

Ancestors of Thomas Davis Langford

Parents

Grandparents

Henry Norman Langford
b Mar 1802 in Montgomery Co., MD
d AFTER 1870 in Montgomery, AL ?
m Jul 12, 1827 in Putnam Co., GA

Richard Langford
b 1773 in VA
d 1860 in Cotton Valley, Macon Co., AL
m May 22, 1801 in Montgomery Co., MD

Amelia Soper
b UNKNOWN in MD?
d ABOUT 1823 in GA
Number of children: 6

Thomas Davis Langford
b Jun 3, 1828 in GA
d Jan 22, 1909 in Meridian, MS
m Sep 11, 1859 in Newton Co., MS

Elizabeth Davis
b ABOUT 1810 in GA?
d ABOUT 1838 in GA
Number of children: 4

Prepared by Dan A. Langford 8/31/92
16926 Summit Oaks, Spring, Tx 77379

combined with
PC 94.009
PC 93.381

Descendants of Thomas Davis Langford

Thomas Davis Langford
b Jun 3, 1828 in GA
Number of children: 12
d Jan 22, 1909 in Meridian, MS

Lucy Frances Wilson
b Sep 6, 1841 in Monroe Co., GA
m Sep 11, 1859 in Newton Co., MS
d May 27, 1910 in Meridian, MS

Children

William H. Langford
b Aug 1861 in Newton Co., MS
Number of children: 4
d ABOUT 1915 in Arkansas

||

Della C. Mitchell
b Aug 1872 in AL
m Dec 1891 in Newton Co. MS
d AFTER 1910 in Arkansas?

Howard Langford 1893 -
Leon Langford 1893 -
Frank M. Langford 1895 -
Egreh May Langford 1897 -

Larkin Davis Langford
b May 2, 1862 in Newton Co. MS
Number of children: 10
d AFTER 1910 in Grant Ph. LA?

||

Ella Helenor Morgan Loper
b 1868 in MS?
m Sep 2, 1891 in Newton Co. MS
d AFTER 1910 in Grant Ph. LA?

Trevel M. Loper 1890 -
Ruth Langford 1893 -
Larkin Langford 1894 -
CorLee Langford 1896 -

Larkin Langford 1894 -
CorLee Langford 1896 -
TheLma Langford 1898 -
James McNamara Langford 1900 -
Leo Langford 1902 -
Elva Langford 1904 -
Thomas Blackwood Langford 1906 -
Patrick Vardaman Langford 1909 -

Eliza Roberia Langford
b Jul 1865 in Newton Co., MS
Number of children: 9
d Oct 14, 1939 in MS

||

Joseph Anderson Pace
b UNKNOWN
m Nov 1, 1883 in Newton Co., MS
d Apr 21, 1944 in unknown

Edna Pace 1894 -
Feliz Morton Pace 1885 -
Thomas Marvin Pace 1889 -
Forest Pace UNKNOWN -
Joseph Vernon Pace, Sr. 1894 -
George Taimage Pace 1896 -
Lucy Roberia Pace 1899 -
Nancy Lee Pace 1901 -
Annie Lois Pace 1903 -

Mary Salome Langford
b Feb 1, 1868 in Newton Co., MS
Number of children: 6
d Dec 7, 1942 in Meridian, MS

||

Alphonso Bobbit Amis
b Feb 7, 1867 in MS
m Jun 11, 1893 in MS
d Jul 5, 1949 in MS

d Jul 6, 1949 in MS

Marshall Wilson Amis 1894 -
Maurice Brewer Amis 1896 -
A. B. Amis, Jr. 1899 -
Augusta Amis 1902 -
Frances Amis 1904 -
Mary Amis 1908 -

Thomas Howard Langford
b Nov 2, 1869 in Newton Co., MS
Number of children: 1
d 1937 in MS

||

Ina Joe Bailey
b Sep 1874 in Newton Co. MS
m 1899 in Newton Co. MS?
d 1932 in MS

Lucy (Lula) Virginia Langford
b Sep 5, 1871 in Texas
Number of children: 1
d Mar 12, 1905

||

Mac: Russell.
b UNKNOWN
m 1892

Ethel Russell UNKNOWN -

Robert Lee Langford
b Dec 11, 1873 in Newton Co., MS

Robert Lee Langford
b Dec 11, 1873 in Newton Co., MS
Number of children: 0
d Feb 27, 1955

||

Ethel Brown
b UNKNOWN
m UNKNOWN

Lois Pallie Langford
b Sep 12, 1877 in Newton Co., MS
Number of children: 4
d Oct 10, 1935

||

Will Bass
b UNKNOWN
m UNKNOWN

Willie Davis Bass UNKNOWN -
Hubbard Bass UNKNOWN -
Maurice Bass UNKNOWN -
Howard Ball UNKNOWN -

George Marvin Langford
b May 16, 1879 in Newton Co., MS
Number of children: 11
d Jul 28, 1959 in Conehatta, MS

||

Alma Blackburn
b 1886 in MS
m 1904 in Newton Co., MS
d AFTER 1910 in MS

John Davis Langford 1905 -
Leslie Leon Langford 1907 -
Wilson Langford 1909 -
Marvin George Langford 1912 -
Frances Virginia Langford UNKNOWN -
Robert Lee Langford UNKNOWN -
Hubert Stephen Langford 1921 -
Nila Jane Langford 1924 -
Lillie Madene Langford UNKNOWN -
Ivin Lamar Langford 1926 -
Dorothy Langford 1920 -

Ernest D. Langford
b Jul 15, 1881 in Newton Co., MS
Number of children: 0
d Sep 30, 1925

Herbert Bailey Langford
b May 27, 1883 in Newton Co., MS
Number of children: 7
d Jul 29, 1965 in Shreveport, LA

||

Mary Beatrice Curtis
b Dec 12, 1891 in Pass Christian, MS
m 1912 in Shreveport, LA
d Jan 27, 1977 in Shreveport, LA

Herbert B. Langford, Jr. (Herb) 1914 -
Thomas (Dave) Davis Langford 1917 -
John Curtis (Curt) Langford 1919 -
Richard (Dick) Bennett Langford 1920 -
Stephen (Steve) Earle Langford 1922 -
Mary (Manie) B. Langford 1930 -
Daniel (Dan) Aubrey Langford 1932 -

Albert Leon Langford
b Jun 22, 1886 in Newton Co., MS

b Jun 22, 1886 in Newton Co., MS

d Oct 13, 1891 in Newton Co., MS

Elizabeth Davis
b ABOUT 1810 in GA?
m Jul 12, 1827 in Putnam Co., GA
d ABOUT 1838 in GA

Henry Norman Langford
b Mar 1802 in Montgomery Co., MD
Number of children: 7
d AFTER 1870 in Montgomery, AL ?

Adeline M. Cheatham
b ABOUT 1821 in GA
m Dec 1838 in GA
d AFTER 1870 in AL?

Children

Thomas Davis Langford
b Jun 3, 1828 in GA
Number of children: 12
d Jan 22, 1909 in Meridian, MS

Mary J. Langford
b 1839 in GA
Number of children: 4
d AFTER 1880 in Clayton, Marengo Co., AL?

Lucy Frances Wilson
b Sep 6, 1841 in Monroe Co., GA
m Sep 11, 1859 in Newton Co., MS
d May 27, 1910 in Meridian, MS

William Erady Langford
b 1837 in AL
m UNKNOWN in AL?
d AFTER 1880 in Clayton, Marengo Co., AL?

William H. Langford 1861 - 1915
Larkin Davis Langford 1862 - 1910
Eliza Roberta Langford 1865 - 1939
Mary Salome Langford 1868 - 1942
Thomas Howard Langford 1869 - 1937
Lucy (Lula) Virginia Langford 1871 - 1905
Robert Lee Langford 1873 - 1955
Lois Pallie Langford 1877 - 1935
George Marvin Langford 1879 - 1959
Ernest D. Langford 1881 - 1925
Herbert Bailey Langford 1883 - 1965
Albert Leon Langford 1886 - 1891

Emma C. Langford 1866 -
Mary M. Langford 1868 -
Lillie B. Langford 1871 -
Henry H. Langford 1876 -

Joe J. Langford
b May 1830 in Muscogee Co., GA
Number of children: 9
d AFTER 1910 in Falls Co. TX

John H. Langford
b 1841 in Macon Co., AL
d UNKNOWN

Winnie Jane ?
b 1835 in AL?

Emma Langford
b 1844 in Macon Co., AL
d UNKNOWN

Winnie Jane ?

b 1835 in AL?

m ABOUT 1855 in Macon Co. AL ?

d BEFORE 1900 in TX?

William Langford 1856 -

Mary (Nollie) E. Langford 1858 - UNKNOWN

John C. Langford 1860 -

Joseph Alex Langford 1862 -

Sarah M. Langford 1866 -

Henry Langford 1868 -

Charles L. Langford 1872 - 1910

Josephine Langford 1876 -

Jodie R. Langford 1883 - 1900

Henry I. Langford

b Sep 1832 in GA

Number of children: 8

d AFTER 1900 in Nestoba Co.?, MS

||

Caroline ?

b Apr 1836 in GA

m ABOUT 1853 in FL

d AFTER 1900 in MS

John Langford 1854 - UNKNOWN

Mary E Langford 1856 - UNKNOWN

Norman L. Langford 1858 - UNKNOWN

Henry E. Langford 1861 - UNKNOWN

Walter K. Langford 1865 - 1910

Charles A. Langford 1869 - UNKNOWN

Elizabeth F. Langford 1870 - UNKNOWN

Laura P. Langford 1874 - UNKNOWN

Philemon Langford

b Jan 1835 in GA

Number of children: 6

d AFTER 1900 in Montgomery AL ?

||

Susan R ?

b Dec 1843 in AL

m ABOUT 1864 in ?

d AFTER 1900 in Montgomery, AL

Marcus V. Langford 1865 -

Edgar D. Langford 1867 -

Charles H. Langford 1869 -

Ruth Caroline Langford 1872 -

Anna T. Langford 1876 -

Simeon Marvin Langford 1878 -

Henry Norman Langford (continued)

Our Wilson ancestors were in MS. before Henry N. and Dr T. D. moved to Newton Co. about 1858. They may have met for the first time in Newton Co. but there were Wilson families everywhere that Richard and Henry lived and they could have met somewhere in GA. or AL. Dr T. D. married Miss Lucy Wilson 11 Sept 1859, probably in Newton or Neshoba Co., MS. Henry N and his second wife Adline are found on the 1860 census for Newton Co. and in 1870, Montgomery, AL.

12 July 1827 Putnam Co., GA - Henry Married Elizabeth Davis.

1830 Census, Muscogee Co., GA.

H. A. Langford

M 2 (5-), 1 20/30; F 1 20/30

Slaves M 2 10-, 1 10/20; F 1 10/20

1836 Harris Co. Henry N. commissioned as Justice of the Peace for Dist. 696, on Feb 19.

(Muscogee Co., created in 1826, was broken up in 1827 to form several other Counties, one of which was Harris.)

Dec. 1838. Henry N. married Adaline M. Cheatham, dau. of A. R. & M. W. Cheatham, probably in Harris Co., GA. Elizabeth Davis must have died about 1838. With 4 boys under age 10, the period of mourning would be short.

1840 Census, Macon Co., AL

H. N. Lanford

M 1 (5-), 2 5/10, 1 10/15, 1 30/40; F 1(5-), 1 20/30

Slaves M 1 10/24, 2 24/36; F 1 10/24, 1 24/36, 1 36/55

1845 Mar 6th - Macon Co., AL, Henry N. Langford bought SW/4 Sec. 32, T 19, R 25. for \$270.

1845 Sept. 17 - Macon Co., Henry N. Appointed by county judge to sell land of Thomas H. Harper, dec'd, to highest bidder of \$200 + a note due Jan 1 next. NE/4. Sec 16, T 19, R 25.

1850 Census - Macon CO.

Henry N. Sangford	48 Farmer,	REst 26300	B Maryland
Adline	31		GA
Thomas D.	22 Farmer		GA
Joel J.	20 Farmer		GA
Henry L.	18 Farmer		GA
Philemon	16 Student		GA
Mary J.	11		GA
John H.	9		AL
Neonella E.	6		AL

1860 Census - Newton Co. MS (Decatur)

Henry N. Langford 59 Farmer. B Maryland, REst 1800, PEst 10784

Adline 39 GA

John 19 AL

Henry Norman Langford (continued)

Emma 16 AL

Slaves - 2 houses

Males - 1 each age 33, 18, 12, 10, 4, 2

Female - 1 each age 35, 30, 28, 14, 12, 10

1863 Newton Co. MS - Henry N. on Tax records.

1870 Census - Montgomery, AL (City)

Henry A. Lankford 68 Store Clerk, B MD, REst 1200

Adline 49 Keeping house GA

Nancy Melton 25 Domestic Serv MS

Walter Owen? 10/12 (Aug) AL

James Coffey (B1) 30 Domestic Serv AL

Thomas Davis (B1) 49 Store Clerk Mass.?

Henry Norman Langford

Notes made 7/17/92

Henry Norman was born to Richard Langford/Amelia Soper in Feb. or March of 1802 in Montgomery Co., MD. He was Christened on 25 April 1802 in Prince George Parish. Henry was the first of many children born to Amelia Soper.

Richard sold his land in Montgomery Co. on 18 Sept. 1815, when Henry was age 13. The family moved to Georgia about this time and was found again on the 1820 census of Hancock Co. GA. when Henry was 18. The family consisted of 5 boys including Henry and 4 girls. I have been able to name three of the girls, Ann Turner, Carmila, and Elizabeth and two of Henry's brothers, John T. and Albert G. (A third bro. is probably William-1840 Harris Co., GA census)

There was another group of Langford families in Hancock Co. in 1820 who may be related to the Richard and Henry Norman family. The 6 sons (Nicholas, John, Edmond, George N., Robert, Henry) and Widow (Elizabeth) of Euclid Langford are found on the 1820 Census for Hancock Co. and in numerous land transactions as early as 1803 for Euclid, who died in 1810, and as late as 1822. The sons sold their land in Hancock Co. in the 1819-20 period and moved to Putnam Co. where they purchased land in the years following 1820. I strongly suspect that Henry and Richard, his father, also moved to Putnam Co. about the same time, although there is no proof since Richard nor Henry have records of land purchase or sale in either county.

One of Euclid's sons, George N. is found in 1830 Muscogee Co. GA, next door to our Henry N and his young wife and two baby boys. They "apparently" moved together suggesting some sort of kinship. Henry N's mother, Amelia, died about 1822-24 in Hancock or Putnam Co. since Richard Married Nancy Heath 2 DEC 1824 in Putnam Co.

George N. Langford moved from GA a few years before Henry and lived for a short time in Autauga Co. AL before moving on to Brandon, Rankin Co. MS. around 1841 where he ran a boarding house and died in 1857.

I have been unable to establish a kinship with these Langfords so far but still think there are possibilities. Like Richard, Euclid and his sons were all born in VA.

On July 1, 1815 A Thomas Davis of Hancock Co. purchased a tract of land in Putnam Co., where he subsequently moved, and made several trades both for himself and as Executor for various people, dec'd, owning land near his in Putnam Co. Among the witnesses to these transactions was a Saul Davis and an Archibald Davis. There were also transactions between Archibald and James Davis and by James Davis from a third party. This combination of names is found later in MS, but can't make a connection at this time. All of these Davis men are sons of James Davis, wife Eliza, who died in Hancock Co. There is also one or more Thomas Davis families in Muscogee Co. in 1830 through 1850.

Henry married Elizabeth Davis 12 July 1827 in Putnam Co. and the young couple named their first born Thomas Davis Langford. A Thomas Davis, age 38, died in Putnam Co. in 1826 without a will, and I suspect that this is Elizabeth's father or brother. Another (Col.) Thomas Davis died in Jones Co. in 1823. More research needs to be done to tie down the correct Thomas Davis. All of the Thomas Davis families found so far are men of some importance in their local community, serving on grand juries, wit. for wills and land transactions, executors of estates, etc.

Descendants of Richard Langford

Amelia Soper
 b UNKNOWN in MD?
 m May 22, 1801 in Montgomery Co., MD
 d ABOUT 1823 in GA

Richard Langford
 b 1773 in VA
 Number of children: 13
 d 1860 in Cotton Valley, Macon Co., AL

Nancy Heath
 b 1800 in GA
 m Dec 2, 1824 in Putnam Co., GA
 d AFTER 1860 in ?

Children

Elizabeth Davis
 b ABOUT 1810 in GA?
 m Jul 12, 1827 in Putnam Co., GA
 d ABOUT 1838 in GA

Samuel T. Langford
 b 1825 in GA
 Number of children: 6
 d AFTER 1860 in AL?

Thomas Davis Langford 1828 - 1909
 Joel J. Langford 1830 - 1910
 Henry L. Langford 1832 - 1900
 Philemon Langford 1835 - 1900

Eliza Ann Pierce
 b 1834 in GA
 m Mar 23, 1847 in Upson Co. GA
 d AFTER 1860 in AL?

Henry Norman Langford
 b Mar 1802 in Montgomery Co., MD
 Number of children: 7
 d AFTER 1870 in Montgomery, AL ?

Janis R. Langford 1848 -
 William G. Langford 1850 -
 Mary A. Langford 1852 -
 Elizabeth Langford 1854 -
 Thomas G. Langford 1856 -
 John E. Langford 1858 -

AdLine M. Cheatham
 b ABOUT 1821 in GA
 m Dec 1838 in GA
 d AFTER 1870 in AL?

Richard Langford
 b 1831 in GA
 d BEFORE 1860 in ?

Mary J. Langford 1839 - 1880
 John H. Langford 1841 - UNKNOWN
 Emma Langford 1844 - UNKNOWN

Amehda E. N. Langford
 b 1834 in GA
 Number of children: 7
 d AFTER 1860

Ann Turner Langford
 b Feb 1804 in Montgomery Co., MD
 d BEFORE 1860 in ?

R. J. Rush

d BEFORE 1860 in ?

John T. Langford
b 1806 in MD
Number of children: 3
d AFTER 1860 in ?

Martha A. ?
b UNKNOWN in GA
m UNKNOWN
d UNKNOWN in ?

William Langford 1845 -
Emily Langford 1849 -
Rebecca Langford 1854 -

Emeline Brannan
b 1826 in GA
m Nov 12, 1839 in Harris Co., GA
d UNKNOWN in AL?

Mary E Langford 1842 -
Martha Langford 1844 -
Jasiua Langford 1844 -
Margaret Langford 1848 -
John Langford 1850 -
Logan Langford 1854 -
Emma Langford 1856 -
Janis Langford 1858 -

Albert G. Langford
b 1807 in District of Columbia
Number of children: 10
d AFTER 1880 in Floyd Co., GA?

Emily R. ?

R. J. Rush
b 1822 in GA
m ABOUT 1848 in AL
d AFTER 1860

Frances C. A. Rush 1849 -
Temperance M. Rush 1851 -
James ft. Rush 1854 -
Nancy S. Rush 1855 -
John T. Rush 1855 -
Amanda Rush 1857 -
Mary Rush 1860 -

William J. Langford
b 1835 in GA
d AFTER 1860 in ?

Robert Watts Langford
b Dec 31, 1837 in Loachapoka, Macon Co. AL
Number of children: 2
d Dec 31, 1862 in Stones River, Rutherford Co., TN

Margaret Hill Harris
b May 3, 1841 in Jasper Co., GA
m Feb 28, 1860 in Macon Co., AL
d Jul 11, 1884 in Johnson Co., TX

Nancy Ella Langford 1860 -
Robert Harris Langford 1862 - 1935

Amanda M. Langford
b 1840 in GA
Number of children: 2
d AFTER 1860

Emily R. ?

b 1843 in GA

m ABOUT 1875 in AL?

d AFTER 1880 in GA?

Albert E. Langford 1876 -

Lucy P. Langford 1878 -

Carmila Langford

b Jun 1812 in Montgomery Co., MD

Number of children: 0

d BEFORE 1860

Green B. Stephens

b UNKNOWN

m Sep 15, 1834 in Talbot Co., GA

d AFTER 1860

Elizabeth Langford

b UNKNOWN in MD

Number of children: 0

d BEFORE 1860 in ?

John W. Carter

b UNKNOWN

m Dec 16, 1829 in Putnam Co., GA

d UNKNOWN

J. B. W. Watson

b 1833 in GA

m ABOUT 1857 in AL

d AFTER 1860

E. L. Watson 1858 -

J. R. Watson 1860 -

Ann E. Langford

b 1842 in GA

d AFTER 1860

Richard Langford

4/23/92

1773 Richard Born in VA.

May 22, 1801, Montgomery Co. MD-Married Amelia Soper in Prince George Ph.

April 25, 1802, Montgomery Co. MD-Henry Norman Langford Christened
in Prince George Ph., Father Richard/Mother Amelia.

May 25, 1804, Montgomery Co. MD-Ann Turner Langford Christened in Prince
George Ph.

July 19, 1812, Montgomery Co. MD- Carmila Langford Christened in Prince
George Ph.

Sept. 5, 1812, Montgomery Co. MD - Deed for 115 ac to Richard from John
Turner, son and Exec. of Shadrach Turner, for \$500.

Jan. 24, 1813, Montgomery Co. - Deed for 115 ac From Richard to Thomas
Cramphin for \$200. Deed null and void if 200 + int. paid to Thomas
within 2 Years.

July 26-Sept 2, 1813, Montgomery Co. MD - Extra Batt. ordered on service
by Brig. Gen. West. Attached to the 4th Brig. of MD Militia. Pvt.
Richard Langford on List as draftee.

August 12-13, 1813, Montgomery Co. MD - Capt. Riley marched to Annapolis
a detachment from Extra Batt. of MD Militia. Distance from home
about 40 miles. Pvt. Richard Langford on list of soldiers.

May 2, 1815, Montgomery Co. - Deed for 115 ac from Richard to George
Moore for 761.44. Both Richard and Amelia appeared in person
before JP.

1820 Census, Hancock Co. GA

Rich. Langford M 1(10-), 2 10/16, 1 16/18, 1 16/26, 1 45+
F 2(10-), 2 10/16, 1 26/45

1820 Tax Rolls, Hancock Co. GA - Richard listed

1821 Hancock Co. GA, Richard Langford granted lot 231, Dooly Co. in GA
lottery.

1824 Tax Rolls, Hancock Co. GA - Richard listed.

December 2, 1824, Putnam Co. GA - Richard married Nancy Heath

May 27, 1827, Butts Co. GA - Richard received deed as a result of a court
order in Putnam Co. for lot 59, originally 14th Dist, Monroe Co. now
Butts. Richard was judged legal holder of a contract from owner, now
dec'd. to Henry H. Langford to sell the lot to H. H. L. who paid the
owner \$500 during his lifetime.

There is no record of land ownership by Richard in either Hancock or
Putnam Counties.

Richard Langford (continued)

Feb. 6, 1830. Butts Co. - Richard of Talbot Co. deed to Robert W. Smith for lot 59, formally 14th Dist. Monroe Co. for \$300.

1830 Census, Talbot Co. GA

Richard Langford M 1(5-), 2 15/20, 1 50/60
F 1(5-), 2 15/20, 1 20/30

Slaves M 3(10-); F 2(10-), 1 10/24

1835 Troop Co., GA - Richard on list of purchasers at estate sale as reported by Anthony Holloway, Admin. on June 9, 1836.

1840 Census. Harris Co. GA

R. Langford M 1(5-), 2 5/10, 1 15/20, 1 60/70
F 1(5-), 1 15/20, 1 30/40

Slaves M 1(10-), 3 10/24; F 2(10-), 1 24/36

May 1845. Macon Co., AL - Richard bought SW/4 Sec 32, T 19, R 25 for \$5 at public auction.

Jan. 17, 1848. Macon Co. - Richard and Nancy sold 80 ac in NE/4 Sec 6, T 18, R 25 for 200.

Jan. 11, 1849. Macon Co. - Richard and Nancy sold NW/4 Sec 6, T 18, R 25 for \$75.

May 16, 1850. Macon Co. - Richard and Nancy sold 80 ac in NE Sec 6, T 18, R 25 for \$200.

1850 Census. Macon Co. AL (Info taken 18 Oct. 1850)

Richard Sankford,	Age 77.	Born VA,	Farmer,	REst 1800
Nancy	50		GA	
Richard	19		GA	Farmer
William	16		GA	Farmer
Robert	12		GA	
Amanda	10		GA	
Ann E.	8		GA	

March 25, 1855. Macon Co. AL

Richard Langford made application for Bounty Land grant for service in the War of 1812.

Richard Langford/55(vr.)- 160(Ac) 19079/Pri Richard Langford 82, res. Macon Co., AL - Drafted Mtg Co. MD around Jun. 30, 1812, Disch Annapolis 1812. Wit: William H. Philpot Jr. & Ezra Tarver. Res. Macon Co. (the acreage is located in Arkansas)

1855 Census (AL State), Macon Co.

Richard Langford listed as resident of Co.

May 23, 1860, Macon Co. AL - Application of Nancy Langford for Probate of last will of Richard. List of next of kin in application:

Henry P. Langford Who resides in MS (this is Henry N.)

John T. " " GA

Albert G. Samuel T., Robert Res. of Macon Co. AL

Francis Funderburgh wife of J. C. Funderburgh. res of Butler Co. AL

Richard Langford (continued)

William Langford. Amanda Watson wife of J. B. Watson. Res. of Russel Co. AL.

Ann Eliz. Langford, res. Macon Co.

Amanda Rush wife of R. J. Rush, Res. of Tallapoosa Co., AL

John Carter and Children of Elizabeth Carter, Children of Carmilla Stephens, ages and address unknown.

Aug. 1860(3rd Monday) Macon Co. - Will admitted to Probate.

Sept. 28. 1860. Macon Co. - Lewis Wimberly. Exec of estate submitted bond in the amt. of \$14000 (twice est value of est.)

Oct. 22, 1860, Macon Co. - Exec. request Court approval to sell personal property at public auction.

Mar. 6, 1861, Macon Co. - Exec. made return, inventory, and report of sale of personal property.

Mar. 4, 1863, Macon Co. - Exec report to court. Receipts 857.70, Expenses 5384.79. Bal due Exec. 4527.08.

Jan. 28, 1864, Macon Co. - Exec. report to court. Bal. in est. 3582.06 in Confed. Money.

Ancestors of Thomas Davis Langford.

Parents

Grandparents

Great-Grandparents

2nd Great-Grandparents

Richard Langford
b 1773 in VA
d May 5, 1860 in Macon Co., AL

Henry Norman Langford
b Mar 13, 1802 in Montgomery Co., MD
d AFTER 1870 in Montgomery, AL ?

Zadock Soper
b 1749 in ?
d 1796 in Prince Georges Co. MD

John Soper (3)
b 1742 in Prince Georges Co. MD
d 1801 in Prince Georges Co. MD
Martha Guttrage
b UNKNOWN in ?
d UNKNOWN

① P22 Amelia Soper
b UNKNOWN in MD?
d ABOUT 1823 in GA

Ann ?
b 1750 in ?
d 1796 in Prince Georges Co. MD

Thomas Davis Langford
b Jun 3, 1828 in GA
d Jan 22, 1909 in Meridian, MS

James Davis
b UNKNOWN
d ABOUT 1809 in Hancock Co., GA

Thomas Davis
b 1788 in GA?
d Aug 9, 1826 in Putnam Co., GA

Eliza ?
b UNKNOWN
d UNKNOWN

Eliza Davis
b UNKNOWN in GA?
d ABOUT 1838 in Harris Co., GA

Elizabeth ?
b UNKNOWN in GA?
d UNKNOWN in ?

Prep. by Dan A. Langford 3/4/93
16926 Summit Oaks, Spring, TX 77379

Lauderdale County Department
of Archives and History, Inc.
Court House Annex Building
P. O. Box 5511
Meridian, MS 39302

Ancestors of Thomas Davis Langford.

Parents Grandparents Great-Grandparents 2nd Great-Grandparents

John Soper (1)
b ABOUT 1656 in England
d 1743 in Prince Georges Co. MD
Mary Yates
b UNKNOWN
d BEFORE 1742 in Prince Georges Co. MD

John Soper (2)
b 1702 in Prince Georges Co. MD
d 1768 in Prince Georges Co. MD

John Soper (3)
b 1742 in Prince Georges Co. MD
d 1801 in Prince Georges Co. MD

Susannah ?
b UNKNOWN
d 1788 in ?

Zadock Soper
b 1749 in ?
d 1796 in Prince Georges Co. MD

Martha Guttrage
b UNKNOWN in ?
d UNKNOWN

① Amelia Soper
b UNKNOWN in MD?
d ABOUT 1823 in GA

Ann ?
b 1750 in ?
d 1796 in Prince Georges Co. MD

Prep. by Dan A. Langford 3/4/93
16926 Summit Oaks, Spring, TX 77379

May 25, 1860.

Married on the 9th inst. by J. BOBESON, Esq., Mr. ED. EBERSTADT of Shreveport, Louisiana to Miss BETTIE MARX of Montgomery, Alabama. (From Caddo, La. Gazette)

Married on the 22nd at the Baptist Church by Rev. I.T. TICHENOR, Dr. B.F. BLOUNT and Miss SALLIE E. MOLTON, both of this city.

Died near Loachapoka, Alabama on the 5th, Mr. RICHARD LANGFORD aged 88. Native of Eastern Shore of Maryland. Being a mechanic, he located at Washington City at the beginning of its existence and was probably the only surviving one, who displayed his art on the Federal Capital and from its foundation in 1800. The latter part of Mr. LANGFORD'S life was devoted to the cultivation of the soil. Man of remarkable vigor and physical power for one of his age, which he retained to within a few years of his death. Man of warm and generous impulses and was ever ready to contribute his mite to the unfortunate and indigent. Leaves a large and devoted family.

*Alabama Records Montgomery County - General 62
Items from Montgomery Mail 1860-61*

**FAMILY RECORDS FROM BIBLES
And Other Sources**

**The Life of Richard Langford
As Gleaned from Public Records**

by

Dan A. Langford

16926 Summit Oaks Ln, Spring, TX 77379

Richard Langford was born in Virginia in 1773 and died in Cotton Valley, Macon County, Alabama 1860. He married Amelia Soper in Montgomery County, MD in 1801 and Nancy Heath in 1824 in Putnam County, Georgia. He was the father of at least 13 children most of whom lived to maturity, married and had families of their own. Many of his descendants moved west to Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas, but some remained in Alabama and Georgia or returned there after the Civil War.

Richard was not a rich man even by the standards of his day, but neither was he poor. His executor posted a bond of \$14,000 indicating the estate value of around \$7,000. He was a farmer and must have been a successful one just to support his large family. It is assumed that he had no formal education since he made his mark on deeds and other documents, but he had "dirt road smarts," using the legal system to his advantage and making leveraged financial arrangements. He liked a bargain, attending estate sales and public auctions. There were very few descendants named after him, and it might be assumed that he was not very popular within his family. However, the extended family seemed to live in the same vicinity and move to new country together. If death can be a blessing, perhaps Richard's might qualify. He lived a long and active life but fortunately, didn't have to suffer the emotional distress nor the financial loss due to the Civil War.

The next of kin were listed in the application for probate by his widow, Nancy, dated 23 May 1860.

Nancy Langford, widow, resident of Macon County.

Henry P. Lankford resident of MS (Should be Henry N.)

John T. Langford, resident of GA.

Albert G., Samuel T. and Robert Langford of Macon County

Francis Funderburgh, wife of I. C. or J. C. Funderburgh, resident of Butler Co., AL.

William Langford and Amanda Watson, wife of J. B. Watson, of Russell Co, AL.

Ann Elizabeth Langford of Macon Co.

John Carter and the children of Elizabeth Carter and the children of Carmilla Stephens, ages and addresses unknown.

Two children, Ann Turner Langford born in 1803 and Richard born in 1831, apparently died before 1860 since they were not mentioned in the application for probate. Based on census information prior to 1850, there were probably other children that predeceased their father.

The following is a tabulation of events found in public records or compilations of public records relating to Richard and his family. It is by no means complete but it does give incite to the man, his travels and accomplishments. Nothing has been found to date about him before his marriage to Amelia Soper in 1801 except his birth year and state.

1773 Richard born in Virginia.

May 22, 1801 - Montgomery Co., MD - Richard m Amelia Soper in Prince George Ph.

April 25, 1802 - Henry Norman Langford of Richard/Amelia c Prince George Ph. (b 13 Mar. 1802.

Mar 25, 1804 - Ann Turner Langford of Richard/Amelia c Prince George Ph. (b 27 May 1803)

July 19, 1812 - Carmila Langford of Richard/Amelia c Prince George Ph. (b 7 Sept. 1811)

Sept 5, 1812 - Montgomery Co., MD. Deed to Richard from John Turner, son and exec. for Shadrack Turner, 115 ac, \$500.

Jan 24, 1813 - Montgomery Co, MD. - Deed for 115 ac. from Richard to Thomas Cramphin for \$200. Deed null and void if \$200 plus interest paid to Thomas within 2 years.

July 26-Sept. 2 1813, Montgomery Co., MD - Extra Batt. ordered on service by Brig. Gen. West. Attached to the 4th Brig. of MD Militia. Pvt. Richard Langford on list as draftee.

Aug 12 - 13, 1813, Montgomery Co. MD. Capt. Riley marched to Annapolis w/detachment from Extra Batt. of MD Militia. Distance from home-about 40 miles. Pvt. Richard Langford on list of soldiers.

May 2, 1815, Montgomery Co.- Deed for 115 ac from Richard/Amelia to George Moore for \$741.44.

1820 Census, Hancock Co. GA.

Rich. Langford M 1(10-), 2 10/16, 1 16/18, 1 45+

F 2(10-), 2 10/16, 1/26/45

1820 Hancock Co. GA. Richard on tax rolls.

1821 Hancock Co. GA. Richard Langford granted lot 231, Dooly Co. in Lottery.

1824 Hancock GA. Richard on tax rolls.

Dec 2, 1824, Putnam Co., GA. Richard Langford married Nancy Heath

May 27, 1827, Butts Co., GA, Richard received deed as a result of a court order in Putnam Co. for lot 59 originally 14 Dist. Monroe Co., now Butts. Richard was judged legal holder of a contract from owner, now dec'd., to Henry H. Langford (relation to Richard unknown) to sell the lot to HHL who paid the owner \$500 during his lifetime.

July 12, 1827, Putnam Co., GA Henry N. Langford m Elizabeth Davis.

Dec. 16 1829, Putnam Co., GA. Elizabeth Langford m John W. Carter.

Feb. 6 1830, Butts Co., Richard of Talbot Co. made deed to Robert J. Smith for lot 59, formerly 14th Dist., Monroe Co. for \$300.

1830 Census, Talbot Co., GA: Richard Langford M 1(5-) 2 15/20, 1 50/60

F 1(5-) 2 15/20, 1 20/30

Slaves M 3(10-) F 2(10-) 1 10/24

1832 Gold Lottery, Talbot Co., GA. Richard Langford granted lot 199, Dist 21, Sec. 3.

Sep 15, 1834, Talbot Co., GA. Carmilla Langford m Green B. Stephens.

1835 Troop Co., GA. Richard on list of purchasers at estate sale reported by Admin. on June 9, 1836.

12/26/1835 Bibb Co., GA. Richard of Harris Co., bought lot 230, 17th Dist. Harris Co., 202.5 ac. for \$250.

1/29/1836 Harris Co., Richard bought 50 ac. in lot 250, 17th Dist. for \$400.

1/29/1836 Harris Co., Richard sold 253.75 ac. described above to Lewis Peters of Wilkes Co. for \$1550.

Dec. 1838, ? GA. Henry N. Langford m Adeline M. Cheatham.

Nov. 12, 1839, Harris Co., GA. Albert G. Langford m Emeline Brannan.

1840 Census, Harris Co., GA: R. Langford M 1(5-), 2 5/10, 1/ 15/20, 1 60/70; F 1(5-1), 1 (15/20, 1 30/40; Slaves M 1(10-), 3 10/24, F 2(10-), 1 24/36

1/15/1843, Harris Co., Richard sold lot 282, 17th Dist., 202.5 ac. for \$900.

June 9 1843, Muscogee Co., GA? Richard Langford, agent for Elizabeth Langford, appeared in court to claim lot 151, Dist. 3, Lee Co., GA. Note: This lot was granted to Elizabeth Lunsford, Wid, RS, resident of Putnam Co., in the 1827 lottery. (This lady is believed to be the widow of Eculid Langford who died in Hancock Co. in 1810. The widow herself died in Putnam Co. in 1828. This may indicate kinship between Richard and Euclid?)

May 1845 Macon Co., AL. Richard bought SW/4, Sec 32, T 19, R. 25 for \$5 at public auction.

Mar. 23, 1847 Upson Co., GA. Samuel T. Langford m Eliza Ann Pierce.

Jan. 17, 1848, Macon Co. Richard and Nancy sold 80 ac. in NE/4 Sec 6, T 18, R 25 for \$200.

1848 ? AL Amanda E. N. Langford m R. J. Rush.

Jan. 11, 1849. Richard and Nancy sold NW/4 Sec 6 T 18, R. 25 for \$75.

May 16, 1850, Macon Co. Richard & Nancy sold 80 ac, in the NE Sec 6, T 18, R 25 for \$200.

1850 Census Macon Co., AL:

Richard Lankford,	Age 77,	Born VA,	Farmer,	REst 1800
Nancy	50	GA		
Richard	19	GA	Farmer	
William	16	GA	Farmer	
Robert	12	GA		
Amanda	10	GA		
Ann E.	8	GA		

Mar. 25, 1855 Macon Co., AL, Richard Langford made application for Bounty Land grant for service in the War of 1812.

Richard Langford /55 (yr)- 160 (Ac), 19079/Pri. Richard Langford 82, res. of Macon Co., AL - Drafted Mtg. Co. MD around June 30, 1812. Dischd. Annapolis 1812, Wit: William H. Philpott, Jr. & Ezra Tarver, Res. Macon Co. (Acreage is located in Ark.)

1855 State Census, Macon Co. - Richard a resident of Co.

1857 ? AL, Amanda M. Langford m J. B. W. Watson.

Feb 28, 1860, Macon Co., AL , Robert Watts Langford m Margaret Hill Harris.

May 23, 1860, Macon Co. Application of Nancy Langford for Probate of last will of Richard. The location of Richard's grave is unknown to the author.

By 1865 the estate had all been converted to Confederate money and was insolvent.

Richard & Amelia

Husband: Richard Langford

Born: 1773 in VA
 Died: 1860 in Cotton Valley, Macon Co., AL

Wife: Amelia Soper

Born: Unknown in MD?
 Died: About 1823 in GA

Marriage date: May 22, 1801 Divorced: N

Marriage Location: Montgomery Co., MD

Children	Sex	Birth Dates
1 Henry Norman Langford	M	March 13, 1802
2 Ann Turner Langford	F	May 27, 1803
3 John T. Langford	M	1806
4 Albert G. Langford	M	1807
5 Carmila Langford	F	September 7, 1811
6 Elizabeth Langford	F	Unknown

Richard & Nancy

Husband: Richard Langford

Born: 1773 in VA
 Died: 1860 in Cotton Valley, Macon Co., AL

Wife: Nancy Heath

Born: 1800 in GA
 Died: After 1860 in ?

Marriage date: December 2, 1824 Divorced: N

Marriage Location: Putnam Co., GA

Children	Sex	Birth Dates
1 Samuel T. Langford	M	1825
2 Richard Langford	M	1831
3 Amenda E. N. Langford ^{Carter}	F	1834)
4 William J. Langford	M	1835
5 Robert Watts Langford	M	December 31, 1837
6 Amanda M. Langford	F	1840
7 Ann E. Langford	F	1842

*Mistake
 This is
 Richard's
 Grand Da.
 Should not
 be on this
 card.
 WOF*