

James H. New traces his ancestry back to Revolutionary times, His grandfather, William New, having been a soldier in that war, in which he served as a member of Marion's famous Legion. The great-grandfather, William New, came to this country in 1763, settling on Chicksaw River in Virginia. He had two sons, John & William. William and two sons fought in the Revolutionary War, the former being Colonel of Lee's Dragons. He was wounded on Roanoke while pursuing Lord Cornwallis and died from effects of that injury. William was in the war of 1812, and two sons were in the battle near Baltimore, Maryland. James H. New is also a descendant on his mother's side of Jesse Lee. His parents were James and Mary M. New. James senior was born in Halifax County, July 4, 1805, and was of English Descent. He was married in 1833, shortly after which he moved to Georgia and returned in a one year, then going to Lauderdale County, Mississippi, where he lived until his death on September 17, 1864. They were parents of 4 children, Saleta A., Mary M., John R., and James H. New, the later having been next to the oldest, and was born in Lauderdale County, Mississippi, August 14, 1839.

He began farming for himself at the age of 22. He came to Arkansas in 1869 and located in the present farm, which was then in Phillips County, composed of 160 acres, of land, 70 acres being under cultivation. Mr. New was married in August 1865, to Emily Clayton, also a native of Mississippi, who died in December 1884, after having borne ten children, six still living, William V., Hattie L., James L., John R. and Rebecca C. New. Another son, Walter New, enlisted in the Secret Service of U.S.A. in November, 1862, and was a member of non-commissioned officer of the first Mississippi Mounted Rifle Men. He served until close of the war, participated in the battle of Chickasaw Bluff, Harrisburg, and others. He is a conservative democrat, also a member of Farm Secret Alliance, and is ruling elder in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, of which he has been a member for 18 years.

James^H New's second marriage was to Frances C. New, and to this union were born Emily Frances New and Levi Lester New. This son was drafted in World War I, and was rejected by reason of being physically unfit. Levi L. married to Myrtle F. had three children, Leo L., Ralph Eldon and Wilma Jean New. Wilma Jean died at an early age, around 18 years of age. Leo L. New Married to Era H., they have two children, Lane L. and *Delores*. Leo L. *ind* Served with the National Guard in the 206th Coast Artillery and overseas in World War II, receiving injury at Dutch Harbor. Ralph Eldon Married to Mary N. *lawn*, they have three children, Eldon E. New, Paul S. New and Margie New. Ralph Eldon served with the U.S. Navy in Europe and the South Pacific during World War II.

New

New Info.

Lauderdale Co Marriage Book 1

Page 180 James Brewster Md Ann Eliza New
on 12/25/1844 by William C Foster J.P.

This could be James Washington Brewster son of
James Madison Brewster (Here transcripts of interest
on the Brewsters)

1845 James New md Ann Caroline Brown BK A P 189

They were md on 2/12/1845 by William New, Justice
of the Peace (William I think was father of James). This
on page 189 of the original marriage book

Deed book A - no index.

~~Book B~~ see later.

" " C None

Deed Book D Page 374

William New Commissioner for Justice of Peace
for Lauderdale Co in the second (2) district bearing
date 2/27/1845. Security etc deposited in Probate Court
3/7/1845 (this a bond)

Same Book Page 346 + 347 - Will quote

Know all men by these present that we, William
New, William C Foster and James McNeil all of
the County of Lauderdale and State of MS are held
unto Sylvanus Evans, Judge of Probate of the County of
Lauderdale and his successors in office in the
sum of \$2000.00 for the payment thereof well and
truly be made we jointly and severally bind
ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators
firmly by these present. Signed and sealed with

our seal this January 24, 1845.

The conditions of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William New was on the 20th day of this month instant (December) elected by the qualified voters of Beat 2 in the County of Lauderdale Justice of the Peace in and for said County (Beat 2 in the NE Sector of the County). Now therefore if the said William New shall well & truly pay over all monies collected by him on which may come into his hands by virtue of his Office as Justice of Peace to the party or parties entitled to receive the same when legally demanded and in all things else shall faithfully perform the duties of said Office of J. P. then this obligation to be void - otherwise remain in full force and virtue - signed William New. (He signed his own name - no mark)

Then on 2/1/1845 William New swore to uphold and support the Constitution of the U. S.

Some Deed Bk D page 94 + 95

Neaden Purwin sold to William New 45 ²⁸/₁₀₀ Acres (Lot No 2 Sector 1 Township 8 Range 17E (This directly above Lauderdale MS (Lauderdale Co) next to the Kemper Co line. This land was purchased through the government land office at Columbus, MS and was known as the "Edwards Place". Price \$150.00
Purchase date 4/13/1844.

Deed Book B page 409 + 410

William New for the consideration of \$100.00 sold one bay Colt, three year old, four Cows and Calves to John Fussell (who was a member of the Board of Police Commission - former of the Board of Supervisors) on 8/17/1841. This John Fussell previously had

Agreed to be security for William New in his suit against Jacob Gilmore. In other words William New put up his property in case John Fussell called on to pay judgement or Court costs as a result of the trial - otherwise (if William won) it would be of no effect. This Court record is in another part of the records

NOT FROM SAME NEW IMMIGRANT

Enumeration of Educable Children - Lauderdale Co 1885

Beat 4: (SW section of Court (MICHAM SURTHERLAND))
 Father E.V. New. Son (Edward New age 18. ^{Edward Vandergrate NEW, property of Ga - descendant of another NEW, same to James in VA in 1639.}

This may not be your New but only ones I have found so far. E.V. NEW, A RAILROAD MAN, had Farm @ Marshall Junction NEAR CHICKEN, MISS - came to Lauderdale Co. from GA. IN 1860

Other Marriages in Lauderdale Co

- 1876 B.W. New m. Emma Parker B1 B P 80
- 1881 E. New m. Alice Nichols B-1 269 ^{ELISAH} SON OF E.V. NEW
- 1891 Joel New m. Mamie Welborn (1ST) WIFE 2 431 - SON OF E.V. NEW
- 1896 E.V. New (SR) m. Rosa McNulty 2-B 50 SON OF E.V. NEW
- 1901 Joel New m. Ellie Pratt (2ND) WIFE 3 493 SON OF E.V. NEW

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 SON OF E.V. NEW, SR
 ED. V. NEW, SR
 SON OF E.V. NEW, SR

1841 Land Roll book - no New.

1858 Land Roll Book

James New owned 40 acres .5th per acre - \$200.00 value. This SW of NW 1/4 Sec 23 - T 8 Range 14E. This located south of Okatithee Creek - just below Martin and a bit NE of Colburnville

Some land roll books

William New owned Lots 9, 10, 15, 16 and part of 17 + 18 in Sector 1 T 8 R 17E (This same as above. He remain on land he bought in 1844 - which was 80 acres valued at \$400.00

Cemetery Records - Landstuhl Co

SON OF JOEL NEW
Q. SON OF E.V. NEW SA

Page 67 Pine Springs Methodist Church

Edward Leon New, MS Capt. 2nd Reg WVI

5/6/1895 - 4/7/1965

SON OF EDWARD NEW

Mabel Sue New - dau. of E.L. NEW

5/10/1944 - 12/24/1948

SON OF JOEL &
MARRIED WILLIAM NEW
SON OF
EDWARD V. NEW SA
MEMBER
of
SUNSHINE SOCIETY of
LANDSTUL CO.

Page 172 Hamrick Cemetery Collierville MS

MOTHER OF
EDWARD LEON NEW

Mamie M New 1st wife of Joel 12/21/1870 - 8/30/1900

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Alabama Records by Kathleen Jones and Pauline
Gardner Vol 128 p 141 - Sumter Co, AL

9/24/1840 DA McDaniel and Martha New, William
New gave consent - (We now know that the
above William was in Sumter Co^{AL} prior to being
in Landstuhl Co MS

Page 47 James B New and Azorey Newton
on 12/28/1840 by Basil Gray J.P. Joshua
Newton gave consent for daughter

Page 197 (cont with Cemetery records) Mt Carmel Presbyterian Cem.

Herman J New 2/4/1907 - 11/4/1950 (SON OF JOEL NEW) & ELLIE PRATT NEW

Page 201 Goodwater Baptist Church

Ed V New gr 8/5/1866 - 2/9/1912

Andrew J New Co C MS 2nd Reg CSA his date

Elyia New 1861 - 1934

Martha New d 1930

John Bettamon New AL Pvt 1st Reg Det. Sta Combat

WWII 2/14/1905 - 7/4/1961 GRANDSON OF E.V. NEW SA, SON OF JOHN

John J New 1859 - 1903 SON OF E.V. NEW SA.

Page 202 Mattie J New 1871 - 1941

Fellowship Bapt. Ch., Lauderdale Co., Miss

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Father Joel New 5/10/1863 - 2/18/1931 - LIVED ^{HOME Springs} LAUREL CO

Mother Ellie M New 10/3/1870 - 10/13/1926 ^{and wife of Joel}

Mary M New daughter of Joel + Ellie

2/5/1904 - 5/9/1904 ^{INFANT daughter -} ^{grand dau. of E.V. New} ^{5/10/1904} ^{SECTION}

1830 Ab. Cannon Jordan

New, Pleasant - In Lawrence Co

New, William - In Conecuh Co