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Descendants of John Leach (by Lawhon)

*Generation One*

1. JOHN' LEACH was born circa 1730-1740. He married Margaret Courtney. On 19 Feb 1805 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, John Leach left a will; Will Book 1802-1814 pp. 145-147: In the name of God, Amen, I John Leech being of sound mind and memory but calling to mind the mortality of my aged body, do make and ordain this my last will and Testament, that is to say I will give and bequeath my soul to God who gave it and my body a decent burial at the discretion of my Executors, and as touching such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with, I will give and bequeath of in the following manner and form, Viz, Item, I will and bequeath unto my beloved daughter JEAN BOGAL six head cattle now in the possession of SAMUEL BOGAL to her, her heirs and assigns forever. Whereas I the above John Leech hath six hundred and forty acres of land in the State of North Carolina, Iredell County, I give will and dispose of the same in the following manner, Viz, Item, I will give and bequeath to my beloved son WILLIAM LEECH one hundred acres of the above land his heirs and assigns forever, Item, I will give and bequeath unto my beloved son THOMAS LEECH one hundred acres of the above land his heirs and assigns forever. Item, I will give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter MARTHA WITHERSPOON one hundred acres of the above land to her, her heirs and assigns forever. Item, I will give and bequeath to my beloved daughter MARGARET CROSS one hundred acres of the above land to her, her heirs and assigns forever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter ELIZABETH BOYD one hundred acres of the above said land to her, her heirs and assigns forever. Item, I will give and bequeath unto my beloved grandson JOSEPH BOGAL son of Jean Bogal, Seventy acres of the above said land to him, his heirs and assigns forever. Item, I will give and bequeath unto my beloved grandson JOHN BOYD Son of ISABEL BOYD, Seventy acres of the above said land to him his heirs and assigns forever. Item I will give and bequeath unto my beloved son THOMAS LEECH all my stock, viz, my mare and two young mares and all the Residue and remainder of my cattle not willed, to him his heirs and assigns forever, likewise all my household furniture including pots, pewter, Bedding. Item, I will give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter ISABEL BOYD the sum of two dollars to her her heirs and assigns forever. Item, It is my further will and pleasure that all the remainder of my estate not willed to be sold by my executors and equally divided between my two sons WILLIAM & THOMAS LEACH and whereas I have ---- the hands of Edward Gennings of six hundred and forty acres It is my will that the said Warrant be the property of my sons WILLIAM & THOMAS LEACH and my son in law SAMUEL CROSS to be equally divided between them and lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint my son WILLIAM LEACH and my neighbor EZEKIAL ALEXANDER to be my sole executors of this my last will and testament renouncing all other wills, gifts, legacies, bequeathments by me or given ratifying this my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have set my hand and affixed my seal this 19th day of February 1805. Signed, John Leach (seal), Wit. Christopher Cooper, Joseph McCluskey, George McCluskey.<sup>1</sup> His estate was probated on 28 Oct 1809 in Wilson Co., Tennessee; Recorded in Bk. B:146 on 1 Dec 1809.

On 10 May 1762 in Rowan Co., North Carolina, John Leech was granted 226 acres in Rowan County on the E. Side of the Cataba River, including an Island in the Cataba River. John Leech signed. The witness was John Frohock. It was surveyed on 18 Mar 1762 and the chain carriers were Jacob Thomas and John Leech.<sup>2</sup> Rowan County Court Minutes, 9 Dec 1764, II:614: Several men presented claims for wolfs, panthers, and cats, including John Leach.<sup>3</sup> The 1778 Rowan County tax list of Capt. Falls District includes John Leach.<sup>4</sup> On 14 Sep 1781 in Rowan Co., North Carolina, DB 9:187; John Leech to James Crawford, 226 acres on East side Catawba River including the island, granted by Granville in 1772, for 400L. Wits. James Kerr, Theophilus Simonton, Sarah Davidson. Prvd. Nov. 1782.<sup>5</sup> On 28 Oct 1788 in Burke Co., North Carolina, John Leach bought 640 acres on the Muddy Fork of the Lower Little River, adjoining the land of Robert Boyd, from Samuel Woods. He appeared on the census of 1790 in Wilkes Co., North Carolina; in the fifteenth company. This entire area was actually part of Burke county which became Iredell county in 1790. He is listed with 2 males +16 and 3 females.<sup>6</sup>

MARGARET COURTNEY died before 1790.

The seven known children of John' Leach and Margaret Courtney were as follows:

- + 2 i. MARTHA<sup>2</sup> LEACH, born circa 1757; married Alexander Witherspoon.
- + 3 ii. WILLIAM LEACH, born 6 Dec 1761 in Rowan Co., North Carolina.

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- + 4 iii. ISABEL LEACH, born circa 1765 in Rowan Co., North Carolina; married William Boyd.
  - + 5 iv. JANE LEACH, born circa 1767; married Samuel Bogle.
  - 6 v. MARGARET LEACH was born circa 1769. She married Samuel Cross.
  - + 7 vi. THOMAS LEACH, born circa 1771.
  - + 8 vii. ELIZABETH LEACH, born 19 Dec 1773 in Rowan Co., North Carolina; married John Boyd.
- (\*\*All the circa dates are guesstimates)

*Generation Two*

2. MARTHA<sup>2</sup> LEACH (*John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1757. She married Alexander Witherspoon circa 1774.

ALEXANDER WITHERSPOON was born circa 1750. He was listed on the roll of the Fourth Creek Presbyterian Church in 1773 in Iredell Co., North Carolina. He was listed in the tax list of Capt. Purviance in 1778 in Iredell District, Rowan Co., North Carolina. In 1783 in Rowan Co., North Carolina, William Luckie to Alexander Witherspoon, land on S. Fork of S. Yadkin River. On 1 Jul 1784 Morgan District, Rowan Co., North Carolina, Alexander Witherspoon entered a claim for nine pounds, two shillings, for Revolutionary War militia service. He died on 1 Nov 1818 in Wilson County, Tennessee.

The three known children of Martha<sup>2</sup> Leach and Alexander Witherspoon were as follows:

- + 9 i. JOSEPH<sup>3</sup> WITHERSPOON, born circa 1777; married Jane Bond.
- + 10 ii. MARTHA WITHERSPOON, born circa 1793 in Iredell Co., North Carolina; married John Boyd.
- 11 iii. JOHN WITHERSPOON.

(Other possible children are James Witherspoon, Harrison Witherspoon, & maybe a Stephen Witherspoon)

3. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> LEACH (*John<sup>1</sup>*) was born on 6 Dec 1761 in Rowan Co., North Carolina. He married circa 1787. He died in 1852 in Carroll County, Tennessee. He was buried in 1852 near, Cedar Grove, Carroll County, Tennessee.

He appeared on the census of 1790 in Iredell Co., North Carolina, 1 m +16, 1m -16, 2 f. On 19 May 1793 Iredell Co., North Carolina, he is listed as a neighbor to Robert Bogle, Samuel Bogle, & William Reynolds on the W. side of the Little fork of S. Yadkin River. On 28 Dec 1795 Sumner Co., Tennessee, "Articles of agreement: John Deloach & Thomas Leach, Alexander Witherspoon, Samuel Cross & William Leach, for clearing title to 50 a. on W side of Station on sd Deloach's land, leasing sd land for 5 yrs. Wit. John Sadler, Wm. Sadler, Jurat."<sup>7</sup> In 1803 Wilson Co., Tennessee, tax list, Capt. Wood's District. In 1804 Wilson Co., Tennessee, tax list, Capt. Cannon's District 2, 320 acres on Sander's Fork. Between 1805 and 1807 Wilson Co., Tennessee, tax lists: Capt. Leech's District. His land was on Sander's Fork. On 16 Apr 1805 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, Samuel Cross sold to William Leech, 120 a on Smith's Fork. (DB B:436). On 15 Feb 1809 Iredell Co., North Carolina, William Leach, Thomas Leach, Alexander Witherspoon, Samuel Cross, John Boyd Sr., Joseph Bogle, and John Boyd Jr., legatees of John Leach, to William Hines of Iredell Co., part of a tract originally granted to Samuel Woods, both sides of Muddy Fork of the Lower Little River, 640 acres, bearing the date 29 Oct 1782. Wits. William Reed, Thomas Mordak, William Smith.<sup>8</sup> On 20 Nov 1812 Iredell Co., North Carolina, William Leach, Thomas Leach, Alexander & Martha Witherspoon, Samuel & Margaret Cross, John & Elizabeth Boyd, and John Boyd Jr. all of the State of Tennessee, Wilson County, of one part, to Edward Barnes of Iredell Co. of the other part, the remaining 320 acres of the land of John Leach. Wit. George Bogle, James Bogle, Jurat, Robt. Erwin.<sup>9</sup> On 19 Sep 1813 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, Wm. Moore of Rutherford Co., sold to William Leech, 145 a. (DB E:385). On 14 Nov 1814 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, Samuel Cross sold to William Leech, 100 a on a branch of Smith's Fork on the Caney Fork bounded by Cross and William Bogle. (DB F:200). On 8 Nov 1817 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, William Leech of Edwards Co., Territory of Illinois, sold to Abner Alexander, 145 a on a branch of Smiths Fork. (DB F:483). On 10 Nov 1817 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, William Leech of Edwards Co., Territory of Illinois, sold to Samuel Bryson of Wilson Co., 100 a on branch of Smith's fork, adjacent William Bogle. (DB G:284). He appeared on the census of 1830 in Carroll Co., Tennessee, Page 174, William Leach 0000100011-000100001. On 17 Oct 1832 Carroll Co., Tennessee, William Leach made a declaration in order to obtain a pension for his Revolutionary War service. " Personally appeared in open court this the 17th of Oct. 1832, William Leach age seventy one who made oath in due form of law and files the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed June 7th 1832. States that he was a resident of the county of Rowan at the commencement of the war of the revolution and previous to the year 1780 he was called out in several excursions against the tories, and on the 17th of July he volunteered for a tour of three months in the company commanded by Capt. William Stewart in the corps commanded by Col. Davie. Maj. James Rutherford was his major and who was afterwards killed at the battle of Eutaw Springs and that he served out his tour of three months as will appear by his discharge herewith filed. During the first part of this service, the corps

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to which he belonged were ranging on the south fork of the Cataba river in North Carolina for the purpose of keeping down the Tories until after the British Army under Cornwallis moved from South Carolina to Mecklenburg county North Carolina. They were then marched in the neighborhood of the British for the purpose of keeping down pillaging and plundering parties of the British army in which service he was engaged until he was discharged. In this service he was in no regular engagements. Further states that again in the year 1781 he was drafted for a term of three months under Capt. Thomas Morrison & Col. Loftins' regiment, the whole under the command of Gen. Rutherford, during which tour he served three months as will appear by the affidavit of one of his fellow soldiers which is hereto amended & who is too infirm to ride this far to court. In this service he went on what was called the Wilmington campaign, then in the possession of the British army. After the surrender of Cornwallis the town (or tour) was evacuated & shortly afterwards they were marched home & discharged. In this tour he was in no regular engagement nor out of State. This service closed the war or nearly. So further he states that he has no documentary evidence except his discharge as above stated to prove his services and has no living testimony that he knows of except Henry Thomas who has certified as above stated that in the excursions before his regular service were very ----- & for short periods of time but he verily believes he was engaged as long in those excursions as the whole of his regular tours. He hereby relinquishes any claim to a pension except the present and that his name is not on the pension roll of any state. Sworn & subscribed in open Court this 17th Oct. 1832. Signed William Leech. James H. Gee, Clerk.

B. M. Burrow & John Stewart, residing in said County hereby certify that we are well acquainted with William Leach who has sworn to & subscribed the foregoing declaration, that we believe him to be 71 years of age and that he has reported and he lived in the neighborhood to have been a soldier of the Revolution and we concur in that opinion. Signed: Banks M. Burrow, John Stewart.

Answers to Questions

What year were you born?

1. Rowan County, can't recollect the year but will be seventy one the 6th of December next.

Record of birth?

2. I believe not.

Where have you resided since your service?

3. As before stated, in Rowan County, North Carolina--after the war the county was divided and he fell in Iredell where he continued until about thirty seven years ago, he came to Tennessee, Sumner County, afterwards moved to Wilson and from there to Illinois where he resided for seven years and from thence to this county where he now resides.

Names of some regular officers?

4. As well as recollects, he never was with any regular officers, A Major Hogg joined them in the Wilmington campaign and on the rout to Wilmington they were joined by Gen. (Butlers?) Brigade of Militia." He appeared on the census of 1850 in Carroll Co., Tennessee, in HH #263-42 William Leech 89 NC, William P. 24 Tn, Mary M. 24, Amanda E. 3, Martha J. 1, John D. 21, Jesse H.T. 14.

The nine known children of William<sup>2</sup> Leech were as follows:

- 12 i. MARTHA<sup>3</sup> LEACH married Samuel Herron.
- 13 ii. ELIZA LEACH married William C. Wilson.
- 14 iii. ISABEL M. LEACH.
- 15 iv. JOHN LEACH was born circa 1788 in North Carolina. He married Jinsa Jane Stuart on 10 Jun 1809 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee.
- 16 v. MARY LEACH was born circa 1793. She married Robert Irwin on 23 Feb 1811 in Wilson Co., Tennessee. She died before 1818.
- 17 vi. THOMAS LEACH was born circa 1797. He married Peggy Ann West.
- 18 vii. JANE LEACH was born circa 1799. She married John Stewart.
- 19 viii. JAMES LEACH was born circa 1801.
- 20 ix. MARGARET LEACH was born in 1818 in Illinois. (She might have been a granddaughter)

(\*\*\* I think maybe Mary Leach who m. in 1811 Robert Irwin, was the daughter of William Leach)

4. ISABEL<sup>2</sup> LEACH (*John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1765 in Rowan Co., North Carolina. She married William Boyd, son of Robert Boyd and Eleanor McCulloch, circa 1783 in Burke County ?, North Carolina. She died on 17 Nov 1830 in Rutherford Co., North Carolina.<sup>10</sup>

WILLIAM BOYD was born circa 1754 in ? Pennsylvania ?. On 20 Apr 1780 Burke Co., North Carolina, the land of John Gable Sr. was said to have been surveyed by William Boyd, Dep. Surveyor to Christopher Beekman, but the

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survey was not given to him because it was lost or burnt in said Boyd house.<sup>11</sup> On 3 May 1780 Burke Co., North Carolina, # 1569, p. 519 "William Boyd, son of Robert Boyd, 200 acres on Lower Little River. May 3, 1780."<sup>12</sup> He appeared on the census of 1790 in Wilkes Co., North Carolina; Morgan District, 8th Co., William Boyd 1m +16, 3m -16, 1f. In 1793 Burke Co., North Carolina, Capt. Austin's Company: William Boyd 300 acres, 1 poll.<sup>13</sup> In 1794 Burke Co., North Carolina, he was on the tax list of Capt. Austin, listed with 300 acres and 1 poll.<sup>14</sup> On 22 Oct 1794 Burke Co., North Carolina, Hugh Reed to Wm. Boyd, 300a., pr. William Reed. This deed was recorded in the court minutes of 1794, p. 242.<sup>15</sup> In 1795 Burke Co., North Carolina, he was on the tax list of Capt. Austin, 300 acres, 1 poll.<sup>16</sup> On 25 Mar 1796 in Burke Co., North Carolina, he sold 200 acres to John Boyd. He signed a petition in in 1801 in Smith Co., Tennessee. In 1803 Wilson Co., Tennessee, on a tax list in Capt. Wood's District with 257 acres on Sander's Fork.<sup>17</sup> In 1804 Wilson Co., Tennessee, he was listed in Capt. Cannon's District No. 2 with 200 acres on Sanders Fork. His brother, Aaron Boyd, is listed with 57 acres.<sup>18</sup> On 20 Jun 1804 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, Deed Book A, page 407: Jeremiah Taylor of Smith Co., to Wm. Boyd of Wilson Co., 357 acres. Wit. Abrm. Britton and Robert Boyd. On 25 Jun 1804 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, Deed Book A, pages 407-408: William Boyd of Smith Co., to Joseph McCleskey of Wilson Co., 100 a. lying on the water of Sander's fork of Smith's fork. Wit. James McBride and Samuel McCleskey. On 15 Jul 1808 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, Deed Book C, page 252: William Boyd of Wilson County to William C. Hodges, 200 acres on Sanders Fork of Smiths Fork. Wit. Christopher Cooper, Arthur Harris, Robert Bogle. On 23 Oct 1809 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, Deed Book D, page 440: William Boyd of Bedford Co. to Aaron Boyd of Wilson Co., 57 acres lying and being in the County of Wilson on Sanders Fork and Smiths fork and being a part of a tract of land that the sd. Wm. Boyd purchased of Jeremiah Taylor. In 1812 Bedford Co., Tennessee, Tax List, Capt. Duncan Nulle's Co. lists: William Boyd, William Boyd (2), and Alexander Boyd.

The seven known children of Isabel<sup>2</sup> Leach and William Boyd were as follows:

- + 21 i. JOHN<sup>3</sup> BOYD, born circa 1787 in Burke Co., North Carolina; married Martha Witherspoon.
- + 22 ii. ROBERT BOYD, born circa 1784 in Burke Co., North Carolina; married Elizabeth Gardner.
- 23 iii. WILLIAM BOYD was born circa 1790 in Burke Co., North Carolina. He married Faithy Lawrence on 9 Oct 1815 in Wilson County, Tennessee. He died on 1 Apr 1844 in Wilson County, Tennessee. [I am not easy with this man --- so many things do not fit.]
- + 24 iv. ROSANAH BOYD, born circa 1792 in Burke Co., North Carolina; married Alexander Boyd.
- 25 v. JOEL BOYD was born circa 1794 in Burke Co., North Carolina. He died circa 1828 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee.
- 26 vi. THOMAS BOYD was born circa 1796 in Burke Co., North Carolina.
- + 27 vii. JAMES H. BOYD, born circa 1798 in Smith County?, Tennessee; married Frances Witherspoon.

5. JANE<sup>2</sup> LEACH (*John'*) was born circa 1767. She married Samuel Bogle circa 1786 in Burke Co., North Carolina.

SAMUEL BOGLE married 1. Chloe, the daughter of James Reynolds. Samuel received letters of admr. on the estate of sd. Reynolds. Abraham Erwin & Robert Bogle qualified as securities under 500 pound bond. This was a court order on 3 May 1774 in Rowan Co., North Carolina.<sup>19</sup> He appeared on the census of 1790 in Iredell Co., North Carolina; 1 m +16, 5m -16; 2 f. On 27 Aug 1806 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, Samuel Bogle left a will.<sup>20</sup> In the name of God Amen, I Samuel Bogle being of sound mind and memory but calling to mind the mortality of my aged body, do make and ordain this my last will and testament. That is to say I give by Soul to God who gave it and by body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in a decent manner at the discretion of my executors and as touching such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to Bless me with, I dispose of in the following manner and form, Viz. I do give and bequeath to my beloved wife Jane Bogle the plantation that I now live on her life time, my Beds of furniture, Pewter Potts and all my other household furniture, two cows and calves, one Horse, --- saddle, one years provision of meal and corn, all wool and Flax in the house and all my Sheep and two sows and Piggs, her Wheel, my Loom and Gears and all my farming Tools. I will, give and bequeath to my beloved son Thomas Bogle one year old horse colt to him his heirs and assigns forever. Item I will, give and bequeath unto my two sons Joseph and Thomas one hundred and fifty acres that I now live on to them their heirs and assigns forever, to be divided between according to quantity and quality. Thomas to enjoy the part that includes the house and improvements that I now live on, to them their heirs and assigns forever. It is my will and pleasure that my two sons Joseph and Thomas pay unto their three sisters, Viz. Sarah, Margaret and Jane when they arrive to the age of eighteen years the Sum of twenty dollars each. Item, I will give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Sarah the sum of twenty dollars above mentioned from her brothers. Item, I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Margaret the sum of twenty dollars above mentioned from her brothers. Item, I will and bequeath unto by beloved daughter Jane the sum of twenty dollars

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from her brothers above mentioned. Item, I will, give and bequeath unto my beloved son William Bogle the sum of one dollar to him his heirs and assigns. Item, I will give and bequeath unto my beloved son Robert the sum of one dollar to him his heirs and assigns. Item, I will give and bequeath unto by beloved daughter Mary Irwin to her heirs and assigns. ( note, this is not a typo, what he willed her is not listed! ) It is my further will and pleasure that all the remainder of my estate that is not herein bequeathed be sold by my executors and after all my just debts are discharged the remainder to be equally divided amongst my five children, Viz. Joseph, Thomas, Sarah, Margaret and Jane, and lastly I do appoint my two neighbors Christopher Cooper esq. and Ezekial Alexander the sole executors of this my last will and testament revoking all gifts and legacies or bequeathments by me made Satisfying this my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I have set my hand and affixed by seal this 27th day of August 1806. Signed, Sealed and delivered in presence of us : Andrew Kirkpatrick, Jurat, Ezekial Alexander, Jurat. Samuel Bogle (Seal).

The four known children of Jane<sup>2</sup> Leach and Samuel Bogle were as follows:

- + 28 i. JOSEPH<sup>3</sup> BOGLE, born circa 1789; married Sarah (--?--).
- 29 ii. SARAH BOGLE was born on 27 Mar 1792 in Iredell Co., North Carolina. She married Joseph Bryson circa 1810. She died in 1868 in Cannon Co., Tennessee.
- 30 iii. JANE BOGLE was born circa 1794.
- 31 iv. MARGARET BOGLE was born circa 1796.

7. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> LEACH (*John*<sup>1</sup>) was born circa 1771. He married circa 1796.

MRS. THOMAS LEACH was born circa 1780.

The nine known children of Thomas<sup>2</sup> Leach and Mrs. Thomas Leach were as follows:

- + 32 i. JOHN<sup>3</sup> LEACH, born circa 1798; married Betsy Cooper.
- 33 ii. MARGARET LEACH was born circa 1800. She married David Todd on 2 Sep 1817 in Wilson Co., Tennessee; Bondsman were David Todd and O.G. Finley.
- 34 iii. MARTHA "PATSY" LEACH was born circa 1802. She married John McAdow on 31 Jul 1817 in Wilson Co., Tennessee.
- + 35 iv. JAMES LEACH, born circa 1804; married Elizabeth Byrn.
- 36 v. ELIZABETH LEACH was born circa 1809. She married John Summers on 10 Oct 1827 in Wilson Co., Tennessee.
- 37 vi. THOMAS K. LEACH was born in 1813.
- 38 vii. ABNER S. LEACH was born circa 1817.
- 39 viii. J.C. LEACH was born in 1824.
- 40 ix. WILLIAM C. LEACH was born in 1825.

(\*\*\* all children are guesstimates)

8. ELIZABETH<sup>2</sup> LEACH (*John*<sup>1</sup>) was born on 19 Dec 1773 in Rowan Co., North Carolina. She married John Boyd, son of Robert Boyd and Eleanor McCulloch, on 10 Nov 1791 in Burke Co., North Carolina. She died on 13 Jun 1863 in Trigg County, Kentucky, at age 89.

JOHN BOYD was born on 1 Nov 1764 in Virginia. He died on 10 Nov 1852 in Stewart County, Tennessee, at age 88.

The 13 known children of Elizabeth<sup>2</sup> Leach and John Boyd were as follows:

- 41 i. ABNER<sup>3</sup> BOYD was born on 4 Aug 1792 in Burke Co., North Carolina. He married Isabella Fullerton on 29 Oct 1816 in Christian County, Kentucky. He died on 15 Sep 1844 in Pike Co., Missouri, at age 52.
  - 42 ii. ELEANOR M. BOYD was born on 5 Jul 1794 in Burke Co., North Carolina. She married James Pharr on 10 Feb 1818. She died on 14 Apr 1828 in Pike Co., Missouri, at age 33.
  - 43 iii. MARGARET E. BOYD was born on 3 Aug 1796 in Burke Co., North Carolina. She died on 11 Mar 1816 in Logan County, Kentucky, at age 19.
  - 44 iv. ISABELLA BOYD was born on 16 Jan 1799 in Burke Co., North Carolina. She married James Mathis on 6 Jan 1824. She died on 1 Dec 1876 in Stewart County, Tennessee, at age 77.
  - 45 v. NANCY BOYD was born on 19 Jan 1801 in Burke Co., North Carolina. She married William Cross, on 7 Jan 1827. She died on 25 Mar 1847 in Stewart County, Tennessee, at age 46.
  - 46 vi. JOHN BOYD was born in Jan 1803. He died in Feb 1804 at age 1.
  - 47 vii. ADLAI BOYD was born on 26 Nov 1804 in Iredell Co., North Carolina. He married Joanna Cessna on 9 Sep 1828 in Muhlenburg County, Kentucky. He died on 31 Dec 1881 in
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- Muhlenburg County, Kentucky, at age 77. He was buried in Liberty Churchyard, near Greenville, Kentucky.
- 48 viii. JAMES HALL BOYD was born on 20 Jun 1807 in Burke Co., North Carolina. He married Juliet Ann McCormick on 30 Dec 1828 in Christian County, Kentucky. He died on 30 Aug 1846 in Christian Co., Illinois, at age 39. He was buried in Traylor-Anderson Cem.
- 49 ix. ALFRED BOYD was born on 7 Nov 1809 in Burke Co., North Carolina. He married Zillah McCormick on 28 Dec 1832. He died on 13 Nov 1880 in Christian Co., Illinois, at age 71.
- + 50 x. ROBERT W. BOYD, born 27 Mar 1812 in Wilson County, Tennessee; married Harriet Sherrill.
- 51 xi. ELIZABETH L. BOYD was born on 21 Apr 1814 in Logan County, Kentucky. She married Robert F. Long on 10 Apr 1834. She died on 8 Jun 1892 in Logan County, Kentucky, at age 78.
- 52 xii. MARTHA C. BOYD was born on 8 Aug 1816 in Stewart County, Tennessee. She died on 26 Jul 1830 in Stewart County, Tennessee, at age 13.
- 53 xiii. HANNAH EWING BOYD was born on 12 Dec 1818 in Stewart County, Tennessee. She married Richard Hudson on 14 Feb 1839. She died in Apr 1897 in Trigg County, Kentucky, at age 78. She was buried in Joines Cemetery, Trigg County, Kentucky.

*Generation Three*

9. JOSEPH<sup>3</sup> WITHERSPOON (*Martha<sup>2</sup>Leach, John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1777.<sup>21</sup> He married Jane Bond, daughter of William Bond, circa 1799. He died on 22 Oct 1850 in Newton Co., Missouri.

List of letters remaining at Nashville P.O.: Joseph Witherspoon (Belfast, Ireland), J. Witherspoon.<sup>22</sup> He resided on 16 Jun 1808 in Sander's Fork, Wilson Co., Tennessee. An advertisement in *The Clarion* stated he took up a sorrel horse which was appraised at \$45.<sup>23</sup>

JANE BOND died on 14 Jan 1847 in Newton Co., Missouri.

The eight known children of Joseph<sup>3</sup> Witherspoon and Jane Bond were as follows:

- 54 i. FRANCES<sup>4</sup> WITHERSPOON was born circa 1807 in Wilson County, Tennessee. She married James H. Boyd, son of William Boyd and Isabel Leach, on 30 Dec 1822 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. She died on 24 Mar 1861 in Ellis Co., Texas.<sup>24</sup>
- 55 ii. MARGARET TABITHA WITHERSPOON was born circa 1815 in Wilson/Rutherford Co, Tennessee. She married Robert Boyd, son of Alexander Boyd and Rosanah Boyd, on 24 Aug 1829 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee.
- 56 iii. WILLIAM WINFREY WITHERSPOON was born circa 1802 in Wilson County, Tennessee. He married Margaret Jane Davis on 4 Dec 1821 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He married Mary Oliver. He died on 10 May 1849 in Newton Co., Missouri.
- 57 iv. WINFREY BOND WITHERSPOON was born on 6 Jun 1805 in Wilson County, Tennessee. He married Mary Orr, daughter of Alexander Orr and Jane McKnight, on 26 Jan 1827 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He married Susan Thompson on 9 Dec 1837. He died on 26 Jan 1852 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee, at age 46.
- 58 v. DAVID COLUMBUS WITHERSPOON was born on 21 Sep 1809 in Wilson County, Tennessee.<sup>25</sup> He married Katherine Blankenship, daughter of Sylvester Blankenship and Ann Wilson, on 23 Oct 1828 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He died on 16 Oct 1850 in Newton Co., Missouri, at age 41.<sup>26</sup>
- 59 vi. THOMAS ADDISON WITHERSPOON was born on 30 Aug 1812 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He married Rachel Eliza Youree on 25 Feb 1833 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He died on 22 Jul 1868 in Ellis County, Texas, at age 55.
- 60 vii. MINERVA JANE WITHERSPOON was born on 25 Dec 1818 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. She married Matthew Lile McElroy on 25 Mar 1835. She died on 13 Mar 1899 in Ellis County, Texas, at age 80.
- 61 viii. ALEXANDER DONNELL WITHERSPOON was born on 31 Jul 1824 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He died on 8 Apr 1899 in Ellis County, Texas, at age 74.
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10. MARTHA<sup>3</sup> WITHERSPOON (*Martha<sup>2</sup>Leach, John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1793 in Iredell Co., North Carolina. She married John Boyd, son of William Boyd and Isabel Leach, circa 1809. She died circa 1851 in Newton Co., Missouri.

JOHN BOYD was born circa 1787 in Burke Co., North Carolina. He was named as a grandson in the will of John Leach on 19 Feb 1805 in Wilson Co., Tennessee.<sup>27</sup> On 12 Aug 1818 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, John Boyd and Joseph Witherspoon sold 228 acres (State of Tennessee Grant # 1234) on Sanders Fork to James Summers.<sup>28</sup> On 23 Sep 1818 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee, John McKnight to John Boyd of Wilson County, 160a on McKnight's Creek for \$1100. Wits. Joseph Witherspoon and John Witherspoon.<sup>29</sup> On 9 Apr 1838 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee, John Boyd to William D. Baird, 160a on McKnight's Creek, for \$1000. Wits. John D. Alexander and John Witherspoon.<sup>30</sup> In Mar 1840 in Newton Co., Missouri, March Term, a member of the jury was John Boyd.<sup>31</sup> He died on 27 Sep 1846 in Newton Co., Missouri.<sup>32</sup> On 14 Oct 1851 in Newton Co., Missouri, (an unknown value).

The 10 known children of Martha<sup>3</sup> Witherspoon and John Boyd were as follows:

- 62 i. DAVID FENISTON/FEAMSTER<sup>4</sup> BOYD was born circa 1811 in Wilson County, Tennessee. He married Elizabeth E. Blankenship, daughter of Sylvester Blankenship and Ann Wilson, circa 1833.
- On 7 Jun 1836 Cannon Co., Tennessee, : David is mentioned as working on a road: "On a motion ordered by the Court, Joel Maxey was appointed overseer of the road from the creek near David McKnight's to the foard of the river near Readyville by the said Maxey's house and he was to have the following hands, viz. Phillip Maxey, Andrew Brown, James Mitchell, Thomas Bernett, James Bernett, **David F. Boyd.**"<sup>33</sup> He appeared on the census of 1850 in Newton Co., Missouri: Household # 5/5; David F. Boyd 39 Tenn., Elizabeth 36 Va., Thomas S. 15 Tenn., John 14 Tenn., Wilson 11 Mo., Benjamin 9 Mo., Martin 7 Mo., Mary 5 Mo., Alexander 1 Mo.<sup>34</sup> On 14 Oct 1851 in Newton Co., Missouri; David and his brothers, sisters, and spouses sold the land of his father, John Boyd. The sibilings and their spouses sold 1/2 of the land to their brother James T. Boyd it being a tract of land on Shoal Creek, the E 1/2 of Lot # 2, NE fr qr of Section 5, Twp 25 N, Range 31W, containing 38 48/100 acres. The west half was sold to brother William. The land sold for \$5 to each of them.<sup>35</sup> On 12 Feb 1852 in Newton Co., Missouri; David F. and Elizabeth E. Boyd sold to Eli Powers a tract of land: the north 1/2 of lot number 2, SW fr. qr. of Section 19, Township 26, Range 31 containing 53 acres and 65 hundredths, for \$71.<sup>36</sup> On 28 Jan 1857 in Newton Co., Missouri; David F. Boyd and Elizabeth E. Boyd, wife of said David F. Boyd, of Newton County, Missouri sold to Louisa Davidson, widow and relict of Wm. D. Davidson, to John R. Davidson, Emily J. Davidson, and Christian J. Davidson, heirs of the said Wm. D. Davidson, deceased, the west half of Lot number 2 of sw fr. qr. of Section 19, Twp 26, Range 31 containing fifty three acres and sixty five hundredths of an acre, for \$400.<sup>37</sup> He appeared on the census of 1860 in Newton Co., Missouri: Household # 501-499; David F. Boyd 49 Tn., Elizabeth 47 Va., Mary 15, Mo., Alexander 11 Mo., Margaret 9 Mo., William 6 Mo., Joseph 4 Mo.<sup>38</sup> On 17 Sep 1866 in Newton Co., Missouri; David F. Boyd and Elizabeth E. Boyd his wife of the county of Newton to Louisa Davidson and to John B. Davidson, Emily J. Davidson & Christian J. Davidson, heirs and assigns of the county of Newton for \$400, the north half of lot # two of the south west fractional quarter of section nineteen in township 26 range 31N section 19, containing 53 1/2 acres and 65 hundredth of an acre.<sup>39</sup>
- 63 ii. WILLIAM M. BOYD was born on 24 Nov 1812 in Wilson County, Tennessee. He married Isabella McKnight on 24 Mar 1834 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He married Derinda Lacy on 3 Jun 1847 in Newton Co., Missouri. He died on 15 Mar 1875 in Newton Co., Missouri, at age 62. His obituary read: "Died in Neosho on Monday night the 13th instant, Judge Wm. M. Boyd. Judge Boyd was among the oldest citizens of Newton Co. & has filled several positions of honor and trust at the hands of his fellow citizens. He was "the noblest work of God," an honest man." 18 March 1875.<sup>40</sup>
- 64 iii. ISABELLA E. BOYD was born circa 1815 in Wilson County, Tennessee. She married John Boyd on 17 Jan 1836 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. She died on 10 Apr 1848 in Newton Co., Missouri.
- 65 iv. ROSANNAH BOYD was born on 20 Apr 1817 in Wilson County, Tennessee.<sup>41</sup> She married James Henderson Boyd, son of Aaron Boyd, on 13 Jan 1836 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee.<sup>42</sup> She died circa 1851 in Newton Co., Missouri.
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- 66 v. JOSEPH ALEXANDER BOYD was born on 26 Sep 1819 in Wilson County, Tennessee. He married Holly Ann Jones circa 1849. He died on 4 May 1859 in Newton Co., Missouri, at age 39.
- 67 vi. JOHN W. BOYD was born on 11 Jul 1822 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He married Melvina Henry on 1 Jun 1848 in Newton Co., Missouri. He died before 14 Oct 1851 in Newton Co., Missouri. When his siblings sold the land of their father, John W. Boyd was not one of the signers of the deed, but his widow did sign as "Melvina L. Boyd, widow & relict of John W. Boyd, deceased."
- He appeared on the census of 1850 in Newton Co., Missouri, living in the household was: John W. Boyd 27 Tenn., Malvina 22 Tenn., William 1 Mo., and Henry B. Henry 23 Tenn.<sup>43</sup>
- 68 vii. JOEL MARION BOYD was born circa 1825 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He married Lucretia Payne on 21 Oct 1850 in Newton Co., Missouri. He died before 1880 in Jasper County, Missouri.
- He appeared on the census of 1870 in Jasper Co., Missouri. He was listed in Mineral Twp., Family # 117-123: Joel Boyd 48 Tn miner, Lucretia 35 Tn, John W. 12 Mo, George T. 11 Mo, James M. 8 Mo, William G. 3 Mo, Ulysses G. 4/12.
- 69 viii. MARTHA JANE BOYD was born on 5 Feb 1828 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee.<sup>44</sup> She married John Boyd circa 1850 in Newton Co., Missouri. She died on 2 May 1884 in Comanche County, Texas, at age 56.<sup>45</sup> She was buried in Hazeldell Cem, Comanche County, Texas.
- She and John Boyd appeared on the census of 1860 in Ellis County, Texas.<sup>46</sup>
- 70 ix. JAMES THOMAS BOYD was born on 18 May 1830 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He married Emily Frances Davidson, daughter of Joshua Davidson and Elizabeth A. Glover, on 27 Oct 1853 in Newton Co., Missouri. He died on 13 Feb 1915 in near, Diamond, Newton Co., Missouri, at age 84. His obituary in the Neosho Times read: "James T. Boyd, known as "Uncle Jimmy" by nearly every one, and probably the oldest citizen in Newton County (for he had lived here since 1838), died at this old home near Diamond Saturday, the 13th, after a short illness. He was born in Tennessee in 1830 and had reached the age of 84 years, 8 months and 25 days. He was married to Emily F. Davison October 21st, 1853. To this union were born 14 children as follows: G.W., J.C., C.M., Paris, Leonard, Edgar, Alta, and Bert Boyd, Mrs. Luella Hardin, Mrs. Belle Riggs, Mrs. Effa Wilson and Mrs. Dona Robinson, two having gone on to the other world. There are 58 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted Monday at the house by Rev. H.A. Wood, the sermon being based on the text in Psalms 90:10, and the services at the graveyard were conducted by the Masonic Order. many were present from Neosho. Interment was in the old family graveyard on the Boyd farm near the house."<sup>47</sup> He was buried on 15 Feb 1915 in Boyd Cemetery, Diamond, Newton Co., Missouri.<sup>48</sup>
- 71 x. MARGARET S.E. BOYD was born circa 1834 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. She married James Ross, son of Robert Ross and Charlotte \_\_\_\_\_, circa 1856. She married John A. Smith on 24 May 1867 in Newton Co., Missouri. She died on 3 Jan 1873 in Newton Co., Missouri.

**21.** JOHN<sup>3</sup> BOYD (*Isabel<sup>2</sup>Leach, John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1787 in Burke Co., North Carolina. He married Martha Witherspoon, daughter of Alexander Witherspoon and Martha Leach, circa 1809. He died on 27 Sep 1846 in Newton Co., Missouri.<sup>49</sup>

He was named as a grandson in the will of John Leach on 19 Feb 1805 in Wilson Co., Tennessee.<sup>50</sup> On 12 Aug 1818 in Wilson Co., Tennessee, John Boyd and Joseph Witherspoon sold 228 acres (State of Tennessee Grant # 1234) on Sanders Fork to James Summers.<sup>51</sup> On 23 Sep 1818 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee, John McKnight to John Boyd of Wilson County, 160a on McKnight's Creek for \$1100. Wits. Joseph Witherspoon and John Witherspoon.<sup>52</sup> On 9 Apr 1838 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee, John Boyd to William D. Baird, 160a on McKnight's Creek, for \$1000. Wits. John D. Alexander and John Witherspoon.<sup>53</sup> In Mar 1840 in Newton Co., Missouri, March Term, a member of the jury was John Boyd.<sup>54</sup> On 14 Oct 1851 in Newton Co., Missouri, (an unknown value).

MARTHA WITHERSPOON was born circa 1793 in Iredell Co., North Carolina. She died circa 1851 in Newton Co., Missouri. (See # 10 above)

**22.** ROBERT<sup>3</sup> BOYD (*Isabel<sup>2</sup>Leach, John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1784 in Burke Co., North Carolina. He married Elizabeth Gardner on 11 Aug 1806 in Wilson County, Tennessee.

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In Oct 1805 Rutherford Co., Tennessee, Robert Boyd to oversee the road from Cripple creek to the Eastern boundary of this county on the East fork of Stones river, and all hands within three miles of sd road above the mouth of Cripple creek work thereon under him.<sup>55</sup> On 8 Jan 1806 Rutherford Co., Tennessee, Robert Boyd appointed overseer of the road from the ford of the river below Readys mill to Cripple creek and all the hands within two miles on each side of the sd road except those included in Henry Davises order to work the same.<sup>56</sup> In Apr 1806 Rutherford Co., Tennessee, Ordered following Justices of the Peace to take lists of taxable property & polls in the following militia captains companies as follows: In Capt. Alexander McKnights Co., John Andrews; In Capt. Robert Boyds Co., Charles Ready.<sup>57</sup> He appeared on the census of 1830 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee; page 267: Robert Boyd, 1m 15-20, 1m 40-50: 1f 5-10, 1f 10-15, 2f 15-20, 1f 40-50.

ELIZABETH GARDNER. A James Gardner of Wilson County left a will dated July 1803 and it names his youngest daughter, Elizabeth.

**24. ROSANAH<sup>3</sup> BOYD** (*Isabel<sup>2</sup>Leach, John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1792 in Burke Co., North Carolina. She married Alexander Boyd, son of Robert Boyd Jr, on 2 Jun 1807 in Wilson County, Tennessee; Alexander Boyd and John Boyd of Wilson County Tennessee put up a marriage bond of \$1250 on 2 June 1807. Test. John Allcorn.<sup>58</sup> She died before 1820 in Tn/Ky.

ALEXANDER BOYD was born on 16 Sep 1785 in Burke Co., North Carolina. He died in Aug 1819 in Tn or Ky at age 33.

The two known children of Rosanah<sup>3</sup> Boyd and Alexander Boyd were as follows:

- 84 i. ROBERT<sup>4</sup> BOYD was born circa 1809 in Tennessee. He married Margaret Tabitha Witherspoon, daughter of Joseph Witherspoon and Jane Bond, on 24 Aug 1829 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He died on 18 Aug 1860 in Newton Co., Missouri.
- 85 ii. WILLIAM B. BOYD was born on 18 Sep 1812 in Wilson County, Tennessee. An article on his grandson, Dr. William Dill Boyd, states William B. Boyd was born near Lebanon, Tenn. in 1812.<sup>59,60</sup> He married Ruanna McKnight circa 1837. He married Narcissa Dill on 18 Sep 1855 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He died on 18 Mar 1894 in Rusk, Cherokee County, Texas, at age 81.

**27. JAMES H.<sup>3</sup> BOYD** (*Isabel<sup>2</sup>Leach, John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1798 in Smith County?, Tennessee. He married Frances Witherspoon, daughter of Joseph Witherspoon and Jane Bond, on 30 Dec 1822 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. He died on 30 Jul 1860 in Ellis County, Texas.<sup>61</sup>

On 20 Mar 1826 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee, David Ballow to James H. Boyd, 232 acres. Wit. Aaron Ballew & Samuel Folks. (DB U:36). On 1 Jan 1834 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee, James H. Boyd of Trigg Co., Kentucky to Aaron Ballew of Henderson Co., Tennessee, 89 acres on Cripple Creek in Rutherford Co., TN, Beg. at a stake in the S boundary line of tract David Ballew bought of Thomas Blair, 7 3/4 poles E of SE corner of same past a post oak & cedar, then N 39 Poles to a stake, N 56 1/2 degrees W 58 poles to a red oak, 2 degrees W, 4 poles to a stake, N 45 degrees W 56 poles to a stake in an old road, N 69 degrees W 2 poles with said road to a stake in W. boundary line of tract granted to David Ballew, thence N with said line 85 poles to a Chipapaker Oak then E 92 poles to a stake standing, 8 3/4 poles N of the NE corner of a 100 a tract to sd David Ballew bought of William Pace S 41 degrees E 80 poles to a stake, S 46 poles to a cedar on the sd S boundary line of tract of Thomas Blare, W 43 /14 poles to beginning. Wits. J. W. Conley, Winfree Witherspoon, William Pace. (DB U:30-31). On 1 Jan 1834 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee, James H. Boyd to William Pace, 143 acres. Wit. J.W. Conley & Winfree Witherspoon. (DB U:185).

FRANCES WITHERSPOON was born circa 1807 in Wilson County, Tennessee. She died on 24 Mar 1861 in Ellis Co., Texas.<sup>62</sup>

The nine known children of James H.<sup>3</sup> Boyd and Frances Witherspoon were as follows:

- 86 i. ELIZABETH<sup>4</sup> BOYD was born on 17 Jan 1825 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. She married Joseph Powers circa 1840. She died on 21 Oct 1857 in Newton Co., Missouri, at age 32.
  - 87 ii. WILLIAM JASPER BOYD was born on 27 May 1827 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee; Date recorded in the bible of the grandmother of Tom Boyd.<sup>63</sup> He married Pernetta E. Baggett, daughter of Uzile Baggett and Sarah Elizabeth Collins, on 31 Jul 1848.<sup>64</sup> He married Syrena A. Blair on 27 Sep 1871 in Johnson Co., Texas. He died on 12 Nov 1902 in Hill Co., Texas, at age 75.
  - 88 iii. MARANDA BOYD was born circa 1829 in Rutherford Co., Tennessee. She married John H. Henderson on 21 Sep 1848 in Newton Co., Missouri.
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- 89 iv. MARGARET T. BOYD was born circa 1832 in Kentucky. She married William Lee on 29 May 1851 in Ellis County, Texas.
- 90 v. JOSEPH W. BOYD was born on 26 Aug 1836 in Kentucky. He died in May 1860 in Ellis County, Texas, at age 23.
- 91 vi. HARRIET FRANCES BOYD was born circa 1839 in Newton Co., Missouri. She married A.C. Hickey on 6 Dec 1855 in Ellis County, Texas.
- 92 vii. LILLA BOYD was born circa 1842 in Newton Co., Missouri.
- 93 viii. VICTORIA BOYD was born circa 1844 in Newton Co., Missouri.
- 94 ix. PERNETTA BOYD was born circa 1848 in Newton Co., Missouri.

**28.** JOSEPH<sup>3</sup> BOGLE (*Jane<sup>2</sup>Leach, John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1789. He married Sarah (--?--) circa 1810. He died in 1814 in Wilson County, Tennessee, the estate sale of Joseph Bogle was on 13 Jan 1815. Some of the buyers were: Jane Bogle, Sarah Bogle, Billy Bogle, J. Witherspoon, Joseph Witherspoon, Alexander Witherspoon, John Witherspoon, Stephen Witherspoon, Thomas Leech, William Leech, John Boyd, Miss McKnight, John McKnight, Ezekial Alexander, Henry Arnold, David Arnold, James Black, B. Brown, Robert Bumpass, Josiah Ellison, James Higgen, John Horn, A. Kirkpatrick, John Kear, James McDaniel, Robert Morgan, James Odum, John Rian, James Summers, Anthony Summers, Jacob Thomas, Joe Sharp, John Ward, James Willard, Jordan Word.

SARAH (--?--) was born in 1788 in North Carolina. She died in 1874 in Cannon Co., Tennessee.

The two known children of Joseph<sup>3</sup> Bogle and Sarah (--?--) were as follows:

- 95 i. WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> BOGLE was born in 1811 in Wilson Co., Tennessee. He married Julia E. Jones on 26 May 1832 in Wilson Co., Tennessee.
- 96 ii. JOSEPH BOGLE was born circa 1814 in Wilson Co., Tennessee. He married Sarah Harris on 10 Feb 1832 in Wilson Co., Tennessee.

**32.** JOHN<sup>3</sup> LEACH (*Thomas<sup>2</sup>, John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1798. He married Betsy Cooper on 16 Dec 1820 in Wilson Co., Tennessee; Bondsman was Samuel Bryson. He died circa 1835.

The two known children of John<sup>3</sup> Leach and Betsy Cooper were as follows:

- 97 i. PRESTON JAMES<sup>4</sup> LEACH was born circa 1824. He married Elizabeth Owen on 6 Jul 1854.
- 98 ii. JOHN COFFEE LEACH was born circa 1824. He married July Ann Blanks on 12 Jan 1846 in Cannon Co., Tennessee.

**35.** JAMES<sup>3</sup> LEACH (*Thomas<sup>2</sup>, John<sup>1</sup>*) was born circa 1804. He married Elizabeth Byrn on 11 Nov 1828 in Wilson Co., Tennessee. He died before 2 Nov 1835.

ELIZABETH BYRN was born in 1809 in Tennessee.

The two known children of James<sup>3</sup> Leach and Elizabeth Byrn were as follows:

- 99 i. REBECCA ANN<sup>4</sup> LEACH was born circa 1831.  
She and Nancy Leach had appointed by the court as their guardian, William Byrn on 29 Jan 1839 in Wilson Co., Tennessee.
- 100 ii. NANCY LEACH was born circa 1834.  
She and Rebecca Ann Leach had appointed by the court as their guardian, William Byrn on 29 Jan 1839 in Wilson Co., Tennessee.

**50.** ROBERT W.<sup>3</sup> BOYD (*Elizabeth<sup>2</sup>Leach, John<sup>1</sup>*) was born on 27 Mar 1812 in Wilson County, Tennessee. He married Harriet Sherrill on 30 Apr 1835. He died on 25 Dec 1894 in Calahan County, Texas, at age 82.<sup>65</sup> He died on 26 Dec 1894 in Graves County, Kentucky, at age 82.

HARRIET SHERRILL was born on 30 Jul 1816 in Kentucky. She died on 21 Aug 1884 at age 68.<sup>66</sup>

The only known child of Robert W.<sup>3</sup> Boyd and Harriet Sherrill was:

- 101 i. JOHN NELSON<sup>4</sup> BOYD was born on 27 Nov 1852 in Stewart County, Tennessee.<sup>67</sup> He married Laura Pirtle on 20 Dec 1885. He died on 19 Jun 1940 in McCracken County, Kentucky, at age 87.<sup>68</sup>
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**LAWHON, LINDA ELIZABETH (Boyd). Born 23 August, 1941 in Blytheville, (Miss. Cty) AR, to Captain William Quintus Boyd (kia Korea 1950) and Gloria (Martin) Boyd Morris (d1990) surrendered her spirit in her hard fought battle with breast cancer on 29 July, 2003**

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