⁴ BOOTH, b. November 27, 1846¹⁰¹; d. September 01, 1902.
- ii. NOAH BOOTH, b. 1848¹⁰²; d. Abt. 1855.
- iii. SARAH VIRGINIA BOOTH, b. November 04, 1849¹⁰³; d. May 31, 1927.
- iv. NANCY ELLEN BOOTH, b. August 17, 1850.
- v. P. JOSEPHENE BOOTH, b. 1853.
- vi. WALTER S. BOOTH, b. 1855.
- vii. JOSEPHUS BOOTH, b. 1857.
- viii. JOHN BOOTH, b. 1859.
- ix. WILLIAM YANCY BOOTH, b. October 22, 1861.
- x. MARY ELIZABETH BOOTH, b. March 03, 1866.

16. TREACY³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 26, 1831 in Autauga Co., AL^{104,105,106}, and died May 23, 1910 in Columbia Co.. She married CHARLIE DAWSON BOOTH December 17, 1847 in Autauga Co., Alabama¹⁰⁷, son of WILLIAM BOOTH and MISSOURI BULLARD.

Notes for TREACY ROGERS:

Old Salem cemetery is about 5 miles south of Stephens Ark. Columbia County . It Is Small and very secluded with very few stones. The most prominent stone is for T. J. Booth b. Sept. 15, 1836. Two recent stones were added by family members noting the burial there of Treasie, Brambley, and Alpha Rogers

dated 1972. It acknowledges that Treasie left Alabama in 1852.

More About TREACY ROGERS:

Fact 1: Treasie or Treasy

Fact 2: Buried Old Salem cemetery, no stone, new marker

Fact 3: See "Ebenezer: The Song Is Sung" on Booths, Rogers, Wilsons. Col. Co.

Notes for CHARLIE DAWSON BOOTH:

!PENSIONS: Arkansas Confederate Veterans and Widows Pension Applications by Frances T. Ingmire R929.3767 I52A, J. Erik Jonsson Central Library, Dallas, Texas. Widow #ss3753 - Treacy Booth, Veteran Name - C. D. Booth: date 61-62, widow app. 08/09/07, Columbia County, Veteran Deceased 05/18/99.

!CENSUS: 1870 Columbia County, Arkansas, Boone Township, 42/42 Charles and

Treasey are listed with 7 children. He is a farmer.

!NOTE: Lost arm in Civil War.

!CEMETERY: Old Salem Cemetery, Columbia County, Arkansas.

More About CHARLIE DAWSON BOOTH:

Fact 2: or Charles R. Booth ?

Children of TREACY ROGERS and CHARLIE BOOTH are:

- i. SARAH M.⁴ BOOTH, b. January 11, 1849.

- ii. WILLIAM HILLHOUSE BOOTH, b. June 29, 1852.

- iii. JAMES MONROE BOOTH AKA "ROWE", b. September 15, 1854.

- iv. JOSEPH R. BOOTH AKA "RUSH", b. August 21, 1856; d. 1941.

- v. CHARLIE C. BOOTH, b. June 22, 1858.

- vi. MARY ELLEN BOOTH, b. November 04, 1860.

- vii. MARTHA EDNA BOOTH, b. July 30, 1862.

- viii. FRANCES A. BOOTH, b. October 15, 1864.

- ix. BEN FRANKLIN BOOTH, b. July 21, 1866.

- x. ALICE M. BOOTH, b. November 16, 1870.

- xi. ESSIE RIVERS BOOTH, b. June 22, 1875.

17. JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born March 01, 1833 in Autauga Co., AL.^{108,109,110,111}, and died September 24, 1903 in Speigner, Elmore Co., AL. He married MARY HOGAN February 14, 1856 in Autauga Co., Alabama, daughter of DANIEL HOGAN and SARA MOTLEY.

More About JONATHAN ROUNDTREE ROGERS:

Fact 1: ALABAMA TREE COPIED FROM LAURA ROGERS JOLLY'S WORK OF 1979

Fact 2: Joined Cox's Battalion of Sharpshooter's

Fact 3: served in Co. K of the 58th Alabama Regt.

Fact 4: had eight children

- Fact 5: Distinguished himself, cited for bravery
- Fact 6: Taken prisoner, Gettesburg, Missionary Ridge
- Fact 7: 1979 account says his house stills stands at Speigner, Al.
- Fact 8: member of Baptist Church at Mt. Hebron
- Fact 9: High degree of culture in home-
- Fact 10: Med. ht. brn. hair, blueeyes, stern nature

Notes for MARY HOGAN:

Mary Hagan's parents gave Jonathan permission to marry their daughter if he would remain in Alabama. Therefore he is the only son of the fourteen children who lived to carry on the Rogers' legacy in Alabama.

Children of JONATHAN ROGERS and MARY HOGAN are:

- 31. i. JONATHAN⁴ ROGERS, b. November 22, 1856, Autauga, Co., AL.; d. November 30, 1917, Ensley, Alabama.
- 32. ii. JAMES THOMAS ROGERS, b. October 19, 1858; d. April 23, 1927.
- iii. WILLIAM LITTLE ROGERS, b. September 17, 1860, Autauga, Co., AL.; d. December 02, 1904.

More About WILLIAM LITTLE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Supr. Tn. Coal and Iron--Supr. of Coal Mines

Fact 2: State Supr. of Mines

Fact 3: Died cancer of stomach

Fact 4: Credited with the naming of Speigner, Al. after the name Rogersville was used

- iv. WARREN CATER ROGERS, b. December 19, 1862, Autauga, Co., AL.; d. February 12, 1884, Died Pneumonia age 22.

More About WARREN CATER ROGERS:

Fact 1: Buried Mt. Hebron Cemetery, Elmore, AL.

- 33. v. EDWARD DANIEL ROGERS, b. September 08, 1866, Elmore County., AL.; d. November 01, 1897, Speigner, Elmore Co., AL..
- 34. vi. SARAH CATHERINE ROGERS, b. July 07, 1868, Speigner, Elmore Co., AL.; d. April 19, 1950, Wetumpka, Al..
- 35. vii. CYNTHIA VESTA ROGERS, b. July 03, 1870, Elmore County., AL.; d. April 01, 1954.
- 36. viii. MINNIE DEE ROGERS, b. April 19, 1873, Elmore County., AL.; d. May 04, 1948, Montgomery AL..
- 37. ix. ALPHA CLAYTON ROGERS, b. June 03, 1875, Elmore County., AL.; d. September 15, 1941, Montgomery, Al..

18. MARTHA M.³ ROGERS (*JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born August 24, 1837 in Autauga Co., AL^{112,113,114,115}, and died July 20, 1907 in Ouachita Co., AR. She married (1) JAMES THREADGILL October 22, 1857 in Camden, AR. She married (2) WILLIAM LUMPKIN VENABLE¹¹⁶ October 31, 1869 in Camden, AR, son of ABRAHAM VENABLE and MARTHA LUMPKIN.

More About MARTHA M. ROGERS:

Fact 1: 1860 Jonathan and Sallie live with Martha

Notes for WILLIAM LUMPKIN VENABLE:

In 1856, William Lumpkin Venable, his wife Miriam DeLamar Venable and eight children along with his older brother Charles and his family, the John Carroll family, the Parker family and other families joined forces and started on their long trek accross country from Georgia to the land of Arkansas. With both oxen and mules pulling the wagons and driving their cattle before them they set out on thier long and dangerous journey. The exact route taken is not known nor how long it took but they eventually

completed their journey and settled in Columbia County, Arkansas. There they settled near what was later called "Snipe" which became a Post Office for many years until the coming of Rural Free Delivery upon which time it ceased to be a Post Office. S#1

Here there were four more children born to this union the last and youngest being John Henry Venable born in 1868.

While living at this location and around the age of 48 years old William L. Venable enlisted as a Private in Company D, 1st. Regiment (Crawfords) Arkansas Calvary CSA in September 26, 1863 at Camden, Arkansas. He was listed as "Present" on the Company muster roll for December 31, 1863 as well as the February 24, 1864 muster roll. The February muster roll was the last mention of his Confederate service on file at the Archives in Washington, D.C. [S#2] This CSA unit fought at the battles of Poison Springs in April 18, 1864 near Camden, AR, the battle of Marks' Mills, and was active in General Price's Expedition to Missouri. The unit was included in the surrender of the Trans-Mississippi Department. S#3

In 1868, a cyclone came through that county while John Henry was an infant and laid waste to many homes in the area including that of the Venable family. When the cyclone struck the Venable house, Miriam Venable remembered getting up with her baby in her arms and walking over and closing the front door just as the cyclone struck. The next thing she knew or remembered was being awoken and finding herself on her back with the baby still in her arms but with a huge floor beam just over her with one end on the ground and the other end just barely balanced on a stump. She was about 500 feet from the place where the house had been, nothing being left of the home. The cyclone had completely blown away the house and all the chickens and geese.

Near that time in about 1868 the family lost its beloved wife and mother of the family, Miriam DeLamar Venable. She was buried in the Churchyard at Old Eberneeser. "There was no Marker placed there but most of the Grandchildren have been there and shown just where it was and one of her daughters, Samantha, is buried there near her mother." S#6

Within a year or two of the death of his wife, William Venable moved the family to a farm located 5 miles south of Camden in Ouachita County, Arkansas. He lived here until his death in 1901.

After the death of his first wife, Miriam DeLamar, "William Lumpkin Venable married a second time to the widow Mrs. Martha Thredgill, rearing twelve children and three step children. William Venable removed to a farm near Camden, Arkansas, about 1869 where he spent the remainder fo his life." [S#4 citing #1 and #5] He was a big man standing 6 ft. 5 in. and wieghed 300 lbs. [S#6]

One family story tells of one of his neighbors burying his life savings in the Venable pasture using a large stump as a marker. One day, being too wet to plow, William L. Venable took his Negro workers and went into the pasture to dig stumps. Soon he found a pot of gold. He knew it must belong to one of his four neighbors but had a challenge as to finding which one it belonged to. Finally, he decided to go over to first one and then the other and mention in small talk that he was digging stumps in the pasture and see what reaction he would get. Two of the neighbors showed no undue excitement but the third, upon hearing that Venable was digging stumps became intensely excited and jumped up and started out for the pasture and went straight to the stump. It was his.

"At the advanced age of 86 years old he cared for his own needs and asked no one to wait on him. He arose from his large hickory chair one morning to go and get himself a drink, which he kept out on the porch in a large bucket, when his heart just quit on him and he fell in the doorway, striking his head on the door facing and was dead when the grandson got to his side. And so ended the life of a man who had done for others as he hoped to be done by." [S#7]

Sources:

#1 The Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy of First Families of America, Vol. II, p. 871

#2 Letter of Mar. 02, 1951 from Edward F. Witsell, Adjutant General of the Dept. of the Office of the Adjutant General in Washington, D.C. to Mr. O.T. Venable, RE: the CSA service record of William L. Venable

#3 Joseph H. Crute, Jr., Units of the Confederate States Army, c.1987, p.41

#4 History of Miss. College, McLemore, c 1979, p. 117, #5 citing> Foster, Mississippi Baptist Preachers, 689-92; ; See MS. on Venable in Mississippi Baptist Historical Commission files.

#6 Conv. w/ Jean Myatt dau. of Hazel Rogers Lovette, April 1997

#7 All copied from "Venables of Georgia, Arkansas and Texas" author unknown

check the book "History of Arkansas" to see if there is more info on this ancestor.

More About WILLIAM LUMPKIN VENABLE:

Fact 1: 1878 Tax Record shows 6 Parcels total 315 acres close to Bethesda

Fact 2: Record suggests land adjacent to Bethesda was old Threadgill property inherited

Fact 3: 1856, moved to Camden, Arkansas

Fact 4: married twice and reared twelve children and three step children

Fact 5: bur. Bethesda Cemetary, Bethesda Cumberland Church, Elliott, Ouachita Co., AR

Children of MARTHA ROGERS and JAMES THREADGILL are:

- i. ALICE⁴ THREADGILL, b. 1858; d. Unknown; m. ROSSER VENABLE.

More About ALICE THREADGILL:

Fact 1: Remarried Mr. Allen ??

More About ROSSER VENABLE:

Fact 1: bur. Bethesda Cemetary, Bethesda Cumberland Church, Elliott, Ouachita Co., AR

Fact 2: Solder and Politician

Fact 3: Married his step sister

38. ii. BEN S. THREADGILL, b. 1860; d. Unknown.
- iii. PENNIE THREADGILL, b. 1863; d. Unknown; m. JACK SIMMS.

Child of MARTHA ROGERS and WILLIAM VENABLE is:

- iv. IDA⁴ VENABLE, b. Bef. 1880; d. Unknown.

Notes for IDA VENABLE:

Died in her teens, came home from school at 10:00 A.M. ill and was dead by 10:00 P.M. (according to notes from Hazel Rogers Lovett)

19. GEORGE OWEN ROGERS³ (ADOPTED) (*JONATHAN² ROGERS II, JONATHAN¹*) was born September 1834 in North Carolina. He married JULIA ANN KING October 27, 1857 in Ouachita Co., Ark..

Notes for GEORGE OWEN ROGERS (ADOPTED):

The 1850 Census shows George a part of the Jonathan Rogers household. Family history past down and confirmed by dialogue in 1998 indicates that George was an orphan. We do not know his knows his parentage. Indications are that he came to Ouachita county with Jonathan and Sallie and met and married Julia Ann King there. He then moved to Northeast Louisiana. The 1880 census of Lincoln Parish LA. lists his household there near Lillie, LA. His ancestry might shed incite to the forefathers of Jonathan(I). Family story from Andrew Cottle Newark, Del, Linda Lyle Carver, Ft. Lauderdale, Fl., who are related to George's daughter Nanie.

More About GEORGE OWEN ROGERS (ADOPTED):

Fact 1: Possible birth 1837, 1850 census shows George O. 13 years old

Notes for JULIA ANN KING:

Legal notice Parish of Union La shows Julia Ann Rogers 72 as of March 19, 1910, widow of George Owen Rogers appeared in court. Resident of Lillie, Union Parish, LA. George Owen Rogers Sworn in March 30, 1860 Co. A 9th La Reg. served til April 9, 1865 married 27 oct 1857 3 miles south of Camden Ark. Husband died July 17, 1906 Camanche Oklahoma. Notice claims poverly , living with A.J. Doster Lillie, LA.

Children of GEORGE (ADOPTED) and JULIA KING are:

- i. NANNIE CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS, b. 1865.
- ii. ROBERT ROGERS.
- iii. LELA ROGERS.
- iv. JOHN ROGERS.
- v. LIZZA ROGERS.
- vi. ANDY ROGERS.
- vii. GEORGE ROGERS.

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20. CLIFFORD⁴ HALL (*MARTHA ANN³ DICKINSON, MARTHA² ROGERS, JONATHAN¹*). She married RALIEGH BRAMLETT.

Child of CLIFFORD HALL and RALIEGH BRAMLETT is:

39. i. DEANIE⁵ BRAMLETT.

21. MARTHA ANN⁴ ROGERS (*EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born 1845 in Autauga Co., AL^{117,118}, and died Unknown. She married KIRK McDONALD Abt. 1868 in Ouachita County, AR..

More About KIRK MCDONALD:

Fact 1: Possible initials ;V.G.; G.W.;H.;Map Oua Co. 1865

Fact 2: 1890 Census Lafayette Twsp Oua. Co. Cirk probably Kirk

Children of MARTHA ROGERS and KIRK MCDONALD are:

- i. WILLIAM⁵ MCDONALD, b. 1869.

- ii. JOHNNIE MCDONALD, b. 1871.

- iii. ELINORA MCDONALD, b. 1874.

22. JONATHAN R.⁴ ROGERS (*EPHRIAM DANIEL*³, *JONATHAN*², *JONATHAN*¹) was born September 29, 1848 in Autauga Co., AL^{119,120}, and died July 30, 1924 in Camden, Ark.. He married MARTHA C. HOLCOMB December 24, 1868 in Arkansas.

Notes for JONATHAN R. ROGERS:

Listed in biography in Goodspeed's History of Arkansas page 691 (1890) "Came to this county with parents when he was eight years of age, and recieved a good education in the common schools of the county. ----- The subject of this sketch commenced farming for himself immediately after his marriage, renting for the first year and afterward buying a farm of 260 acres, on which he lived until 1888, when he sold that place and purchaced the old homstead, on which he now lives, his mother and father residing with him. Mr. Rogers now owns 440 acres of land, with about 150 acres under cultivation. In the past he has devoted comnsiderable time and attention to raising cotton, but is now working into stock, raising pure bred Jersey Red hogs, mules, and also grade Jersey cattle.----- He is one of the leading men of this township." see book for complete text.

More About JONATHAN R. ROGERS:

Fact 1: Present at Elliott Baptist August 31, 1890

Fact 2: Bought 288 acre farm, lived there until 1888

Fact 3: then bought old homestead farm, 410 acres

Fact 4: Ephriam and Martha lived with him in 1888

Fact 5: A Leading man of Lafayette Township, farmer and Deacon ist Baptist Ch. of Camden

Fact 6: Biography in Goodspeed's History 1898

Fact 7: Full head of white curly hair

Fact 8: interview with granddaughter, Mildred Rogers Mar. 1998

Fact 9: Liberty Baptist Asso. shows long time delagate from 1st Baptist Camden

Fact 10: 1881 Delagate with brother-in-law J.B. Allen

More About MARTHA C. HOLCOMB:

Fact 1: 1890 Census- "Kate"; E.D. Rogers living there

Children of JONATHAN ROGERS and MARTHA HOLCOMB are:

- i. GEORGE W.⁵ ROGERS, b. October 17, 1871, Ouachita Co. Ark.; d. November 27, 1898, Ouachita, Co. Ark.

More About GEORGE W. ROGERS:

Fact 1: Killed in train accident in Dennison Tx. about 27 yrs old

40. ii. ELIZABETH ROGERS, b. April 03, 1875, Camden Ark.; d. March 21, 1934.

41. iii. WILLIAM JAMES ROGERS, b. September 28, 1888; d. October 10, 1959.
 iv. INFANT ROGERS.

23. WILLIAM J.⁴ ROGERS (*EPHRAIM DANIEL*³, *JONATHAN*², *JONATHAN*¹) was born November 13, 1849, and died October 22, 1921. He married SARAH A. ROGERS.

More About WILLIAM J. ROGERS:

Fact 1: 1890 Tax record shows 153 acres near Union Church Lafayette Twnbsp

More About SARAH A. ROGERS:

Fact 1: Maiden name Ross

Children of WILLIAM ROGERS and SARAH ROGERS are:

i. LUCILLE??⁵ ROGERS, b. 1878.

ii. FOWLER ROGERS, b. 1880.

24. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴ ROGERS (*EPHRAIM DANIEL*³, *JONATHAN*², *JONATHAN*¹)¹²¹ was born October 13, 1852 in Autauga Co., AL^{122,123,124}, and died April 21, 1933 in Elliott, AR^{125,126,127}. He married MARTHA JOANNA VENABLE¹²⁸ November 02, 1873 in Seven (7) miles south of Camden, AR, daughter of WILLIAM VENABLE and MIRIAM DELAMAR.

Notes for BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ROGERS:

The following was copied from "Centennial History of Arkansas" Vol. 3 pp 1110-1111 auth. Dallas T. Herndon. 1922

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ROGERS

Benjamin Franklin Rogers is now living retired at Camden but for an extended period was connected with mercantile interests and lived a life of intense and intelligently directed business activity[in Smackover, AR] S#1, thus gaining the measure of success that now enables him to rest from further labor save for the supervision of his invested intersts. Mr. Rogers is a native of Alabama, his birth having occured in Autauga county, October 13, 1852. His father, Ephraim Daniel Rogers, was born in Georgia, November 4, 1817, and his life record covers the intervening period of eighty-four years to 1901. He was a farmer and participated in the Civil War during the latter part of the struggle, serving in the Confederate army. The family comes of Scotch-Irish ancestry. His wife, who bore the maiden name of Martha Booth, was born in Alabama and died in 1890 at the age of sixty-eight years. The family removed from Alabama to Ouachita county, Arkansas, settling near Camden in December, 1856. They were among the pioneer residents of that section and contributed to the early development and progress of the district in which they located. The marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Daniel Rogers was celabrated in Prattville, Alabama, in 1838, and they became the parents of eleven children, five of whom are living.

B.F. Rogers, who was the eighth in order of birth, acquired a common school education in Ouachita county and added largely to his knowledge by lessons learned in the school of experience. Through his active career he has followed farming, merchandising and the manufacture of lumber. At different periods he has devoted his attention to the task of tilling the soil and producing crops, at other times has owned and conducted a store, success attending his well directed efforts, and at still other times he has succesfully operated a sawmill. At present he is living retired from business and his rest is well earned.

He was proprietor of a general store at Elliott (near Smackover) from 1904 until 1913 and built up a large and satisfactory trade. He also served on the state farm in the capacity of grading, shipping and weighing cotton seed and while engaged there during 1916 and 1917 he made quite a record in having his weights checked up to within a very small margin of his original estimates. Mr. Rogers now owns oil interests in the El Dorado oil field.

On the 2d of November, 1873, about seven miles south of Camden, Mr. Rogers was united in marriage to Miss Martha J. Venable, who was born in Georgia, March 3, 1856. They became the parents of seven children, three sons and four daughters, and of this number five are living: William Robert, who is engaged in the sawmill business at Morton Mississippi; Mattie Venable, who resides in Camden; Anna May, who is the wife of John T. Arnold and resides in Camden; Clara Belle, at home; Ida Vesta, the wife of W. A. Horne, a resident of Monroe, Louisiana; and William A. One died in infancy, and Mary Beulah, the oldest child, was born in 1874 and died in 1895. Mr. Rogers belongs to the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and his religious faith is that of the Missionary Baptist church, in which he was ordained a deacon thirty-four years ago. His life has been guided by his teachings and in every relation his integrity and honor have measured up to the highest standards, winning for him the highest respect and confidence of all with whom he has been brought into contact."

"He was a small framed Irish looking man with the bluest of eyes." S#3

S#1 Conv. w/ Jean Myatt BFR lived in Smackover AR and had a store and land and after he sold ot they stuck oil on it. Sources:

S#2 1880 CENSUS Ouachita Co., AR Vol. 10, sheet 8, line 19 Bridge Creek Twp.

S#3 Conv. w/ Jean Lovett Myatt dau. of Hazel Rogers Lovett, April 25, 1997

NOTE: Need to see the 1890 CENSUS of Ouachita Co., for B. F. Rogers to see ages of kids and etc.

More About BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ROGERS:

Fact 1: In timber business at Buena Vista, Ar. with brother

Fact 2: Ordained deacon in the Buena Vista Baptist Church 1880's

Fact 3: Built Sawmill in Elliot with John Rountree and others in late 1800's

Fact 4: August 11, 1890, met w/ 9 others to organize Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, AR

Fact 5: donated the lumber to build the church and land to build it on

Fact 6: elected the first Clerk of Elliott Baptist Church

Fact 7: 1890-1930, Leader in the Liberty Baptist Association

Fact 8: April 22, 1933, Buried in Arnold Plot- Greenwood Cemetary Camden, AR

Notes for MARTHA JOANNA VENABLE:

Dark eyes and jet black hair and high cheek bones presumably from Indian blood that goes back to time of Pocahontas.

More About MARTHA JOANNA VENABLE:

Fact 1: Lovingly called JoHanna, stone and death cert. state Joanna

Fact 2: Married in her father's home (WL Venable)

Fact 4: August 11, 1936, bur. Greenwood Cemetery, Camden, AR

Children of BENJAMIN ROGERS and MARTHA VENABLE are:

- i. MARY BEULAH^s ROGERS, b. 1874; d. 1895.

More About MARY BEULAH ROGERS:

Fact 1: 1895, died of a plague

Fact 2: no children

Fact 3: Referred to as daughter "Marion" at the origanization of Elliott Baptist Ch.

Fact 4: Called Aunt Buelah by nieces years after her death

- 42. ii. WILLIAM ROBERT ROGERS, b. July 16, 1875, Elliott, AR; d. April 01, 1950, Morton, Scott County, MS.
- 43. iii. MATTIE VENABLE ROGERS, b. July 06, 1882; d. April 30, 1941.
- 44. iv. ANNIE MAE ROGERS, b. May 18, 1885; d. October 08, 1922.
- v. CLARA BELLE ROGERS, b. March 25, 1889^{129,130}; d. September 14, 1977, Camden, AR^{131,132}; m. JOHN TYLER ARNOLD I, Aft. October 1922.

More About CLARA BELLE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Rebuilt Elliott Baptist after fire

Fact 2: raised the children of her sister and her husband as if they were her own

Fact 3: September 16, 1977, bur. Greenwood Cemetery, Camden, AR

Fact 4: known as an astute business women in family business

Fact 5: Rebuilt the old Arnold home that had burned on W. Washington St.

Fact 6: Helped college educate nieces at Ouchita Baptist College

Cause of Death: Cardiopulmonary Arrest as a consequence of Acute Monocytic Leukemia

More About JOHN TYLER ARNOLD I:

Fact 1: AKA Pete

Fact 2: Construction business

Fact 3: very handsome, white hair, one leg

Fact 4: Marriana, Ark.

Fact 5: Clara and Sarah by first Wife, John Tyler and Pam by second

- 45. vi. IDA VESTA ROGERS, b. December 05, 1891, Elliott, AR; d. March 20, 1976, Camden, AR.
- vii. INFANT DIED.

25. ELIZABETH W.⁴ ROGERS (*EPHRIAM DANIEL*³, *JONATHAN*², *JONATHAN*¹) was born October 10, 1855 in Autauga, Co., AL.¹³³, and died August 14, 1920 in Ouachita Co. Ark.. She married GEORGE W. FORBES Abt. 1877.

More About ELIZABETH W. ROGERS:

Fact 1: Present at Elliott Baptist August 31, 1890

Fact 2: Buried in Forbes (Union)Cemetery below Frenchport Ar.

Fact 3: Transcribed Cemetery record shows" Bettie Rogers Forbes"

More About GEORGE W. FORBES:

Fact 1: Buried Forbes(Union)Cemetery Oua.Co. near Frenchport, AR.

Fact 2: Transcribed Cemetery record lists him as C.W. Forbes

Fact 3: Possible Forbes relative- W.A. Forbes- Lay preacher 1888

Children of ELIZABETH ROGERS and GEORGE FORBES are:

- i. WILLIAM⁵ FORBES, b. 1878.

- ii. SONORA "NORA" FORBES, b. 1879.

26. EMILY J.⁴ ROGERS (*EPHRIAM DANIEL*³, *JONATHAN*², *JONATHAN*¹) was born September 11, 1857^{134,135}, and died 1880 in Ouachita Co., AR. She married JOHN B. ALLEN.

More About EMILY J. ROGERS:

Fact 1: Stone in Bethesda badly worn,dates hard to read

More About JOHN B. ALLEN:

Fact 1: no stone at Bethesda cemetery at wife's stone site

Fact 2: Census 1880 : John 32, child Alice 2,

Fact 3: delagate Liberty Baptist Assn. 1881 1st Bap. Church, Camden with John R. Rogers

Child of EMILY ROGERS and JOHN ALLEN is:

- i. ALICE⁵ ALLEN, b. 1878.

27. ELLEN FRANCIS⁴ ROGERS (*EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born May 02, 1860 in Camden, Ouachita Co., AR^{136,137}, and died January 22, 1927 in Camden, Ouachita Co., AR^{138,139}. She married JOHN GREEN JEFFUS December 12, 1878 in Camden, Ouachita Co., AR¹⁴⁰.

Children of ELLEN ROGERS and JOHN JEFFUS are:

- i. JESSE⁵ JEFFUS, b. 1880.

- ii. ELROY JEFFUS, b. June 1881.

- iii. CARRIE JEFFUS, b. November 1882.

- iv. NANCY ELIZABETH JEFFUS, b. June 11, 1886; d. June 12, 1931.

- v. C. JUDSON JEFFUS, b. August 1891; d. 1949.

- vi. GEORGE JEFFUS, b. March 1899.

28. SARAH JANE⁴ ROGERS (*WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born February 22, 1847 in AL^{141,142}, and died May 07, 1925 in Ouachita Co., Ark.¹⁴³. She married EDWARD TUCKER DANIEL WFT Est. 1875-1908.

More About EDWARD TUCKER DANIEL:

Fact 1: Buried Bethesda Cem with stone

Children of SARAH ROGERS and EDWARD DANIEL are:

- i. MARY JANE⁵ DANIEL, b. Abt. 1866.

- ii. JOHN DANIEL, b. Abt. 1878.

- iii. JASON DANIEL, b. Abt. 1879.

- iv. Z. DANIEL, b. Abt. 1882.

- v. B. DANIEL, b. Abt. 1885.
- vi. AUTRIE DANIEL, b. Abt. 1889.
- vii. BABY DANIEL, b. Abt. 1899.

29. JONATHAN WILEY⁴ ROGERS (*WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born November 27, 1848 in Wetumpka, Autauga Co., AL.¹⁴⁴, and died May 07, 1931 in Ouachita Co., AR. He married ELIZA ELIZABETH MITCHELL November 19, 1868.

More About JONATHAN WILEY ROGERS:

Fact 1: The American Bible Society 1870-J. and E. Rogers Bible

Children of JONATHAN ROGERS and ELIZA MITCHELL are:

- 46.
 - i. ANDREW MATHIS⁵ ROGERS, b. February 06, 1871; d. February 08, 1952.
 - ii. FRANCES ELIZABETH ROGERS, b. December 21, 1872; d. February 21, 1889.
 - iii. WILLIAM LOUIS ROGERS, b. April 06, 1865.
 - iv. NETTIE ROGERS, b. January 25, 1898.
 - v. JASPER MONROE ROGERS, b. August 29, 1876; d. January 19, 1883.
 - vi. HENRY CHESLEY ROGERS, b. March 02, 1879; m. ETTA PEDRON, December 28, 1902.
 - vii. ANNIE MASURA ROGERS, b. April 20, 1882; d. July 26, 1882.
 - viii. MATHEY MAY ROGERS, b. June 22, 1883; d. October 12, 1883.
- 47.
 - ix. WALTER HARVEY ROGERS, b. November 29, 1886.
 - x. MARY LIDDY ROGERS, b. December 01, 1887; d. July 04, 1888.

30. ALONZA DANIEL⁴ ROGERS (*WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born October 26, 1857 in Ouachita Co., AR¹⁴⁵, and died June 06, 1921 in Montgomery AL.. He married EMMA E. MOODY December 19, 1881 in AR.

More About ALONZA DANIEL ROGERS:

Fact 1: had 13 children

Fact 2: all children went to one room school to 8th grade

Fact 3: 1890 tax record shows 156 scres Lafayette Twnsp

Children of ALONZA ROGERS and EMMA MOODY are:

- i. MARTHA VIOLA⁵ ROGERS, b. July 05, 1883; d. August 14, 1939; m. MILAS VAXTER SMITH.

More About MARTHA VIOLA ROGERS:

Fact 1: At least two children - sons

48. ii. LESLIE MATTHEW ROGERS, b. January 19, 1885, Ouachita Co., AR; d. January 21, 1947, Ouachita Co., AR.
49. iii. EVA ESTELLE ROGERS, b. April 1887.
50. iv. AYLMEER HARRIS ROGERS, b. June 30, 1887; d. November 12, 1935.
51. v. ALONZO CLYDE ROGERS, b. September 1888; d. 1947.
52. vi. WILEY MORTON ROGERS, b. March 08, 1889; d. September 21, 1963.
53. vii. ANCEL VICTOR ROGERS, b. 1891.
viii. MATTIE ROSS ROGERS, b. March 1892.

More About MATTIE ROSS ROGERS:

Fact 1: aka Ginger unmarried

Fact 2: Seamstress-- homestead painting

Fact 3: lived in Hot Springs- had beau

- ix. GRACE L. ROGERS, b. 1893; m. FRANK BIGGERS.

More About GRACE L. ROGERS:

Fact 1: no children

- x. MYRTLE MYRA ROGERS, b. 1893; m. JOHN CHESTER SIMMS.
54. xi. LORA BELLE ROGERS, b. November 30, 1893; d. January 14, 1962.
xii. CECIL VERLA ROGERS, b. October 14, 1895; d. June 16, 1898.
xiii. GERTRUDE ROGERS, b. 1898; m. CHARLIE LITTLE.

31. JONATHAN⁴ ROGERS (*JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born November 22, 1856 in Autauga, Co., AL., and died November 30, 1917 in Ensley, Alabama. He married MARY GOREE 1881.

More About JONATHAN ROGERS:

Fact 1: Superintendent of Mines for the Tn. Coal, Iron and Railroad Co.

Fact 2: known as leader

Children of JONATHAN ROGERS and MARY GOREE are:

55. i. JEROME M.⁵ ROGERS., d. Gadsden, Al.
56. ii. CLAUD JONATHAN ROGERS., b. Birmingham, Al.
57. iii. ZAIDEE ROGERS..
iv. MARY ROGERS., m. HAROLD HAY.

32. JAMES THOMAS⁴ ROGERS (*JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born October 19, 1858, and died April 23, 1927. He married EMMA D. MASSENGALE March 19, 1888 in Coosa Co..

More About JAMES THOMAS ROGERS:

Fact 1: Superintendant of Mines, Prattville

Fact 2: Known as Mining Expert
Fact 3: active social and civic life

Children of JAMES ROGERS and EMMA MASSENGALE are:

- 58. i. BRIGGS MASSENGILL⁵ ROGERS, b. October 07, 1889; d. February 1962, Birmingham, Al..
 - 59. ii. OLIVER HOGAN ROGERS, b. October 02, 1891; d. Birmingham, Al..
 - 60. iii. ANNIE DEE ROGERS, b. May 21, 1895; d. North Carolina.
 - iv. JAMES THOMAS ROGERS, b. August 21, 1897, Pratt City, Al.; d. Oklahoma.
61. v. WILLIAM ROUNDTREE ROGERS, b. June 29, 1901, Pratt City, Al..

33. EDWARD DANIEL⁴ ROGERS (*JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born September 08, 1866 in Elmore County., AL., and died November 01, 1897 in Speigner, Elmore Co., AL.. He married MAMIE RUCKER September 24, 1890.

Children of EDWARD ROGERS and MAMIE RUCKER are:

- 62. i. RUBY⁵ ROGERS, b. June 04, 1893.
- ii. ANSLEY ROGERS, b. October 1894; d. Speigner, Al.; m. ANN, Nashville, Tn..

34. SARAH CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS (*JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born July 07, 1868 in Speigner, Elmore Co., AL., and died April 19, 1950 in Wetumpka, Al.. She married WILLIAM EASON SMITH.

More About SARAH CATHERINE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Sweet and Gentle, Married childhood Sweetheart

More About WILLIAM EASON SMITH:

Fact 1: V.P., Gen. Mgr. L&N Railroad Louisville, Ky

Children of SARAH ROGERS and WILLIAM SMITH are:

- 63. i. ROGER DOWNS⁵ SMITH, b. June 19, 1890; d. August 18, 1938.
 - 64. ii. HARRELL WALTON SMITH, b. December 06, 1891, Lebenon, Ky.; d. October 12, 1963.
 - 65. iii. CECIL HOWARD SMITH, b. January 24, 1893, Lebenon, Ky.; d. October 30, 1957, Wetumpka, Al..
 - iv. WARREN CATER SMITH, b. June 25, 1894; d. February 22, 1900, Lebenon, Ky..
66. v. MARY ELIZABETH SMITH, b. July 07, 1896; d. October 13, 1973.
67. vi. GRACE SMITH, b. August 16, 1900.

35. CYNTHIA VESTA⁴ ROGERS (*JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born July 03, 1870 in Elmore County., AL., and died April 01, 1954. She married REV. JESSE PIERPONT MORGAN May 26, 1909.

More About REV. JESSE PIERPONT MORGAN:

Fact 1: Children by previous marriage

Children of CYNTHIA ROGERS and REV. MORGAN are:

- i. DRUMMOND⁵ MORGAN.

ii. LOIS MORGAN.

36. MINNIE DEE⁴ ROGERS (*JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 19, 1873 in Elmore County., AL., and died May 04, 1948 in Montgomery AL.. She married WAYNE K. ATKINSON.

More About WAYNE K. ATKINSON:

Fact 1: one sone by previous marriage

Child of MINNIE ROGERS and WAYNE ATKINSON is:

i. WAYNE ATKINSON⁵ JR..

37. ALPHA CLAYTON⁴ ROGERS (*JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 03, 1875 in Elmore County., AL., and died September 15, 1941 in Montgomery, Al.. He married LAURA ZIMMERSON PEARSON May 26, 1909.

More About ALPHA CLAYTON ROGERS:

Fact 1: Grad Massey Business College

Fact 2: Remained in Speigner throughout his life

Fact 3: Merc. business, Farming, and railroad agency

Fact 4: Director of 1st Nat. Bk. of Wetumpka

Fact 5: State Legislator

Fact 6: Featured: Directory of Alabama Biographies

Fact 7: Family visited by B.C.Rogers, Ben Franklin Rogers, Mattie Rogers, and Robert

Fact 8: Visited in early 1900's

Fact 9: Outstanding layman in Methodist/Episcopal Church Local and Regional

More About LAURA ZIMMERSON PEARSON:

Fact 1: Grad Florence State Normal

Fact 2: School teacher

Children of ALPHA ROGERS and LAURA PEARSON are:

i. LAURA GAYLE⁵ ROGERS, b. March 21, 1910; m. JOSEPH DEYERLE JOLLY, October 20, 1931.

More About LAURA GAYLE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Author of Family Tree "The Jonathan Rogers Family of Elmore Co. Al."

Fact 2: Grad. Martha Booth School in Montgomery

Fact 3: Women's College of Alabama

More About JOSEPH DEYERLE JOLLY:

Fact 1: Senior V.P. First Alabama Bank

ii. SARA CLAIRE ROGERS, b. October 02, 1913; m. JAMES LOWE PEACOCK JR..

More About JAMES LOWE PEACOCK JR.:

Fact 1: Columbus then Tifton Ga.

iii. MARTHA LOUISE ROGERS, b. January 03, 1915; d. October 28, 1973; m. JAMES ROY MCALLISTER, June 30, 1942.

More About MARTHA LOUISE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Women's College- Univ. of Alabama Chi Omega

Fact 2: First Master's of Music Graduate of U. of Al.

Fact 3: Taught at Conservatory of Music- Birm. Al.

Fact 4: She and husband played piano duet concerts

More About JAMES ROY McALLISTER:

Fact 1: Head of Piano Dept. University of Alabama

68. iv. ALPHA CLAYTON ROGERS JR., b. July 25, 1918, Montgomery, AL.; d. June 24, 1988, Birmingham, AL..

38. BEN S.⁴ THREADGILL (*MARTHA M.³ ROGERS, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born 1860, and died Unknown. He married LAURA REYNOLDS.

Children of BEN THREADGILL and LAURA REYNOLDS are:

- i. MARTHA⁵ THREADGILL, b. September 1887.
- ii. MARY THREADGILL, b. December 1888.
- iii. EDGAR THREADGILL, b. January 1893.
- iv. COLIN THREADGILL, b. February 1897.

Generation No. 5

39. DEANIE⁵ BRAMLETT (*CLIFFORD⁴ HALL, MARTHA ANN³ DICKINSON, MARTHA² ROGERS, JONATHAN¹*). She married BEAZLEY.

Child of DEANIE BRAMLETT and BEAZLEY is:

- i. JEAN⁶ BEAZLEY, b. 1945; m. GUICE.

More About JEAN BEAZLEY:

Fact 1: Lives Denham Springs, LA.;grew up in Eldorado, AR.

40. ELIZABETH⁵ ROGERS (*JONATHAN R.⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 03, 1875 in Camden Ark., and died March 21, 1934. She married WILEY B. YARBOROUGH.

More About WILEY B. YARBOROUGH:

Fact 1: auburn hair, picture in Ouachita Co. Historical Soc. Book

Fact 2: Deacon, 1st Baptist Ch. Camden; Delagate- Liberty Baptist Assn.1901

Fact 3: Dairy farmer near Bethesda-Lafayette Township

Fact 4: Second Clerk of Elliot Baptist Church 1918-1921

Children of ELIZABETH ROGERS and WILEY YARBOROUGH are:

69. i. MILDRED ROGERS⁶ YARBOROUGH, b. June 23, 1915, Camden, Ark..
- ii. MAUDE YARBOROUGH.

- iii. J. BYRON YARBOROUGH.
- iv. VELMA KATHRYN YARBOROUGH.
- v. FREIDA ELIZABETH YARBOROUGH.
- vi. WINNIFRED YARBOROUGH.

41. WILLIAM JAMES⁵ ROGERS (*JONATHAN R.⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born September 28, 1888, and died October 10, 1959. He married LOU ORA ANDERS.

More About WILLIAM JAMES ROGERS:

Fact 1: Buried Bethesda Cem.

Fact 2: Represented Indian Rights in Okla.

Children of WILLIAM ROGERS and LOU ANDERS are:

- i. JAMES G.⁶ ROGERS, b. 1908.
- ii. MARGARITE ROGERS.
- iii. MABLE ROGERS.
- iv. BILL ROGERS.

42. WILLIAM ROBERT⁵ ROGERS (*BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*)¹⁴⁶ was born July 16, 1875 in Elliott, AR, and died April 01, 1950 in Morton, Scott County, MS. He married LUEVENIE PAULINE LANE¹⁴⁷ 1894 in Arkansas, daughter of FRANCES LANE and MARY CARTER.

More About WILLIAM ROBERT ROGERS:

Fact 1: Worked insawmill owned by wealthy Dinkman family in Jonesboro, La

Fact 2: Managed Dinkman Mill in Morton before becoming independant

Fact 3: Sunday School Sup't. Elliot Baptist 1913 per Liberty Baptist Assn minutes

Fact 5: Family tree found in Lola Thornton's Bible

Fact 6: January 14, 1936, Sold 481.4 acres to St. of Miss. to create Roosevelt State Park in Morton, MS¹⁴⁸

Notes for LUEVENIE PAULINE LANE:

She was raised from the age of two by her uncle, William "Billy" Carter and his wife after her mother became mentally ill and was place in a mental hospital. Ludie Lane would often pray that she would not befall the same fate. She lived to be 92 years old and sound of mind. S#1

Sources

S#1 Conv. w/ Jean Lovett Myatt dau. of Hazel Rogers Lovett, April 25, 1997

More About LUEVENIE PAULINE LANE:

Fact 1: SS# 587-32-5351

Fact 2: Levenia

Children of WILLIAM ROGERS and LUEVENIE LANE are:

70. i. LOLA MAE⁶ ROGERS, b. April 12, 1898, Elliotte, AR; d. January 12, 1998, Morton, Ms..
71. ii. VICTOR CARTER ROGERS, SR., b. September 18, 1900; d. March 1963.
72. iii. HAZEL DELAMAR ROGERS, b. June 17, 1904, McMurry, AR; d. April 1976, Morton, Scott County, MS.
73. iv. BENNY CLYDE ROGERS, SR., b. July 10, 1906, Jonesboro, LA; d. February 26, 1972, Morton, Scott County, MS.
74. v. ROBERT DUVAL ROGERS, b. October 20, 1910, Elliotte, AR; d. Unknown.
75. vi. CYNTHIA AILENE ROGERS, b. March 16, 1913, Morton, Scott County, MS; d. Unknown.
- vii. FRANCIS MARION ROGERS, b. Stillborn; d. Stillborn.

43. MATTIE VENABLE⁵ ROGERS (*BENJAMIN FRANKLIN*⁴, *EPHRIAM DANIEL*³, *JONATHAN*², *JONATHAN*¹) was born July 06, 1882¹⁴⁹, and died April 30, 1941^{150,151}. He married EMMA STEPHENS, daughter of JAMES STEPHENS and NARCISSA CRAMER.

Notes for MATTIE VENABLE ROGERS:

See the Centennial History of Arkansas, 1922, Dallas Hearndon, Vol. 3, pg 1115, 1116

Excerpts: He is known throughout the state as a self-made man, and for many years he was prominently known as a lumberman of South Arkansas, but he is now giving his attention to his extensive oil holdings in the El Dorado district.

Arkansas is proud to number him among her native sons, for his birth occurred in Ouachita County, nine miles South of Camden, on the 6th of July, 1882. On March 3, 1896, then being but 14 years of age, he rode a freight train into Conroe, Texas and from that time on has made his own way in the world. He determined to learn the lumber trade, in which he saw a brilliant future, and for the following 12 years he worked in every department—in sawmills, planing mills, etc. In 1908 he engaged in business on his own account and built a mill five miles from Smackover, in Union County. In 1912, he removed the seat of his operations to El Dorado and in November, 1915, in company with Mr. George S. Miles he founded the Eldorado Sawmill Company of El Dorado, of which mill Mr. Rogers became active manager. He continued in that connection until the 1st of January 1921, when he disposed of his interests in the mill. In 1920 he acquired some oil leases in the El Dorado field and, after the oil discovery well came in on the 10th of January, 1921, he became one of the extensive operators in oil leases, through the sale of which he acquired a small fortune. He still owns 110 acres fee simple in the proven territory of the oil fields. On the 1st of March 1921 he bought two residences in Camden—one for himself and one for his parents. He still serves as a member of the El Dorado City Council.

More About MATTIE VENABLE ROGERS:

Fact 1: September 1908, had double wedding w/ sister Annie Mae at Elliott Baptist Church by candlelight

Fact 2: See Biography in Centennial History of Ark 1922 Dallas Hearndon

Fact 3: May 01, 1941, bur. Greenwood Cemetery, Camden, AR

More About EMMA STEPHENS:

Fact 1: attended Ouachita College

Fact 2: Taught School

Fact 3: played organ at Elliott Baptist

Fact 4: Had Brites disease as young adult

Fact 5: Worked as practical nurse at International Paper Bagpak facility in mid-life

Children of MATTIE ROGERS and EMMA STEPHENS are:

76. i. PAULINE VIRGINIA⁶ ROGERS, b. August 19, 1909, Elliott, AR; d. May 31, 1964, Pine Bluff (Jefferson Hospital) , Ark.
77. ii. CURTIS STEPHENS ROGERS (1), b. March 12, 1912, Smackover, Arkansas; d. March 03, 1967, Pine Bluff, Ark.
78. iii. MARY FRANCIS ROGERS, b. August 03, 1913, Smackover, AR..

44. ANNIE MAE⁵ ROGERS (*BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born May 18, 1885, and died October 08, 1922. She married JOHN TYLER ARNOLD I.

More About ANNIE MAE ROGERS:

Fact 1: September 1908, had double wedding w/ brother Mattie at Elliott Baptist Church by candlelight

Fact 2: living in Camden, Ark. in 1920's

Fact 3: Daughter Milrene has classic antique wedding dress

Fact 4: dress was duplicated for Emma Stephens her sister-in-law

Fact 5: wedding featured candles surrounding the small sanctuary

More About JOHN TYLER ARNOLD I:

Fact 1: AKA Pete

Fact 2: Construction business

Fact 3: very handsome, white hair, one leg

Fact 4: Marriana, Ark.

Fact 5: Clara and Sarah by first Wife, John Tyler and Pam by second

Children of ANNIE ROGERS and JOHN ARNOLD are:

- i. WILLIAM ERWIN "BILL"⁶ ARNOLD, b. July 16, 1909; d. March 23, 1929, Camden, Ark..

More About WILLIAM ERWIN "BILL" ARNOLD:

Fact 1: Washington and Lee University

Fact 2: Pauline Rogers personal friend

Fact 3: Died young

79. ii. EDWIN ROGERS ARNOLD, b. January 04, 1911; d. March 16, 1965, Camden , Ark.
- iii. RUPERT NANEY ARNOLD, b. June 05, 1915; d. August 04, 1943.

More About RUPERT NANEY ARNOLD:

Fact 1: died in pacific theatre WWII

80. iv. JOHN TYLER ARNOLD II, b. February 18, 1912, Ouachita County.
- v. BROUGHTON WORDE ARNOLD, b. August 23, 1919, Ouachita County; d. November 30, 1936, County.

81. vi. MILRENE FRANCES ARNOLD, b. July 18, 1918, Ouachita Co., Ark..

45. IDA VESTA⁵ ROGERS (*BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born December 05, 1891 in Elliott, AR^{152,153}, and died March 20, 1976 in Camden, AR^{154,155}. She married WALTER ABSALOM HORNE March 07, 1915.

More About IDA VESTA ROGERS:

Fact 1: Great Cook!

Fact 2: Ouachita College

Fact 3: Taught School

Children of IDA ROGERS and WALTER HORNE are:

82. i. WALTER ABSALOM⁶ HORNE, JR., b. March 05, 1917.
83. ii. MILDRED VESTA HORNE, b. March 18, 1918, Elliott, AR.
84. iii. MARY JOANNA HORNE, b. February 04, 1931, Camden, Ark.

46. ANDREW MATHIS⁵ ROGERS (*JONATHAN WILEY⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born February 06, 1871, and died February 08, 1952. He married EMMA H..

More About ANDREW MATHIS ROGERS:

Fact 1: October 22, 1946, Charter member and Elder Bethesda Cumberland Pres. Church

Children of ANDREW ROGERS and EMMA H. are:

- i. ETTA⁶ ROGERS, b. January 1898; d. February 12, 1912.

- ii. LIZZIE ROGERS, b. November 1899.

- iii. WILLIAM O. ROGERS.

- iv. N. ROGERS.

- v. FRANK ROGERS.

- vi. BABY ROGERS, b. 1910.

47. WALTER HARVEY⁵ ROGERS (*JONATHAN WILEY⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born November 29, 1886. He married LENA.

Children of WALTER ROGERS and LENA are:

- i. FLORA⁶ ROGERS, b. 1904.

- ii. JOHN W. ROGERS, b. 1906.

48. LESLIE MATTHEW⁵ ROGERS (*ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born January 19, 1885 in Ouachita Co., AR, and died January 21, 1947 in Ouachita Co., AR. He married (1) UNKNOWN. He married (2) MARTHA B. MOON.

Child of LESLIE ROGERS and UNKNOWN is:

- i. EDITH PACE⁶ JEFFUS.

Children of LESLIE ROGERS and MARTHA MOON are:

ii. ADRIAN⁶ ROGERS.

85. iii. VAN ROGERS, b. April 11, 1915, Ouachita Co. Ark.; d. May 22, 1984, Springhill, La.

49. EVA ESTELLE⁵ ROGERS (*ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 1887. She married PACE.

More About EVA ESTELLE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Buried Bethesda Cem

Child of EVA ROGERS and PACE is:

i. LYLE⁶ PACE, m. LLOYD.

50. AYLMEER HARRIS⁵ ROGERS (*ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 30, 1887, and died November 12, 1935. He married BESSIE ALLEN.

Children of AYLMEER ROGERS and BESSIE ALLEN are:

86. i. IMOGENE⁶ ROGERS.

87. ii. JOHN EDWIN ROGERS, b. September 06, 1933.

88. iii. WAYNE NORMAN ROGERS, b. April 01, 1930.

51. ALONZO CLYDE⁵ ROGERS (*ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born September 1888, and died 1947. He married ANNIE LAURA BURTON.

Children of ALONZO ROGERS and ANNIE BURTON are:

i. CLINTON RAY⁶ ROGERS.

ii. MILDRED DENISE ROGERS, b. September 16, 1918; m. ODIE GRAVES, April 24, 1949.

More About MILDRED DENISE ROGERS:

Fact 1: lives Dardanelle, Ark. 1998

Fact 2: Valedictorian of High School Class

52. WILEY MORTON⁵ ROGERS (*ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born March 08, 1889, and died September 21, 1963. He married (1) ANNIE RUTH TYSON. He married (2) IVA WRIGHT HAYS June 24, 1933.

More About WILEY MORTON ROGERS:

Fact 1: Died at a local dog show-

Fact 2: Retired in 1959

Fact 3: Hunted wolves in Okla. had pet wolf-"Daisy Bates"

Fact 4: Had Walker hounds and loved to deer hunt

Fact 5: maid named Annie

More About ANNIE RUTH TYSON:

Fact 1: died shortly after birth of Bruce

More About IVA WRIGHT HAYS:

Fact 1: Widow Hays

Children of WILEY ROGERS and ANNIE TYSON are:

89. i. WILLIAM TYSON⁶ ROGERS, b. November 23, 1919, Camden Ark.; d. December 12, 1994, Worcester, Mass..
ii. BRUCE RENE ROGERS, b. November 05, 1925; d. March 04, 1945.

More About BRUCE RENE ROGERS:

Fact 1: KIA WWII near Engen Germany 78Div. 309th Inf. Regm.

Children of WILEY ROGERS and IVA HAYS are:

- iii. EMMITT⁶ HAYS.

More About EMMITT HAYS:

Fact 1: lives in Chicago, Ill

Fact 2: purchased old homestead of Wiley Morton Rogers

Fact 3: House- Magnolia Road off California St. Camden, abt. 10blks. from town

90. iv. RICHARD HAYS.
v. BILLY HAYS.

53. ANCEL VICTOR⁵ ROGERS (*ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born 1891. He married JEAN B..

More About ANCEL VICTOR ROGERS:

Fact 1: Worked for railroad

More About JEAN B.:

Fact 1: Remarried in L.A. - to man she met walking her dog

Fact 2: Still lives in California- 1998

Child of ANCEL ROGERS and JEAN B. is:

- i. ANNE⁶ ROGERS, m. SMITH.

More About SMITH:

Fact 1: Nevada Highway Dept.

54. LORA BELLE⁵ ROGERS (*ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born November 30, 1893, and died January 14, 1962. She married JUNIUS ANDREW PEDRON.

Child of LORA ROGERS and JUNIUS PEDRON is:

- i. SHERRELL⁶ PEDRON.

More About SHERRELL PEDRON:

Fact 1: 925 Graham, Benton, Ark.

55. JEROME M.⁵ ROGERS. (*JONATHAN⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) died in Gadsden, Al.. She married FRANK THOMPSON.

Children of JEROME ROGERS. and FRANK THOMPSON are:

- i. ROGERS⁶ THOMPSON.

ii. KENNETH THOMPSON.

56. CLAUD JONATHAN⁵ ROGERS. (*JONATHAN⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born in Birmingham, Al.. He married AGNES MCDOWELL.

Children of CLAUD ROGERS. and AGNES MCDOWELL are:

i. MARY ORPHA⁶ ROGERS., m. JOHN GEORGE BASS.

More About JOHN GEORGE BASS:

Fact 1: Grad. Univ. of Al. , Kappa K appa Gamma Sorority

ii. AGNES ROGERS ROGERS., m. CLARK.

57. ZAIDEE⁵ ROGERS. (*JONATHAN⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*). She married MAX MELLON.

Child of ZAIDEE ROGERS. and MAX MELLON is:

i. NO⁶ ISSUE.

58. BRIGGS MASSENGILL⁵ ROGERS (*JAMES THOMAS⁴, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born October 07, 1889, and died February 1962 in Birmingham, Al.. He married (1) ELIZABETH POLK. He married (2) AMY.

More About BRIGGS MASSENGILL ROGERS:

Fact 1: Grad. of Auburn Univ.

Fact 2: Mining Eng. Birmingham Coal Co.

Fact 3: Meth. Ch., Exchange Club., Birm. Country Club

Children of BRIGGS ROGERS and ELIZABETH POLK are:

i. JONATHAN POLK⁶ ROGERS.

More About JONATHAN POLK ROGERS:

Fact 1: aka. Jack

Fact 2: V.P. Mobil chemical Co.

ii. JAMES THORNLEY ROGERS.

59. OLIVER HOGAN⁵ ROGERS (*JAMES THOMAS⁴, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born October 02, 1891, and died in Birmingham, Al.. He married CORA.

More About OLIVER HOGAN ROGERS:

Fact 1: Grad. Auburn Univ.

Fact 2: Electrical Contracting Co.

Child of OLIVER ROGERS and CORA is:

- i. WILLIAM OLIVER⁶ ROGERS, b. 1924; m. JOYCE.

60. ANNIE DEE⁵ ROGERS (*JAMES THOMAS⁴, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born May 21, 1895, and died in North Carolina. She married SOLOMAN WILLIAM NEWTON April 14, 1924.

Child of ANNIE ROGERS and SOLOMAN NEWTON is:

- i. EMMA JEAN⁶ NEWTON, m. RILEY.

More About EMMA JEAN NEWTON:

Fact 1: Carey, North, Carolina

61. WILLIAM ROUNDTREE⁵ ROGERS (*JAMES THOMAS⁴, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 29, 1901 in Pratt City, Al.. He married JESSE.

More About WILLIAM ROUNDTREE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Tulsa, Oklahoma

Children of WILLIAM ROGERS and JESSE are:

- i. CHARLES⁶ ROGERS.

- ii. IDABELLE ROGERS.

62. RUBY⁵ ROGERS (*EDWARD DANIEL⁴, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 04, 1893. She married JOHN CAMP.

Children of RUBY ROGERS and JOHN CAMP are:

- 91. i. VIRGINIA⁶ CAMP, b. 1911.
- ii. JOHN CAMP, b. 1914; m. JEAN.

More About JOHN CAMP:

Fact 1: Lives Jackson, Ms.

63. ROGER DOWNS⁵ SMITH (*SARAH CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 19, 1890, and died August 18, 1938. He married MAY ELIZABETH SEWELL.

More About ROGER DOWNS SMITH:

Fact 1: Grad. Auburn Univ.

Fact 2: L&N Railroad

Child of ROGER SMITH and MAY SEWELL is:

- i. ROGER DOWNS SMITH⁶ JR., b. October 13, 1922; d. July 1967; m. BETTY EATON.

64. HARRELL WALTON⁵ SMITH (*SARAH CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN²,*

*JONATHAN*¹) was born December 06, 1891 in Lebenon, Ky., and died October 12, 1963. He married MARY EMMA September 23, 1915.

More About HARRELL WALTON SMITH:

Fact 1: Grad. Auburn Univ.

Fact 2: Lived Birmingham and Southern Fla.

Children of HARRELL SMITH and MARY EMMA are:

92. i. JEAN⁶ SMITH, b. 1917.
93. ii. MARIANE VIRGINIA SMITH, b. May 21, 1918.
- iii. ANNETTE SMITH, m. H. S. LEWIS, 1961.

More About ANNETTE SMITH:

Fact 1: Divorced

- iv. HARRELL WALTON SMITH II, b. October 21, 1925; m. (1) UNKNOWN; m. (2) JOYCE MCPHERSON, October 14, 1960.

65. CECIL HOWARD⁵ SMITH (*SARAH CATHERINE*⁴ *ROGERS*, *JONATHAN ROUNDTREE*³, *JONATHAN*², *JONATHAN*¹) was born January 24, 1893 in Lebenon, Ky., and died October 30, 1957 in Wetumpka, Al.. He married WINONA STEVENS June 10, 1921.

More About CECIL HOWARD SMITH:

Fact 1: Grad Auburn Univ.

Fact 2: Lumber dealer in Wetumpka

Children of CECIL SMITH and WINONA STEVENS are:

- i. NEAL⁶ SMITH, d. World War II.
- ii. DORIS SMITH, m. JOE GORDON.

More About DORIS SMITH:

Fact 1: Huntingdon College, may Queen

More About JOE GORDON:

Fact 1: PHD. Dean at Tulane University New Orleans

- iii. KENDALL SMITH, m. BARBARA PATTERSON.

More About KENDALL SMITH:

Fact 1: Two Children

- iv. SARAH ANN SMITH, m. RICHARD PEPPER.

More About SARAH ANN SMITH:

Fact 1: Lives Atlanta, Ga.

More About RICHARD PEPPER:

Fact 1: Pilot, Delta Air Lines

Fact 2: Three Sons

66. MARY ELIZABETH⁵ SMITH (*SARAH CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born July 07, 1896, and died October 13, 1973. She married WILLIAM C. ROBBINS.

Children of MARY SMITH and WILLIAM ROBBINS are:

94. i. WILLIAM C.⁶ ROBBINS II.
95. ii. JAMES ROBBINS.

67. GRACE⁵ SMITH (*SARAH CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born August 16, 1900. She married HENRY S. KOFFMAN.

Children of GRACE SMITH and HENRY KOFFMAN are:

- i. PATRICIA⁶ KOFFMAN, d. Unknown.

More About PATRICIA KOFFMAN:

Fact 1: Tulane University, Employment

- ii. JERRINE KOFFMAN.

68. ALPHA CLAYTON ROGERS⁵ JR. (*ALPHA CLAYTON⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born July 25, 1918 in Montgomery, AL., and died June 24, 1988 in Birmingham, AL.. He married (1) MARGARET DICKINSON 1948. He married (2) MARY EMILY SEARCY June 23, 1953 in Tuscaloosa, AL., daughter of HARVEY SEARCY and MARY FITTS.

Child of ALPHA JR. and MARGARET DICKINSON is:

96. i. STEPHEN CLAYTON⁶ ROGERS, b. March 10, 1948, Montgomery , AL.

Children of ALPHA JR. and MARY SEARCY are:

97. ii. MARY EMILY⁶ ROGERS, b. April 19, 1954.
- iii. CYNTHIA SEARCY ROGERS, b. November 01, 1956; m. JOHN CARL SHEARER, February 01, 1992.

More About CYNTHIA SEARCY ROGERS:

Fact 1: Birm-Sou. College

Fact 2: Grad of Univ. of Ala. Kappa Delta Sorority

Fact 3: Owner of Bridesmaids Inc. Birmingham

More About JOHN CARL SHEARER:

Fact 1: Grad. of Univ. of Virginia

Fact 2: M.D. Univ. of Ala. Medical School

Generation No. 6

69. MILDRED ROGERS⁶ YARBOROUGH (*ELIZABETH⁵ ROGERS, JONATHAN R.⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 23, 1915 in Camden, Ark.. She married VAN ROGERS, son of LESLIE ROGERS and MARTHA MOON.

More About MILDRED ROGERS YARBOROUGH:

Fact 1: Married her cousin from Wiley M. lineage

Fact 2: Grew up in First baptist Church of Camden

Fact 3: Attended 100th Anniversery of Elliot Baptist Church

Fact 4: Telephone interview with Rogers Smith March 1998

Fact 5: Long time resident 226 3rd St. Pine Hill-Springhill, La.

More About VAN ROGERS:

Fact 1: Employed International Paper Springhill, La

Fact 2: Deacon Central Baptist Church, Springhill, La.

Children of MILDRED YARBOROUGH and VAN ROGERS are:

i. MARTHA KATHRYN⁷ ROGERS, b. January 07, 1941; m. S.L. SLACK.

ii. LARRY MICHAEL ROGERS, b. March 10, 1943, Springhill, La.; m. KATHARYN EASTER.

More About LARRY MICHAEL ROGERS:

Fact 1: Government Employee Resides Fairfax, Va.

Fact 2: United States Air Force Officer

Fact 3: Grad Louisiana Tech University

70. LOLA MAE⁶ ROGERS (*WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 12, 1898 in Elliotte, AR, and died January 12, 1998 in Morton, Ms.. She married HOMER P. THORNTON.

More About LOLA MAE ROGERS:

Fact 1: Oldest living relative of the Rogers in Morton. Ms. died almost 100 yrs old

Notes for HOMER P. THORNTON:

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Individual: Thornton, Homer

Birth date: Mar 5, 1892

Death date: Sep 1978

Social Security #: 425-01-8713

Last residence: MS 39117

State of issue: MS

More About HOMER P. THORNTON:

Fact 1: Social Security #: 425-01-8713¹⁵⁶

Child of LOLA ROGERS and HOMER THORNTON is:

i. BENNIE RUTH⁷ THORNTON, b. June 10, 1925.

71. VICTOR CARTER⁶ ROGERS, SR. (*WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born September 18, 1900¹⁵⁷, and died March 1963¹⁵⁸. He married (1) DOROTHY GRAHAM. He married (2) EMMA PATE.

Children of VICTOR ROGERS and DOROTHY GRAHAM are:

i. VICTOR CARTER⁷ ROGERS, JR., b. Unknown.

- ii. HOMER ROGERS, b. Unknown.
- iii. PETE ROGERS, b. Unknown.
- iv. SALLIE ROGERS, b. Unknown.
- v. CLARA ROGERS, b. Unknown.
- vi. LOLA LANE ROGERS, b. Unknown.
- vii. ELIZABETH ROGERS, b. Unknown.
- viii. DORTHA NELLE ROGERS, b. Unknown.
- ix. EDGAR MYER ROGERS, b. Unknown.

Children of VICTOR ROGERS and EMMA PATE are:

- x. WILLIAM⁷ ROGERS, b. June 1922¹⁵⁹; d. Unknown.
- xi. MATTIE VIVIAN ROGERS, b. February 25, 1924¹⁶⁰.
- 98. xii. TOMMY FRANCIS ROGERS THORNTON, b. March 1929.

72. HAZEL DELAMAR⁶ ROGERS (*WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 17, 1904 in McMurray, AR¹⁶¹, and died April 1976 in Morton, Scott County, MS¹⁶². She married JOHN PRENTISS MYER LOVETT.

More About HAZEL DELAMAR ROGERS:

Fact 1: White, AR on the White River

Children of HAZEL ROGERS and JOHN LOVETT are:

- 99. i. LOLA JEAN⁷ LOVETT, b. April 06, 1924, Morton, MS.
- 100. ii. DELAMAR ROGERS LOVETT, b. December 08, 1927, Morton, Ms.; d. July 04, 1990, Abilene, Tx..
- 101. iii. ALBERT MYER LOVETT, b. February 02, 1937, Morton, MS.
- iv. BENJAMIN ROGERS LOVETT, b. Stillborn¹⁶³.

73. BENNY CLYDE⁶ ROGERS, SR. (*WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born July 10, 1906 in Jonesboro, LA, and died February 26, 1972 in Morton, Scott County, MS. He married (1) MILDRED REGINA VIGNES April 30, 1928 in Pointe Coupee, La.¹⁶⁴. He married (2) JANELLE PATRICK January 10, 1942 in Morton, MS.

Notes for BENNY CLYDE ROGERS, SR.:

Saved from death's certain clutch by his sister Lola when as a toddler he leaned head first in a wash tub

full of water and was unable to raise back up,...

Scott County Times, Wed. March 01, 1972, p.1 col. 1.

Last Rites Held For B.C. Rogers, Nationally-Known Industrialist

Benny Clyde Rogers, 67, who developed a multi-million dollar empire in poultry, cattle, real estate, banking, construction, and manufacturing was buried in Morton cemetery Monday after impressive services at the First Baptist Church.

The man who became known as "Chicken King of the South", after he parlayed a small flock into a vast operation employing hundreds of people, collapsed and died Saturday night as he was watching a basketball game in the Morton gymnasium.

A host of mourners joined members of the family in final respects, led by four pastors against a background of beautiful floral tributes.

Officiating at the church were Mr. Rogers' pastor, Rev. Bartis Harper; a former pastor, Rev. R. Y. Gerrard, now of Yazoo City; and two ministers who had served with Mr. Rogers on the Mississippi College Board of Trustees, Dr. David Grant of Jackson and Dr. Howard Aultman of Columbia.

At the graveside, the benediction was pronounced by Rev. H.D. Jordon of Memphis, who married Janelle Patrick and Mr. Rogers on January 10, 1942.

Dr. Aultman, at the request of the family, read Mr. Rogers' favorite verses, John 3:16 and Psalms 23, and eulogized him as "a helping hand to mankind."

Dr. Grant chose verse 13 of the 14th chapter of Revelations: "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord; from henceforth, yea, saith the spirit, that they may rest from their works follow with them."

Mr. Rogers came to Morton in 1911 when his parents, the late W.R. Rogers, moved with their six children from Camden, Arkansas. Earlier they had lived at Jonesboro, Louisiana, where he was born.

He graduated from Morton High School and later attended Mississippi College, and institution he later was to serve as President of the Board. His gift of \$100,000 led to construction of the B.C. Rogers Student Center.

In the 1930's, Mr. Rogers began his industrial career when he raised his own poultry and processed them for sale to the huge Civilian Conservation Corps camps, located near Morton.

He pioneered the "contract grower system" of raising broilers, extending credit to farmers who turned to broilers for supplemental income.

During World War II, Mr. Rogers established an egg drying plant in Morton, with all of the production going to the armed forces.

He expanded his poultry operation to include breeder flocks, hatcheries and feed mills. The products from the B. C. Rogers & Sons processing plant have been shipped all over the United States and to foreign countries.

At his death, he was Chairman of the Board of B. C. Rogers & Sons, Inc., B.C. Rogers Oil Company and Rogers Farms, Inc.

He was chairman of the board of the Bank of Morton and owned the B. C. Rogers Construction Company, which is now in process of renovating the Scott County Courthouse.

His Rogers Royal Polled Herfords were among the finest in the nation. One of his herd bulls, HAB Victor Mischief, was a national champion he purchased for over \$100,000.

In Morton he served as president of the Lions Club, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and president of the school board. He was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church.

He was on the colonels staffs of Governor Ross Barnett and Governor Paul Johnson, Jr., and was an honorary colonel for Governor Feilding and Governor Hugh White.

In 1964, the B.C. Rogers family was chosen Morton's "Family of the Year" by the Climbers Club.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Janelle Patrick Rogers; two sons, John Milben Rogers, Morton, and Benny Clyde Rogers, Jr., Jackson; a daughter, Mrs. Martha Janelle Gaylor, Jackson; three sisters, Mrs. Lula Rogers Thornton and Mrs. Hazel Cooper, both of Morton; Mrs. Cynthia Oana, Austin, Texas; a brother, Duval Rogers, Spanish Fort, Alabama; and eight grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were Robert Gandy, Jackson, Tillman Sessums, Jackson, Dan Durham,

Hammond, La., O.B. Triplett, Jr., Forest, Marvin Richardson, James Whittington, Curtis Duncan, Gene Schubert, Jack Stuart and Dan Ott.

Honorary Pallbearers were Dr. R. A. McLemore, Dr. Alex Gordon, C.E. Eichelburger, Frank Glick, members of his Sunday School Class, and the Board of Directors of the Scott Co. Hospital.

Ott and Lee Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

More About BENNY CLYDE ROGERS , SR.:

Fact 1: 1911, moved to Morton w/ family

Fact 8: 1964, chosen Family of the Year by Morton Climbers Club

Fact 13: February 27, 1972, died

Cause of Death: heart attack

Notes for MILDRED REGINA VIGNES:

when asking someone to say something about Mildred Vignes they will almost always begin with " a strikingly beautiful woman who had the most beautiful singing voice..."

More About MILDRED REGINA VIGNES:

Fact 1: SS# 326-32-3206

Fact 3: Aft. 1934, lived in Memphis, Tn. or west Memphis, Ark.

Fact 4: 1954, lived in Ark. to 1954

Fact 5: 1954, moved to Arizona

Fact 6: 1964, moved to Gila Bend, Arizona

Cause of Death: congestive heart failure due to severe arteriosclerosis

Child of BENNY ROGERS and MILDRED VIGNES is:

102. i. JOHN MILBEN⁷ ROGERS , SR., b. June 13, 1929, Morton, Scott County, MS.

Children of BENNY ROGERS and JANELLE PATRICK are:

103. ii. MARTHA⁷ ROGERS, b. October 14, 1942, Morton, Ms.

104. iii. BENNY CLYDE ROGERS , JR., b. October 10, 1947, Morton, Ms..

74. ROBERT DUVAL⁶ ROGERS (*WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born October 20, 1910 in Elliotte, AR, and died Unknown. He married CORNELIA BROADFOOT.

Notes for CORNELIA BROADFOOT:

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Individual: Rogers, Cornelia

Birth date: Nov 9, 1904

Death date: Oct 1980

Social Security #: 427-92-4763

Last residence: MS 39117

State of issue: MS

More About CORNELIA BROADFOOT:

Fact 1: Social Security #: 427-92-4763¹⁶⁵

Children of ROBERT ROGERS and CORNELIA BROADFOOT are:

i. FREDERICK BROADFOOT⁷ ROGERS, b. April 16, 1930¹⁶⁶; d. October 15, 1993¹⁶⁷.

- ii. ROBERT DUVAL ROGERS JR., b. Unknown.
- iii. JAMES DELONORE ROGERS, b. Unknown.
- iv. CAMELIA JUNE ROGERS, b. Unknown.

75. CYNTHIA AILENE⁶ ROGERS (*WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born March 16, 1913 in Morton, Scott County, MS, and died Unknown. She married ALVA PENTON.

Notes for ALVA PENTON:

[Brøderbund Family Archive #110, Vol. 2, Ed. 4, Social Security Death Index: U.S., Social Security Death Index, Surnames from M through Z, Date of Import: Jul 6, 1997, Internal Ref. #1.112.4.41038.46]

Individual: Penton, A
 Birth date: Jul 23, 1901
 Death date: Apr 1970
 Social Security #: 426-05-5453
 Last residence: MS 39117
 State of issue: MS

More About ALVA PENTON:

Fact 1: Social Security #: 426-05-5453¹⁶⁸

Children of CYNTHIA ROGERS and ALVA PENTON are:

- i. ALVA LANE⁷ PENTON, b. Unknown.
- ii. ROBERT ROGERS PENTON, b. Unknown.
- iii. PATRICK FRANCIS PENTON, b. Unknown.

76. PAULINE VIRGINIA⁶ ROGERS (*MATTIE VENABLE⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born August 19, 1909 in Elliott, AR, and died May 31, 1964 in Pine Bluff (Jefferson Hospital), Ark.. She married HOWARD THOMPSON SMITH (BUTCH) November 29, 1931 in Fayetteville, Arkansas, son of WILLIAM SMITH and MARY ANDERSON.

More About PAULINE VIRGINIA ROGERS:

Fact 1: 1930, Attended Univ. of Ark. Music Comp., Pi Beta Phi
 Fact 2: 1931, Attended Brenau College of Atlanta
 Fact 3: 1959, Grad of Univ. of Southern Ark. B.A. Education
 Fact 4: 5th Grade and Junior High English teacher
 Fact 5: Taught Ellocution classes
 Fact 6: Produced "Minstrals" as civic Function

- Fact 7: Springhill La.Baptist Church Pianist and Organist
- Fact 8: known for her talent, personality, and integrity
- Fact 9: Cause of death ovarian cancer
- Fact 10: cared for by brother Curtis and Bettie during treatment

More About HOWARD THOMPSON SMITH (BUTCH):

- Fact 1: Ouachita Baptist College, Univ. of Ark. Pi Kappa Alpha
- Fact 2: International Paper Co. Camden and Springhill, Accounting
- Fact 3: Father was a butcher, he was referred to as "little Butch" as a child
- Fact 4: Known for the humorous songs he played and sang on the piano

Children of PAULINE ROGERS and HOWARD (BUTCH) are:

- 105. i. HOWARD THOMPSON⁷ SMITH, b. April 30, 1937, Camden , Ark.
- 106. ii. BENJAMIN ROGERS SMITH, b. February 17, 1943, Springhill, La..

77. CURTIS STEPHENS ROGERS⁶ (1) (*MATTIE VENABLE⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born March 12, 1912 in Smackover, Arkansas, and died March 03, 1967 in Pine Bluff, Ark.. He married ELIZABETH LULA "BETTIE LU" GAUGHAN.

More About CURTIS STEPHENS ROGERS (1):

- Fact 1: Gulf Port Military Academy Gulfport Ms.
- Fact 2: University of Ark. Freshman class President
- Fact 3: Sigma Alpha Epsilon
- Fact 4: Career Woodlands Rep. International Paper Co.
- Fact 5: Handsome, Black Hair and Brn. eyes, very popular

More About ELIZABETH LULA "BETTIE LU" GAUGHAN:

- Fact 1: Camden High School
- Fact 2: St. Mary of the Woods Indiana
- Fact 3: University of Ark. Grad., Pi Beta Phi
- Fact 4: taught, Catholic Secondary schools Pine Bluff, Ark
- Fact 5: Descended from T.J. Gaughan family of Camden

Children of CURTIS (1) and ELIZABETH GAUGHAN are:

- 107. i. CURTIS STEPHENS⁷ ROGERS, b. February 20, 1947, St. Louis, Mo. (Adopted).
- 108. ii. JOHANNA ELIZABETH ROGERS, b. April 21, 1951, Benton, Ark. (Adopted).

78. MARY FRANCIS⁶ ROGERS (*MATTIE VENABLE⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born August 03, 1913 in Smackover, AR.. She married (1) GERALD BODKEY SMITH. She married (2) JOHN W. COLQUITT 1969 in Camden Arkansas.

More About MARY FRANCIS ROGERS:

- Fact 1: 1935, Attended Univ. of Ark. Pi Beta Phi,
- Fact 2: Graduated from Univ. of Southern Ark.
- Fact 3: Taught 3rd Grade Elem. at Camden Schools
- Fact 4: Skipped 6th grade and graduated same year as Curtis
- Fact 5: Attractive , snappy dresser , and great story teller
- Fact 6: Changed her name as a teenager from Frances to Francis

More About GERALD BODKEY SMITH:

- Fact 1: Grad Univ. of Ark , . SAE President
- Fact 2: in SAE house with Curtis Rogers and John Colquitt
- Fact 3: private businessman-Laundry Dry Cleaning business

More About JOHN W. COLQUITT:

Fact 1: 1st Marriage- Francile Rhea- Died cancer

Fact 2: Daughter Ann Mount m. John Richard Mount

Fact 3: Grad. Univ. of Ark. Sigma Alpha Epsilon with Curtis and Jigger

Fact 4: Retired long resident of Magnolia, AR.

Child of MARY ROGERS and GERALD SMITH is:

109. i. FLETCHER BODKEY⁷ SMITH I, b. June 09, 1935, Stuttgart, Ark.

79. EDWIN ROGERS⁶ ARNOLD (*ANNIE MAE⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born January 04, 1911, and died March 16, 1965 in Camden, Ark. He married MELBA.

Children of EDWIN ARNOLD and MELBA are:

i. ANNIE MAE⁷ ARNOLD, b. Unknown; m. STININT.

ii. DEBORAH ARNOLD, m. LYNDSLEY //.

80. JOHN TYLER⁶ ARNOLD II (*ANNIE MAE⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born February 18, 1912 in Ouachita County. He married (1) UNKNOWN. He married (2) MARY SUE WILLIAMS.

More About JOHN TYLER ARNOLD II:

Fact 1: Called J.T. or "Pete"

Fact 2: Construction Business Retired

Fact 3: Lost Left leg at 9 years old in accident involving logging wagon.

Fact 4: 6' 4" silver hair Handsome

Fact 5: "Brother" relationship with Curtis Rogers as youngster

Children of JOHN ARNOLD and UNKNOWN are:

i. SARAH⁷ ARNOLD.

ii. CLARA SUE ARNOLD.

Children of JOHN ARNOLD and MARY WILLIAMS are:

110. iii. JOHN TYLER⁷ ARNOLD III, b. October 10, 1942, Camden Ark.; d. June 10, 1998, Helena Ark..

111. iv. PAMELA SUE ARNOLD, b. April 14, 1946, Camden, Ark..

81. MILRENE FRANCES⁶ ARNOLD (*ANNIE MAE⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born July 18, 1918 in Ouachita Co., Ark.. She married JASPER BYRON MORRIS AKA JAP, son of JOHN MORRIS and ELIZABETH TODD.

More About MILRENE FRANCES ARNOLD:

Fact 1: Baylor University

Fact 2: Univ. of Ark, Pi Beta Phi - with Bettie Lu Gaughan

Fact 3: Close friends with cousins Pauline, Francis, and Curtis

More About JASPER BYRON MORRIS AKA JAP:

Fact 1: WWII Veteran

Fact 2: Retired International Paper customer service

Fact 3: Known for gracious and gentlemanly personality

Child of MILRENE ARNOLD and JASPER JAP is:

112. i. ANNIE BANKS⁷ MORRIS, b. February 12, 1947, Camden Arkansas.

82. WALTER ABSALOM⁶ HORNE , JR. (IDA VESTA⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹) was born March 05, 1917. He married JEAN.

Children of WALTER HORNE and JEAN are:

113. i. WALTER ABSOLOM⁷ SKIP⁷ HORNE.

ii. DAVID HORNE.

iii. JOHNNY HORNE.

83. MILDRED VESTA⁶ HORNE (IDA VESTA⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹) was born March 18, 1918 in Elliott, AR. She married THOMAS DANIEL CHINN July 20, 1940 in Camden, Ark..

More About THOMAS DANIEL CHINN:

Fact 2: Charleston, SC

Children of MILDRED HORNE and THOMAS CHINN are:

114. i. SANDRA LEE⁷ CHINN, b. September 29, 1942, Camden, Ark..

115. ii. JUNELLEN CHINN, b. April 26, 1947, El Dorado, Ark..

116. iii. MARY CAROLYN CHINN, b. June 20, 1949, El Dorado, ARK..

84. MARY JOANNA⁶ HORNE (IDA VESTA⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹) was born February 04, 1931 in Camden , Ark. She married JACKIE WAYNE "JACK" CROWDER October 04, 1953 in Camden, Ark..

More About MARY JOANNA HORNE:

Fact 1: Resides Fordyce, Ark.

Children of MARY HORNE and JACKIE CROWDER are:

117. i. SUSAN CAROL⁷ CROWDER, b. February 23, 1956, Camden., Ark..

ii. PAUL WESLEY CROWDER, b. November 16, 1957; m. (1) KAREN KAY SHOFNER, August 13, 1988; m. (2) ALICE FAYE SHAW, November 1993.

More About ALICE FAYE SHAW:

Fact 1: Son , Caleb, Previous marriage

85. VAN⁶ ROGERS (LESLIE MATTHEW⁵, ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹) was born April 11, 1915 in Ouachita Co. Ark., and died May 22, 1984 in Springhill, La. He married MILDRED ROGERS YARBOROUGH, daughter of WILEY YARBOROUGH and ELIZABETH ROGERS.

More About VAN ROGERS:

Fact 1: Employed International Paper Springhill, La

Fact 2: Deacon Central Baptist Church, Springhill, La.

More About MILDRED ROGERS YARBOROUGH:

Fact 1: Married her cousin from Wiley M. lineage

Fact 2: Grew up in First baptist Church of Camden

Fact 3: Attended 100th Anniversary of Elliot Baptist Church

Fact 4: Telephone interview with Rogers Smith March 1998

Fact 5: Long time resident 226 3rd St. Pine Hill-Springhill, La.

Children of VAN ROGERS and MILDRED YARBOROUGH are:

i. MARTHA KATHRYN⁷ ROGERS, b. January 07, 1941; m. S.L. SLACK.

ii. LARRY MICHAEL ROGERS, b. March 10, 1943, Springhill, La.; m. KATHARYN EASTER.

More About LARRY MICHAEL ROGERS:

Fact 1: Government Employee Resides Fairfax, Va.

Fact 2: United States Air Force Officer

Fact 3: Grad Louisiana Tech University

86. IMOGENE⁶ ROGERS (*AYLMER HARRIS⁵, ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*). She married KNIGHT.

More About IMOGENE ROGERS:

Fact 1: lives Ouachita County Ark near Camden 1998

Child of IMOGENE ROGERS and KNIGHT is:

i. LINDA⁷ KNIGHT, m. ROE.

More About LINDA KNIGHT:

Fact 1: lives Rosenberg Texas 1998

87. JOHN EDWIN⁶ ROGERS (*AYLMER HARRIS⁵, ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born September 06, 1933. He married PATRICIA RENFRO October 24, 1952.

More About JOHN EDWIN ROGERS:

Fact 1: Lives Ouachita County Ark near Camden 1998

Children of JOHN ROGERS and PATRICIA RENFRO are:

118. i. SCHREE⁷ ROGERS, b. March 22, 1954.

ii. DANTHEA DIANE ROGERS, b. August 24, 1958; m. JAMES METCALF, December 31, 1998.

More About DANTHEA DIANE ROGERS:

Fact 1: lives Greenwood Ark. 1988

88. WAYNE NORMAN⁶ ROGERS (*AYLMER HARRIS⁵, ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 01, 1930. He married BILLIE DEAN TIDWELL August 04, 1948.

More About WAYNE NORMAN ROGERS:

Fact 1: Lives Ouachita County, so. of Camden Ark.

Children of WAYNE ROGERS and BILLIE TIDWELL are:

- i. NORMA DEANETTE⁷ ROGERS, b. December 24, 1949.
119. ii. STEVEN VIRGIL ROGERS, b. November 25, 1951.
- iii. RANDLE WAYNE ROGERS, b. May 29, 1962.

89. WILLIAM TYSON⁶ ROGERS (*WILEY MORTON⁵, ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born November 23, 1919 in Camden Ark., and died December 12, 1994 in Worster, Mass.. He married FLORENCE LILLIAN CARLSON December 05, 1947 in Worester, Mass..

More About WILLIAM TYSON ROGERS:

Fact 1: Grad. Engineering L.S.U. Lived Worster, Mass.

Children of WILLIAM ROGERS and FLORENCE CARLSON are:

120. i. LESLEY ANNE (LISA)⁷ ROGERS, b. June 21, 1948.
- ii. WILEY MICHAEL ROGERS, b. May 04, 1951; d. April 19, 1969, Worster, Mass..
121. iii. KIRK ERICK ROGERS, b. February 16, 1956.

90. RICHARD⁶ HAYS (*WILEY MORTON⁵ ROGERS, ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*). He married PAULINE.

More About RICHARD HAYS:

Fact 1: lives in Prescott, Ark.

Children of RICHARD HAYS and PAULINE are:

- i. JIMMIE⁷ HAYS.

- ii. KAY HAYS.

- iii. SON HAYS.

91. VIRGINIA⁶ CAMP (*RUBY⁵ ROGERS, EDWARD DANIEL⁴, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born 1911. She married MORRIS POPKINS.

Child of VIRGINIA CAMP and MORRIS POPKINS is:

- i. PATRICIA⁷ POPKINS, m. MAX BEARDEN.

92. JEAN⁶ SMITH (*HARRELL WALTON⁵, SARAH CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born 1917. She married ABNER POWELL.

More About JEAN SMITH:

Fact 1: Univ. of Al.

More About ABNER POWELL:

Fact 1: Univ. of Al. Law School

Children of JEAN SMITH and ABNER POWELL are:

- i. PAT⁷ POWELL, b. 1939.

- ii. ANNETTE POWELL, b. 1940.

- iii. ABNER RILEY POWELL III, b. 1943.

93. MARIANE VIRGINIA⁶ SMITH (HARRELL WALTON⁵, SARAH CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹) was born May 21, 1918. She married JOHN R. CAWELTI December 04, 1948.

More About MARIANE VIRGINIA SMITH:

Fact 1: Birmingham- Southern College

More About JOHN R. CAWELTI:

Fact 1: Central College of Napersville, Ill.

Fact 2: Swiss-German

Fact 3: Major, U.S. Army Retired

Fact 4: us Civil Cervice

Children of MARIANE SMITH and JOHN CAWELTI are:

- i. JOHN R.⁷ CAWELTI, b. April 25, 1951.

- ii. DIANA JEAN CAWELTI, b. March 27, 1954.

94. WILLIAM C.⁶ ROBBINS II (MARY ELIZABETH⁵ SMITH, SARAH CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹). He married LULA GWYNNE FOREE.

More About WILLIAM C. ROBBINS II:

Fact 1: Thomasville Furnature, Exec., Thomasville, N.C.

Children of WILLIAM ROBBINS and LULA FOREE are:

- i. WILLIAM C.⁷ ROBBINS III.

- ii. UNKNOWN ROBBINS.

95. JAMES⁶ ROBBINS (MARY ELIZABETH⁵ SMITH, SARAH CATHERINE⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹). He married RENEE'.

More About JAMES ROBBINS:

Fact 1: American Express, Exec, New York, N.Y.

Children of JAMES ROBBINS and RENEE' are:

- i. SCOTT⁷ ROBBINS.

- ii. JENNIFER LEIGH ROBBINS.

96. STEPHEN CLAYTON⁶ ROGERS (*ALPHA CLAYTON ROGERS⁵ JR., ALPHA CLAYTON⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born March 10, 1948 in Montgomery , AL. He married ROBIN DASHIELL RUTLEDGE June 06, 1970 in Demopolis,AL..

More About STEPHEN CLAYTON ROGERS:

Fact 1: Grad Univ. of Ala. SAE Fraternity

Fact 2: Lt. USAFR, ROTC Grad.

Fact 3: President, Southwest Bank of Selma, AL.

Children of STEPHEN ROGERS and ROBIN RUTLEDGE are:

- i. STEPHEN MATHEW⁷ ROGERS, b. April 13, 1972, Heidelberg, West Germany.

- ii. FRANK PEARSON ROGERS, b. September 19, 1975, Demopolis, Marengo, AL..

- iii. ROBIN DASHIELL RUTLEDGE ROGERS, b. November 16, 1979, Demopolis-Marengo, AL.

97. MARY EMILY⁶ ROGERS (*ALPHA CLAYTON ROGERS⁵ JR., ALPHA CLAYTON⁴ ROGERS, JONATHAN ROUNDTREE³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 19, 1954. She married EDWARD VESTON COLVIN June 09, 1973.

More About MARY EMILY ROGERS:

Fact 1: University of the South, Grad. of Birmingham-Southern College, Music

More About EDWARD VESTON COLVIN:

Fact 1: M.D. Univ. of Ala. Med School

Fact 2: Univ. of the South, Cum Laude

Children of MARY ROGERS and EDWARD COLVIN are:

- i. CLAYTON VESTON⁷ COLVIN, b. December 07, 1976, Birmingham, AL..

- ii. BENJAMIN ROGERS COLVIN, b. February 02, 1980, Birmingham, AL..

- iii. MARY EMILY KIRBY COLVIN, b. March 27, 1993, Houston, TX..

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98. TOMMY FRANCIS ROGERS⁷ THORNTON (*VICTOR CARTER⁶ ROGERS, SR., WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born March 1929¹⁶⁹. He married ELOISE.

Notes for TOMMY FRANCIS ROGERS THORNTON:
Raised by his aunt Lola Rogers Thornton.

Children of TOMMY THORNTON and ELOISE are:

- i. DEBBIE⁸ THORNTON, b. Unknown.

- ii. DELWYN THORNTON, b. Unknown.

- iii. DION THORNTON, b. Unknown.

99. LOLA JEAN⁷ LOVETT (*HAZEL DELAMAR⁶ ROGERS, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 06, 1924 in Morton, MS¹⁷⁰. She married (1) PERCY FORREST January 02, 1946. She married (2) CLYDE MYATT May 17, 1954.

More About LOLA JEAN LOVETT:
Fact 1: Called Jean

Children of LOLA LOVETT and PERCY FORREST are:

122. i. VIVIAN DAWN⁸ FORREST, b. October 28, 1946, Morton, MS.
123. ii. DELL HAMPTON FORREST, b. November 16, 1948.

Children of LOLA LOVETT and CLYDE MYATT are:

- iii. JAMES CLYDE⁸ MYATT, b. August 31, 1956, Morton, Ms.¹⁷¹; d. February 02, 1987, Morton, Ms..

More About JAMES CLYDE MYATT:
Fact 1: Clark Memorial Baptist College

124. iv. CYNTHIA JOHANNA MYATT, b. March 09, 1962, Morton, MS.

100. DELAMAR ROGERS⁷ LOVETT (*HAZEL DELAMAR⁶ ROGERS, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born December 08, 1927 in Morton, Ms.¹⁷², and died July 04, 1990 in Abilene, Tx.. She married SALVADOR DECIDUE ALPHANSO July 07, 1953 in Morton, Ms..

More About DELAMAR ROGERS LOVETT:

Fact 1: married at mother's house
Fact 2: Lived her adult life in Gulfport, Ms.
Fact 3: Grad Mississippi College
Fact 4: Taught School- retired
Fact 5: Delamar- name from Georgia
Fact 6: Changed her name in College from Hazel DeLamar Lovett

More About SALVADOR DECIDUE ALPHANSO:

Fact 1: French/Sicilian descent

Child of DELAMAR LOVETT and SALVADOR ALPHANSO is:

125. i. JEAN DELAMAR⁸ ALPHANSO, b. April 25, 1955, Gulfport, Ms..

101. ALBERT MYER⁷ LOVETT (*HAZEL DELAMAR⁶ ROGERS, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born February 02, 1937 in Morton, MS¹⁷³. He married THERESA LANELL SMITH September 06, 1958 in Forrest, Ms..

More About ALBERT MYER LOVETT:

Fact 1: aka Buddy

Fact 2: Millsaps College- Jackson, Ms.

Fact 3: Furniture and Appliance business, Morton, Ms.

Children of ALBERT LOVETT and THERESA SMITH are:

i. TERESA LYNN⁸ LOVETT, b. September 21, 1965.

More About TERESA LYNN LOVETT:

Fact 1: Lives Brandon, Ms.

ii. JOHN MYER LOVETT, b. November 26, 1968.

More About JOHN MYER LOVETT:

Fact 1: lives Morton, Ms.

102. JOHN MILBEN⁷ ROGERS , SR. (*BENNY CLYDE⁶, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 13, 1929 in Morton, Scott County, MS. He married (1) JACKIE SUE NEWSOM December 22, 1951 in First Baptist Church, Jackson, MS. He married (2) HELEN SANDRA DABBS May 1969 in First Baptist Church in Jackson, MS. He married (3) NELLIE BETH HARRIS December 1988.

Notes for JOHN MILBEN ROGERS , SR.:

Children of JOHN ROGERS and JACKIE NEWSOM are:

126. i. REBECCA SUSAN⁸ ROGERS, b. November 14, 1952, Jackson, MS.

127. ii. CAROLYN ANN ROGERS, b. September 26, 1954, Jackson, Hinds County, MS.

128. iii. CATHERINE LYNN ROGERS, b. May 22, 1956, Jackson, Hinds County, MS.

iv. JOHN MILBEN ROGERS , JR., b. July 08, 1957, Jackson, Hinds County, MS; m. (1) POLLY RILEY, 1990, Morton, Ms.; m. (2) JILL McDOWELL HAYES, 1996, Brandon, MS.

129. v. RICHARD JACKSON ROGERS , SR., b. May 12, 1960, Morton, Scott County, MS.

130. vi. ANGELA JANNELLE ROGERS, b. September 20, 1961, Morton, Scott County, MS.

103. MARTHA⁷ ROGERS (*BENNY CLYDE⁶, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born October 14, 1942 in Morton, Ms. She married (1) ROBERT GAYLOR. She married (2) MAC ELLIOTTE. She married (3) EUGENE BROWN June 1963.

More About MARTHA ROGERS:

Fact 1: Grad Mississippi College

Children of MARTHA ROGERS and EUGENE BROWN are:

i. MARTHA JANELLE⁸ BROWN, b. September 13, 1964, Jackson, Ms.

More About MARTHA JANELLE BROWN:

Fact 1: University of Miss MS. school teacher
Fact 2: formally adopted by Robert Gaylor

- ii. KATHLENEE BROWN, b. May 08, 1967, Jackson, MS; m. LOUIS RAMON BRUNO.

More About KATHLENEE BROWN:

Fact 1: University of Ms.
Fact 2: Mgmt. Fin. Para. Legal. Culinary Arts
Fact 3: Chef- Teaches Culinary Arts Hines Jr. College
Fact 4: Formally adopted by Robert Gaylor

More About LOUIS RAMON BRUNO:

Fact 1: Jackson, Ms.
Fact 2: Chef to the Governor of Miss.

104. BENNY CLYDE⁷ ROGERS, JR. (BENNY CLYDE⁶, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹) was born October 10, 1947 in Morton, Ms.. He married MARY RANDALL MELTON June 25, 1971 in Greenwood,-Ms..

More About BENNY CLYDE ROGERS, JR.:

Fact 1: Morton High
Fact 2: 1969, Mississippi College
Fact 3: President, B. C. Rogers Oil co.

Children of BENNY ROGERS and MARY MELTON are:

- i. MARY ALISON⁸ ROGERS, b. August 28, 1973; m. JOHN CAMERON DINKINS, June 28, 1997, Morton, Ms..
- ii. BENNY CLYDE ROGERS III, b. April 09, 1977.

105. HOWARD THOMPSON⁷ SMITH (PAULINE VIRGINIA⁶ ROGERS, MATTIE VENABLE⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹) was born April 30, 1937 in Camden, Ark. He married ANN MONROE March 16, 1962 in New Orleans, LA.

More About HOWARD THOMPSON SMITH:

Fact 1: Graduated Valadictorian Springhill High School
Fact 2: Scholarship to Tulane University Grad. Chem. Eng. 1960
Fact 3: Won many leadership awards and positions as student
Fact 4: S.A.E. fraternity, O.D.K. and Who's Who honors
Fact 5: executive Ethyl Corp., EX V.P. Gen.Mgr. Wm. L. Bonnell (aluminum extrusion)
Fact 6: Retired as Pres. C.E.O. Trane Air Cond. Bd. of Dir. of Amereican Standard
Fact 7: Trane:\$3.5bil. sales 32 factories, 10Countries, 4 continents
Fact 8: Bd. of Directors Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Va.
Fact 9: Elder and S.S. teacher Presbreterian Church

More About ANN MONROE:

Fact 1: Grad. Newcomb College(Tulane)Kappa Kappa Gamma
Fact 2: Junior League of Baton Rouge La.
Fact 3: Taught Elem. School Baton Rouge
Fact 4: Active Presbreterian Church

Fact 5: Married on St. Patricks day, St. Charles Pres. Church

Children of HOWARD SMITH and ANN MONROE are:

131. i. PAUL ROGERS⁸ SMITH, b. September 28, 1964, Baton Rouge , La..
- ii. ELIZABETH MONROE SMITH, b. May 03, 1966, Baton Rouge La..

More About ELIZABETH MONROE SMITH:

Fact 1: Grad Cinncinati private high school

Fact 2: Vanderbilt University

Fact 3: Columbia University

Fact 4: Brown Forman Co- Jack Daniels Marketing

Fact 5: Ralston Purina, Everedy Battery , Mkning Exec, St. Louis, Mo.

106. BENJAMIN ROGERS⁷ SMITH (*PAULINE VIRGINIA⁶ ROGERS, MATTIE VENABLE⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born February 17, 1943 in Springhill, La.. He married (1) KAREN LEA WALKER December 09, 1967 in Houston, Tex.. He married (2) BONNIE JEAN(MOORE) DOYLE August 13, 1994 in Kingsway Chapel, Memphis, Tn..

More About BENJAMIN ROGERS SMITH:

Fact 1: 1961, Grad Springhill High La.

Fact 2: 1961-1966, L.S.U. S.A.E., Louisiana Tech, B.S. Bus., Golf Team

Fact 3: 1966-1977, International Paper,Sales, Product Mgr. Marketing Mgr.

Fact 4: 1978-1998, Manufacturers Rep. Geo. W. Mouk & Asso. Monroe, La.Paper & plastic packaging

Fact 5: 1989, Bd. Chair Kingsway Christain Church & Elder,Memphis

Fact 6: Germantown Kiwanis Club

Fact 7: Senior Club Champ, Golf.

Fact 8: Carves and paints duck decoys

More About KAREN LEA WALKER:

Fact 1: From Ponca City Ok

Fact 2: Grad Oklahoma State Univ. Chi. Omega Sorority

More About BONNIE JEAN(MOORE) DOYLE:

Fact 1: Born Washington D. C. Adopted 1946

Fact 2: New Albany Miss. city schools

Fact 3: Grad Miss. State University for Women, Countess Soc. Club, Sigma Alpha Eta Hon.

Fact 4: 1998, Speech Therapist-- Memphis City Schools-25 yrs

Fact 5: Hobbies-home crafts and greeting cards

Children of BENJAMIN SMITH and KAREN WALKER are:

- i. STEPHANIE LEIGH⁸ SMITH, b. April 15, 1970, Memphis, TN..

More About STEPHANIE LEIGH SMITH:

Fact 1: 1988, Grad Germantown High, Tn.

Fact 2: 1992, Grad Texas Christain Univ. Social Work

Fact 3: 1996, Grad Univ. of Houston M.S. Social Work

Fact 4: 1998, Practicing in Houston

Fact 5: 5'4" Blond Hair Blue eyes

- ii. ANDREW W. SMITH, b. January 09, 1973, Memphis Tn..

More About ANDREW W. SMITH:

Fact 1: 1991, Grad Germantown High Tn.

Fact 2: 1995, Grad Univ. of Tenn Knoxville B.S. Bus. Admin., Lacrosse

Fact 3: 1998, Works EFS (banking systems)

Fact 4: 5'11 " Blond hair Blue eyes 175lbs

Children of BENJAMIN SMITH and BONNIE DOYLE are:

iii. BRIAN PAUL⁸ DOYLE, b. April 01, 1973.

More About BRIAN PAUL DOYLE:

Fact 1: 1996, Grad. Univ. of Memphis

Fact 2: Fund raising rep. St. Jude Childrens Hospital

Fact 3: Leukemia survivor-St. Jude

iv. MELLISA ELIZABETH DOYLE, b. August 25, 1977.

More About MELLISA ELIZABETH DOYLE:

Fact 1: 1998, Junior-Univ. of Memphis Bus. Admin.

107. CURTIS STEPHENS⁷ ROGERS (*CURTIS STEPHENS ROGERS⁶ (1), MATTIE VENABLE⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born February 20, 1947 in St. Louis, Mo. (Adopted). He married JOAN CATHERINE HALE.

More About CURTIS STEPHENS ROGERS:

Fact 1: Grad Pine Pluff High School

Fact 2: St. Joseph's College Austin, Texas

Fact 3: Grad University of Ark. Montecello, Ark., B. S. Chemistry

Fact 4: Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington D.C.

More About JOAN CATHERINE HALE:

Fact 1: Employed Federal Govt. Washington, D.C.

Children of CURTIS ROGERS and JOAN HALE are:

i. STEPHANIE MARY⁸ ROGERS, b. January 30, 1978, Arlington Va..

More About STEPHANIE MARY ROGERS:

Fact 1: Virginia Tech University

ii. CURTIS STEPHENS ROGERS III, b. December 30, 1979, Arlington, Va..

108. JOHANNA ELIZABETH⁷ ROGERS (*CURTIS STEPHENS ROGERS⁶ (1), MATTIE VENABLE⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 21, 1951 in Benton, Ark. (Adopted). She married VERNIE LESLIE HARRIS.

More About JOHANNA ELIZABETH ROGERS:

Fact 1: Grad Pine Bluff Ark. High

Fact 2: Arkansas Tech Univ.

Children of JOHANNA ROGERS and VERNIE HARRIS are:

i. MICHAEL SHANE⁸ HARRIS, b. September 29, 1970, Pine Bluff, Ark..

ii. CURTIS LESLIE HARRIS, b. February 12, 1977.

iii. ANGELA SHANNON HARRIS, b. January 02, 1979, Springdale, Ark..

More About ANGELA SHANNON HARRIS:

Fact 1: Grad Flippen High, Ark.

Fact 2: Attends Arkansas Tech Univ. Basketball Scholarship

109. FLETCHER BODKEY⁷ SMITH I (*MARY FRANCIS⁶ ROGERS, MATTIE VENABLE⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 09, 1935 in Stuttgart, Ark. He married SHIRLEY ADAIR August 18, 1956 in Louisville, Ky..

More About FLETCHER BODKEY SMITH I:

Fact 1: Grad. Camden High School, Quarterback football

Fact 2: Attended Sewanne University

Fact 3: Grad University of Ark. Geology

Fact 4: International Paper Co. Pinebluff, Ark.

Fact 5: Georgia Pacific, pulp mill superintendant

Fact 6: Geo.Pac Zackery La. Mill Manager

Fact 7: Belliott Paper Machinery Co. International Sales Executive

Fact 8: Indonesia. Retired 1997

Fact 9: Vestry, Episcopal Church

Fact 10: Resides Little Rock, Ark.

Children of FLETCHER SMITH and SHIRLEY ADAIR are:

132. i. FLETCHER BODKEY SMITH⁸ JR., b. January 02, 1958, Fayetteville, Ark..
- ii. MATHEW ADAIR SMITH AKA MATT, b. September 12, 1960, Pine Bluff, Ark..

More About MATHEW ADAIR SMITH AKA MATT:

Fact 1: 1978, Crossett High School Crossett, Ark.

Fact 2: Louisiana Tech University, B.S. Bus. Admin.

Fact 3: Batchelor

Fact 4: Worked in import market China and Indonesia

110. JOHN TYLER⁷ ARNOLD III (*JOHN TYLER⁶, ANNIE MAE⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born October 10, 1942 in Camden Ark., and died June 10, 1998 in Helena Ark.. He married PAT BEASLEY.

More About JOHN TYLER ARNOLD III:

Fact 1: Univ. of Ark and Southern State College

Fact 2: Construction Business with Father for 10 years

Fact 3: Specialty publication advertising sales

Fact 4: very likeable and outgoing

Children of JOHN ARNOLD and PAT BEASLEY are:

133. i. CINDY MICHELLE⁸ ARNOLD, b. August 20, 1963.
- ii. JOHN TYLER ARNOLD IV, b. November 01, 1965.

111. PAMELA SUE⁷ ARNOLD (*JOHN TYLER⁶, ANNIE MAE⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 14, 1946 in Camden, Ark.. She married JAMES

LAKE POWERS.

More About PAMELA SUE ARNOLD:

Fact 1: Grad Bus. Admin. Univ. of Ark.

Fact 2: Worked in Office of Sen. John McClellan, Ark.

Fact 3: Lives Houston , TX.

More About JAMES LAKE POWERS:

Fact 1: Lawyer

Child of PAMELA ARNOLD and JAMES POWERS is:

- i. ELIZABETH DAWN⁸ POWERS, b. December 21, 1978.

112. ANNIE BANKS⁷ MORRIS (*MILRENE FRANCES⁶ ARNOLD, ANNIE MAE⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born February 12, 1947 in Camden Arkansas. She married BARNEY STEWART.

More About ANNIE BANKS MORRIS:

Fact 1: Memphis State University Pi Beta Phi

Child of ANNIE MORRIS and BARNEY STEWART is:

- i. KELLY MILRENE CORRINE⁸ STEWART, b. August 04, 1981.

113. WALTER ABSOLOM⁷ SKIP⁷ HORNE (*WALTER ABSALOM⁶, IDA VESTA⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*). He married PAT.

Children of WALTER HORNE and PAT are:

- i. WALTER ABSOLOM⁸ WALLY⁸ HORNE.

- ii. SPRING HORNE.

- iii. ALEXIS HORNE.

114. SANDRA LEE⁷ CHINN (*MILDRED VESTA⁶ HORNE, IDA VESTA⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born September 29, 1942 in Camden, Ark.. She married FREDERICK BRYANT FILES March 01, 1968 in Columbia, S.C..

More About SANDRA LEE CHINN:

Fact 1: Resides in Charlotte, N.C.

Fact 2: Grad Dreher High Columbia, S.C.

Fact 3: Furman University, Greenville, S.C.

Fact 4: Basket maker hobby

Child of SANDRA CHINN and FREDERICK FILES is:

- i. FREDERICK BRYANT FILES⁸ JR., b. November 08, 1972, Charlotte, N.C..

115. JUNELLEN⁷ CHINN (*MILDRED VESTA⁶ HORNE, IDA VESTA⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born April 26, 1947 in El Dorado, Ark.. She married WILLIAM ELLIS MURRAY August 30, 1969 in Charlotte, N.C..

Children of JUNELLEN CHINN and WILLIAM MURRAY are:

- i. SAMANTHA ASHLEY⁸ MURRAY, b. December 05, 1976, Charlotte, N.C..
- ii. WILLIAM ELLIS "WILL" MURRAY, b. December 11, 1978, Charlotte, N.C..

116. MARY CAROLYN⁷ CHINN (*MILDRED VESTA⁶ HORNE, IDA VESTA⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 20, 1949 in El Dorado, ARk.. She married (1) BRIAN GASTOL. She married (2) JAMES ELWIN HAMILTON.

Children of MARY CHINN and JAMES HAMILTON are:

- i. THOMAS EUGENE⁸ HAMILTON, b. July 09, 1977, Raleigh.N.C..
- ii. HEATHER CHINN HAMILTON, b. July 27, 1979, Raleigh N.C..

117. SUSAN CAROL⁷ CROWDER (*MARY JOANNA⁶ HORNE, IDA VESTA⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born February 23, 1956 in Camden., Ark.. She married JAMES RAY VENEMAN August 03, 1974 in Fordyce, Ark..

Children of SUSAN CROWDER and JAMES VENEMAN are:

- i. JUSTIN COLE⁸ VENEMAN, b. April 04, 1982, Pine Bluff Ark..
- ii. ERIN LANE VENEMAN, b. April 13, 1985, Fort Worth, Tx..
- iii. NATHAN JAMES VENEMAN, b. May 23, 1987, Nashville, TN..

118. SCHREE⁷ ROGERS (*JOHN EDWIN⁶, AYLMEER HARRIS⁵, ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born March 22, 1954. She married TERRY BRYANT.

More About SCHREE ROGERS:

Fact 1: lives in Charleston, Ark. 1998

Child of SCHREE ROGERS and TERRY BRYANT is:

- i. JOHN WESLEY⁸ BRYANT.

119. STEVEN VIRGIL⁷ ROGERS (*WAYNE NORMAN⁶, AYLMEER HARRIS⁵, ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born November 25, 1951. He married DEBBIE.

More About STEVEN VIRGIL ROGERS:

Fact 1: Family lives Ouachita County

Fact 2: Members at Bethesda Cumberland Pres. Church

Children of STEVEN ROGERS and DEBBIE are:

- i. ROBBIE⁸ ROGERS, b. 1974.
- ii. SHANNON ROGERS, b. 1981.
- iii. KYLE ROGERS, b. 1985.

120. LESLEY ANNE (LISA)⁷ ROGERS (*WILLIAM TYSON⁶, WILEY MORTON⁵, ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born June 21, 1948.

Child of LESLEY ANNE (LISA) ROGERS is:

- i. KYLE ADAM⁸ RILEY, b. February 03, 1972.

121. KIRK ERICK⁷ ROGERS (*WILLIAM TYSON⁶, WILEY MORTON⁵, ALONZA DANIEL⁴, WILEY M.³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born February 16, 1956. He married JEAN MARIE DOMENICO September 08, 1985.

Children of KIRK ROGERS and JEAN DOMENICO are:

- i. KATHERINE REGINA⁸ ROGERS, b. September 17, 1989.
- ii. EVAN WILLIAM ROGERS, b. March 18, 1993.
- iii. SCOTT PHILIP ROGERS, b. March 18, 1993.

Generation No. 8

122. VIVIAN DAWN⁸ FORREST (*LOLA JEAN⁷ LOVETT, HAZEL DELAMAR⁶ ROGERS, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born October 28, 1946 in Morton, MS¹⁷⁴. She married (1) DON BUTLER. She married (2) JOHN DAVID GIRDLEY 1997.

More About VIVIAN DAWN FORREST:

Fact 1: Miss. State College for Women

Fact 2: U.S. Govt. Army Defense

Child of VIVIAN FORREST and DON BUTLER is:

- i. ROBIN ELIZABETH⁹ BUTLER, b. August 15, 1969.

123. DELL HAMPTON⁸ FORREST (*LOLA JEAN⁷ LOVETT, HAZEL DELAMAR⁶ ROGERS, WILLIAM*

ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹) was born November 16, 1948¹⁷⁵. She married STANLEY FLOYD DODSON.

More About DELL HAMPTON FORREST:

Fact 1: Grad University of Southern Miss

Fact 2: School Teacher Elem, Memphis City Schools

Children of DELL FORREST and STANLEY DODSON are:

- i. ALYSON ELIZABETH⁹ DODSON, b. August 16, 1974.

- ii. JASON STANLEY DODSON, b. July 07, 1978.

124. *CYNTHIA JOHANNA⁸ MYATT (LOLA JEAN⁷ LOVETT, HAZEL DELAMAR⁶ ROGERS, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹)* was born March 09, 1962 in Morton, MS¹⁷⁶. She married ROBERT MOORE December 1985 in Morton, Ms..

More About CYNTHIA JOHANNA MYATT:

Fact 1: R.N. Mississippi College

Fact 2: State Home. Research Division

Children of CYNTHIA MYATT and ROBERT MOORE are:

- i. JOHANNA ELIZABETH⁹ MOORE, b. March 1986¹⁷⁷.

- ii. JESSICA LAUREN MOORE, b. June 1991¹⁷⁸.

- iii. ROBERT MATHEW MYATT MOORE, b. June 1992¹⁷⁹.

125. *JEAN DELAMAR⁸ ALPHANSO (DELAMAR ROGERS⁷ LOVETT, HAZEL DELAMAR⁶ ROGERS, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹)* was born April 25, 1955 in Gulfport, Ms.. She married EDDIE DON STASH May 28, 1977 in Gulfport, Ms..

More About JEAN DELAMAR ALPHANSO:

Fact 1: Grad University of Southern Mississippi Bus. Delta Gamma

Fact 2: University of Tex. San. Ant. -Teachers Certificate

Children of JEAN ALPHANSO and EDDIE STASH are:

- i. RANDI MORRISSETTE⁹ STASH, b. November 26, 1989, Fort Worth, Tex..

- ii. BRYCE DECIDUE STASH, b. November 26, 1989, Fort Worth, Texas.

126. *REBECCA SUSAN⁸ ROGERS (JOHN MILBEN⁷, BENNY CLYDE⁶, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹)* was born November 14, 1952 in Jackson, MS. She married (1) JOE MATULICH 1975 in Morton, MS. She married (2) JEFF WRIGHT Abt. 1990.

Child of REBECCA ROGERS and JEFF WRIGHT is:

- i. ALLYSON LEE⁹ WRIGHT, b. October 14, 1991, Oakland, CA.

127. CAROLYN ANN⁸ ROGERS (*JOHN MILBEN⁷, BENNY CLYDE⁶, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born September 26, 1954 in Jackson, Hinds County, MS. She married (1) MICHAEL WALLIS, SR. 1976. She married (2) PAUL BEVAN-THOMAS Aft. 1988.

Child of CAROLYN ROGERS and MICHAEL WALLIS is:

- i. MICHAEL⁹ WALLIS, JR., b. July 18, 1979, Jackson, MS.

128. CATHERINE LYNN⁸ ROGERS (*JOHN MILBEN⁷, BENNY CLYDE⁶, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born May 22, 1956 in Jackson, Hinds County, MS. She married (1) JIMMY BARBER 1976. She married (2) RICHARD GRANT FLORES October 19, 1991 in Lake Tahoe, CA.

Child of CATHERINE ROGERS and RICHARD FLORES is:

- i. ZACHARY BENJAMIN⁹ FLORES, b. January 05, 1992, San Francisco, CA.

129. RICHARD JACKSON⁸ ROGERS, SR. (*JOHN MILBEN⁷, BENNY CLYDE⁶, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born May 12, 1960 in Morton, Scott County, MS. He married THERESA LYNN ZUBATUK July 16, 1983 in Jackson, Ms.¹⁸⁰, daughter of MICHAEL ZUBATUK and GARNETT GRIFFIN.

Children of RICHARD ROGERS and THERESA ZUBATUK are:

- i. RICHARD JACKSON⁹ ROGERS, JR., b. January 11, 1990, Woman's Hospital, Flowood, MS¹⁸¹.
- ii. DEVON GRIFFIN ROGERS, b. May 07, 1993, Woman's Hospital, Flowood, MS¹⁸².

130. ANGELA JANNELLE⁸ ROGERS (*JOHN MILBEN⁷, BENNY CLYDE⁶, WILLIAM ROBERT⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born September 20, 1961 in Morton, Scott County, MS. She married JOHN HANNON PROCTOR June 02, 1989 in Morton, MS.

Children of ANGELA ROGERS and JOHN PROCTOR are:

- i. HANNAH ELIZABETH⁹ PROCTOR, b. September 24, 1989, Woman's Hospital, Jackson, MS.
- ii. JACOB ROGERS PROCTOR, b. October 24, 1996, St. Thomas Hospital, Nashville, TN.

131. PAUL ROGERS⁸ SMITH (*HOWARD THOMPSON⁷, PAULINE VIRGINIA⁶ ROGERS, MATTIE VENABLE⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born September 28, 1964 in Baton Rouge, La.. He married KATHRYN KEISSLING BARRETT July 13, 1996 in Carmel, California.

More About PAUL ROGERS SMITH:

Fact 1: Grad Cincinnati private high school

Fact 2: Duke University, Sigma Chi

Fact 3: Columbia University, MBA

Fact 4: Tropicana, Marketing Exec. Sarasota Fla.

More About KATHRYN KIESSLING BARRETT:

Fact 1: St. Pauls School NH- Univ. of Cal Davis Pol. Sci., French

Fact 2: Para Legal- School Teacher

Child of PAUL SMITH and KATHRYN BARRETT is:

- i. PAUL ROGERS SMITH⁹ JR., b. April 13, 1998.

More About PAUL ROGERS SMITH JR.:

Fact 1: Born Sarasota, Fla. 8 # 6 1/2 oz. 21 inches

132. FLETCHER BODKEY SMITH⁸ JR. (*FLETCHER BODKEY⁷ SMITH I, MARY FRANCIS⁶ ROGERS, MATTIE VENABLE⁵, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born January 02, 1958 in Fayetteville, Ark.. He married ANN ELIZABETH ORSI June 03, 1988 in Little Rock, Ark..

More About FLETCHER BODKEY SMITH JR.:

Fact 1: 1976, Grad Zackery High School La.

Fact 2: Louisiana Tech University

Child of FLETCHER JR. and ANN ORSI is:

- i. FLETCHER B. "JACK"⁹ SMITH III, b. September 18, 1991.

133. CINDY MICHELLE⁸ ARNOLD (*JOHN TYLER⁷, JOHN TYLER⁶, ANNIE MAE⁵ ROGERS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁴, EPHRIAM DANIEL³, JONATHAN², JONATHAN¹*) was born August 20, 1963. She married WALDEN.

Child of CINDY ARNOLD and WALDEN is:

- i. AMANDA CLARE⁹ WALDEN, b. November 13, 1987.

Descendants of Ephriam Daniel Rogers

1 Ephriam Daniel ROGERS b: November 04, 1817 in GA d: March 07, 1901 in Ouachita Co., AR
.. +Martha Ann L. BOOTH b: February 17, 1822 in GA m: December 27, 1838 in Prattville, Autauga Co., AL d: October 09, 1890 in Ouachita Co., AR
..... 2 Charles Booth ROGERS b: Abt. 1839 in Autauga Co., AL d: 1906
..... 2 Martha Ann ROGERS b: 1845 in Autauga Co., AL d: Unknown
..... +Kirk MCDONALD b: Abt. 1847 m: Abt. 1868 in Ouachita County, AR. d: Unknown
..... 3 William MCDONALD b: 1869
..... 3 Johnnie MCDONALD b: 1871
..... 3 Elinora MCDONALD b: 1874
..... 2 Mary L. ROGERS b: November 16, 1846 in Autauga, Co., AL. d: July 30, 1899 in Ouachita Co. Ark.
..... +William H. CARTER b: February 18, 1846 m: in Ouachita Co. Ark. d: May 19, 1918
..... 2 Nancy ROGERS b: 1846 in Autauga Co., AL d: Bef. 1850
..... 2 Jonathan R. ROGERS b: September 29, 1848 in Autauga Co., AL d: July 30, 1924 in Camden, Ark.
..... +Martha C. HOLCOMB b: October 08, 1842 m: December 24, 1868 in Arkansas d: January 08, 1902 in Ark.
..... 3 George W. ROGERS b: October 17, 1871 in Ouachita Co. Ark. d: November 27, 1898 in Ouachita, Co. Ark.
..... 3 Elizabeth ROGERS b: April 03, 1875 in Camden Ark. d: March 21, 1934
..... +Wiley B. YARBOROUGH b: July 23, 1870 in Buena Vista d: December 28, 1961 in Camden Ark.
..... 4 Mildred Rogers YARBOROUGH b: June 23, 1915 in Camden, Ark.
..... +Van ROGERS b: April 11, 1915 in Ouachita Co. Ark. d: May 22, 1984 in Springhill, La
..... 5 Martha Kathryn ROGERS b: January 07, 1941
..... +S.L. SLACK b: in Springhill, La.
..... 5 Larry Michael ROGERS b: March 10, 1943 in Springhill, La.
..... +Katharyn EASTER b: October 26, 1958 in Athens, Alabama
..... 4 Maude YARBOROUGH
..... 4 J. Byron YARBOROUGH
..... 4 Velma Kathryn YARBOROUGH
..... 4 Freida Elizabeth YARBOROUGH
..... 4 Winnifred YARBOROUGH
..... 3 William James ROGERS b: September 28, 1888 d: October 10, 1959
..... +Lou Ora ANDERS b: March 04, 1892 d: August 24, 1973
..... 4 James G. ROGERS b: 1908
..... 4 Margarite ROGERS
..... 4 Mable ROGERS
..... 4 Bill ROGERS
..... 3 Infant ROGERS
..... 2 William J. ROGERS b: November 13, 1849 d: October 22, 1921
..... +Sarah A. ROGERS b: October 23, 1855 in Ouachita Co., AR d: July 29, 1927 in Ouachita Co., AR
..... 3 Lucille?? ROGERS b: 1878
..... 3 Fowler ROGERS b: 1880
..... 2 Benjamin Franklin ROGERS b: October 13, 1852 in Autauga Co., AL d: April 21, 1933 in Elliott, AR
..... +Martha Joanna VENABLE b: March 03, 1856 in Madison Co., GA m: November 02, 1873 in Seven (7) miles south of Camden, AR d: August 10, 1936 in Elliott, AR
..... 3 Mary Beulah ROGERS b: 1874 d: 1895
..... 3 William Robert ROGERS b: July 16, 1875 in Elliott, AR d: April 01, 1950 in Morton, Scott County, MS
..... +Luevenie Pauline LANE b: May 09, 1876 in Ft. Smith, AR m: 1894 in Arkansas d: May 15, 1968 in Morton, Scott County, MS
..... 4 Lola Mae ROGERS b: April 12, 1898 in Elliotte, AR d: January 12, 1998 in Morton, Ms.
..... +Homer P. THORNTON b: March 05, 1892 d: September 1978 in Morton, MS
..... 5 [1] Tommy Francis Rogers THORNTON b: March 1929
..... +[2] Eloise b: Unknown
..... 6 [3] Debbie THORNTON b: Unknown
..... 6 [4] Delwyn THORNTON b: Unknown
..... 6 [5] Dion THORNTON b: Unknown
..... 5 Bennie Ruth THORNTON b: June 10, 1925
..... 4 Victor Carter ROGERS, Sr. b: September 18, 1900 d: March 1963
..... +Dorothy GRAHAM b: Unknown d: Unknown
..... 5 Victor Carter ROGERS, Jr. b: Unknown
..... 5 Homer ROGERS b: Unknown
..... 5 Pete ROGERS b: Unknown
..... 5 Sallie ROGERS b: Unknown
..... 5 Clara ROGERS b: Unknown
..... 5 Lola Lane ROGERS b: Unknown
..... 5 Elizabeth ROGERS b: Unknown
..... 5 Dortha Nelle ROGERS b: Unknown
..... 5 Edgar Myer ROGERS b: Unknown
..... *2nd Wife of Victor Carter Rogers, Sr.:
..... +Emma PATE b: Unknown d: Unknown
..... 5 William ROGERS b: June 1922 d: Unknown
..... 5 Mattie Vivian ROGERS b: February 25, 1924
..... 5 [1] Tommy Francis Rogers THORNTON b: March 1929
..... +[2] Eloise b: Unknown
..... 6 [3] Debbie THORNTON b: Unknown
..... 6 [4] Delwyn THORNTON b: Unknown
..... 6 [5] Dion THORNTON b: Unknown
..... 4 Hazel DeLamar ROGERS b: June 17, 1904 in McMurry, AR d: April 1976 in Morton, Scott County, MS
..... +John Prentiss Myer LOVETT b: 1902 d: 1962
..... 5 Lola Jean LOVETT b: April 06, 1924 in Morton, MS
..... +Percy FORREST b: Unknown m: January 02, 1946 d: Unknown

..... 6 Vivian Dawn FORREST b: October 28, 1946 in Morton, MS
 +Don BUTLER b: Unknown d: Unknown
 7 Robin Elizabeth BUTLER b: August 15, 1969
 *2nd Husband of Vivian Dawn Forrest:
 +John David GIRDLEY b: July 24, 1945 in Tn. m: 1997
 6 Dell Hampton FORREST b: November 16, 1948
 +Stanley Floyd DODSON
 7 Alyson Elizabeth DODSON b: August 16, 1974
 7 Jason Stanley DODSON b: July 07, 1978
 *2nd Husband of Lola Jean Lovett:
 +Clyde MYATT b: November 26, 1919 m: May 17, 1954 d: February 02, 1970
 6 James Clyde MYATT b: August 31, 1956 in Morton, Ms. d: February 02, 1987 in Morton, Ms.
 6 Cynthia Johanna MYATT b: March 09, 1962 in Morton, MS
 +Robert MOORE b: November 25, 1997 m: December 1985 in Morton, Ms.
 7 Johanna Elizabeth MOORE b: March 1986
 7 Jessica Lauren MOORE b: June 1991
 7 Robert Mathew Myatt MOORE b: June 1992
 5 DeLamar Rogers LOVETT b: December 08, 1927 in Morton, Ms. d: July 04, 1990 in Abilene, Tx.
 +Salvador Decidue ALPHANSO b: April 26, 1920 in Gulf Port Ms. m: July 07, 1953 in Morton, Ms. d: July 03, 1984
 6 Jean Delamar ALPHANSO b: April 25, 1955 in Gulfport, Ms.
 +Eddie Don STASH b: September 24, 1953 in Wichita Falls, Tx. m: May 28, 1977 in Gulfport, Ms.
 7 Randi Morrissette STASH b: November 26, 1989 in Fort Worth, Tex.
 7 Bryce Decidue STASH b: November 26, 1989 in Fort Worth, Texas
 5 Albert Myer LOVETT b: February 02, 1937 in Morton, MS
 +Theresa Lanell SMITH b: July 28, 1938 in Forrest, Ms. m: September 06, 1958 in Forrest, Ms.
 6 Teresa Lynn LOVETT b: September 21, 1965
 6 John Myer LOVETT b: November 26, 1968
 5 Benjamin Rogers LOVETT b: Stillborn
 4 Benny Clyde ROGERS, Sr. b: July 10, 1906 in Jonesboro, LA d: February 26, 1972 in Morton, Scott County, MS
 +Mildred Regina VIGNES b: April 01, 1906 in New Roads, Pointe Coupee Parish, LA m: April 30, 1928 in Pointe Coupee, La. d: December 19, 1974 in
 Phoenix, AZ
 5 John Milben ROGERS, Sr. b: June 13, 1929 in Morton, Scott County, MS
 +Jackie Sue NEWSOM b: May 28, 1932 in Eldorado, AR m: December 22, 1951 in First Baptist Church, Jackson, MS
 6 Rebecca Susan ROGERS b: November 14, 1952 in Jackson, MS
 +Joe MATULICH b: Unknown m: 1975 in Morton, MS
 *2nd Husband of Rebecca Susan Rogers:
 +Jeff WRIGHT b: Unknown in AZ m: Abt. 1990
 7 Allyson Lee WRIGHT b: October 14, 1991 in Oakland, CA
 6 Carolyn Ann ROGERS b: September 26, 1954 in Jackson, Hinds County, MS
 +Michael WALLIS, Sr. b: Unknown m: 1976 d: Unknown
 7 Michael WALLIS, Jr. b: July 18, 1979 in Jackson, MS
 *2nd Husband of Carolyn Ann Rogers:
 +Paul BEVAN-THOMAS b: January 17, 1961 in London, England m: Aft. 1988
 6 Catherine Lynn ROGERS b: May 22, 1956 in Jackson, Hinds County, MS
 +Jimmy BARBER b: Unknown m: 1976 d: Unknown
 *2nd Husband of Catherine Lynn Rogers:
 +Richard Grant FLORES b: July 21, 1955 in Oakland, CA m: October 19, 1991 in Lake Tahoe, CA
 7 Zachary Benjamin FLORES b: January 05, 1992 in San Francisco, CA
 6 John Milben ROGERS, Jr. b: July 08, 1957 in Jackson, Hinds County, MS
 +Polly RILEY b: 1969 in Morton, Ms. m: 1990 in Morton, Ms.
 *2nd Wife of John Milben Rogers, Jr.:
 +Jill McDowell HAYES b: July 12, 1968 in Memphis, TN m: 1996 in Brandon, MS
 6 Richard Jackson ROGERS, Sr. b: May 12, 1960 in Morton, Scott County, MS
 +Theresa Lynn ZUBATUK b: May 24, 1961 in St. Dominic's Hospital, Jackson, MS m: July 16, 1983 in Jackson, Ms.
 7 Richard Jackson ROGERS, Jr. b: January 11, 1990 in Woman's Hospital, Flowood, MS
 7 Devon Griffin ROGERS b: May 07, 1993 in Woman's Hospital, Flowood, MS
 6 Angela Janelle ROGERS b: September 20, 1961 in Morton, Scott County, MS
 +John Hannon PROCTOR b: April 06, 1960 in Birmingham, AL m: June 02, 1989 in Morton, MS
 7 Hannah Elizabeth PROCTOR b: September 24, 1989 in Woman's Hospital, Jackson, MS
 7 Jacob Rogers PROCTOR b: October 24, 1996 in St. Thomas Hospital, Nashville, TN
 *2nd Wife of John Milben Rogers, Sr.:
 +Helen Sandra DABBS b: May 09, 1940 in Aberdeen, MS m: May 1969 in First Baptist Church in Jackson, MS
 *3rd Wife of John Milben Rogers, Sr.:
 +Nellie Beth HARRIS b: September 03, 1956 m: December 1988
 *2nd Wife of Benny Clyde Rogers, Sr.:
 +Janelle PATRICK b: April 02, 1919 in Forkville, Scott Co., MS m: January 10, 1942 in Morton, MS d: November 18, 1995 in Jackson, MS
 5 Martha ROGERS b: October 14, 1942 in Morton, Ms
 +Robert GAYLOR
 6 [6] Martha Janelle BROWN b: September 13, 1964 in Jackson, Ms
 6 [7] Kathlenee BROWN b: May 08, 1967 in Jackson, MS
 +[8] Louis Ramon BRUNO b: November 1969 in New York, N.Y.
 *2nd Husband of Martha Rogers:
 +Mac ELLIOTTE b: Unknown
 *3rd Husband of Martha Rogers:
 +Eugene BROWN b: 1940 m: June 1963
 6 [6] Martha Janelle BROWN b: September 13, 1964 in Jackson, Ms
 6 [7] Kathlenee BROWN b: May 08, 1967 in Jackson, MS

..... +[8] Louis Ramon BRUNO b: November 1969 in New York, N.Y>
..... 5 Benny Clyde ROGERS, Jr. b: October 10, 1947 in Morton, Ms.
..... +Mary Randall MELTON b: July 10, 1949 in Greenwood, Ms. m: June 25, 1971 in Greenwood, Ms.
..... 6 Mary Alison ROGERS b: August 28, 1973
..... +John Cameron DINKINS m: June 28, 1997 in Morton, Ms.
..... 6 Benny Clyde ROGERS III b: April 09, 1977
..... 4 Robert Duval ROGERS b: October 20, 1910 in Elliotte, AR d: Unknown
..... +Cornelia BROADFOOT b: November 09, 1904 d: October 1980
..... 5 Frederick Broadfoot ROGERS b: April 16, 1930 d: October 15, 1993
..... 5 Robert Duval Rogers JR. b: Unknown
..... 5 James Delonore ROGERS b: Unknown
..... 5 Camelia June ROGERS b: Unknown
..... 4 Cynthia Ailene ROGERS b: March 16, 1913 in Morton, Scott County, MS d: Unknown
..... +Alva PENTON b: July 23, 1901 d: April 1970
..... 5 Alva Lane PENTON b: Unknown
..... 5 Robert Rogers PENTON b: Unknown
..... 5 Patrick Francis PENTON b: Unknown
..... 4 Francis Marion ROGERS b: Stillborn d: Stillborn
..... 3 Mattie Venable ROGERS b: July 06, 1882 d: April 30, 1941
..... +Emma STEPHENS b: July 30, 1888 in Cross Roads, Ouachita Co., AR d: March 06, 1953
..... 4 Pauline Virginia ROGERS b: August 19, 1909 in Elliott, AR d: May 31, 1964 in Pine Bluff (Jefferson Hospital) , Ark.
..... +Howard Thompson Smith (BUTCH) b: September 19, 1906 in Camden, Arkansas m: November 29, 1931 in Fayetteville, Arkansas d: April 04, 1970 in
Arkadelphia, Ar. in route to Springhill, La.
..... 5 Howard Thompson SMITH b: April 30, 1937 in Camden , Ark
..... +Ann MONROE b: August 30, 1940 m: March 16, 1962 in New Orleans, LA
..... 6 Paul Rogers SMITH b: September 28, 1964 in Baton Rouge , La.
..... +Kathryn Kiessling BARRETT b: March 20, 1969 in New Haven, CT. m: July 13, 1996 in Carmel, California
..... 7 Paul Rogers Smith JR. b: April 13, 1998
..... 6 Elizabeth Monroe SMITH b: May 03, 1966 in Baton Rouge La.
..... 5 Benjamin Rogers SMITH b: February 17, 1943 in Springhill, La.
..... +Karen Lea WALKER b: November 26, 1944 in Ponca City, Ok. m: December 09, 1967 in Houston, Tex.
..... 6 Stephanie Leigh SMITH b: April 15, 1970 in Memphis, TN.
..... 6 Andrew W. SMITH b: January 09, 1973 in Memphis Tn.
..... *2nd Wife of Benjamin Rogers Smith:
..... +Bonnie Jean(Moore) DOYLE m: August 13, 1994 in Kingsway Chapel, Memphis, Tn.
..... 6 Brian Paul DOYLE b: April 01, 1973
..... 6 Mellisa Elizabeth DOYLE b: August 25, 1977
..... 4 Curtis Stephens Rogers (1) b: March 12, 1912 in Smackover, Arkansas d: March 03, 1967 in Pine Bluff, Ark.
..... +Elizabeth Lula "Bettie Lu" GAUGHAN b: February 02, 1918 in Camden, Ark. buried Greenwood Cemetary Camden Ark
..... 5 Curtis Stephens ROGERS b: February 20, 1947 in St. Louis, Mo. (Adopted)
..... +Joan Catherine HALE b: July 09, 1952 in Havertown, Pa.
..... 6 Stephanie Mary ROGERS b: January 30, 1978 in Arlington Va.
..... 6 Curtis Stephens ROGERS III b: December 30, 1979 in Arlington, Va.
..... 5 Johanna Elizabeth ROGERS b: April 21, 1951 in Benton, Ark. (Adopted)
..... +Vernie Leslie HARRIS b: April 21, 1948 in Mountain Home, Ark.
..... 6 Michael Shane HARRIS b: September 29, 1970 in Pine Bluff, Ark.
..... +Wendy Ann NORWOOD m: July 04, 1998 in Mountain Home, Arkansas
..... 6 Curtis Leslie HARRIS b: February 12, 1977
..... 6 Angela Shannon HARRIS b: January 02, 1979 in Springdale, Ark.
..... 4 Mary Francis ROGERS b: August 03, 1913 in Smackover, AR.
..... +Gerald Bodkey SMITH b: December 22, 1911 in Stuttgart, Ark. d: October 28, 1959 in Camden, Ark.
..... 5 Fletcher Bodkey SMITH I b: June 09, 1935 in Stuttgart, Ark
..... +Shirley ADAIR b: October 05, 1934 in Moyers, Oklahoma m: August 18, 1956 in Louisville, Ky.
..... 6 Fletcher Bodkey Smith JR. b: January 02, 1958 in Fayetteville, Ark.
..... +Ann Elizabeth ORSI b: July 02, 1962 in Upper Darby, Lancaster, Pennsylvania m: June 03, 1988 in Little Rock, Ark.
..... 7 Fletcher B. "Jack" SMITH III b: September 18, 1991
..... 6 Mathew Adair Smith aka MATT b: September 12, 1960 in Pine Bluff, Ark.
..... *2nd Husband of Mary Francis Rogers:
..... +John W. COLQUITT b: February 21, 1912 in Magnolia, AR. m: 1969 in Camden Arkansas
..... 3 Annie Mae ROGERS b: May 18, 1885 d: October 08, 1922
..... +[9] John Tyler ARNOLD I b: July 31, 1887 d: January 18, 1930
..... 4 William Erwin "Bill" ARNOLD b: July 16, 1909 d: March 23, 1929 in Camden, Ark.
..... 4 Edwin Rogers ARNOLD b: January 04, 1911 d: March 16, 1965 in Camden , Ark
..... +MELBA b: Unknown d: Unknown
..... 5 Annie Mae ARNOLD b: Unknown
..... +STININT
..... 5 Deborah ARNOLD
..... +Lyndsey //
..... 4 Rupert Naney ARNOLD b: June 05, 1915 d: August 04, 1943
..... 4 John Tyler ARNOLD II b: February 18, 1912 in Ouachita County
..... +UNKNOWN
..... 5 Sarah ARNOLD
..... 5 Clara Sue ARNOLD
..... *2nd Wife of John Tyler Arnold II:
..... +Mary Sue WILLIAMS b: July 11, 1919 in Tinsman(Calhoun Co.) Arkansas
..... 5 John Tyler ARNOLD III b: October 10, 1942 in Camden Ark. d: June 10, 1998 in Helena Ark.
..... +Pat BEASLEY b: June 29, 1944 in Tlexarkana, TX.

..... 6 Cindy Michelle ARNOLD b: August 20, 1963
..... +WALDEN

..... 7 Amanda Clare WALDEN b: November 13, 1987

..... 6 John Tyler ARNOLD IV b: November 01, 1965

..... 5 Pamela Sue ARNOLD b: April 14, 1946 in Camden, Ark.
..... +James Lake POWERS b: November 11, 1943 in Rochester, N.Y.

..... 6 Elizabeth Dawn POWERS b: December 21, 1978

..... 4 Broughton Worde ARNOLD b: August 23, 1919 in Ouachita County d: November 30, 1936 in County

..... 4 Milrene Frances ARNOLD b: July 18, 1918 in Ouachita Co., Ark.
..... +Jasper Byron Morris Aka JAP b: December 17, 1917 in Bastrop, La. (Morehouse Parish)

..... 5 Annie Banks MORRIS b: February 12, 1947 in Camden Arkansas
..... +Barney STEWART b: in Tunica County Miss

..... 6 Kelly Milrene Corrine STEWART b: August 04, 1981

..... 3 Clara Belle ROGERS b: March 25, 1889 d: September 14, 1977 in Camden, AR
..... +[9] John Tyler ARNOLD I b: July 31, 1887 m: Aft. October 1922 d: January 18, 1930

..... 3 Ida Vesta ROGERS b: December 05, 1891 in Elliott, AR d: March 20, 1976 in Camden, AR
..... +Walter Absalom HORNE b: October 17, 1879 m: March 07, 1915 d: 1951 in Camden, Ark.

..... 4 Walter Absalom HORNE, Jr. b: March 05, 1917
..... +JEAN

..... 5 Walter Absalom "Skip" HORNE
..... +PAT

..... 6 Walter Absalom "Wally" HORNE

..... 6 Spring HORNE

..... 6 Alexis HORNE

..... 5 David HORNE

..... 5 Johnny HORNE

..... 4 Mildred Vesta HORNE b: March 18, 1918 in Elliott, AR
..... +Thomas Daniel CHINN b: May 04, 1916 in Telihatchia, Ms. near Morton m: July 20, 1940 in Camden, Ark.

..... 5 Sandra Lee CHINN b: September 29, 1942 in Camden, Ark.
..... +Frederick Bryant FILES b: March 27, 1943 m: March 01, 1968 in Columbia, S.C.

..... 6 Frederick Bryant Files JR. b: November 08, 1972 in Charlotte, N.C.

..... 5 Junellen CHINN b: April 26, 1947 in El Dorado, Ark.
..... +William Ellis MURRAY b: December 11, 1978 in Fort Bragg, N.C. m: August 30, 1969 in Charlotte, N.C.

..... 6 Samantha Ashley MURRAY b: December 05, 1976 in Charlotte, N.C.

..... 6 William Ellis "Will" MURRAY b: December 11, 1978 in Charlotte, N.C.

..... 5 Mary Carolyn CHINN b: June 20, 1949 in El Dorado, Ark.
..... +Brian GASTOL

..... *2nd Husband of Mary Carolyn Chinn:
..... +James Elwin HAMILTON b: December 19, 1946 in Durham, N.C.

..... 6 Thomas Eugene HAMILTON b: July 09, 1977 in Raleigh, N.C.

..... 6 Heather Chinn HAMILTON b: July 27, 1979 in Raleigh, N.C.

..... 4 Mary Joanna HORNE b: February 04, 1931 in Camden, Ark
..... +Jackie Wayne "Jack" CROWDER b: January 25, 1931 in New Edinburg, Ark. m: October 04, 1953 in Camden, Ark.

..... 5 Susan Carol CROWDER b: February 23, 1956 in Camden, Ark.
..... +James Ray VENEMAN b: October 17, 1952 m: August 03, 1974 in Fordyce, Ark.

..... 6 Justin Cole VENEMAN b: April 04, 1982 in Pine Bluff Ark.

..... 6 Erin Lane VENEMAN b: April 13, 1985 in Fort Worth, Tx.

..... 6 Nathan James VENEMAN b: May 23, 1987 in Nashville, TN.

..... 5 Paul Wesley CROWDER b: November 16, 1957
..... +Karen Kay SHOFNER b: Unknown m: August 13, 1988

..... *2nd Wife of Paul Wesley Crowder:
..... +Alice Faye SHAW m: November 1993

..... 3 infant DIED

..... 2 Elizabeth W. ROGERS b: October 10, 1855 in Autauga, Co., AL. d: August 14, 1920 in Ouachita Co. Ark.
..... +George W. FORBES b: August 24, 1852 in Unknown m: Aft. 1877 d: Unknown in Ouachita Co. Ark.

..... 3 William FORBES b: 1878

..... 3 Sonora "Nora" FORBES b: 1879

..... 2 Emily J. ROGERS b: September 11, 1857 d: 1880 in Ouachita Co., AR
..... +John B. ALLEN b: February 1856 d: Unknown

..... 3 Alice ALLEN b: 1878

..... 2 Ellen Francis ROGERS b: May 02, 1860 in Camden, Ouachita Co., AR d: January 22, 1927 in Camden, Ouachita Co., AR
..... +John Green JEFFUS b: February 1857 in Camden, Ouachita Co., AR m: December 12, 1878 in Camden, Ouachita Co., AR d: October 22, 1920 in Camden, Ouachita Co., AR

..... 3 Jesse JEFFUS b: 1880

..... 3 Elroy JEFFUS b: June 1881

..... 3 Carrie JEFFUS b: November 1882

..... 3 Nancy Elizabeth JEFFUS b: June 11, 1886 d: June 12, 1931

..... 3 C. Judson JEFFUS b: August 1891 d: 1949

..... 3 George JEFFUS b: March 1899

..... 2 Sarah A. ROGERS b: Unknown d: Unknown

Descendants of Wiley M. Rogers

1 Wiley M. ROGERS b: September 13, 1824 in Autauga Co., AL d: December 11, 1887 in Ouachita Co., AR
.. +Malinda ROUNDTREE b: March 10, 1828 in GA m: January 22, 1846 in Chambers Co., Alabama d: July 13, 1887 in Ouachita Co., AR
..... 2 Sarah Jane ROGERS b: February 22, 1847 in AL d: May 07, 1925 in Ouachita Co., Ark.
..... +Edward Tucker DANIEL b: June 03, 1853 m: WFT Est. 1875-1908 d: July 30, 1932
..... 3 Mary Jane DANIEL b: Abt. 1866
..... 3 John DANIEL b: Abt. 1878
..... 3 Jason DANIEL b: Abt. 1879
..... 3 Z. DANIEL b: Abt. 1882
..... 3 B. DANIEL b: Abt. 1885
..... 3 Autrie DANIEL b: Abt. 1889
..... 3 Baby DANIEL b: Abt. 1899
..... 2 Jonathan Wiley ROGERS b: November 27, 1848 in Wetumpka, Autauga Co., AL d: May 07, 1931 in Ouachita Co., AR
..... +Eliza Elizabeth MITCHELL b: January 27, 1849 m: November 19, 1868 d: April 16, 1919 in Ouachita Co., AR
..... 3 Andrew Mathis ROGERS b: February 06, 1871 d: February 08, 1952
..... +Emma H. b: March 15, 1875 d: March 11, 1915
..... 4 Etta ROGERS b: January 1898 d: February 12, 1912
..... 4 Lizzie ROGERS b: November 1899
..... 4 William O. ROGERS
..... 4 N. ROGERS
..... 4 Frank ROGERS
..... 4 Baby ROGERS b: 1910
..... 3 Frances Elizabeth ROGERS b: December 21, 1872 d: February 21, 1889
..... 3 William Louis ROGERS b: April 06, 1865
..... 3 Nettie ROGERS b: January 25, 1898
..... 3 Jasper Monroe ROGERS b: August 29, 1876 d: January 19, 1883
..... 3 Henry Chesley ROGERS b: March 02, 1879
..... +Etta PEDRON m: December 28, 1902
..... 3 Annie Masura ROGERS b: April 20, 1882 d: July 26, 1882
..... 3 Mathey May ROGERS b: June 22, 1883 d: October 12, 1883
..... 3 Walter Harvey ROGERS b: November 29, 1886
..... +LENA
..... 4 Flora ROGERS b: 1904
..... 4 John W. ROGERS b: 1906
..... 3 Mary Liddy ROGERS b: December 01, 1887 d: July 04, 1888
..... 2 Cader R. ROGERS b: November 07, 1850 d: April 23, 1870
..... 2 Jasper Monroe ROGERS b: February 20, 1852 d: October 19, 1889
..... 2 Lovenia ROGERS b: 1853 d: WFT Est. 1854-1947
..... 2 Nancy Alphenie ROGERS b: December 29, 1855 in Camden, Ouachita County, AR d: July 06, 1930
..... +James Taylor DANIEL b: WFT Est. 1829-1855 d: WFT Est. 1879-1943
..... 2 Alonza Daniel ROGERS b: October 26, 1857 in Ouachita Co., AR d: June 06, 1921 in Montgomery AL.
..... +Emma E. MOODY b: September 23, 1863 in Ouachita Co., AR m: December 19, 1881 in AR d: February 15, 1928 in Ouachita Co., AR
..... 3 Martha Viola ROGERS b: July 05, 1883 d: August 14, 1939
..... +Milas Vaxter SMITH b: December 11, 1874
..... 3 Leslie Matthew ROGERS b: January 19, 1885 in Ouachita Co., AR d: January 21, 1947 in Ouachita Co., AR
..... +UNKNOWN
..... 4 Edith Pace JEFFUS
..... *2nd Wife of Leslie Matthew Rogers:
..... +Martha B. MOON b: May 06, 1884 d: April 12, 1965
..... 4 Adrian ROGERS
..... 4 Van ROGERS b: April 11, 1915 in Ouachita Co. Ark. d: May 22, 1984 in Springhill, La
..... +Mildred Rogers YARBOROUGH b: June 23, 1915 in Camden, Ark.
..... 5 Martha Kathryn ROGERS b: January 07, 1941
..... +S.L. SLACK b: in Springhill, La.
..... 5 Larry Michael ROGERS b: March 10, 1943 in Springhill, La.
..... +Katharyn EASTER b: October 26, 1958 in Athens, Alabama
..... 3 Eva Estelle ROGERS b: April 1887
..... +PACE
..... 4 Lyla PACE
..... +LLOYD
..... 3 Aylmer Harris ROGERS b: June 30, 1887 d: November 12, 1935
..... +Bessie ALLEN
..... 4 Imogene ROGERS
..... +KNIGHT
..... 5 Linda KNIGHT
..... +ROE
..... 4 John Edwin ROGERS b: September 06, 1933
..... +Patricia RENFRO b: February 08, 1934 m: October 24, 1952
..... 5 Schree ROGERS b: March 22, 1954
..... +Terry BRYANT
..... 6 John Wesley BRYANT
..... 5 Danthea Diane ROGERS b: August 24, 1958
..... +James METCALF m: December 31, 1998
..... 4 Wayne Norman ROGERS b: April 01, 1930
..... +Billie Dean TIDWELL b: August 11, 1929 m: August 04, 1948
..... 5 Norma Deanette ROGERS b: December 24, 1949

..... 5 Steven Virgil ROGERS b: November 25, 1951
 +DEBBIE
 6 Robbie ROGERS b: 1974
 6 Shannon ROGERS b: 1981
 6 Kyle ROGERS b: 1985
 5 Randle Wayne ROGERS b: May 29, 1962
 3 Alonzo Clyde ROGERS b: September 1888 d: 1947
 +Annie Laura BURTON b: 1892 d: 1951
 4 Clinton Ray ROGERS
 4 Mildred Denise ROGERS b: September 16, 1918
 +Odie GRAVES b: August 05, 1913 m: April 24, 1949
 3 Wiley Morton ROGERS b: March 08, 1889 d: September 21, 1963
 +Annie Ruth TYSON b: January 14, 1892
 4 William Tyson ROGERS b: November 23, 1919 in Camden Ark. d: December 12, 1994 in Worster, Mass.
 +Florence Lillian CARLSON b: October 06, 1921 m: December 05, 1947 in Worester, Mass. d: February 24, 1995 in Florida
 5 Lesley Anne (Lisa) ROGERS b: June 21, 1948
 6 Kyle Adam RILEY b: February 03, 1972
 5 Wiley Michael ROGERS b: May 04, 1951 d: April 19, 1969 in Worster, Mass.
 5 Kirk Erick ROGERS b: February 16, 1956
 +Jean Marie DOMENICO b: February 05, 1961 m: September 08, 1985
 6 Katherine Regina ROGERS b: September 17, 1989
 6 Evan William ROGERS b: March 18, 1993
 6 Scott Philip ROGERS b: March 18, 1993
 4 Bruce Rene ROGERS b: November 05, 1925 d: March 04, 1945
 *2nd Wife of Wiley Morton Rogers:
 +Iva Wright HAYS m: June 24, 1933
 4 Emmitt HAYS
 4 Richard HAYS
 +PAULINE
 5 Jimmie HAYS
 5 Kay HAYS
 5 son HAYS
 4 Billy HAYS
 3 Ance Victor ROGERS b: 1891
 +Jean B.
 4 Anne ROGERS
 +SMITH
 3 Mattie Ross ROGERS b: March 1892
 3 Grace L. ROGERS b: 1893
 +Frank BIGGERS
 3 Myrtle Myra ROGERS b: 1893
 +John Chester SIMMS
 3 Lora Belle ROGERS b: November 30, 1893 d: January 14, 1962
 +Junius Andrew PEDRON b: May 02, 1882 in May 19, 1952
 4 Sherrell PEDRON
 3 Cecil Verla ROGERS b: October 14, 1895 d: June 16, 1898
 3 Gertrude ROGERS b: 1898
 +Charlie LITTLE
 2 Mary M. ROGERS b: 1860 d: WFT Est. 1861-1954
 2 Malinda F. ROGERS b: September 18, 1861 d: October 30, 1929
 +William F. ROSS b: December 07, 1869 d: September 02, 1941
 2 Elizabeth ROGERS b: 1868 d: 1918
 +James Edgar MARKS b: WFT Est. 1851-1871 d: WFT Est. 1896-1957



Front Row L-R

Joanna Venable Rogers

Carrie Venable Goodwin

Mary Venable Flowers

Daughters of William L. Venable / Miriam Delamar Venable and (2) Martha Rogers (Threadgill) Venable

Back Row L-R

Alice Threadgill Allen

Samantha Venable Booth

Georgia Venable

ca. 1915

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The Venables of Georgia and Arkansas

and the Delamars of Georgia and Arkansas

William Lumpkin and Miriam Delamar married about 1840 and moved from Georgia to Columbia County Arkansas, "Snipe" SE of Stephens. The Rogers family was in that community and also about 20 miles away in adjoining Ouachita County. They had 12 children and Joanna was one of the middle children being born in 1856. They soon moved to Ouachita County. The Venable family originates in early Virginia and England and is one of America's first families. The Virginia tree is well documented. The Venable family also grew in numbers in Decatur, Georgia where the family owned famous Stone Mountain near Atlanta and donated it the Daughters of the Confederacy. These Venables owned a business near the originator of the Coca-Cola bottle drink formula in Decatur and reportedly gave "drink tests" on the early discovery.

A few miles away living in Ouachita County was Benjamin Franklin Rogers, son of Ephriam D. Rogers and Martha Rogers Threadgill, youngest adult child of Ephriam. When Miriam died about 1869 William married the widow Martha about 1870. She had three Threadgill children. Ben Rogers was born in Alabama in 1852 and came to Camden with his father and grandfather in 1856. "Johanna", Joanna Venable and Ben married in 1873 at the Venable residence.

These two events began a family connection with the Rogers family that was celebrated for 50+ years. Joanna V. Rogers was perhaps named for her mother's sister Joanna Venable. The nickname Johanna would be passed down and adored for many years. William and Mirium's first born son, Robert Abram Venable became a Baptist Minister and leader of some persuasion. He married, Fannie Webb, the daughter of the President of Mississippi College and became President of the College himself. Their son was one of the U.S. Presidential appointee's to sign the Treaty of Versailles and the end of WWI.

The Delamar name was obviously French in origin and carried charm and more mystery than the usual Anglo names. The name was shortened to "Dell" and used by several ladies in the family from Scott County Mississippi. The first was the beautiful brunette Delamar "Dell" Rogers Alphonso, who was the daughter of Hazel Rogers Lovett. Her dark hair and narrow set eyes were a shared trait in several Rogers' women including Hazel, Pauline, and Johanna Venable Rogers.

Churchill Delamar was born in N.C. march 8, 1785. He married Mary "Polly" Clayton and Elizabeth D. in Butts County, Georgia. Churchill is described as a former French sailor and later a planter. They had 10 children and some if not most came to Arkansas. It appears that some came to Clark and Dallas County, as well as Mirium and others in Columbia County. Today the Delamar descendants still live in Columbia County (Stephens) AR., Clark County (Arkadelphia), AR., and Georgia. Mirium Delamar's sister Amanda is recognized in the biography of her husband William Head of Clark County in Goodspeed's History of Arkansas.

References: Tree by Hazel Rogers (Lovett) Cooper
"The Venables of Georgia"
The Venables of Virginia, published abt. 1928
Interviews with Hazel R. L. Cooper and
Francis Rogers (Smith) Colquitt
Goodspeed's History of Arkansas

THE VENABLES OF GEORGIA

Forward: Where the following record is taken from "The Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy, or "First Families of America" the Vol. And PP is given.

Vol. 2 – PP871 (Qv) Abraham Venable.

" 4 – PP 474 – Abraham Venable came from England aboard "The Friends Adventure to New Kent County, Virginia, in 1685. He first married Sarah, she died 1687; He then married Elizabeth Hicks, Daughter of Cap't Hugh Lewis and widow of John Hicks. Their son, Abraham Jr., of 2nd was born Mar 22nd, 1700 in New Kent County Virginia, and died in Louisa County, Va., Dec. 16th 1768. He was married to Martha Davis, Hanover County, Va., 1723. Martha Davis was born July 14th 1702, died February 18th, 1765.

Abraham Venable II was a member of the House of Burgesses, Cap't of Militia—Louisa County, Va. Owned large tracts of land in Hanover County, Ante 1742, Cap't Colonial Militia: Burgess (1742—62) Vestryman St. Pails Parish, Hanover County, Ante 1742 Fredrickville, Parish, (1742-61) Trinity Parish (1762-68) Abraham and Martha (Davis) Venable.

Issue – 1st – Abraham III, 1725 –78 M. Elizabeth Mechaux

2nd – Hugh Lewis, 1725-30 – 1801, M. Mary Martin

3rd – Charles M. Elizabeth, Dan of Robert Smith, Port Royal, Va.,

4th – Nathaniel 1733-1804 – 1755 M. Elizabeth Woodson, 1740-1791

5th – James

6th – John Venable 1740-1815 M. Agnes Moorman

7th – Annie

8th – Elizabeth

9th – Mary

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PP 871 --- Cap't John Venable, married Agnes Moorman and in 1790 moved to Jackson County Ga., and died in 1815. Other show that he was born in 1740. He was a Captain in the Continental Army Supply Commissary and impressed the Stools of John Hooker, a Scotchman. Later sued by Hooker and was defended by the famous orator, Patrick Henry; who branded Hooker as "He who bawled hoarsely through the Camp, BEEF, BEEF, BEEF, . Cap't John Venable married Agnes Moorman, Dan of Charles and Mary (Adam) Moorman of Louisa County, Va., and moved his family to Jackson County, Ga., 1790-91.

Issues of Cap't John and Agnes (Moorman) Venable.

1st – Robert Venable; Judith Jackson – Issue James Lawrence (1813-84)
Barto County, M- July 1st 1831, (1) Matilda Wilson
Moore, 1812-70. (2) Barbara Elizabeth Foute.

2nd – Charles – Moved to Mo., prior to 1850.

3rd – Abraham M. a Miss (Martha?) Lumpkin.

Issue – Charles wifes name not known. Issue Robert and Sam.

Robert m.

Issue – Frank and Mel Venable, now living near Camden, Ark.

Sam Venable never married and died about 1943.

William Lumpkin Venable. M. Mariam DeLamar about 1830-35
“ “ “ Born about 1815-1901

1 – Issue – Robert Abram Venable M. Fannie Webb – Issue

William Webb of Clarksville, Miss.

Robert Abram Jr.

Francis Adelpia, M. C.W. Soule

Marianne de Llar, of Meridian, Miss.

2 – Rosser Venable, m. Alice Threadgill

3 – Richard Jefferson, m. Lily Strong.

4 – William m. no issue

5 – John Henry m Olive Sproyle

There was also 7 daughters – Sarah, Mary, Sally, Samantha, Carrie
Joanna, and Georgia.

The above are names of children by his first wife, Marianne de Llar, who died in either 1868 or
1869. He then married Mrs. Martha Threadgill who had three children by a former marriage. Names-- Ben,
Alice, and Penny Threadgill and one child was born from this second marriage but died as a young lady.
Ida Venable.

4th – William Venable – Nothing is known to date.

5th – John m. Sarah Clower, dau of Daniel Clower had Issue

Virginia m –McMillan

Sarah m. Dr. Garrett, Turnerville, Ga.

Annie d. young

Nancy m. ----- Kirkim of Cobb Co., Ga.,
 Betsy m. " " " "
 Margaret never married
 Judith (1808-1869)
 Mary d. y.
 Daniel Clower m Roane Neal of Stone Mt. Ga.,
 John Moorman 1827-1910 m. (1) Martha Justice, m. Mary Garris

6th—Nathanial (1781-1832) m. Sarah, dau of Jonah Montgomery and his first wife, Susannah Strange.

Had issue:

Buford		
Elizabeth	m. William Dunn	
Cinthia	m. John Bolton	2. James Collins
Martha Anne	unmarried	
Pleasant	d. 1827	
John (Dr.)	m. Adaline Tate	
James	Unmarried (First man to undergo an operation with ether)	
William Richard	(1826-1873) m. Sarah Cornelia Hoyt, dau of Rev. Darian Hoyt of	
Maryville, TN.		
Sarah	m. Col. Midwell of Ala.	
Jane	m. M. Davis of Jackson Co.	Had Issue one dau. Mary.

7th – Mary – m. Jacob Venable of Prince Edward County, Va.

8th – Martha – d . y.

9th – Dianne – d.y.

Abraham Venable , son of Cap't John Venable, Grandson of Abraham II and Great Grandson of the First Abraham Venable, who came over from England on the "Friend's Adventure" and landed in Virginia in 1682., is the forefather of the Venables of Georgia and Arkansas and perhaps Ala. And Texas. We have no authentic time of place of his birth except that he was born in Virginia and that our deduction based on his brother Nathaniel was born 1781 and there was brother between these two brothers. It is logical to place the time of birth approximately 1775 or 1776. About the year 1800-1810 he married Martha Lumpkin. (The Lumpkin family moved from Va. In the 1790's as the Cap't John Venable family and many other families did following the confusion and uncertain times following the Revolutionary War., and settled in Athens, Ga.,) Abraham and Martha (Lumpkin) Venable Had Issue --- three sons.

Charles
 William Lumpkin (1815-16—1901)
 Sam

William Lumpkin Venable 1815-16 – 1901 married m. Marianne de Llarar about 1840 and 8 of their 17 children were born in Ga. And in 1856 they decided to move to Arkansas. Charles, the elder brother, the John Carroll Family, the Parker family, and many others not now known joined forces and started their long trek across country driving both oxen and mules to the wagons and driving their cattle before them. We have not learned yet just the route taken in their long trip, nor how many weeks of heartbreaking privation it took before they at last reached Columbia County, where they settled near a small place later called "Snipe" that was to become a post office for many years until the coming of Rural Free Delivery, when it ceased to be a post office. Here there was 1 more child born, the last and youngest, John Henry, was born in 1868 and while an infant in arms a cyclone struck. The next she knew or remembered was waking and finding herself on her back with the baby still in her arms and with a huge beam or floor-sill just over her with one end on the ground and the other end just barely balanced on a stump. She was about 500 feet away from the place where the house had been, but nothing was left there now. They never found any of the chickens nor geese; they completely blew away. It was while they lived here that they lost the wife and mother, in 1869-70. She was buried in the churchyard at old Ebenezer. There was no marker

placed there but most of the grandchildren have been there and shown just where it was and one of her daughters, Samantha, is buried there near her mother. They were living here when William L. Venable joined the Confederate Army.

Department of the Army
Office of the Adjutant General
Washington, D. C.

2Mar. 1951

Mr. O.T. Venable
Waco, Texas.

The records show that William L. Venable, a Private of Company D, 1st Regiment (Crawfords) Arkansas Calvary, Confederate States Army, Enlisted 26 September 1863, at Camden, Arkansas. The Company muster Roll for 31 December 1863, to 24 February 1864, latest on file, show him present. No later Record of him has been found.

This collection of records is by no means complete, and failure to find the entire record of Confederate Military Service does not indicate necessarily that an individual did not serve at some period not covered by these records.

Sincerely yours

Edward R. Witsell
Major General USA
The Adjutant General

[Copied, June 14, 1969, by Mabel B. Agnew, Notary Public, Morton, Scott County Mississippi]

page # 5 (original text) Venables of Georgia, Arkansas, and Texas

William Lumpkin Venable and Marianne (deLlamar) Venable had issue as listed on page #2. Following the death of his first wife, he married a widow with three children. A Mrs. Martha Threadgill. (Martha M. Rogers) She went into this motherless home and really made a home for everyone. The children and grandchildren who remember her still cherish the memory of this wonderful woman who made such a real home for them.

1 st Robert Abram Venable	m. Fannie Webb
2 nd Rosser	m. Alice Threadgill (see step children)
3 rd Richard Jefferson	m. Lily Strong
4 th William	
5 th John Henry	m Olive Sproyle
6 th Mary	m. Johnathan Clowers
7 th Fannie	m. Jim Miller
8 th Samantha	m. Rush Booth
9 th Carrie	m. Waltern Goodwin
10 th JoHannah (Joanna)	m. Benjamin Franklin Rogers
11 th Sally	m. ??
12 th Georgia	never married

Step Children

1 st Ben Threadgill	m. Laura Reynolds
2 nd Alice Threadgill	m. Rosser Venable
3 rd Penny Threadgill	m. Jack Sims

There was one daughter born to this second marriage named Ida who died in her teens.

About this time (1869-70) he moved to the farm 5 miles south of Camden, Arkansas in Ouachita County until the time of his death in 1900. Even at this advanced age of 86 years he cared for his own needs and asked no one to wait on him. He arose from his large hickory chair one morning to go and get himself a drink, which was kept out on the porch in a large bucket, when his heart just quit on him and he fell in the doorway, striking his head on the door facing and was dead when the grandson got to his side. And so ended the life of a man who had done for others as she hoped to be done by. One of the family tales handed down was about one of his neighbors burying his life's savings in my grandfathers pasture and using a large stump as a marker. One day, it being too wet to plow, he took the Negroes and went into the pasture to dig stumps; soon, he found a pot of gold. He knew that it just had to belong to one of four of his neighbors, but just how to find which one. Finally, he decided to go over to first one and then the other and mention that he was digging stumps in the pasture. The first two of the neighbors did not show undue excitement but the third upon mentioning digging stumps he became intensely excited and jumped up and started out for the pasture and went straight to the stump. It was his!

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THE SCOTCH-IRISH IN EARLY NORTH CAROLINA 1700-1800

JONATHAN ROGERS (I) d.1793 Wayne Co. NC

The family of Jonathan Rogers is reported to be Scotch – Irish.

The name Scotch-Irish is a misnomer. They are Scotch who were transplanted to Ireland. James I “planted” the “six escheated colonies” of Ulster (northern Ireland) with Lowland Scots “to help civilize Ireland”. Thousands of Scottish Lowlanders moved into North Ireland in the 1600’s and 1700’s. Since they had been in Ireland for several generations they called Ireland home and were loyal to her. Continual economic repression and religious persecution of the Scots in the mid to late 1600’s and 1700’s in Ireland by England rule and the differences they experienced between the Church of England and the Church of Scotland, led to thousands of “Scotch” Presbyterians to flee to the American colonies. In particular they came to North Carolina.

From 1715 to 1775 ship after ship of emigrant “Ulstermen” sailed from Ulster (Northern) Ireland to deliver them from hardship, religious persecution, extortionate taxes, and famine to the Philadelphia, Baltimore, New Castle, and Chester on the Delaware River. Very few came through New Bern or small North Carolina coastal ports.

These folks went westerly down “the Great Philadelphia Wagon Road”. From there they turned southerly down the “Southern Road” or “fall line”. The fall line gets its name from the rivers that fall south from the mountain ranges. This was near Hagerstown Md. As they began to approach the Appalachians and turned south down mountain valleys. From here they were blocked on either side and crossed over the immigrant farmers in their path. It went through Virginia down the Blue Ridge Mt. into the piedmont region of N.C. and eventually on to Camden, S.C. It is noteworthy that many colonists moved from west to east. There was a West to East “road” through Salem, Hillsboro, Raliegh, Goldsboro, and to New Bern on the Atlantic coast. This was referred to as the Jonesborough Road.

These settlers were principally non-English, either Scotch-Irish or German and some Welsh. They differed culturally from the English colonists of the coastal plain. The Piedmont was largely settled by colonists from New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, and Virginia, who went down the Shenandoah valley of Virginia. The mountain barrier to the west encouraged the development of the communities southward. The frontier experience altered and shaped the distinctive contributions of Englishman, Scotch-Irish, Scottish Highlanders, French Huguenots, Welshmen, and emigrants from the various German states and Swiss cantons. The men of Ulster knew the name of “North Carolina” better than any other region in the old world at that time. The Carolinas for most meant the primitive frontier and Indian territory. There was a large exodus in 1717-1718, 1727-1728, 1740-1741, and 1771-1773. In 1729 North Carolina was the most isolated and sparsely settled English colony in America. In naked contrast the population exploded there from 1729 to 1775. During these years the population increased from about 35,000 to 345,000. Of this number were about 35,000 Negroes. From 1741 to 1771 there was a slackening of migration and immigration due to the French and Indian War. In size and relative proportion the Ulstermen far overshadowed all other population movements from Ireland to colonial America, numbering 200,000 in 1700-1776.

Practically all the Scotch-Irish had come to America as indentured labor and after serving their period of indenture was able to acquire title to free land. By 1800 only 15,000 adult Presbyterians remained as many began to worship with Methodists and Baptists during the period known as the *Great Awakening*. This was the time of circuit preachers in the frontier and there were few ordained educated Presbyterian ministers as was required.

Passage to America cost one British Pound, about a month’s wage, and children were less. Some contract laborers were given free passage to fill the ship. The Scotch-Irish were a closed-mouthed people who were secretive. They left few words or documents. They were of a stern nature in controlling their church members and “the Puritans of the Southern Colonies”. They waged ruthless war against the red-man and

suffered accordingly. These people were powerful for good and evil, loved freedom, and were ideally suited to conquer the frontier wilderness. Their character had a lasting effect on America.

During the Revolutionary War North Carolina did not become a principle theater of operations until 1780-1781. Its regular army forces, troops of the Continental Line, numbering some 6,000 served under General Washington's command in campaigns across New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Virginia. An estimated 10,000 N.C. men served in the militia.

Wake County became the seat of the state government in 1792 and the first capitol building was completed at Raleigh in 1794. The University of North Carolina opened in 1795, being the first state institution of higher learning in North Carolina. Wayne County is roughly 40 to 50 miles from Raleigh and was connected by an early main road.

In the late 1600's Englishmen from Virginia began to settle the Albermarle region (northern most coastal counties) and move westward as the counties became populated and were established with government. As the immigrants came from the mountain valleys to the west, the remaining counties were filled in with Wayne County forming in 1779. The "middle counties of North Carolina, Cobb, Wayne, Johnston, and so forth were settled during this period. Gov.'s Johnston and Cobb were Scot and Scotch-Irish. They promoted the immigration of Scotch-Irish from Ireland to improve commerce.

Immigration maps show a major Scotch-Irish area from the southern Wayne Co."border" southward in most of neighboring Duplin Co. and some other nearby counties. These immigrants established community areas with like citizens and maintained their cultural backgrounds. Of course there were Scotch-Irish in other counties as there were some Scotch-Irish there even back in the late 1600's. The first major group of Scotch-Irish came in 1735 and settled in New Hanover two counties south of Wayne. The Scottish Highlanders also came in great numbers through North Carolina ports and settled the upper Cape Fear region just southwest of the Scotch - Irish area previously outlined.

This rich history possibly gives new meaning to the background and interests of our North Carolina Rogers family of Wayne County.

Prepared by Benjamin Rogers Smith
Cordova, TN. 2-13-98

Scotch-Irish Lineage as per Benjamin Franklin Rogers (Elliott AR. D.1933): Centennial History of Arkansas, 1922 Biography, vol. III, pg. 1110-1111, Dallas Hearndon.

References: *The Encyclopedia of Southern History*, Roller and Twyman 1979; and *The Scotch-Irish*, James G. Leyburn, 1962.
North Carolina, Leffler & Newsom, 1954 and *History of North Carolina*, R.D.W. Vol. I, 1929.

The Bible of Elizabeth (Daniel) (Rogers) Dickinson

by B. Neil Dickinson¹

"Elizabeth Daniel, daughter of Ephraim and Bramley Daniel,
was born November 7 in the year of our Lord 1768."

"Elizabeth Dickinson departed this life the 12 of July 1847."



Introduction: This intriguing story will serve as a reference for those seeking to trace their lineage back to John DICKINSON of Chowan Precinct, N. C., (1715) who died in Northampton Co., N. C., in 1749. Isaac DICKINSON, who married the widow, Elizabeth ROGERS, in Wayne Co., N. C., ca 1794 and died in 1820 in Montgomery Co., AL, descends from John of Chowan Precinct via John's son, Daniel, who died in 1779, Wayne Co., N. C., and Daniel's son, Joel, Isaac's father, who died in Wayne Co. in 1792. * * * *

How my wife, Oleta, through her ingenuity and perseverance, brought the Bible of Elizabeth (DANIEL)(ROGERS) DICKINSON into the main stream of documents establishing our lineage back to John DICKINSON living in Chowan Precinct, Albemarle Co., N. C., during the very early part of the 18th Century, forms an intriguing tale in the "Spirit of Elijah," often

Bertie Precinct as shown on the Moseley Map, 1733²
genealogical research - to me at least.³ Of course,

¹Born in 1906, Pottawatomie Co., Oklahoma Territory. Upon completing B.A. & M.S. degrees at the U. of Oklahoma, he married Oleta SCOTT on 1 Sep 1931, departing the same day for Pasadena, California, via a Model T. With a Ph. D. degree in atomic chemistry from Cal. Tech., he spent most of his professional years in the development and worldwide marketing of ion exchange resins, and retired from Diamond Shamrock in 1971. His current interests are conservation, writing, travel and "zoo going." His current address: 554 Oak Park Way, Redwood City, CA 94062.

²Courtesy of the South Carolina Library, University of South Carolina, and the North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources. Annotated by the Editor.

³The earliest item so far found in the records of John DICKINSON's rather extensive land transactions (1st- Chowan, later- Bertie & finally- Northampton Cos) is the purchase of land on the north side of the Meherrin River in 1715. Benjamin Rogers Smith

invoked as a special friend of genealogical researchers by some of our Mormon friends, aided. But Elijah only helps when prodded.

Oleta's point of departure was a statement found on page 6 of Historic Tales of Talladega (Alabama) by E. Grace Kemison, published 1959 anent DeSoto's visit to the area in 1540, videlicet,

The village of Tasqui is easily recognized as the "Dickinson Mill Site"; Sec. 14, T. 17, R. 4E, of the Huntsville Meridian. This site was granted to Shadrach Dickinson March 16, 1844 and is still in possession of his descendants.

Information already in Oleta's hands made this statement highly pertinent. So off went a letter on Jan. 2, 1975, to the County Assessor of Talladega Co., Alabama, requesting the address of the current owner of the land tract in question. He obliged with the address of Mrs. J. R. ELLIS of Lincoln, Alabama. A letter was dispatched to Mrs. ELLIS on Jan. 11, 1975, and she replied that, while she was not a descendant of Shadrack DICKINSON, her good friend, Eunice Dickinson GORE, was, and that Oleta's letter had been passed on to the latter.

Eunice's answer was prompt, commencing: "Dear Oleta, Well, Hello Cousins"! In her possession was an old Bible dating births back to 1768. And listed were Shadrack DICKINSON, Eunice's grandfather, and his brother, Ephraim, my great grandfather, sons of Isaac DICKINSON and Elizabeth, his wife - - plus much more! Only marriage to one will bring appreciation to a layman of the heights of ecstasy to which data lifts the researcher in genealogy. Elijah had indeed smiled upon Oleta.

Eunice's son, Clayton, prepared photo copies of the vital statistics in the Bible for Oleta to supplement Eunice's handwritten ones. And in the Fall of 1975, Oleta and I, and my sister, Mary E. WILLIAMS, visited Eunice and her brother, Leon, in Birmingham, Alabama. Eunice, at eighty, was alert, active, and driving her car in the Birmingham traffic - - Leon, at ninety-one, continued to operate his lumber yard and building supply store in Ragland, Alabama. What an amazing couple were these cousins of mine!

All that Eunice knew about the Bible was that after her father's death, she had found it, along with the complete works of Shakespeare, stored among his effects in the attic of the family home.

Meanwhile, the second episode in the story unfolded when Oleta, while reading the genealogical notes of my late brother, Houston, came across a statement by a Bernice COLE to the effect that she had read the notes of Mr. DICKINSON of Brownsville. Other data contained in Houston's effects indicated that such notes might be of value in her search, but to Oleta, "Brownsville" naturally connoted Texas, i.e., an area far off the track of our lineage. Then on an inspiration she checked Tennessee. There was a Brownsville in that state also.

So, posthaste, off went a letter to the postmaster of that city stating her problem, with the request that the letter be passed on to the most likely Mr. DICKINSON. This long shot paid off beautifully! Back came a response from Joseph DICKINSON in New Orleans. The Mr. DICKINSON in question was his uncle, now deceased. Oleta was mailed a copy of this uncle's notes.

Ensuing correspondence between Joseph DICKINSON and Oleta has developed genealogical data of mutual interest. On June 27, 1978, Joseph DICKINSON wrote that the will of Elizabeth DICKINSON had been probated on August 2, 1847, in Haywood Co., Tennessee. This was electrifying news! Isaac died in Montgomery Co., AL, in 1820. Thereafter, search as diligently as she could, Oleta found no trace of Elizabeth in Alabama records. The woman had disappeared into the limbo, apparently. With the new lead, Oleta went flying back to the Tennessee records, and there was Elizabeth in the 1830 census of Haywood Co., living with her daughter, Sally ROGERS. When Isaac died, Elizabeth had simply moved along with children of her first marriage to Jonathan ROGERS, to Tennessee. The Spirit of Elijah had smiled again on Oleta with a big, big assist from Joseph DICKINSON.

In a letter dated Sept. 20, 1978, to Eunice D. GORE, Oleta had detailed the data re the ROGERS contained in the 1830, 1840 and 1850 censuses of Haywood Co., TN, pointing out how they dovetailed with the listings in the old Bible.

But the vagaries in the travels of that old Bible! It is now clear that Elizabeth carried it from Alabama to Tennessee, but how did it return to Alabama to appear in the attic of the home of Eunice's father (also named Shadrack) after his death? Eunice has a vague memory of a wagon full of relatives visiting when she was a girl. Leon recollects nothing of the event.

Not all the peregrinations of the Bible are encompassed in the foregoing text.

When the estate of Jonathan ROGERS was administered in Wayne Co., N. C., his widow, Elizabeth, purchased the Bible from the estate for 9 shillings. When widowed the second time, she again was obliged to buy the Bible in 1820 in the Orphans' Court of Montgomery Co., AL, which distributed the property of Isaac DICKINSON, who died intestate - this time for \$4.50. Both sums appear to be substantial for the times, and the law requiring them, grossly inequitable to the widow.

But today Oleta and I bless her stubborn heart. May she know. * * * *

THE BIBLE OF ELIZABETH (DANIEL) (ROGERS) DICKINSON

The Bible was printed by Thomas BASKETT, printer to the University at Oxford, dated MDCCLII (1752). Below is an abstract of the family record pages, including annotations by the author which are numbered and keyed to the numbers in the abstracts.

[1st page from Bible "Family records"

Ch. of Jonathan¹ & Elizabeth² ROGERS

Sally, dau., b. 14 Sep 1788
 Martha³, dau., b. 16 Jul 1791
 Jonathan, son, b. 18 Feb 1793

Ch. of Isaac⁴ & Elizabeth⁵ DICKINSON

Joel, son, b. 30 Aug 1795
 Ephraim, son, b. 30 May 1797
 Catharine, dau., b. 1 Dec 1799
 Elizabeth, dau., b. 22 Nov 1801
 Shadrack, son, b. 8 Nov 1804

Annotations

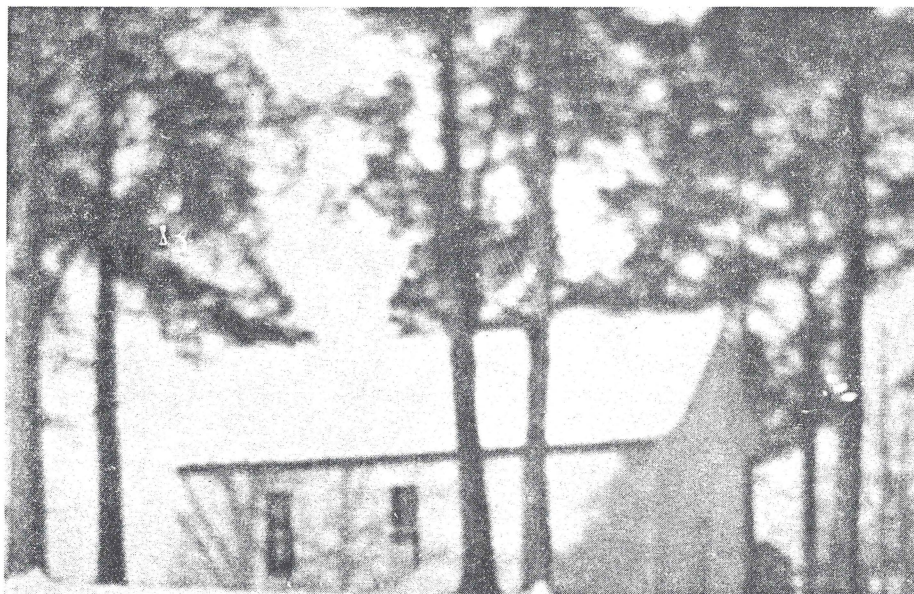
1. His estate was administered in 1793, Wayne Co., NC, estate records.
2. Elizabeth DANIEL, dau. of Ephraim & Bramley DANIEL [3rd page of Bible].
3. She md. ca 1812, Isaac DICKINSON, 1st cousin of the same name who md. her mother. About 1840, she md. John JONES. A ltr written in 1899 by her son, R. W. DICKINSON, notes that she d. 23 Jan 1843.
4. He d. 1820, Montgomery Co., AL (Div of Estate settled in Orphans' Ct & recorded in Book 2, pp 270-271).

Minutes of the Elliott Missionary Baptist Church
this the Elliott Baptist Church of Christ ~~was~~
~~constituted on the 31st day of August A.D. 1890~~
Elliott Arkansas and County of Ouachita
was constituted on the 31st day of August A.D. 1890
by the following named persons. Text =
H. A. Munn Acting as Mod. & Pastor

- 1 Ben. S. Rogers
- 2 Chas. B. Rogers
- 3 Geo. R. Rogers
- 4 Wm. Rogers
- 5 Sallie A. Rogers
- 6 Martha J. Rogers
- 7 Mariani B. Rogers
- 8 E. S. Forbes
- 9 M. S. Carter

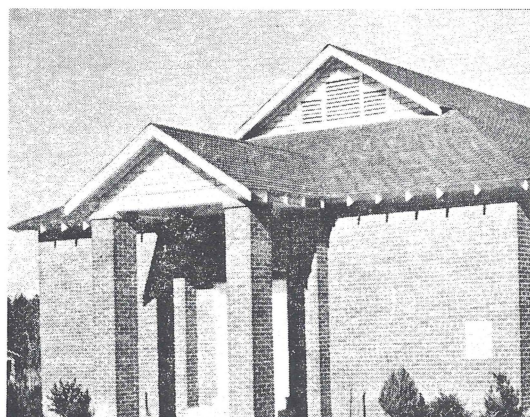
After the church was properly
~~constituted~~ constituted it immediately resolved
itself into conference. And on motion
Brethren Ben. S. Rogers and Chas. B. Rogers were
elected as Deacons upon their credentials
as such from other churches. And Ben. S. Rogers
was elected Church Clerk. And Brethren
Geo. R. Rogers and Chas. B. Rogers were appointed as
Committee to draft resolutions, rules of
procedure for the government of this church
and resolved to unite with the Liberty
Baptist Association. And Ben. S. Rogers was
elected as delegate to attend the next session of the
Liberty Association which meets at Smith
Lillsboro Baptist Church Saturday before
the second Sabbath in September and present
a testimonial letter for admittance into same.
L.P.R. Ben. S. Rogers

Our Church Through The Years

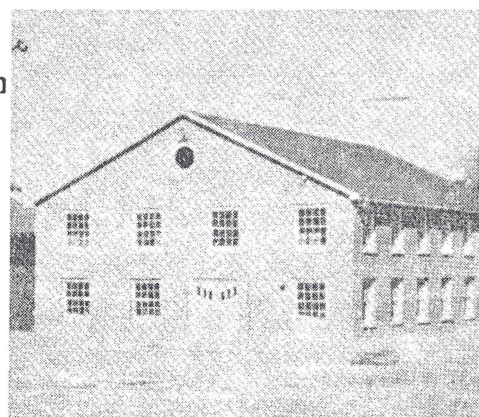


This one room building served Elliott Baptist Church as a place of worship for 52 years.

1890-1943



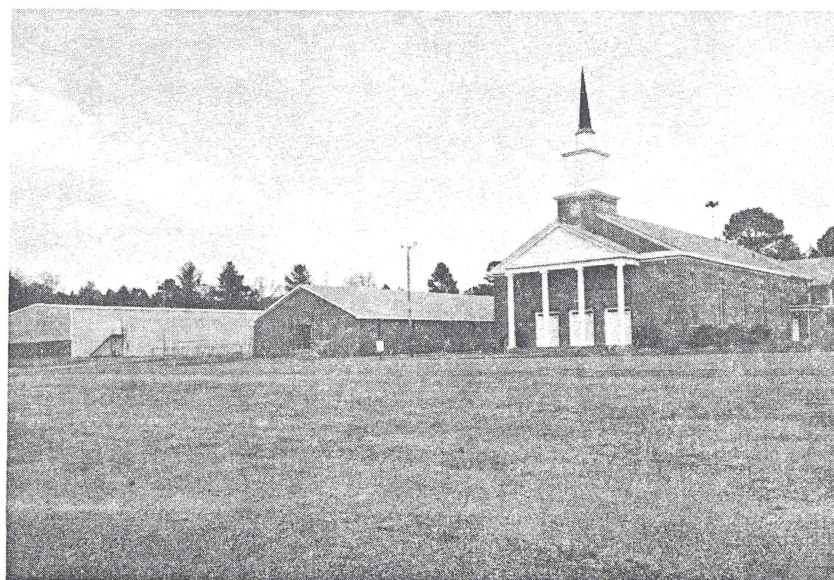
Growth led to the construction of our brick sanctuary [left] and Chaney Hall [right].



1943-1960

Our present sanctuary & facilities. Our sanctuary was completed in 1960. The Educational Building & Fellowship Hall was completed in 1978. The gym was finished in 1979.

1960-Present



THE HISTORY OF ELLIOTT BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday afternoon, August 31, 1890, ten people met to organize a church at Elliott, Arkansas. They met under a Brush Arbor, next to Oak Grove School, about two miles west of the present Church. Those present were: Ben F. Rogers, his wife, Martha J. Rogers, and their daughter, Marian; three of Ben's brother, Charles B. Rogers, John R. Rogers, and William J. Rogers; William's wife, Sallie A. Rogers, and two of the Rogers' sisters, Mrs. E. W. Forbes and Mrs. M. L. Carter. The tenth person present was Elder H. A. Munn, acting as Moderator and later serving as our first pastor.

After the Church was properly constituted, Ben F. Rogers and Charles B. Rogers were elected Deacons. Their Credentials as duly ordained Deacons came from the Buena Vista Baptist Church. The Moderator appointed John R. Rogers and Charles B. Rogers as a committee to draft Rules of Order for the government of the Church. Ben F. Rogers was elected Church Clerk. The Church then voted to unite with the Liberty Baptist Association. Ben F. Rogers was elected as a Delegate to the next meeting of the Association, which was held on the Saturday before the first Sabbath in September. Hillsboro Baptist Church in Union County was the host church. The Church also voted to take up a love offering for Missions. Mr. Rogers delivered the \$1.50 they received in the offering for Missions and a Letter of Introduction to the Associational Meeting. This was the birth of Elliott Baptist Church one hundred years ago.

The church has always been a faithful affiliate of Liberty Baptist Association, the Arkansas Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention. From that

humble beginning, Elliott Baptist Church has been a praying, Mission Minded Church.

In the following months Ben F. Rogers donated the land and lumber for a church building. The Church was built east of the railroad tracks, about a quarter of a mile southeast of our present Church. This one room building served Elliott Baptist Church as a place of worship for 52 years.

From 1890 to 1951 Elliott Baptist Church called several pastors. Most of the pastors served either half or quarter time. These pastors from other churches came to Elliott on Sunday afternoon and held services once or twice a month. During that time, Elliott Baptist Church maintained the vision of those nine charter members by continuing to grow even without a fulltime pastor. The 56th session of the Liberty Baptist Association was invited to meet at the church on August 10, 1900. By 1915 the church had a fully organized Sunday School. In 1931 a W.M.U. was organized and by 1933 a Graded Training Union was added. In 1940, the church called the first full-time Pastor. On August 26, 1942 the Church voted to build a larger building. The one room Church was torn down and the material was used in the new building. Services were held at Mt. Horeb Church for four Sundays while the new building was under construction. This brick building was built on the west side of the present Chaney Hall, facing the Elliott Road. The Educational Building, Chaney Hall, was completed in 1952. In order to accomodate our pastors, a Parsonage was built in 1945. In 1947 Brotherhood was getting off to a good start. A Y.W.A. (Young Women's Auxiliary) was started, completing an auxiliary for every age group for the youth. That same year the church library was opened. Buildings were purchased from Barksdale Air Force Base in Shreveport, Louisiana for classrooms because the church had outgrown its facilities.

Compliments of Clerk,

..MINUTES..

OF THE

Fifty-Sixth Annual Session

OF THE

Liberty Baptist Association

HELD WITH

Elliott Church, Elliott, Ark.

OCT. 5-7, 1901.

The next Session will be held with the New London Church, Southeast of El Dorado 25 miles, beginning Saturday before the 1st Sunday in Oct., 1902.

INTRODUCTORY SESSION

ELD. J. D. CRAWFORD

ELD. B. F. MILAM, Alternate

OFFICERS :

H. T. HAWKINS, Moderator, Mt Holly.

W. F. DORRIS, Clerk, Camden.

B. W. REEVES, Treasurer, El Dorado.

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ing and study of the Word of God, which is able to make us wise unto salvation, and thoroughly to furnish us for every good work. We also recommend the Sunday School literature published by the Sunday School Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. We also urge our brethren to subscribe for the Foreign Mission Journal and the Home Field. Adopted.

The report on Obituaries was read by W. Theo. Smith. It is with sorrowful hearts that we report the death of Brethren E. D. Rogers, of Camden Church, and W. A. Betts, of Union Church. Bro. Rogers was 84 years of age and had been a deacon fifty years, and an active member of the church 53 years. In his last illness his faith in his Savior was strong and his hope of a blissful immortality was bright.

Bro. Betts was 80 years of age, and had been a deacon of Union Church thirty-five years. Truly, he has served his Lord and brethren faithfully, and has gone now to reap his reward.

Both of these aged servants of Christ have left a noble record behind them, and we hope all our brethren will endeavor to follow in their footsteps as they followed Christ. Adopted.

J. R. BISHOP, Chairman.

By motion notice is given that the following amendment to the constitution of our body will be offered at the next sitting of this body:

"That the Constitution be so amended as to constitute a committee on credentials whose duty it shall be to read the letters from the churches and enroll the messengers from the church and report same to the Moderator, who shall declare, upon receiving said report, the body ready for organization.

RESOLUTIONS.

RESOLVED, That this Association extend thanks to the Elliott Church and community for the generous hospitality shown the messengers and visitors in their bounteous entertainment.

W. THEO. SMITH,
L. B. BURNSIDE

(Adopted.)

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of this body be authorized to see after the printing and distributing of the Minutes, and that he be allowed \$15.00 for his services.

(Adopted.)

W. THEO. SMITH

Sunday School report to be discussed at 10 a. m.
Adjourned to meet Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
Bro. Crawford preached a good, forceful sermon at 8 p. m.
on the commission as given by Luke, which was an inspiration
to those present.

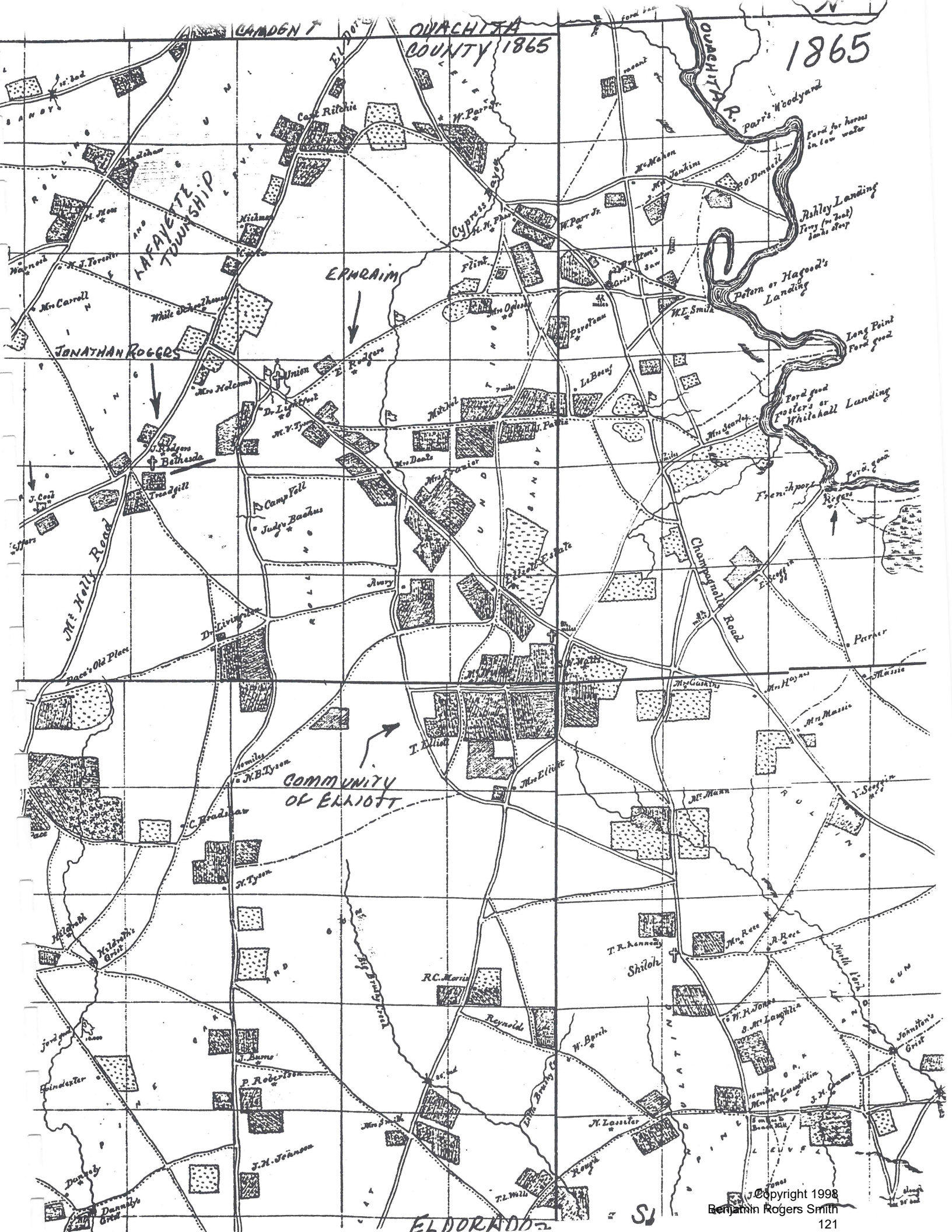
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1901

The Association met pursuant to adjournment at 10 a. m.
A. C. Jones read the report on Sunday Schools as follows.
In making our report the question comes "what shall we
say?" For years we have had able reports and urgent appeals
to the churches with but meager results. We have had "line upon
line and precept upon precept" on this great question, but alas!
how few churches have heeded our appeals. Despite these urgent
appeals there seems to have been a falling off instead of an ad-
vance in this work. Out of 32 churches represented 12 reported
Sunday Schools. Surely our churches do not realize the importance
of this great work. Brethren, will you stop and consider that in
failing to have Sunday Schools you fail that far in sowing the
seeds of eternal life in the minds and hearts of those whom God
has given into your charge? If you do not care for the salva-
tion of your own children, who else will assume the responsibil-
ity? We beg you, we entreat you, to go to your churches and
begin the work, and continue in your efforts until you succeed in
bringing the parents and children together for a systematic and
continuous study of God's word in the Sunday Schools. Re-
spectfully submitted by the committee.

The report was discussed enthusiastically by several brethren,
and many of whom had no schools, promised to go home
and organize schools in their churches. Adopted.

At 11 a. m. Dr. R. A. Venable preached a magnificent ser-
mon on The Commission—Matt. 28: 18-20, in which he took the
authority of Jesus as the basis of his command, "Go!" etc. At
the close of the service the congregation contributed \$40.15 for
State Missions.

At 3 p. m. Dr. J. M. Hart preached a grand sermon from
John 5: 39—"Search the Scriptures," etc.



CAMDEN T
ONACHITA COUNTY 1865

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KAFAYETTE TOWNSHIP

ERHRAIM

COMMUNITY OF ELLIOTT

ELDORADO

JONATHAN ROGGES

Ashley Landing
Ford for horses
in low water

Daton or Hagood's
Landing

Long Point
Ford good

Ford good
rollers or
Whitehall Landing

Frenchport
Ford good

Mt Kelly Road

Champion Road

Shiloh

Resources

1. Special assistance from Mr. Jack Rogers, Morton Ms. gt-gson of W.R.Rogers
2. Tree: Columbia County, Ark. Rogers (Sherry Rogers Carter, Stephens, AR.)
3. Alabama Family: The Rogers of Elmore County Alabama, Mrs. Alpha C. (Emily) Rogers
4. "The Bible of Elizabeth Daniel (Rogers) Dickinson" by J. Neil Dickinson, Courtesy of Ben Rogers
5. The Bible Tree of Lola Rogers Thorton (Jack Rogers)
6. Interviews with Hazel Rogers (Lovett) Cooper (Jack Rogers)
7. Interviews with Francis (Rogers) Colquitt (Rogers Smith)
8. The Centennial History of Elliot Baptist Church 1990
9. Tree: The Venables of Virginia- Arkansas and Georgia, courtesy of Ben C. Rogers
10. Census of 1860, 1870 Columbia and Ouachita County
11. Trips to Ebenezer, Bethesda, Mt. Horeb Cemeteries, and Old Salem Cemetery, (photos made)
12. Wayne Co. Kinfolks and Abstracts of Deeds Wayne Co. N.C. by Watson
13. Goodspeed's History of Southern Arkansas, 1898, pg., 690,691 & 518,519, & 702, 703
14. Centennial History of Arkansas, Dallas Hearndon, 1922, Vol.III, pg., 1110,1111, & 1115,1116
15. History of Ark – Various. History of Columbia County 1946, L.R. pub. Library
History of Haywood County, Tennessee (Brownsville, Tennessee), Haywood Co. Library
Seeds, Sisters, and Cedars, and 1996 (Letters from Autauga Cty.)
16. Photos – Ephriam D., Benjamin Franklin Rogers, Venable ladies, Courtesy- Sandra Files
Resides in Charlotte, N.C., Family of Ida Vesta Rogers Horne.
Ben C. Rogers- Portrait of Benjamin Franklin Rogers (III), resides Morton, Ms.
17. Tree: Ida Vesta Rogers Courtesy of Sandra Files.
18. North Carolina Maps and Histories: Tennessee State Library and Archives building
19. Census material, Cemetery documentation, N.C. land trans., Little Rock Public Library.
20. Old deed copies, Alabama research, Morton Ms. search, ancillary family tree search courtesy
of Jack Rogers, Morton, Ms. (Booth, Ross, Newsome, Dickinson, Daniel)
21. Camden, Arkansas History, steamboat, railroad, cotton history, Camden Public Library
22. State Library and Archives: Liberty Baptist Assn. 56th Annual Session-1901 obituary of E.D.
Rogers, photo of C. S. Rogers, 1865 and 1930's map of Ouachita County
23. Tree research and interviews for families of Alonzo Daniel Rogers, his children, especially family of
Wiley Morton Rogers (II) courtesy of Leslie Anne Carlson "Lisa", granddaughter of Wiley,
resident of Canterbury, N.H.