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JESSE LEWIS 1804-1899

DECEMBER, 1994

DEAR FAMILY, FRIENDS, AND SEARCHERS,

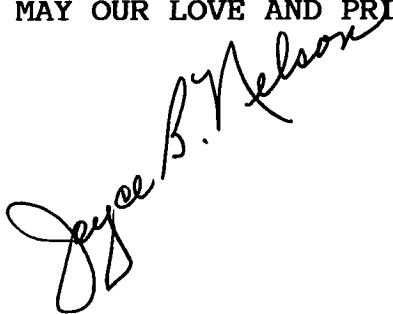
I HAVE TRIED TO RESEARCH AND ARRANGE THIS BOOK AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE. ALL OF THE INFORMATION IS TRUE AND FACT. MOTHER, BETTY AND I PUT SEVERAL THOUSAND MILES ON THE "GREAT" AUDI AND MANY, MANY HOURS OF RESEARCH COVERING SEVERAL STATES. WE HAVE DOUBLED CHECKED EACH ITEM. WE DID NOT WANT A LOT OF HERESAY BUT WHEN ONE GOES BACK INTO EARLY TIMES WE MUST LISTEN TO STORIES OF OLD. ALL OF THE COPIES OF CENSUS AND DEEDS CAME RIGHT FROM THE ORIGINAL BOOKS, THE MARRIAGE LICENSE AND DEATH CERTIFICATES WERE COPIED FROM ORIGINALS. I HAD SOME OLD PHOTOGRAPHS LAZER COPIED SO THEY WOULD NOT BE DAMAGED. A LOT OF THE PHOTOGRAPHS CAME FROM MOTHERS OLD CEDAR CHEST.

I APPRECIATE SO MUCH ALL OF THE COOPERATION THE FAMILY MEMBERS HAVE GIVEN US, WITHOUT IT WE WOULD NOT HAVE THE SECOND PART OF JESSE MILES FAMILY. MOTHER AND BETTY ARE A DEFINATE PART OF THIS. THEIR DRIVE PUSHED ME ON.

THIS COVERS SEVENTEEN YEARS OF RESEARCH HERE IN THE STATES AND IN THE UNITED KINGDOM. THE NEXT PERSON IS JOHN LEWIS-1700'S- AND I THINK I HAVE HIM SPOTTED.

PLEASE TAKE ALL TYPING MISTAKES FOR LOVE. USE THIS BOOK, LET THE CHILDREN SEE AND READ. ADD ALL OF YOUR SPECIAL INFORMATIONS TO IT. IF YOU WISH, SEND ME ADDITIONS AND I WILL MAKE COPIES AND SEND THEM OUT.

MAY OUR LOVE AND PRIDE OF FAMILY NEVER DIE.



JOYCE BEACH NELSON
BETTY RUTH LEWIS DUFFIELD
ADDIE PEARL LEWIS BEACH

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OUR ANCESTORS HAVE GIVEN US MORE THAN GENETIC
HERETAGE. WE RECEIVE THEIR LOVE, SPIRIT, STRENGTH
TO MOVE FORWARD AND SIGHT TO LOOK BACK AND EVALUATE.

RESEARCHING OUR ANCESTORS IS A PRIVILEGE FEW
EMOTIONS WOULD SURPASS. THE EXCITEMENT OF DISCOVERY
IS VERY POWERFUL AND FILLS ONE WITH AN UNDESCRIBABLE
EMOTION, A GENTLE SATISFACTION.

FOR MOTHER

ADDIE PEARL LEWIS BEACH



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Family honors Civil War veteran

By Lucy Quina
News Journal

With moss-covered oak trees and Blackwater Bay as a backdrop, about 100 descendants of a Civil War veteran came together to pay their respects.

The group, all descendants of Jesse Lewis (1804-1899), met recently at Robinson Point Cemetery. They placed a newly carved marker commemorating his participation in both the Civil War and the Florida Indian War.

"It's long overdue," said Ida Mae Hudson, Lewis' great-granddaughter.

"This marks an important time in his life and we should remember it," Hudson said. Hudson, of Pensacola, and her sister Lucille Fraas, of California, organized the grave ceremony and family reunion. Fraas was unable to attend.

The grave's current marker is a simple granite slab marking his grave and that of his wife, Nancy, which lies alongside. Mike Lewis, Lewis' great-great-grandson and owner of Lewis Funeral Home, arranged for the special marker through the Veterans Administration, which donates them free to all veterans.

"This is wonderful," Lewis said looking out onto the crowd.

"When you get all these people together — well, that's what family is all about."

While Civil War reenactors stood at attention, Millard Adams emceed the event, which included a moving rendition of "Dixie," a short history of Lewis, and the installation of the marker. Once in place, Hudson placed a wreath of magnolia leaves and blossoms on the grave.

Joe Frank Roberts, 10, of Perry, traveled nearly five hours with his grandmother, Celia Parker Turner and his mother, Inda Roberts. The group represented the fourth, fifth and sixth generation of Lewises respectively.

Roberts looked forward to the event because of the reenactors and the history.

Knowing one of his ancestors fought in the war will bring it alive when he studies it in school, he said.

His grandmother, Turner, on the other hand, looked at the event with some nostalgia. She still remembers the homesick cries of her mother, Jane Lewis, Jesse's grand-



Lucy Quina/News Journal

Ida Mae Hudson places a wreath on the grave of her great-grandfather, Civil War veteran Jesse Lewis.

daughter, when the family moved to Perry.

"She left a piece of her heart here," Turner said.

"The distance was so far then and now it's just a day's drive."

Thursday, September 1, 1994

Pensacola News Journal

TIL NEXT TIME
Rodney

DIXIE

I wish I was in the land of cotton
Old times there are not forgotton,
Look Away, Look away, Look away, Dixie Land
In Dixie land where I was bom in,
Early on one frosty moinin'
Look away, Look away, Look away, Dixie Land
I wish I was in Dixie, Hooray! Hooray!
In Dixie Land I'll take my stand,
To live and die in Dixie,
Away, Away, Away down South in Dixie,
Away, Away, Away down South in Dixie.

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and the

S.R.C.W.A.

DRUMMER -- BUBBA FRIEND



ROBINSON POINT CEMETERY

Santa Rosa County, Florida



IN MEMORY OF
JESSE LEWIS
WHO RESTS
IN HONORED GLORY
IN THIS HALLOWED PLACE



ROBINSON POINT CEMETERY
SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA
AUGUST 12, 1994
5:00 P.M.

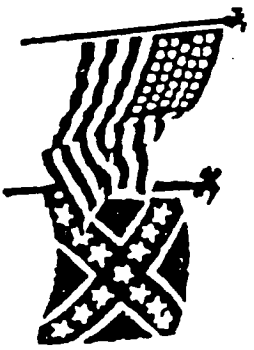
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I pledge allegiance to the Flag of
the United States of America, and to
the Republic for which it stands; One
Nation under God, Indivisible, with
Liberty and Justice for all.

COLOR GUARD	CO. E. 1ST FL INF., CSA
WELCOME	RODNEY ROLLO
INVOCATION	MIKE LEWIS
MASTER OF CEREMONIES	MILLARD ADAMS
PLEDGE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES	ASSEMBLY
'AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL'	IRIS HARRELL
SALUTE TO THE CONFEDERATE FLAG	ASSEMBLY
DIXIE'	ASSEMBLY
COMMENTS AND ROLL CALL	CAPT CHANDLER
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PLACING OF THE UNIT MARKER	CAPT CHANDLER
PLACING OF THE WREATH	LUCILLE FRAAS
TRIBUTE TO AMERICA	JIM MC DANIEL
RIFLE SALUTE	CAPT CHANDLER
CANNON SALUTE	SGT. CHARLES COE
TAPS	DANNY SCOTT
RETIRE THE COLORS	CAPT CHANDLER
FAREWELL	MILLARD ADAMS

SALUTE TO THE CONFEDERATE FLAG

I salute the Confederate Flag,
with affection, reverence and undying
remembrance.



A TRIBUTE TO JESSE LEWIS

WE HAVE THE SPECIAL PRIVILEGE TODAY TO HONOR A MAN WHO IS A VOLUNTEER VETERAN OF NOT ONLY THE CIVIL WAR, BUT ALSO THE INDIAN WAR. JESSE LEWIS.

JESSE LEWIS WAS BORN IN 1804 IN THE CHESTERFIELD DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA.

AT THE AGE OF 32 WE FIND JESSE LEWIS IN JEFFERSON COUNTY, GEORGIA. IN THE 1830'S THE HORSE WAS THE PRIMARY SOURCE OF TRANSPORTATION (AFTER THE WATERWAYS), AND JESSE LEWIS HAD VARIED AND EXTENSIVE EXPERIENCE WITH HORSES IN OWNERSHIP AND TRAVEL. IN 1836 WHEN ELIGIBLE MEN WERE NEEDED IN THE WAR WITH THE CREEK AND SEMINOLE INDIANS IN FLORIDA, JESSE KNEW THAT IF A MAN HAD A HORSE, HE WOULD BE IN THE MOUNTED PATROL OR THE CALVARY. SO ON MARCH 3, 1836, JESSE LEWIS, A FARMER, ENLISTED IN THE SEMINOLE INDIAN FLORIDA WAR. HE ENLISTED AT POPES HILL, LOUISVILLE, JEFFERSON COUNTY, GEORGIA AS A PRIVATE. HIS COMPANY, A REGIMENT OF MOUNTED VOLUNTEERS, WAS COMMANDED BY CAPTAIN DICK CAMPBELL AND CAPTAIN DOUGLAS.

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING HIS ENLISTMENT, THE MEN OF THE COMPANY RENDEZOUSSED AT LOUISVILLE, JEFFERSON COUNTY, GEORGIA TO MARCH THEIR HORSES TO JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA, TO HAVE THE HORSES APPRAISED. THEY THEN JOINED GENERAL SCOTT IN PALATKA, FLORIDA, WHERE THEY WERE MUSTERED INTO THE SERVICE.

ON 3 JUNE 1836, JESSE LEWIS WAS HONORABLE DISCHARGED AS A PRIVATE AFTER SERVING 3 MONTHS IN THE SEMINOLE INDIAN FLORIDA WAR. HE WAS DISCHARGED AT AUGUSTA, GEORGIA.

AFTER LEAVING THE SERVICE, HE RESIDED IN JEFFERSON COUNTY AND MUSCOGEE COUNTY, GEORGIA, AND BARBOUR COUNTY AND COFFEE COUNTY IN ALABAMA.

JUST 5 SHORT MONTHS AFTER HIS RELEASE FROM THE INDIAN WAR, HE AND NANCY COBB WERE MARRIED. THEY WERE MARRIED ON NOVEMBER 6, 1826, IN JEFFERSON COUNTY, GEORGIA, BY A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE NAMED JAMES STAPLETON.

BY 1845 JESSE AND NANCY LEWIS HAD MOVED TO SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA. WE KNOW THIS FOR SURE BECAUSE THE TAX ROLLS SHOW THAT THEY PAID .55¢ IN TAX REVENUE FOR THE YEAR OF 1848.

THEY CONTINUED LIVING IN SANTA ROSA COUNTY AND BY 1859 THEY HAD 9 CHILDREN:

WILLIAM F.
NARCISSA E.
NANCY JANE
GEORGE W.
HENRY J.
CATHERINE A.
DANIEL (CEASES)
JOHN L.
WILLIAM SHERWOOD (COOT)

THEN IN 1861 CAME THE CIVIL WAR

AT THE BEGINNING OF THE CIVIL WAR IN THE SPRING OF 1861 MOST PEOPLE ON BOTH SIDES WERE CONFIDENT THAT IT WOULD NOT LAST LONG. THE LEADERS BELIEVED THE WAR WOULD BE BRIEF AND FOUGHT WITH THE KIND OF SOLDIERS AMERICANS HAD ALWAYS HAD - VOLUNTEERS.

AT FIRST IT SEEMED THAT VOLUNTEERING WOULD DO THE JOB. AN OUTBURST OF PATRIOTISM GRIPPED BOTH SIDES. BOTH GOVERNMENTS SET THE SAME INITIAL TROOP QUOTA, 500,000 MEN. THE NORTH MET ITS FIGURE, AND ALTHOUGH THE SOUTH DID NOT, THE RESPONSE WAS HEAVY ENOUGH TO FILL ITS ARMIES TO A RESPECTABLE SIZE. AFTER REALIZING IT WAS NOT GOING TO BE A SHORT AND EASY WAR AT ALL

BUT A LONG AND PROBABLY NOT A VERY PLEASANT ONE, THE FLOW OF MEN INTO THE ARMIES FELL TO A TRICKLE.

IN 1862 THE SOUTHERN CONGRESS ENACTED THE FIRST NATIONAL DRAFT LAW EVER PASSED BY AN AMERICAN LEGISLATIVE BODY. IT PROVIDED THAT ALL WHITE MALES BETWEEN THE AGES OF 18 AND 35 WERE LIABLE TO MILITARY SERVICE FOR 3 YEARS. BEFORE THE END OF THE YEAR, CONGRESS HAD TO RAISE THE UPPER AGE LIMIT TO 45. BY 1864 THERE WERE PROBABLY NOT MORE THAN 234,000 CONFEDERATE TROOPS ACTUALLY PRESENT FOR DUTY. IN A DESPERATE MOVE TO TAP ALL RESOURCES, CONGRESS LOWERED THE AGE TO 17 AND RAISED THE UPPER AGE TO 50.

THE NORTH HAD A MANPOWER ADVANTAGE 3 TO 1. THEY ALSO HAD AN ECONOMIC SUPERIORITY. THE NORTH HAD 75 PERCENT OF THE TOTAL WEALTH PRODUCED IN THIS COUNTRY, 67 PERCENT OF THE FARMS, 81 PERCENT OF THE FACTORIES AND 66 PERCENT OF THE RAILROAD MILEAGE. THE NORTH ALSO POSSESSED THE GREAT WEAPON OF SEA POWER. THE UNION NAVY GREW DURING THE WAR FROM A SMALL FORCE OF 90 SHIPS AND 9,000 SAILORS TO A FLEET OF 670 SHIPS AND 51,000 SAILORS. THE CONFEDERATE NAVY COUNTED SCARCELY MORE THAN 130 SHIPS AND 4,000 MEN.

THE BRUTAL FACTS OF ARITHMETIC SEEMED TO DOOM THE SOUTHERN CAUSE FROM THE START. YET THE SOUTH FOUGHT ON FOR 4 YEARS AND AT TIMES EVEN THE PEOPLE IN THE NORTH SEEMED TO THINK THEY MIGHT WIN. THE SOUTH'S BEST OPPORTUNITY TO WIN INDEPENDENCE LAY IN WHAT MAY BE CALLED THE PSYCHOLOGY OF WAR

SOUTHERNERS WERE FIGHTING FOR SOMETHING VERY DEFINITE, VERY EASY TO FIGHT FOR. THEY MERELY WANTED TO BE LEFT ALONE. THE NORTH'S GOALS, NATIONALISM AND EMANCIPATION, WERE ABSTRACT AND HARDER TO FIGHT FOR. MOREOVER, IF THE NORTH QUIT THE WAR, IT WOULD STILL ENJOY ITS INDEPENDENCE. ALL THE SOUTH HAD TO DO WAS TO CONVINCE THE NORTH IT COULD NOT BE CONQUERED.

THE CIVIL WAR WAS THE MOST TERRIBLE THAT AMERICANS HAVE EVER FOUGHT. THE CASUALTIES WERE APPALLING - NEARLY ONE OUT OF EVERY FOUR MEN IN SERVICE DIED OF DISEASE, WOUND OR OTHER CAUSES. DURING MUCH OF THE WAR, 18TH CENTURY TACTICS WERE USED AGAINST MODERN WEAPONS AND OFTEN IN DENSE WOODLANDS. INFANTRYMEN OFTEN ADVANCED SHOULDER TO SHOULDER INTO A BUTCHERING FIRE FROM ACCURATE RIFLED MUSKETS, OR FOUND THEMSELVES PINNED DOWN IN A WILD TANGLE BY AN INVISIBLE FORCE.

FOR THE SOLDIERS OF BOTH THE SOUTH AND NORTH, THE HORROR OF COMBAT WAS COMPOUNDED BY THE KNOWLEDGE THAT THERE WAS NO SUCH THING AS A SIMPLE INJURY. IN A TIME OF PRIMITIVE MEDICINE, EVERY BATTLE INJURY HAD TO BE CONSIDERED SERIOUS - FATAL AT WORST, AND OFTEN MAIMING AT BEST.

EVEN SO, WITH ALL THESE FACTS AND THE UPPER AGE LIMIT FOR THE DRAFT SET AT AGE 50, JESSE LEWIS, AGE 58, 5 FEET 4 INCHES TALL, LIGHT HAIR, BLUE EYES, LIGHT COMPLEXION, WITH A WIFE AND 9 CHILDREN VOLUNTEERED TO JOIN THE ARMY.

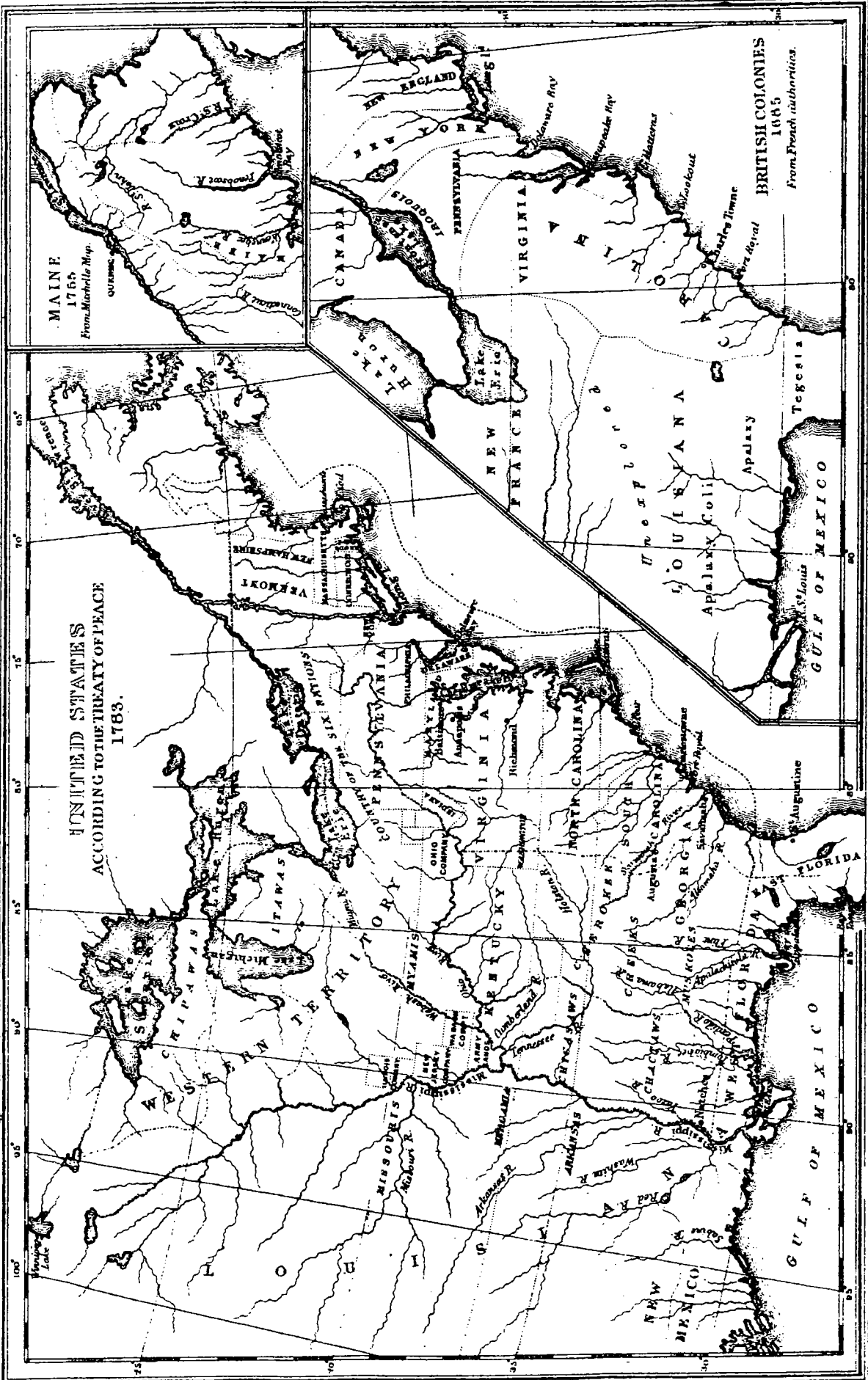
ON MAY 3, 1862 AT CAMP LEON FLORIDA, HE ENLISTED AS A PRIVATE IN COMPANY A OF THE 5TH FLORIDA INFANTRY.

IMMEDIATELY UPON ITS ORGANIZATION IN 1862, THE 5TH FLORIDA REGIMENT WAS ORDERED TO VIRGINIA, WHERE IT JOINED THE 2ND FLORIDA, BEING ASSIGNED TO PRYOR'S BRIGADE. THEY TOOK PART IN THE SECOND BATTLE OF MANASSES AND IN THE MARYLAND CAMPAIGN AND WON DISTINCTION AT SHARPSBURG.

JESSE LEWIS WAS WOUNDED IN THE LEFT CHEST AT CHANCELLORSVILLE, VIRGINIA IN MAY 1862. HE WAS PLACED IN THE HOSPITAL AT TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA WHERE HE WAS DISCHARGED. HIS INJURY WAS PROBABLY A BREAK FOR HIM, FOR JUST A FEW DAYS AFTER HIS INJURY, HIS UNIT TOOK PART IN THE BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG AND THE ENTIRE UNIT WAS ALMOST COMPLETELY DESTROYED.

JESSE LEWIS CONTINUED TO LIVE IN AND AROUND SANTA ROSA COUNTY FOR THE REST OF HIS LIFE. HE DIED ON 21 FEBRUARY 1898 AT THE AGE OF 94. HE WAS BURIED HERE IN THE ROBINSON POINT CEMETARY.

TODAY WE ARE MOST PROUD TO PLACE ON HIS GRAVE A CIVIL WAR MONUMENT IN HONOR OF ONE WHO WAS A REAL VOLUNTEER FOR HIS COUNTRY.



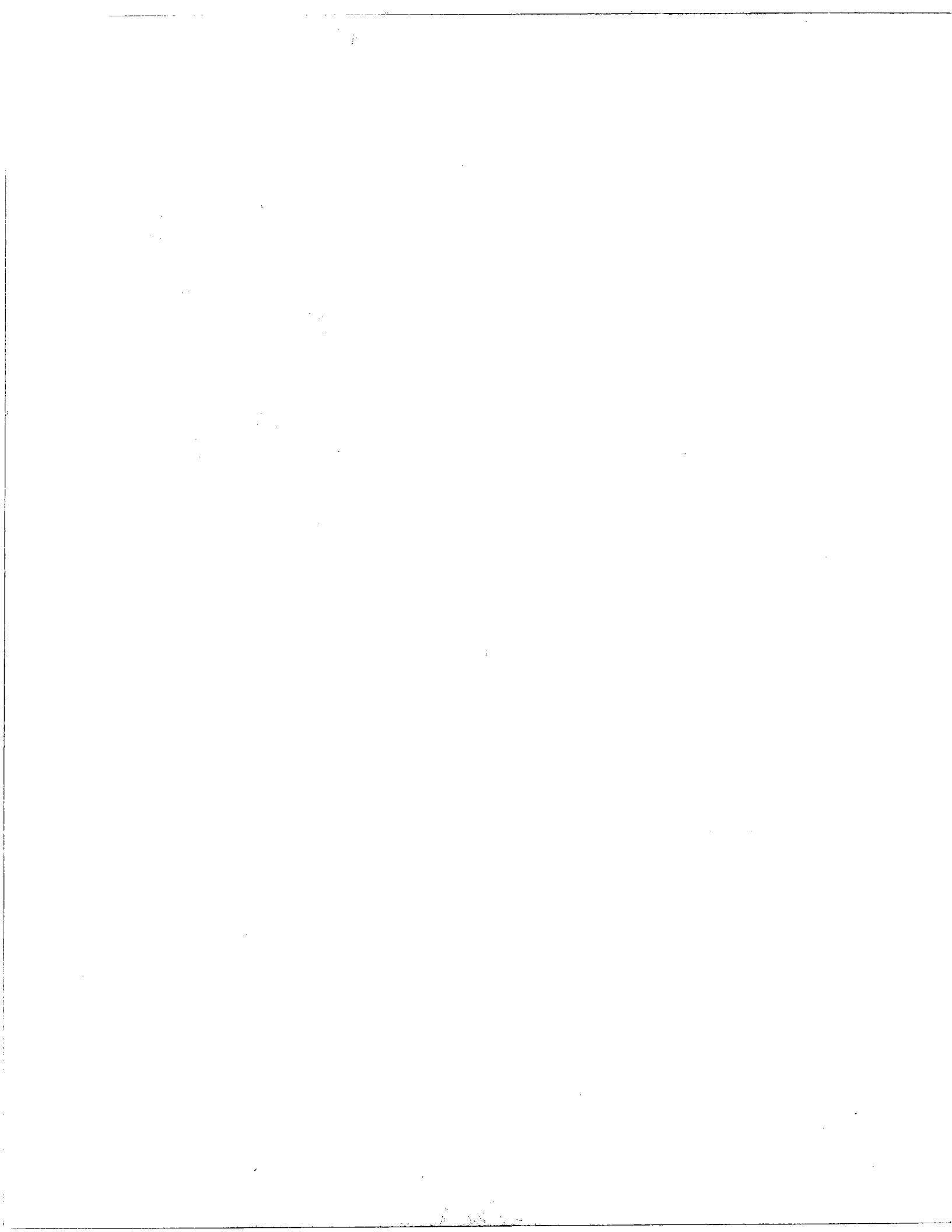
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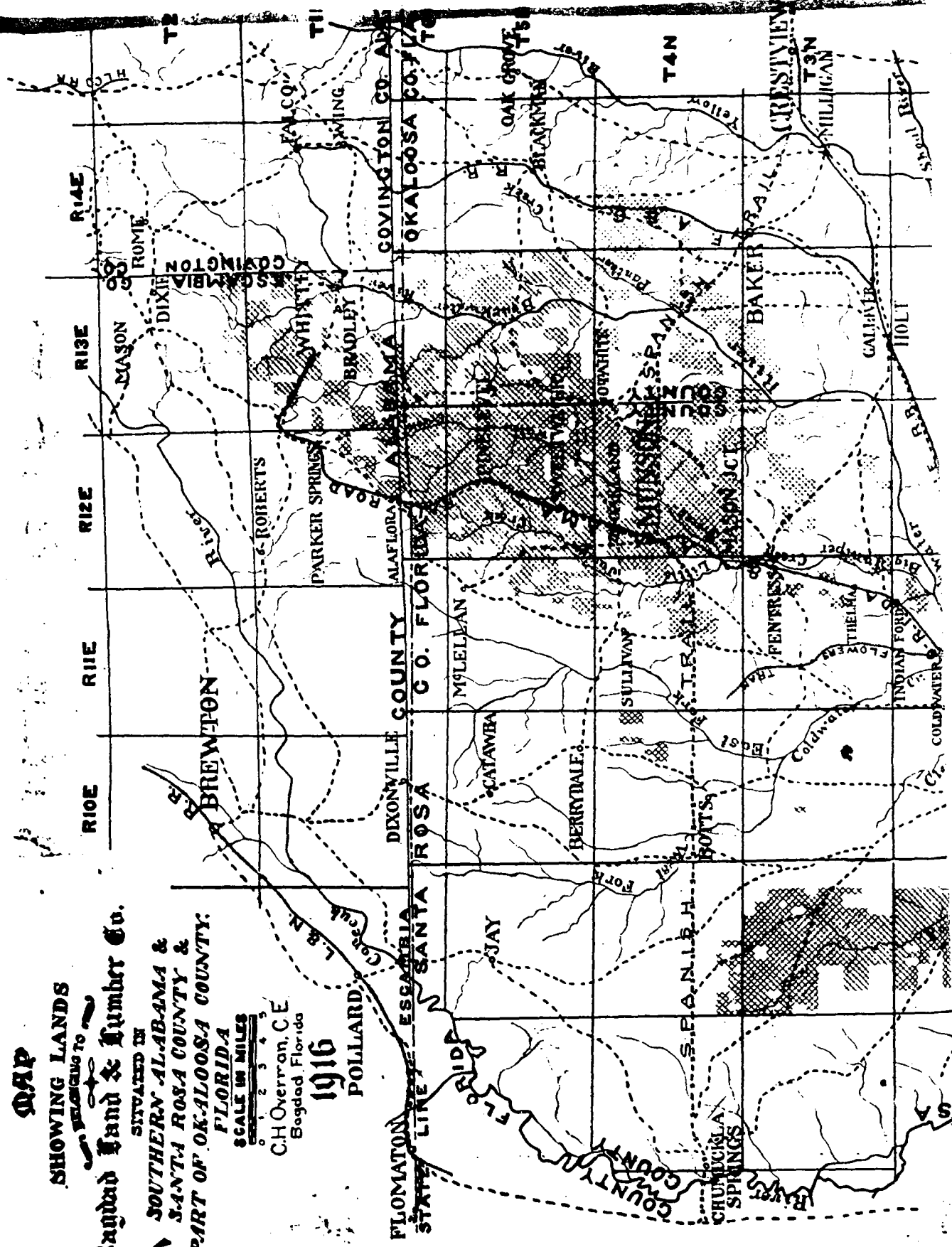
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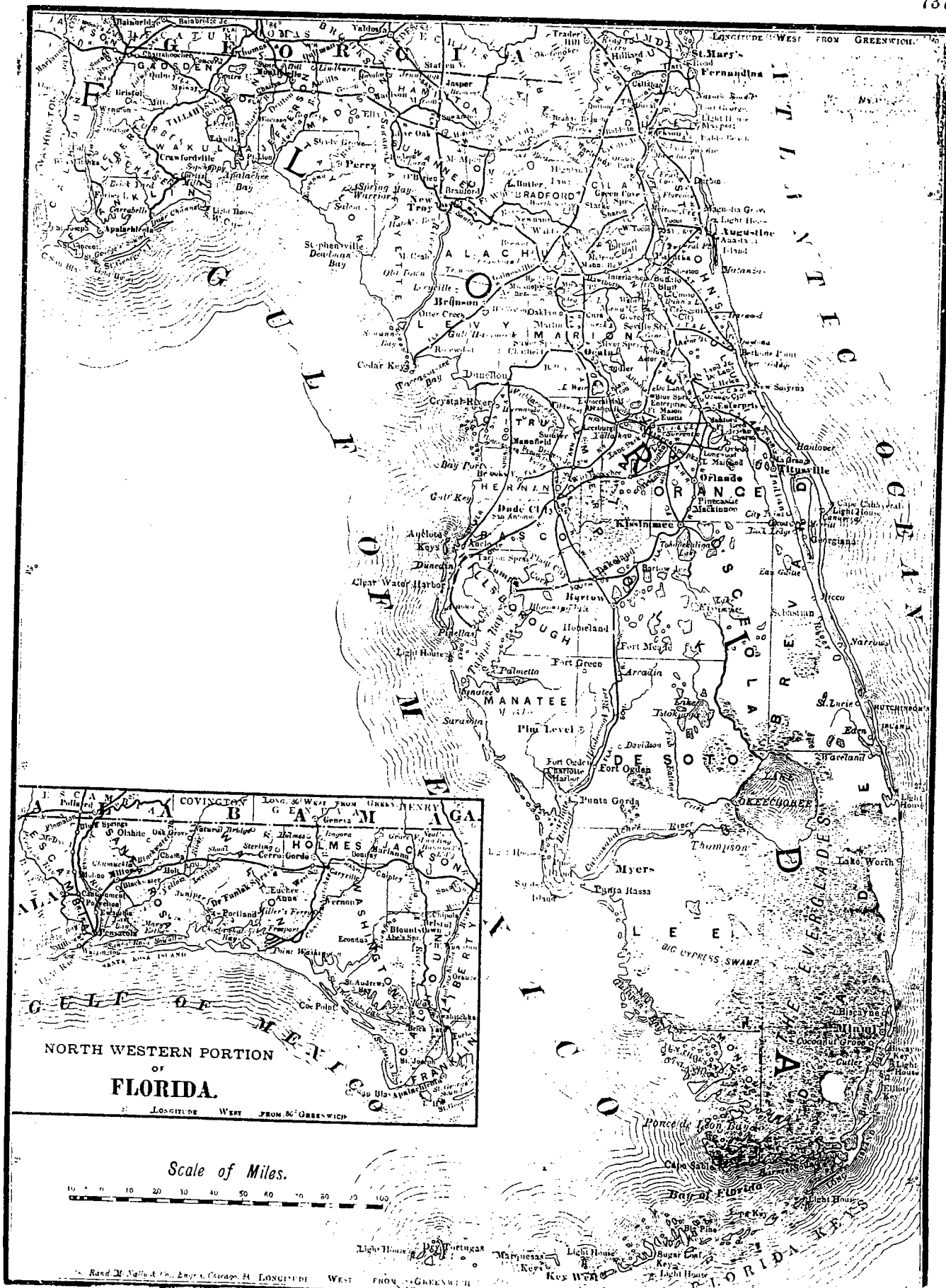
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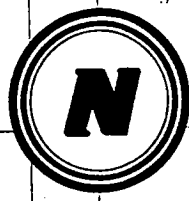
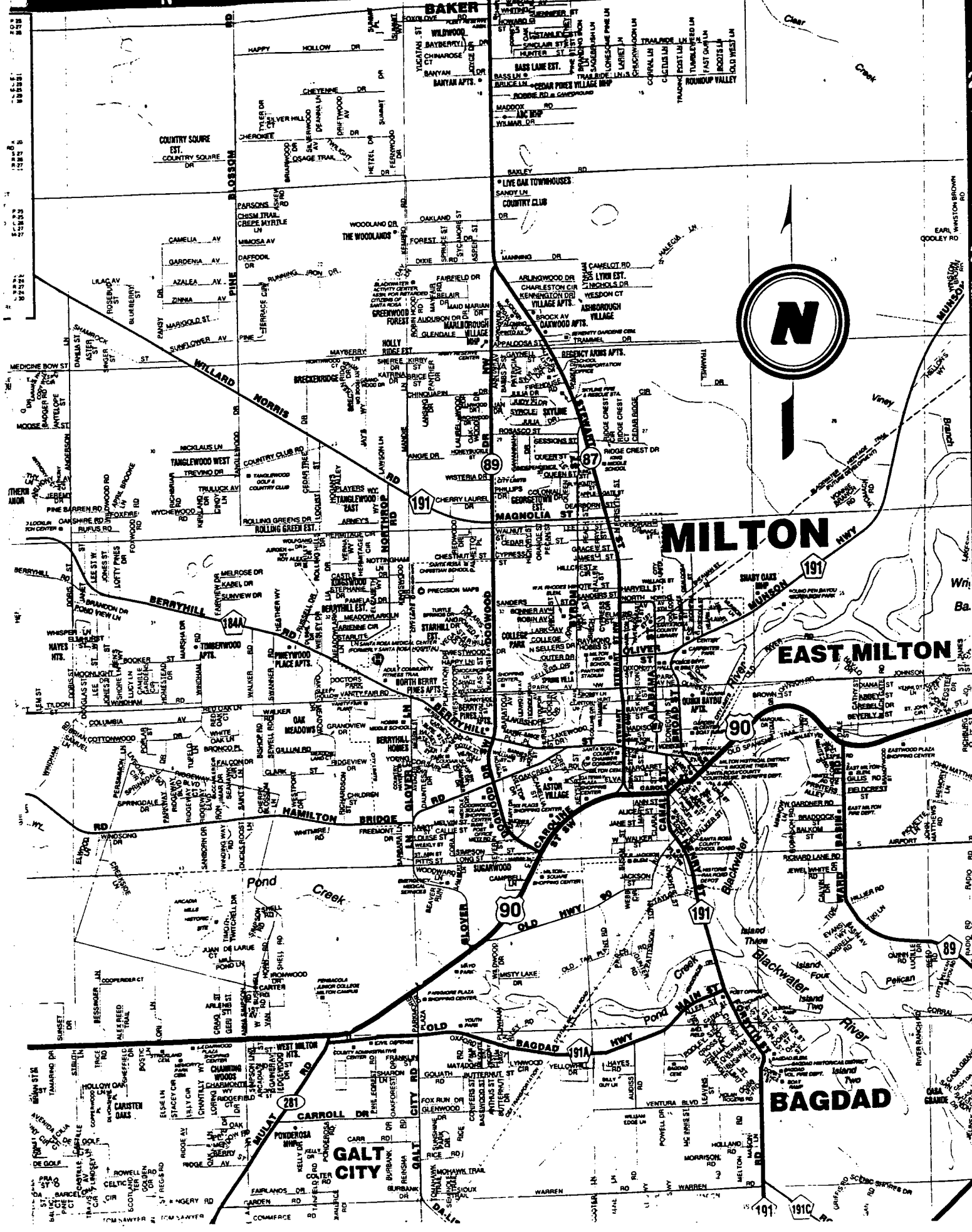


MAP
 SHOWING LANDS BELONGING TO
Bandad Land & Lumber Co.
 SITUATED IN
**SOUTHERN ALABAMA &
 SANTA ROSA COUNTY &
 PART OF OKALOOSA COUNTY,
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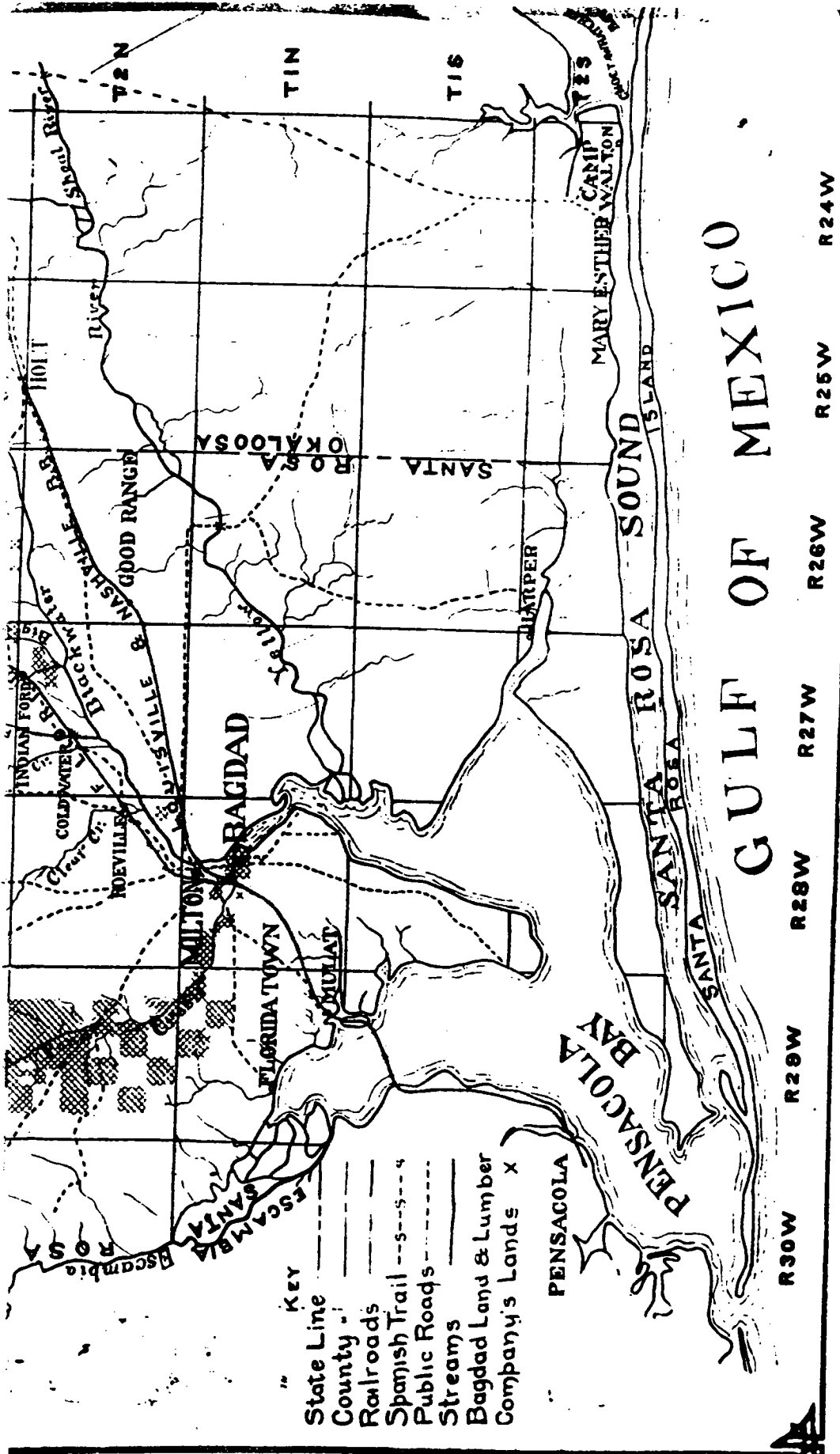


MILTON

EAST MILTON

GALT CITY

BAGDAD



The shaded portions of this map shows the lands owned by

The Bagdad Land & Lumber Company

Immediately surrounding the RICH, FERTILE, AGRICULTURAL AREAS, of THE MUNSON DISTRICT, where the splendid farming successes portrayed on the previous pages are being carried out. These are among the richest CUT-OVER LANDS of the South, and are destined to be converted into the richest farming sections of the United States. These lands have never been offered for general settlement, but parties interested in them, and desiring prices and terms on small tracts for a settlement, can secure all desired information by addressing MR. F. W. STEVENS, Bagdad, Fla., or MR. C. M. MUNSON, FLORIDA.

FLORIDA:

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MILTON:

117.5 M. (9 ALT., 1,466 POP), SEAT OF SANTA ROSA COUNTY, WAS FOUNDED ON THE BLACKWATER RIVER AS A TRADING POST IN 1825. LIKE OTHER NORTH FLORIDA COMMUNITIES OF TERRITORIAL DAYS, THE TOWN WAS BUILT AROUND A COURTHOUSE SQUARE. FOR MANY YEARS THE VILLAGE COULD BE REACHED ONLY BY RIVER SCHOONER OR BY STAGECOACH ALONG THE GENEVA-PENSACOLA ROAD. A CORRESPONDENT OF THE BALTIMORE SUN WROTE IN 1851, 'MILTON HAS THREE SAWMILLS RUNNING 99 SAWS, AND THREE CONFECTIONARIES, ONE KNOWN AS "SHADES," WHERE HOMEFOLK ARE WONT TO RETIRE AT 11 A.M. TO PARTAKE OF ICE JULEPS...WE HAVE A MORAL SOCIETY WHICH BIDS A HEARTY WELCOME TO THE GOOD AND VIRTUOUS THAT COME AMONG US, BUT WOE TO EVILDOERS...OUR YOUNG LADIES ARE BEAUTIFUL, OUR WIVES LOVELY.'

BEFORE THE WAR BETWEEN THE STATES THOUSANDS OF BALES OF COTTON AND MUCH WOOL FROM NEAR-BY PLANTATIONS WERE BROUGHT HERE BY MULE TEAMS, SHIPPED DOWN THE RIVER TO PENSACOLA, AND ACROSS THE GULF TO NORTHERN POINTS. MILTON REMAINS AN IMPORTANT COTTON-GINNING CENTER, AND ALSO HAS LUMBER MILLS, BARREL-STAVE FACTORIES, AND NAVAL-STORES PLANTS. A BLOCK SOUTH OF THE BRIDGE SPANNING THE RIVER IS THE SITE OF AN OLD FERRY CROSSING, AND NEAR BY ARE SMALL SHIPBUILDING YARDS AND STORES SUPPLYING FISHERMEN.

AT 121.1M IS THE JUNCTION WITH STATE 187

BAGDAD:

LEFT ON THIS ROAD IS BAGDAD, 1M. (500 POP), A LUMBERTOWN, WITH A SCATTERING OF OLD FRAME HOUSES ALONG OAK-SHADED DIRT ROADS. IT RECEIVED ITS NAME FROM THE BAGDAD LUMBER COMPANY, WHOSE MILLS CUT AND SHIPPED MILLIONS OF FEET OF PINE AND CYPRESS TO NEW ORLEANS IN THE EARLY 1850'S. AMONG THE PIONEER SETTLERS IN THE VICINITY WAS JOHN HUNT, WHO IN 1828 PURCHASED A TRACT OF LAND ALONG BLACKWATER RIVER, BUILT A LARGE KILN, AND ESTABLISHED A BRICK-MAKING BUSINESS. HUNT PLANTED LOTUS, CEDAR, AND PECAN TREES ON HIS PLANTATION. HE INTRODUCED THE 'TURKEY EGG' PECAN FROM MEXICO-AN UNUSUALLY LARGE NUT WITH A THIN SHELL, SPECKLED LIKE A TURKEY EGG-AND WON A PRIZE WITH IT AT THE PARIS EXPOSITION IN 1873. ALTHOUGH NO TREES OF THIS VARIETY REMAIN TODAY, THERE IS A LARGE PECAN GROVE ON THE PROPERTY, AND SOME OF THE BEARING TREES ARE 90 YEARS OLD. AFTER HUNT'S DEATH THE LAND PASSED TO OTHERS, AMONG THEM A GERMAN BARON, WHO USED IT AS A HUNTING PRESERVE. IN 1890'S NEW OWNERS DESTROYED THE LOTUS GARDENS, CUT DOWN THE LARGE STAND OF CEDARS, AND DISPOSED OF THEM TO PENCIL MANUFACTURERS.

THE ROUTE CROSSES A BROAD MARSHY AREA ON A LONG CAUSEWAY AT THE MOUTH OF THE ESCAMBIA RIVER, 130.9M.; ALONG BOTH SIDES ARE SCATTERED LAGOONS AND INNUMERABLE WATERWAYS WINDING AMONG REEDY ISLANDS. ON SOME OF THE ISLANDS, REACHED BY FOOTBRIDGES, ARE SMALL FISHING CAMPS (BOATS, TACKLE).

SOUTH OF THE CAUSEWAY THE HIGHWAY FOLLOWS RED AND BROWN CLIFFS OVER-LOOKING THE SPARKLING BLUE WATERS OF PENSACOLA BAY. THE HEAVILY WOODED SHORE IS LINED WITH COTTAGES AND PIERS; IN FAIR WEATHER THE BAY IS DOTTED WITH SAILBOATS. THE WIDE BAY WAS FORTIFIED BY THE SPANISH IN 1698 AGAINST FRENCH AMBITIONS ON THE GULF COAST, IN 1693 WAS DESCRIBED BY ONE OF THEIR SURVEY PARTIES AS 'ABLE TO HARBOR ALL THE ARMADAS OF THE KNOWN WORLD.'

After 111 Years, Bagdad Reaches the End

History of Famous Florida Operation Encompasses the Story of America's Lumber Industry; Pulp Mill May Occupy Location Where Lumber Has Been Cut Continuously Since 1828

By C. H. OVERMAN

THIS name may bring to your mind the city of that name in old Arabia, but this tale has to do with a subject more close to your hand — the history of Bagdad situated on the Blackwater River, in Florida, near the point where it flows into one of the arms of Pensacola Bay. The history of this town while possessing the same kind of interest would hold in the history of the Arabic world is replete with romance of the development of the principal natural resource of this territory—timber. Bagdad has been, since its early settlement, one of the largest producers of long leaf yellow pine timber and lumber in the world. Tradition has it that soon after Florida was purchased from Spain, a young man, named Joseph Forsyth, through an unfortunate accident killed a Frenchman in the city of New Orleans, and the circumstances surrounding this accident were such that he feared his life would be forfeited. He therefore departed in haste, leaving that city in a dugout canoe and without guide or compass, succeeded in finding his way along the beach of the Blackwater River to the waters of Pensacola Bay. Working at different jobs among the John Hunt Lumberyards, near the present site of Bagdad, and in the saw mills in the neighborhood, Forsyth accumulated enough gold to purchase in 1828, a tract of land from the land of La Rua on Pond Creek, about five miles above the present site of Bagdad. He immediately began to erect a dam across the creek to provide power to operate a saw mill. His capital being limited and being seriously hindered by shortage of labor, caused by the fear of the Indians who were then numerous and who means friendly, it seemed that his efforts would fail. Fortunately for him at this time, late in 1830, he met Andrew Simpson and Ezekiel E. Simpson, who, men of considerable wealth, had their home in North Carolina and were seeking some new field for profitable investment.

Labor Problem Solved

The records show that on December 9th, 1830, he transferred to them one-half his interest in the tract of land and the saw mill and other improvements. With the capital they were able to complete the mill and add the latest improvements at that time. The mill was operated by water power from the creek. They also purchased many slaves and with this accession, their labor troubles were over. The best market for the pine lumber those days was New Orleans, but in order to load the lumber in schooners, it was necessary to take this lumber to the Blackwater River. As they now had a surplus of labor at their disposal, they constructed a railroad from the mill, to the point where Pond Creek empties into the Blackwater River at the present site of the Bagdad mill. Considerable grading was done on this road, the rails of which were of flat iron nailed to wooden stringers. Mules pulled the cars of lumber. Around the mill beds near the loading point on the Blackwater River a little settlement sprang up, which was called Bagdad, and the settlement, retaining its name except for a brief time in the "eighties" when a successful attempt was made to change the name to "Blackwater" has continued to the present time in the same location.

The first mention of Bagdad as a saw mill town is found in the record of the transfer of some property to Joseph Forsyth and Uriel Bowen in 1840, in which there is mentioned a "steam saw mill with two saws." It must have been about this time that the railroad from Forsyth & Simpson's mill was beginning to wear out. Imagine a heavily loaded car of lumber, a stubborn mule, a poor track and an exasperated driver. Tradition does not pass on the driver's name, but his arguments were so forcible that the firm decided to abandon their mill and rebuild at Bagdad.

The partners of Forsyth & Simpson at this time were Joseph Forsyth, E. E. Simpson, J. A. Simpson and Benjamin Overman, the latter having come from North Carolina some years previously.

Skilled Workers Sought

For this undertaking additional capital was desired. Also in those days, skilled men were few in this territory. Mr. E. E. Simpson therefore went north in search of skilled men who would be interested in the business and stay with the operators. He was successful and interested Jas. Creary of Mattewan, N. Y., as engineer and R. M. Bushnell of Connecticut, as bookkeeper. Overman was a skilled mechanic, and with him in charge of construction, work was commenced on the new project. There was no water power available at Bagdad, and another problem presented itself, in the use of a steam mill. The water in the creek and river was brackish and would not do for the boilers; the small surface springs at Bagdad would not furnish sufficient water; (it was of course before the days of driven wells).

This problem was solved by constructing a dam to impound some water in some spring heads about a mile and a half above Bagdad. The dam was made to furnish power to an over shot wheel which forced water from the dam to Bagdad—not through steel or clay pipe, but through wood pipes made by boring about a two inch hole lengthwise through the center of logs, each log about twenty feet long, and fastening them together by iron nipples and ferrules. Other difficulties were overcome in a similarly ingenious manner and the mill soon was in operation.

Upon abandoning the old site of the mill, the water power became available

The Story of Bagdad, as told here by the chief engineer of the Bagdad Land and Lumber Co., is not only worth reading because of historical facts contained therein but it also will hold your attention to the end if you will but read the first two paragraphs. It is an intensely interesting and absorbing piece of writing. Perhaps no other lumbering operation in the Western Hemisphere can boast of a longer and more thrilling life.

for other purposes, and to utilize it a cotton mill was erected. This mill was in operation as late as 1852 according to the records. That was the year of the yellow fever. Both Creary and E. E. Simpson lost their first wives by that fever. These ladies, Misses Dennisons, came from Newburgh, N. Y., for the purpose of superintending the operation of the cotton factory and had soon afterwards married as stated, only to lose their lives in the epidemic.

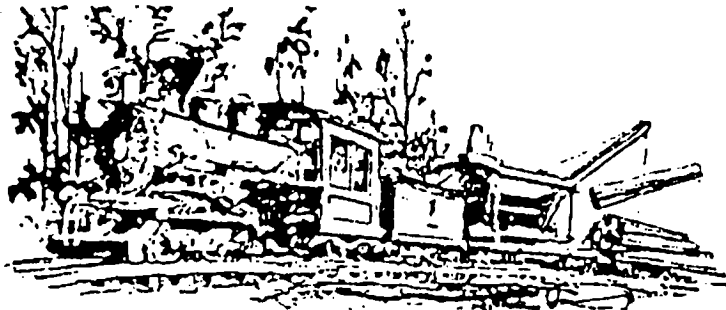
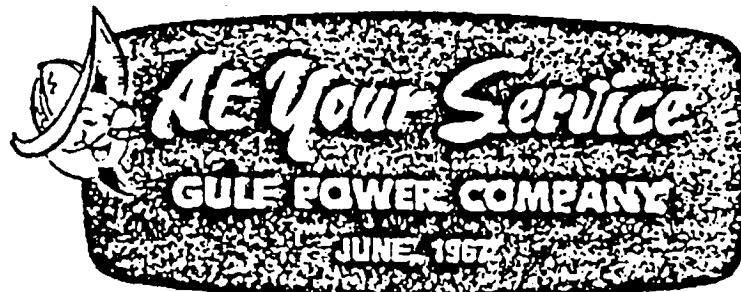
Forsyth Passes On

In 1855 Joseph Forsyth died and was buried at the head of the road leading up the hill from his mills at Bagdad. A simple shaft of granite was erected in loving memory and still stands as a reminder of the sterling worth of this pioneer. After Forsyth's death the name of the partnership was changed to Simpson & Company and new partners were taken in. Among these were Benjamin W. Thompson, who for many years had looked after getting the logs from the woods to the mill. During its long period of existence (1855-1903), the firm Simpson & Company embraced many members who were the founders of many well known families in Pensacola and West Florida. Among these may be mentioned in addition to those given above, the following: James E. Creary, son of James Creary, A. J. Adams, E. W. Dorr, John H. Cross, E. H. Roberts, E. L. Cater, Sarah L. Bushnell, Susan A. Simpson, W. E. Anderson, J. M. W. Hall, H. T. Wright and others.

Soon after the opening of the Civil War the dark cloud touched Bagdad. The banking business of Simpson & Company was done in New York and fearing confiscation of their money, R. M. Bushnell went there and was successful in saving it. In the spring of 1862 the Confederates burned the mills and many of the residences at Bagdad, though fortunately some of the latter were spared. These mills and the immense stock of lumber were burned to prevent their falling in the hands of the Federals. After this event James Creary remained at Bagdad to look after things, but the remaining partners went up into Alabama, taking their families and the slaves with them. There they operated a plantation to raise food to support themselves and the slaves. James Creary was arrested and taken to Cuba, by the Federals, but was later released.

Another Mill Built

After peace was established the partners all came back to Bagdad and at once built another saw mill. The equipment consisted of a circular saw and an edger with a movable table. This mill served their purpose until the early "seventies" when business prospects appeared brighter and they decided to build another mill. This, located at the site of the present mill, was completed in 1872. In it a steam gang saw was used instead of the circular saw. There was a growing demand for long timbers and the following year saw the completion of another mill on the island in Blackwater River, which was known as the Island Mill until abandoned and demolished about 1914. This latter mill was at first equipped with a circular saw. Later both mills had band saws for cutting the logs.



BAGDAD - Timbertown, Railhead of the Past

Visitors to Bagdad (near Milton) find a quiet, pleasant community—with the Blackwater River meandering by on its way to the Gulf, the stately Thompson mansion still standing—but once-humming lumbermills gone with their crews who cut the virgin timber.

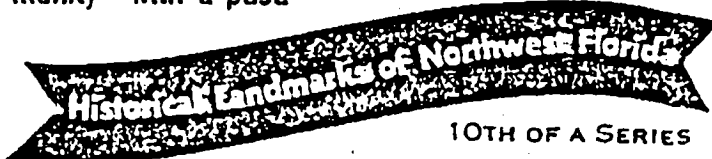
A new shipyard bustles nearby, but its predecessors which once built wooden ships for iron men are gone. Bagdad remains—a monument to the Panhandle's historic past.

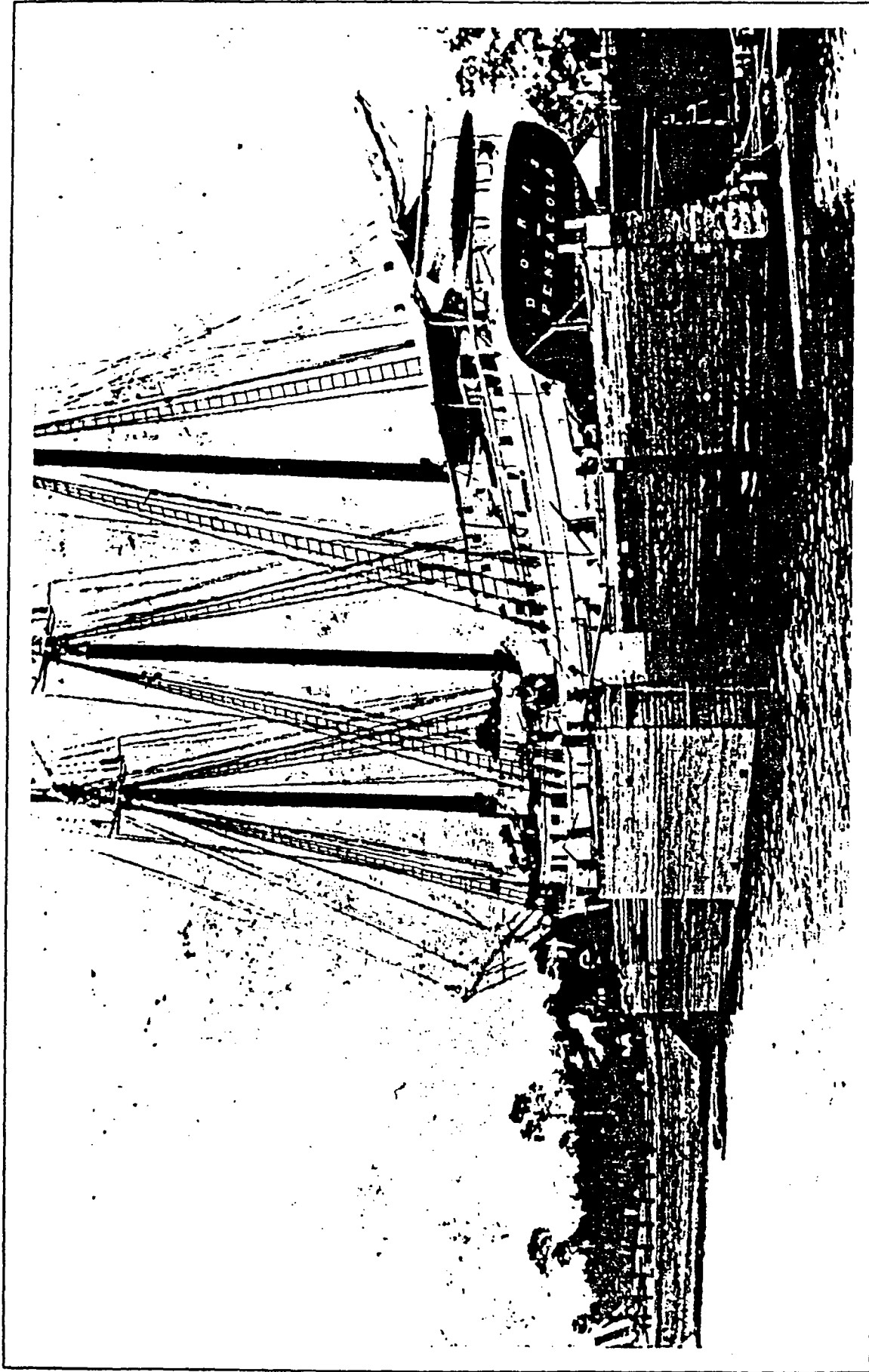
New Englanders settled there in 1828, first as farmers, then as seekers of the pine forests' wealth. Crews wrestled huge logs to water, there processed them whole or cut to saw lengths for floating to ships bound for world-wide ports.

Here, in the woods, some of the area's first railroad lines were laid; wooden rails faced with strap iron; mule-power rolling stock hauled timber, moving to the great Simpson and Forsyth sawmills (and later to the Bagdad Land & Lumber Company).

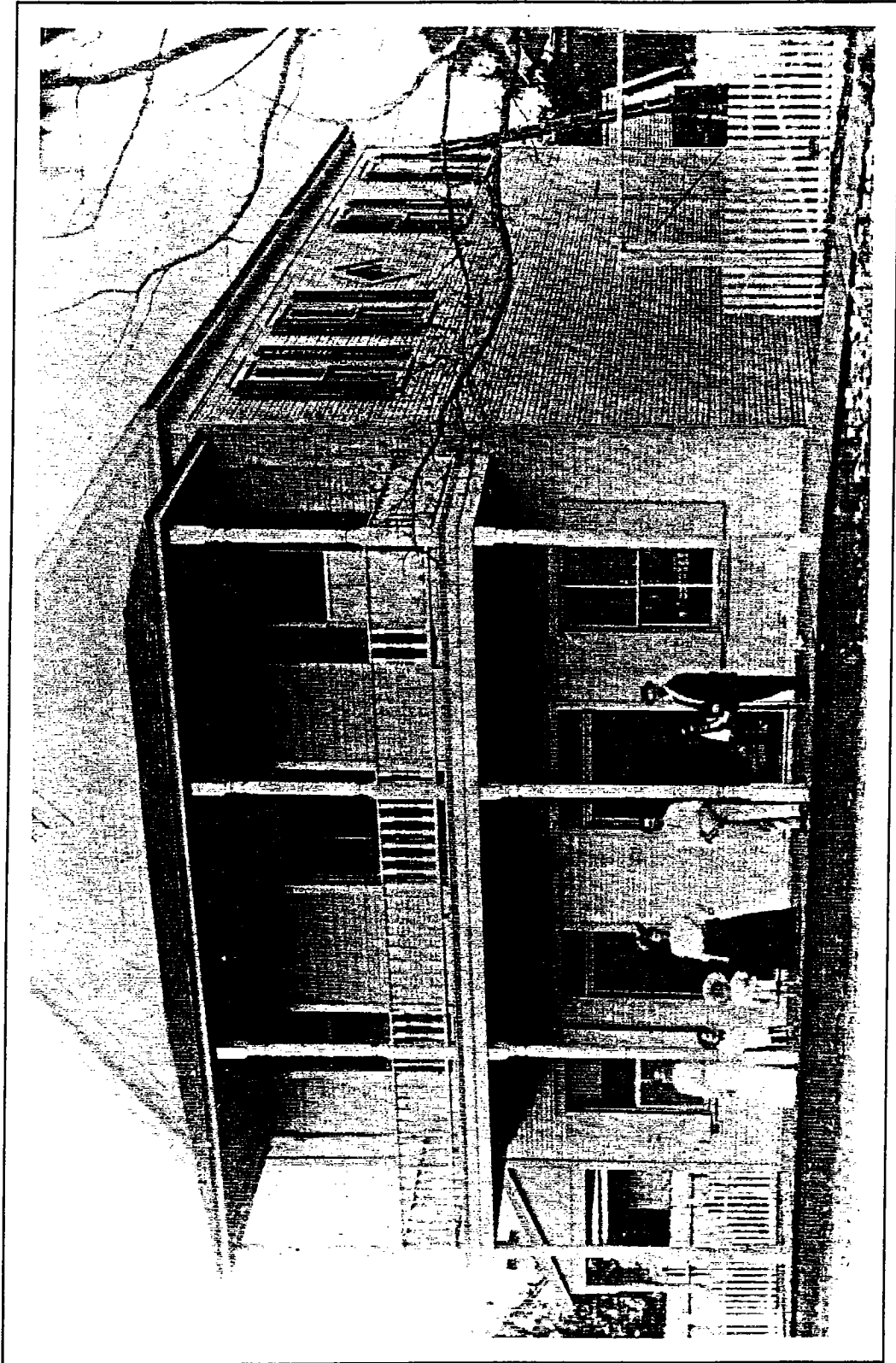
Shipyards sprang up along the river, producing ships of wood; even into this century, they built many coastal and Caribbean vessels, many of sailing type.

But, as virgin pine dwindled, the mills closed; Bagdad retreated; bare river pilings mark former wharves and warehouses; a few picturesque homes mark the 19th century. Bagdad remains; a quiet, pleasant community—with a past.





Doris in dry dock.
Bagdad, Fla. 1902.



Bagdad Area Inn
c 1902.

Cemetery dates back almost 300 years

Associated Press
PENSACOLA — Archaeologists have uncovered a cemetery with at least seven bodies that dates back nearly 300 years on the grounds of the Pensacola Naval Air Station.

It is the oldest identified cemetery on the Gulf Coast between Tallahassee and New Orleans, said Judy Bense, director of the University of West Florida Archaeology Institute.

The cemetery is part of a Spanish settlement that became Pensacola but was known as Santa Maria de Galve when founded in 1698.

Archaeologists said Tuesday they have not yet determined if the skeletons, all appearing to be of people under 15 years old, are Indian or European. Native Americans had camped in or around the settlement.

The bodies may have been buried under a church floor, something the Spaniards commonly

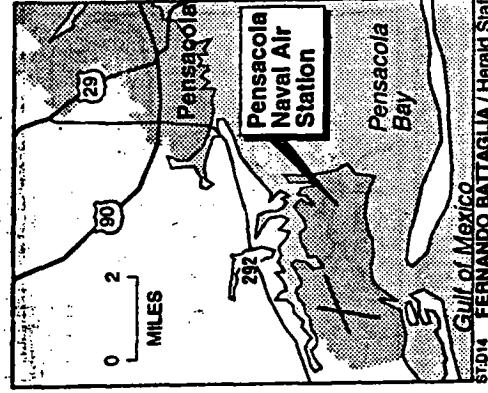
did, because bricks also were found at the site, said Bense and colleague John Phillips.

A dime-size religious medalion was found in one grave. It depicts the Virgin Mary praying on one side and a nativity scene on the other.

Bense wants the state, Navy and Interior Department to make the site a historic landmark.

Navy contractors stumbled on the cemetery last month when digging three-foot trenches for the foundation of a planned addition to an office building. Archaeologists from the university were called to begin a careful excavation.

"Obviously we'll hold off on any further construction until we get a much better feel for what we have here," said Capt. Tim Thomson, the base's commanding officer. "We are not in any rush. It's exciting to think these



BY FERNANDO BATTAGLIA / Herald Staff

including bricks, pottery and a coin, that for the first time pinpointed the site of the Spanish settlement at the Navy base on a bluff overlooking Pensacola Bay.

She hopes the cemetery's discovery will help identify the site of Fort San Carlos de Austria, which was the centerpiece of the settlement. The wooden fort was burned to the ground by the French in 1722.

The site of Spain's first settlement at Pensacola in 1559, however, remains a mystery. It also was the first Spanish settlement in what now is the United States but was abandoned after only two years.

The Spanish did not permanently settle Pensacola until 1698. In the years since Pensacola was controlled by France, Spain again, Britain and then Spain a final time before Florida became a U.S. territory in 1821.

are missing links to the early Spanish settlement."

He said the Navy may relocate the building if the find is significant enough.

This summer Bense supervised a dig that produced artifacts,

Digging into

TIME



By MICHAEL BROWNING
Herald Staff Writer

TALLAHASSEE — Time and a clogged drain have brought state archaeologist Calvin Jones back to the scene of one of his greatest finds, the hilltop campsite where the Spanish conquistador, Hernando De Soto, wintered for five months in 1539-40.

"I'm a dirt archaeologist," says the pipe-smoking Jones said, drawing circles around promising sections of a shallow trench with his jack-knife blade. "Dirt is where it's at, if you want hard evidence. You learn more from dirt than you do sitting in an armchair." It was in this dirt, on this hilltop, on March 11, 1987, that Jones made one of the

New dig begins

But the site is far from exhausted. And so, a few days ago when a drain clogged up beneath one of the buildings at the edge of the hill, a new dig began.

Rather than pair the drain, it was decided to connect the building to city sewer lines. This meant digging a trench about 30 yards long across a part of the hill that had not been excavated. Jones seized the opportunity to revisit the scene of one of his greatest finds.

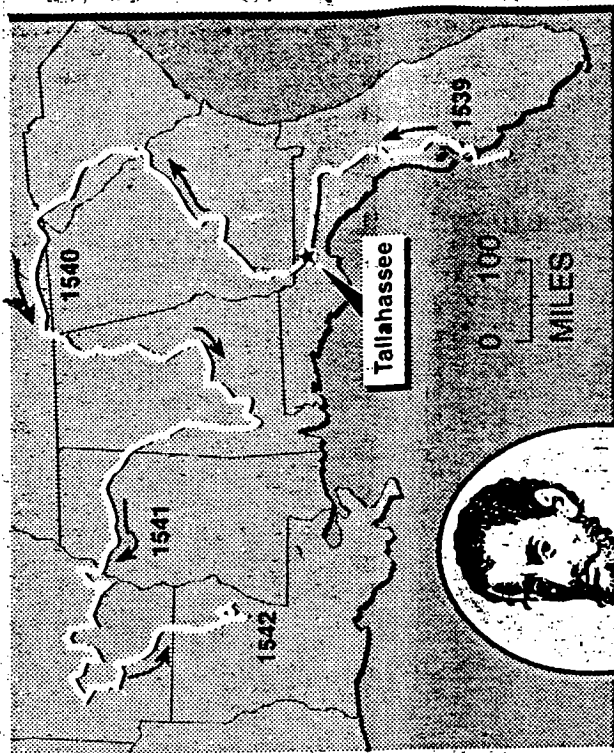
Sure enough, as the earth was prized up and flung onto black plastic sheets, then washed through a 1/8-inch wire mesh, bits of ancient history re-emerged into the light of

investigation: the camp perimeter, the locations of cooking fires, small artifacts of daily life. At least five of De Soto's men died during the winter layover, and their skeletons have yet to come to light.

Modern Tallahassee hugs the hilltop in closely. A Motel 6 stands nearby, a couple of brick law offices stand at the entrance to the site, over where De Soto's personal headquarters must have been. Here is where most of the chain mail and pottery was found, along with a peculiarly grisly discovery.

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DE SOTO'S BLOODY QUEST



DE SOTO: Set up camp in North Florida

A SAVAGE DRIVE

With unrelenting cruelty toward those he encountered, Hernando De Soto explored the Florida peninsula and as far north as the Carolinas in a fruitless quest for gold and riches.

Born in Spain in the early 1500s, he went to the New World in 1514 and grew wealthy in the conquest of the Incas. Certain that immense and easy riches awaited in North America,

A COINCIDENTAL CAPITAL

In 1539, De Soto's expedition chose a winter camp atop a hill in North Florida, battling and driving off the natives settled there.

It was there the expedition cast off heavy chain-mail, which they found ineffective against Indian flint arrowheads. Five men in the expedition died that winter and were buried there. After the group left in the spring, Indians reclaimed the encampment and occupied the area for the next two centuries.

In 1823, a committee selected Tallahassee as the new capital, finding it central to the new territory's population centers. "A more beautiful country can scarcely be imagined," wrote committee member John Lee Williams of Pensacola. "A hill was chosen for the site of

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...I want hard evidence. You learn more from dirt than you do sitting in an armchair.

It was in this dirt, on this hilltop, on March 11, 1987, that Jones made one of the most extraordinary finds in New World archaeology: the remnants of De Soto's winter campsite, where the first Christmas Mass was celebrated in North America in a camp semibesteged by hostile Apalachee Indians.

"I passed by one day on my lunch hour and saw that Chuck Mitchell of Mad Dog Construction was going to put up an office park here. That was my chance. I got a shovel and dug a hole.

"Within 15 minutes, I'd found fragments of Spanish pottery. I had been looking for a later Spanish mission, La Purificacion de la Tama. Instead I found De Soto's winter camp."

In the months that followed, Jones team unearthed thousands of links of 16th-Century chain mail, glazed Spanish pottery, glass beads, boot-tacks, a crossbow arrow point and the jaw of a pig — an animal brought to the New World by the Spanish. Five acres of the six-acre hilltop were acquired by the state of Florida, and each December more than 1,000 schoolchildren visit the historic hilltop to hear lectures and see re-enactments of De Soto's encampment. Some of the finds from the 1987 dig are on display today at the Museum of Florida History in Tallahassee.

prized up and flung onto black plastic sheets, then washed through a 1/8-inch wire mesh, bits of ancient history re-emerged into the light of day.

"Here you go, Calvin," said volunteer Ron Kobertisch, who had just passed a magnet over the wet detritus in the screen and had come up with a rusty, broken ringlet smaller than a dime.

"Chain mail," Jones said cheerfully, puffing on his pipe. "That's the real thing, all right." The tiny link, which had perhaps been forged in Spain or Cuba, and once formed part of a 30-pound shirt of riveted ringlets, was placed in a plastic bag for safekeeping. It was the third such link found that day.

"Ron's a great volunteer," Jones said. "He used to be my dentist. He used to dig around in my mouth, and now he's out here digging for me." Both men laughed.

Oldest encampment

Their good humor sprang from the high excitement of investigating anew what is, to date, the oldest discovered European settlement in North America. Ponce de Leon arrived earlier, in 1513, and must have camped somewhere near St. Augustine.

But no traces of his sojourn have been discovered. For the moment, this hill, half a mile from the Florida state Capitol, holds the palm for antiquity.

This time, Jones is interested in filling in the corners in his

discovery.

"It was a skeleton of an Indian who had been cremated, with his hands tied behind his back. The forensic pathologists found that the bones had been 'green' when they were buried. There is a possibility the Indian was burned alive," Jones said.

Ruthless explorer

De Soto was among the most bloody-minded of Francisco Pizarro's lieutenants. Already wealthy from the conquest of Peru, De Soto, 40, landed a 600-man force near Tampa and made his way up to Tallahassee, arriving Oct. 6, 1539. The date is known with certainty from the *Comentarios Reales* of the chronicler, Garcilaso de la Vega, who interviewed survivors of the expedition 30 years later.

The expedition came to resemble Joseph Conrad's *Heart of Darkness*, a savage trek into an increasingly savage wilderness. De Soto and his men hacked their way across the southeastern United States like wild beasts, bent on plunder and with contempt for the Indians they encountered.

At Tallahassee he expropriated an Apalachee village, which had occupied the hilltop for perhaps 50 years, and drove the Indians away. De Soto claimed the chief's lodge for his headquarters. Not surprisingly, the Indians were hostile.

"He was a ferocious fighter, and he fought his way wherever he went," Jones said. "I can

1500s, he went to the New World in 1514, and grew wealthy in the conquest of the Incas. Certain that immense and easy riches awaited in North America, he led an expedition to Florida in 1539.

No gold found!

His legion ranged from Tampa Bay to the site of the present-day Carolinas, ruthlessly massacring or torturing natives. He found no gold, but pressed on. The high point of the three-year plunder apparently was a cache of pearls from a burial site. Reeling from a disastrous battle with natives near present-day Mobile, he retreated to the Mississippi River where he died. He was succeeded by Luis de Moscoso.

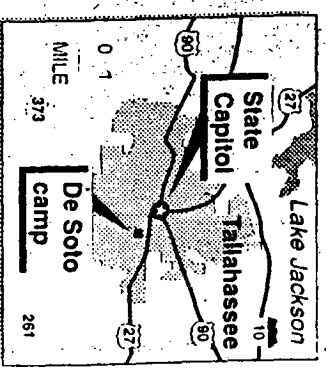
SOURCE: Atlas of Florida

Imagine them celebrating Midnight Mass here that Christmas, with flaming arrows whizzing into the camp."

Uniforms discarded

The reason so much chain mail turned up at the Tallahassee site may be that De Soto and his men decided it was a useless burden, and cast it away. The heavy flint-tipped arrows of the Apalachee could pierce the soft iron links easily, Jones said. Historical accounts say that De Soto's soldiers exchanged their heavy mail for padded garments that stood up better to arrow fire.

territory's population centers. "A more beautiful country can scarcely be imagined," wrote committee man John Lee Williams of Pensacola. A hill was chosen for the site of the capital. Unbeknownst to the founders, it was one rise away from the site of the old De Soto camp. Thus, in an inexplicable coincidence, two of the key sites in the Euro-American conquest of Florida — a state of 58,560 square miles — are located less than a mile apart.

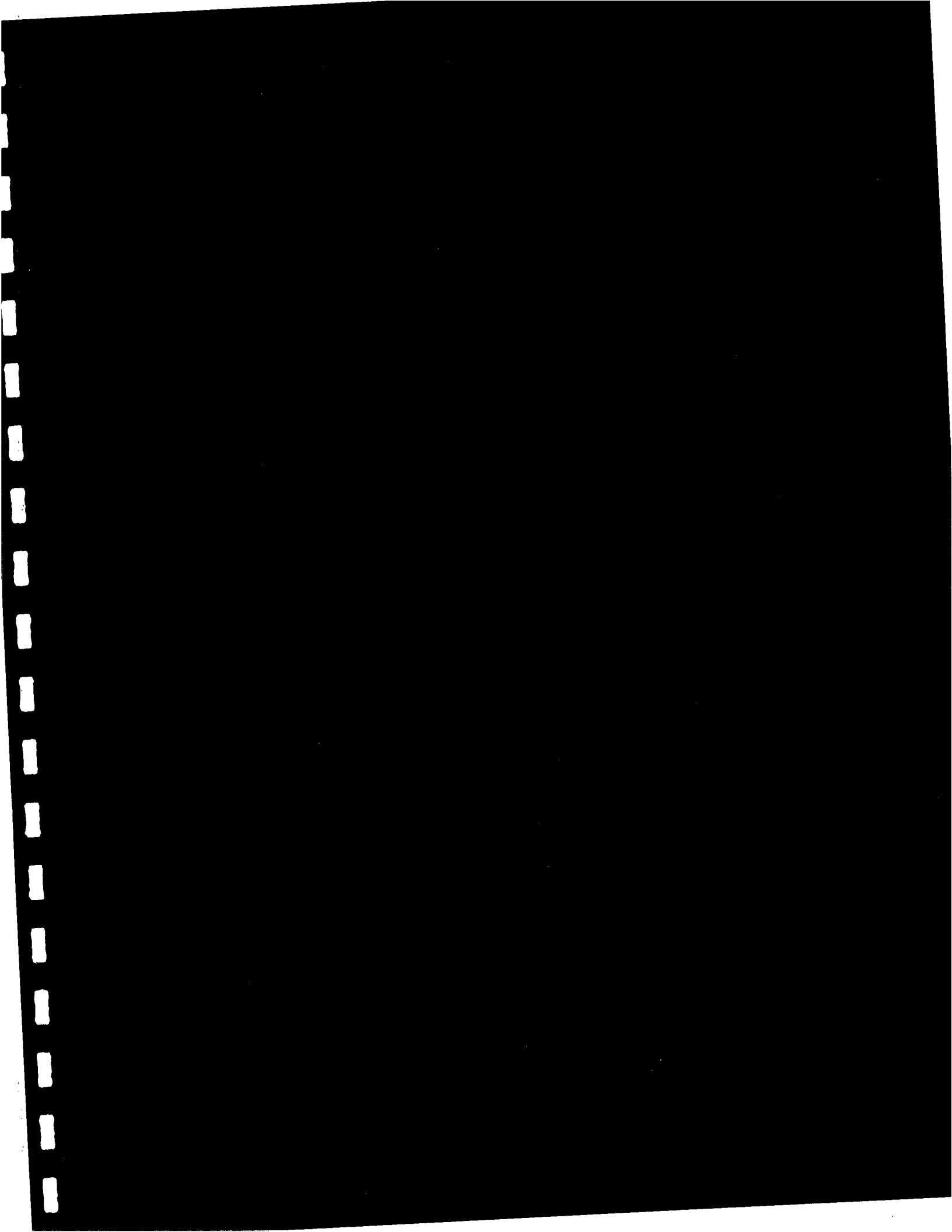


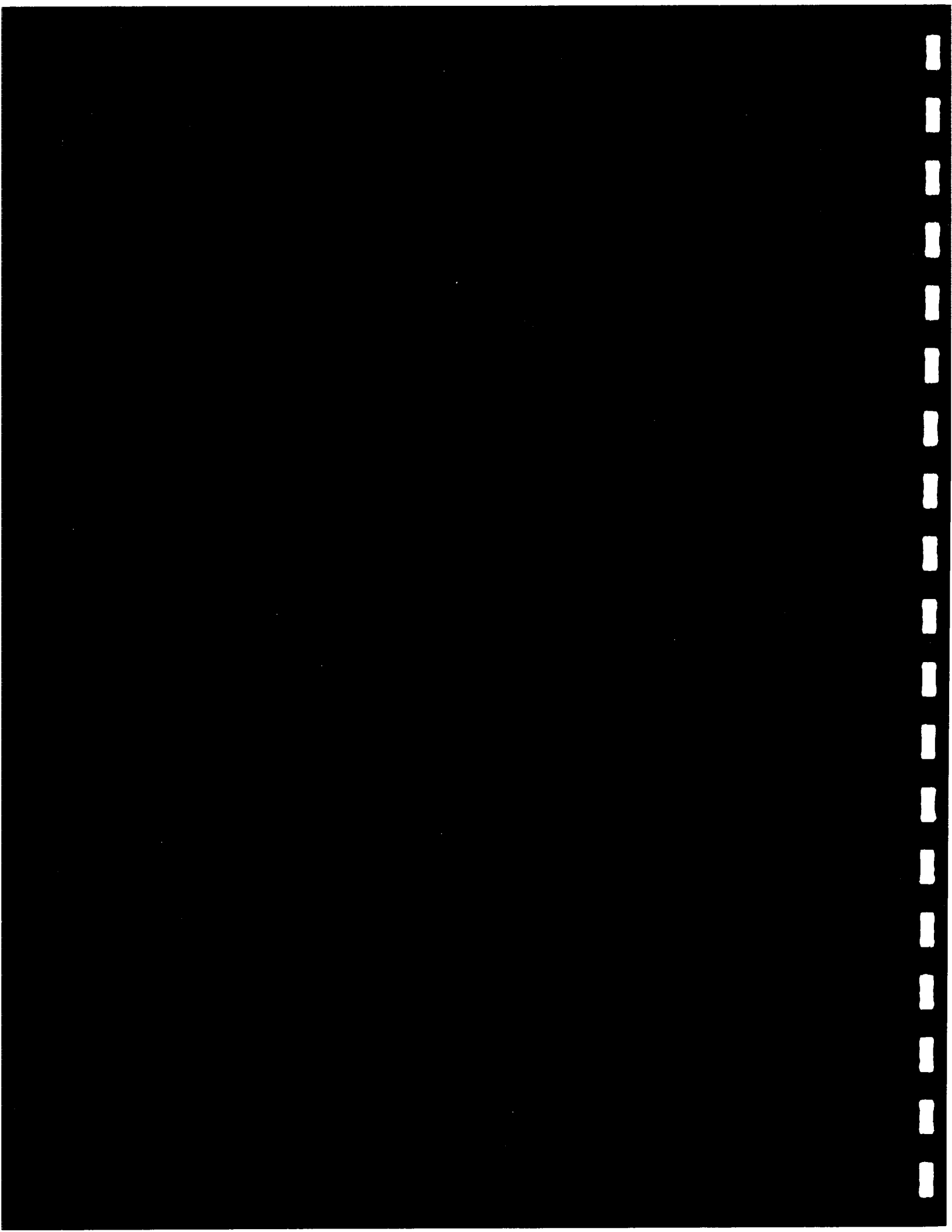
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The expedition made it as far as modern Texas before turning back. De Soto himself died in Mississippi, was entombed in a hollow log and sunk in the Mississippi River.

"The expedition was a failure," said Jones, an archaeologist with the state's Division of Historical Resources. "He didn't find any gold, he didn't Christianize any Indians, he didn't establish any colonies.

"But this spot is where European history begins to interface with America. Since our culture since then has been European, you could say that this is where it all starts."





PROGENITORS OF ALL LEWISES IN THIS BOOK



JESSE LEWIS (1804-1899) AND NANCY JANE COBB (1815-1901) WERE MARRIED IN 1836 IN JEFFERSON COUNTY, GEORGIA. THIS PICTURE (REPRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL COPPERPLATE) WAS PROBABLY A 50TH ANNIVERSARY PHOTOGRAPH-ABOUT 1886.

THE ORIGINAL IS IN POSSESSION OF MRS. AVIS LEWIS. AVIS WAS A GREAT GRANDSON OF JESSE AND NANCY, THROUGH DANIEL JEFFERSON "CEASE" LEWIS. AVIS'S FATHER WAS JESSE VANDERBUILT LEWIS, SON OF DANIEL JEFFERSON AND MARY EDWARD CALLOWAY LEWIS.

JESSE AND NANCY ARE BURIED IN ROBINSON POINT CEMETARY IN BAGDAD, FL IN SANTA ROSA COUNTY.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

JESSE LEWIS

1804-1899

Wife		Husband	
NANCY JANE COBB		Name	JESSE LEWIS
GA	1813	Born	5/4/1804 SOUTH CAROLINA
		Married	11/6/1836 JEFFERSON CO., GA
ROBINSON POINT, FL	1901	Died	2/21/1899 ROBINSON POINT, FL
		Burial	
		Father	
		Mother	
	husband	Other (if any)	wife

Notes RESIDENTS: SC, GA, AL, FL

REF: CENSUS- 1850, 1860, 1870, 1880, 1910, LAND DEEDS, MARRIAGE LICENSE, DEATH CERTIFICATES, CEMETARY RECORDS.

NANCY LIVED WITH HER YOUNGEST SON AFTER JESSE DIED, WM. S. "COOT"

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	WILLIAM FRANKLIN	1838	GA	1914	
		m ANNA ABBOTT (?)				
2	F	NARCISSA ELIZABETH	1840	HENRY CO., AL	1914	
		m JOSEPH ST. MARY				
3	F	NANCY JANE	N 1843	HENRY CO., AL		yellow fever
		m MATTHEW HAWKINS				ROBINSON PT., FL
4	M	GEORGE W	1844-5	HENRY CO., AL	1880	
		m SALLY SMITH				
5	M	HENRY JACKSON	2/18/1847	HENRY CO., AL	12/29/1909	ROBINSON PT. FL
		m ELIZABETH THURMAN				
6	F	CATHERINE A	1849	HENRY CO., AL	after 1900	yellow fever ROB., PT., FL
		m THOMAS J ROBERTS				
7	M	JOHN L	1853-57	SANTA ROSA CO., FL	1916	
		m EMMA KUTRALL				
8	M	DANIEL JEFFERSON "CEASE"	1853-55	SANTA ROSA, CO, FL	9/29/1927	
		m MARY EDWARD CALLAWAY		SANTA ROSA CO., FL		
* 9	M	WM. SHERWOOD "COOT"	3/9/1859	MILTON, FL	11/1/1919	RB PT moved to
		m NICIE ANN STRICKLAND	3/16/1861		3/21/1937	BAGDAD, FL.
						/ BAGDAD, FL.

Source

By

License issued: 10-20-1836
Married: 11-6-1836

Jesse Lewis and Nancy Cobb

Jesse
Lewis
and
Nancy
Cobb

Georgia,)
Jefferson County)

These are to authorize and permit you to Join in the honorable State of Matrimony Jesse Lewis of the one part, and Nancy Cobb of the other part, according to the rites of your Church, provided there be no lawful cause to obstruct the same, and this shall be your authority for so doing. Given under my hand, as Clerk of the Court of Ordinary of the County aforesaid this Twentiyeth day of October 1836

Eben Bothwell Dep CLK

To any Minister of the Gospel Judge
Justice of the Inferior Court or Justice
of the Peace to celebrate.

I do hereby certify, That Jesse Lewis and Nancy Cobb
were joined together in the Holy Bands of Matrimony, by me, on the 6th of November
1836

James Stapleton, J.P.

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE

STATE OF GEORGIA

JEFFERSON COUNTY

This Certifies that Jesse Lewis
and Nancy Cott were united in the

HOLY BONDS OF MARRIMONY

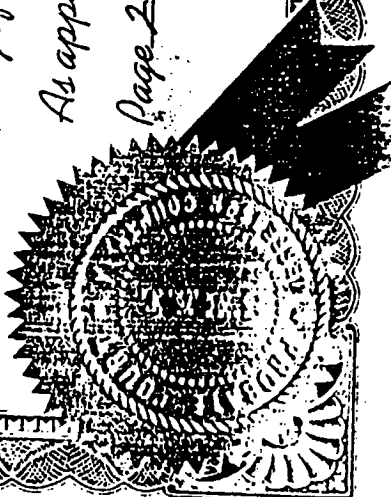
by James Stapleton J.P.

on the 6 day of March, in the year of our Lord, 1936

As appears of record in my office in Marriage Record Book 1-A

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J. L. Bryant, Judge, Probate Court, C.P.C., Louisville, Ga.



FAMILY GROUP RECORD

WILLIAM FRANKLIN

Wife		Husband	
SARAH E		Name	WILLIAM FRANKLIN LEWIS
	1/18/1845	Born	9/25/1839
		Married	
	2/26/1890	Died	1/14/1914
UNION HILL BAPTIST CHURCH OLD CEMETARY, CORNER OF W. FAIRFIELD & 69TH AVE.		Burial Father	PENSACOLA, FL JESSE LEWIS
	husband	Mother Other (if any)	NANCY JANE COBB wife

Notes

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WIFE #2 ANNA ABBOTT b 3/20/1843 m 12/19/1891 d 3/28/1921

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	HARRY C	2/12/1874		3/26/1942	
		w FLORENCE C	4/27/1876		4/28/1971	
		CH #1 HAROLD M (BLACK JACK)	b 6/5/1903	d 4/11/1971		
		w REGINA				
		CH #1 ALICE FAYE		h REILLY		
		2 HAROLD M., JR				
		3 RAYMOND H.				
		4 GERALD				
2	M	LOUIE B.	8/11/1876		4/25/1895	
3	M	LAURENCE	1/12/1879		10/26/1899	
4	F	SARAH E	1889		1890	

Source

By

WILLIAM FRANKLIN LEWIS: b 25th day of Sept. 1839. Barbour Co. AL(Coffee?)
FIRST SON OF JESSE LEWIS & NANCY (COBB) LEWIS
CONFEDERATE PENSION #4875 & #A01584

HIS CONFEDERATE PENSION APPLICATION STATES THAT HE HAD RESIDED IN FL SINCE 1851. IN MAY OF 1861 AT MILTON, FL (SANTA ROSA CO., FL) HE ENLISTED IN SIMPON'S CO E, REGIMENT 15TH CONFEDERATE FL MOUNTED CAVALRY. HE SERVED UNTIL CLOSE OF THE WAR UNDER COL. HARRY MAUREY (LATER GEN. MAUREY FOR SCOUT DUTY THROUGH ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, FLORIDA AND LOUISIANA. AT THE CLOSE OF THE WAR HE WAS IN WASHINGTON CO., FL, SCOUTING ALONG THE CHOCTAHATCHIA RIVER. HIS UNIT SURRENDERED AT GAINSVILLE, AL 15TH OF MAY 1865.

PENSION APPLICATION WAS FILED IN ESCAMBIA CO., FL. AS FREQUENTLY HAPPENED VETERANS HAD TO FILE PENSION APPLICATION TWO OR THREE TIMES BEFORE THE PENSION WOULD BE APPROVED. WM. F. LEWIS FILED FIRST APPLICATION 5TH OF JAN., 1905. ANOTHER ONE FILED 9TH OF JULY, 1907. IT APPEARS FROM PENSION PAPER THAT THAT'S WHEN WM. F. LEWIS'S PENSION WAS APPROVED. IN EARLY APPLICATIONS, ADDRESS WAS LISTED AS MILLVIEW, FL. THE ANNUAL RATE OF PENSION WAS \$120.00-LATER IT WAS RAISED TO \$150.00 PER ANNUM.

SOME OF THE LOCAL NAMES IN THE PENSION APPLICATION PROCESS WERE: T.J. PITTS, J.R. STERWARD, J.B. ROBERTS, GEO. H. DAVIS, JOHN L. FINNEY (ADJUTANT CAMP.-UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS OF WARD #10); E.G. BREWTON AND SID AMOS.

WM. F. LEWIS DIED 4TH OF JAN 1914.

ON 13TH OF JAN. 1914, ANNIE ELIZABETH ABBOTT-WIDOW (2ND WIFE) OF WM. F. LEWIS FILED FOR WIDOW'S PENSION CLAIM. APPLICATION GAVE DATE OF WM. F. LEWIS & ANNIE E. ABBOTT MARRIAGE 19TH OF DEC. 1891. ANNIE STATES THAT SHE HAD LIVED IN ESCAMBIA CO., FL ALL OF HER LIFE. CLAIMS NO PROPERTY.

ATTESTING TO HER PENSION CLAIM WERE L.F. LEWIS & MOLLIE SMITH. ALSO W.W. RICHARDS & THOMAS A. JOHNSON, WITNESSES.

ANNIE-APPLICATION #19746-pENSIONER #1584. PENSION APPROVED 6TH MAR., 1914.

WILLIAM'S FIRST WIFE WAS SARAH . SHE DIED IN 1890. WM., SARAH & ANNIE AND SOME OF THEIR CHILDREN ARE BURIED IN PENSACOLA (MYRTLE GROVE, I THINK) MORE DETAILS FROM IDA MAE HINOTE HUDSON.

JULY 1995 NOTES: TO DATE, WE HAVE NOT FOUND A DESCENDENT OF WM. F. LEWIS WHO HAS SHOWM MUCH INTEREST IN LEWIS FAMILY HISTORY. WE WILL CONTINUE LOOKING FOR DESCENDENTS. P.S. HIS GRAVE DOES NOT HAVE A CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL MARKER? (MLF)

NO NEW FAMILY DATA FROM CIVIL WAR PENSION APPLICATION.

MANY THANKS TO IDA MAE AND LUCILLE FOR THEIR UNTIRING WORK...

RECEIVED 13TH JULY 1995 FROM MLF

To any Minister of the Gospel, Judge, Justice of the Peace, or other person legally authorized to solemnize the

RITE OF MATRIMONY

WITHIN THE COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

WHEREAS, W. F. Lewis has applied to me
for a license to authorize his marriage with A. C. Smith
of the County aforesaid.

There are therefore your License and authority to solemnize Matrimony between
the said parties, and make return of same within ten days.

Given under my hand and seal official this the 19th day of December
1891.

L. M. Brockbank
County Judge

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1891,
I solemnized the Rite of Matrimony between above named parties.

L. A. Jones
M. E. C. J.

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WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be given in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

State Board of Health of Florida
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

PLACE OF DEATH
County Columbia CERTIFICATE OF DEATH FILE NO. _____

Product (Whole number, not number) _____ REGISTRATION DISTRICT NO. 1401 Registered No. 124

Loc. Tax _____ PRIMARY REGISTRATION DIST. NO. 14511

City Pensacola (No. 1214 St. Jackson St. Ward) [If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

FULL NAME Mrs. M. L. Lewis

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Female COLOR OR RACE White SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Mark the word) _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____ (Month) _____ (Day) 1 (Year) _____

AGE 78 yrs. mos. ds. If LESS than 1 day _____ hrs. of _____ min. ?

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work _____ (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) House Keeper

BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Fla.

PARENTS
 11 NAME OF FATHER O. J. Parker.
 12 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Germany
 13 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Lafton
 14 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) N. C.

15 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
 (Informant) Mrs. Mollie Smith.
 (Address) _____

16 Mch. 21, 1921 L. E. Kienberg
 Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

17 DATE OF DEATH March 28, 1921
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

18 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from _____, 191____, to _____, 191____

that I last saw h. _____ alive on _____, 191____

and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at _____ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows :

arterial cirrhosis

(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Contributory (Secondary) _____ (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

(Signed) H. B. Dewberry M. D.
 _____ (Address) _____

* State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES state (1) MANNER OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

19 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)
 At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death ? _____

Former or usual residence _____

20 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Union Hill Cem. DATE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL _____, 191____

21 UNDERTAKER F. L. Pau ADDRESS _____ City _____

Journal

Ten Cents

A Copy.

JULY, 25, 1896. Saturday

SUBSCRIPTION \$1.00 A YEAR

M. Whitmire,
S. Creary,
J. A. Harrison.

Success crowned their efforts, and to day they have twenty-seven regular members enrolled.

Words fail to express the good work they have done and what they expect to do. They repaired the church at a great expense and are now building the Manse.

When a woman says "she will do it," and the women of this Society have done noble work and say they will do more. At the bedside of the sick you will find them, faithfully doing their duty, and they work for the interest of the Sunday School as well as the church.

A woman has had many trials and crosses, and perhaps passed through wars; but, surviving them all, has risen, Phoenix-like, from the "ashes of hope," and sprung to new life and grander efforts after each succeeding catastrophe; and to-day she sits a queen fair and happy in her beautiful domain.

What could the world accomplish without woman? Echoes Answer "Nothing."

"The hand that rocks the cradle is the hand that rules the world."

Laura Brashears.

The Lord's friends are stronger than the Lord's enemies.

They are not stronger in themselves, but they are stronger when they work along the line of a co-operating Providence.

our friends will kindly excuse our short comings which in this case happens to be a "long coming."

BRIEFS.

Patience in doing good, in the endurance of evil, and in waiting for the developments of Providence, is a cardinal quality of a sound and strong character. No one ever gained anything in the way of happiness or virtue, by being impatient.

"The education of the rising generation is a matter of vital importance to both church and state. An intellectual and secular education is not sufficient to secure welfare or safety. We cannot make children honest by teaching them the multiplication table, nor virtuous by teaching them grammar, nor benevolent by teaching them geography. To make them moral we must educate the moral nature on the basis of revealed religion. Washington said: "Religion and morality are the essential pillars of civil society."

The Epworth League had a Literary Social Friday night at the M. E. Church. The programme was short owing to the absence of some of the Leaguers, but made up in interest.

We owe to our country, ourselves, our time, our knowledge, our influence, our capacities, our prayers, our entire personalities. We serve God by serving our country.

A UNIQUE CHARACTER.

There was on the streets of our city Saturday an excellent illustration of the fertility of Florida soil and the healthfulness of our climate.

Mr. Jesse Lewis, a man ninety-two years of age, drove to Milton from Robinson's Point a distance of six miles.

He has a farm that cannot be surpassed by any in this county. Has a family of eleven children, and any number of grand children.

He participated in the Indian war of '26, and we have no doubt he served his country well.

We wish for Mr. Lewis many more years of the happiness and health which he now enjoys.

HE DENIES IT.

The rumor spoken of in the letter from Holley, published in another column of this week's Journal, wherein it is stated that David Mitchell had withdrawn from the race for sheriff is false.

Mr. Mitchell says he is as hot in the race as ever, and if elected, will do all he can for the good of the people and county.

He also states he does not see how his being in the race can jeopardize the Democratic party, as it is well known he is a Democrat through and through.

Mr. Mitchell would make an efficient sheriff and his many friends will be glad to learn he has not withdrawn.

The Santa Rosa Journal
July 25, 1896

ROBINSON POINT CEMETERY MEMORIAL - BAGDAD, FLORIDA

Within the Robinson Point Cemetery grounds are buried at least 30 to 35 early pioneers of this area and some of their family members. The earliest known burial was in 1883 and the last known burial was in 1919.

In the 1970's, someone tried to destroy Robinson Point Cemetery, and most of the grave markers were damaged, buried and/or dumped in the middle of Blackwater Bay.

In 1991, after a long legal battle decedents were able to regain the rights to this old public cemetery. At that time, the active decedents made the decisions to preserve the dignity that our ancestors deserved by maintaining RPC as a peaceful Memorial. In addition, the plan is to erect or build one monument listing all the names and dates of known burials.

Through the help of many "Old-Timers" of the Robinson Point area, and the older relatives and decedents, the list now includes the following 20 names: (Date of death underlined).

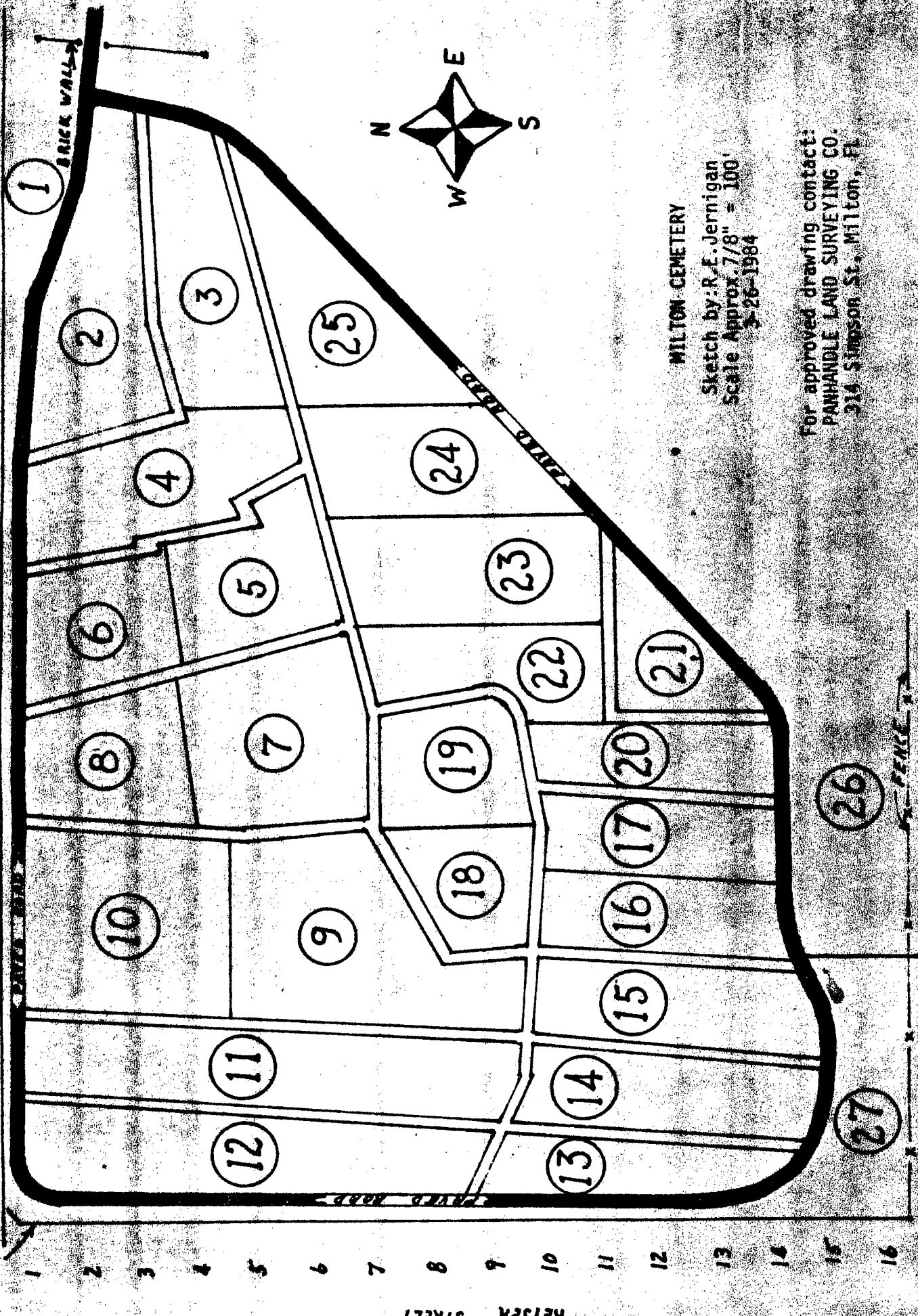
- (1) David BAINE (abt. 1897-1905);
- (2) Professor Sam BULLARD (1883-1912);
- (3) Baby Girl Janese BUSBEE (abt. 1914);
- (4) Jenny Pitts CARR (18__-1899);
- (5) Infant Son CARR (1899);
- (6) Charlie ERWIN (Date unknown- He was shot?);
- (7) Nancy Jane HAWKINS (1839-1899);
- (8) Henry Mitchell KIMMONS (abt. 1914);
- (9) Addie O'Neal LEWIS (1881-1883);
- (10) Calvin LEWIS (abt. 1880-1912);
- (11) Elizabeth Thurman LEWIS (1851-1919);
- (12) Henry J. Lewis, SR. (1847-1908);
- (13) Jesse LEWIS (1804-1898);
- (14) Nancy Cobb LEWIS (1815-1901);
- (15) child of Celia Lewis PARKER (Dates unknown);
- (16) Henry PITTMAN about (1916-1918);
- (17) Jasper PITTMAN (abt. 1914-1916);
- (18) child of Rachel and John REDD (1912-1915);
- (19) Catherine Anna ROBERTS (1849-d. prior to 1900);
- (20) Grover Cleaveland STEWARD (1913-1914?)

*For additional information (in 1993), contact one of the people listed below:

Mike Pendleton- 3112 Oakview Dr., Bagdad; Betty Wolfe, Robinson Point Road, Bagdad; Rodney Rollo of Milton - Tel (904) 623-0572; Ida Mae Hinote Hudson Pensacola; or Neighbor, Dr. Charles Smith, who owns the lot between cemetery and Robinson Point Road.

BERNHOLLE ROAD

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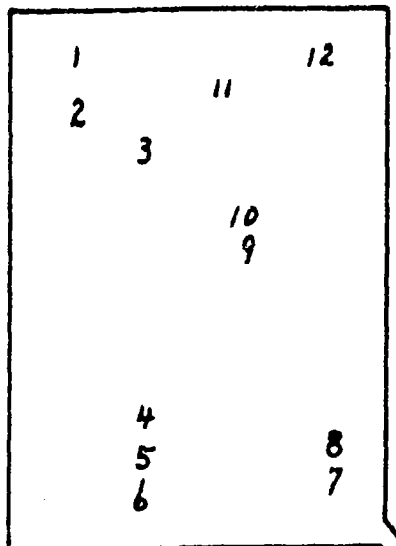


MILTON CEMETERY

Sketch by: R.E. Jernigan
Scale Approx 7/8" = 100'
3-26-1984

For approved drawing contact:
PANHANDLE LAND SURVEYING CO.
214 Simpson St., Milton, FL

MEYER SIKEL



LEE CEMETERY

SCALE: 1" = 25'



LEVINS CEMETERY

Mr Laurel Levins who we met at Pleasant Home Cemetery 14 May 1985 said there is a cemetery by his name at S3 T1N R27W. Go south from US Hwy 90 on a paved road (Hamlen Way) between Hwy 87 & Harold. 3.1 mi east of the Hwy 87 turnoff on U S 90, go southerly about 1.1 mi then turn right (west) & find Bill JONES, he knows where the cemetery is.

Bill JONES, Rt 16, Box 42, Milton, FL 32570 Phone 623-9552 remembers the old cemetery with 15 - 20 graves, to the best of his knowledge all interments were black. It was perhaps 100 yards east of the southeast corner of his father's field. The area was cleared about 15 years ago and then farmed. It is now subdivided with some lots sold. Richard & Dorothy Jernigan last searched the area with Bill Jones 21 October 1985. We inquired of other residents of the area and were unable to find evidence of the cemetery or determine its precise location, therefore there is no chart.

LEWIS CEMETERY

S3 T1N R28W The WPA LISTING states: From the junction of Alabama St & Berryhill St in Milton go north on Alabama St for .8 mi then turn left (west) on dirt road and go .1 mi then turn left (south) for .1 mi to end of road. Cemetery lies 150 ft west back of small field.

A few older residents of Milton recall this cemetery which apparently was bulldozed as land was prepared for the hospital that was built on north Stewart Street. We are unable to find any remaining evidence of this cemetery which contained two dozen or more markers including: William Moses LEWIS, Pvt Co H 46th Ala Inf C.S.A.

CERTIFIED COPY

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE COPY REPRODUCED BELOW TO BE A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL RECORD ON FILE IN THE BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES, AT JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA.

(NOT VALID UNLESS THE SEAL OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES, IS AFFIXED.)

MAR 4 1983

Everett H. Williams, Jr.
 STATE REGISTRAR FOR VITAL STATISTICS
 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES

FLORIDA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS			CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
1 PLACE OF DEATH		District No. <u>44-01</u>		State File No. <u>14750</u>
County <u>Santa Rosa</u>	Precinct <u>Baydell</u>	Precinct No. <u>44-157</u>	Registered No. <u>14750</u> (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)	
or Inc. Town or City <u>Baydell</u>	City or Town No. _____			
2 FULL NAME <u>Daniel J. Lewis</u>				
(a) Residence No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____		(b) nonresident give city or town and State)		
(Usual place of abode)		How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.		
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds.				
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 Single <u>Married</u> Married, Widowed, or Divorced <u>Married</u>	16 DATE OF DEATH (Month, day and year) <u>Sept 29 1977</u>	
6 Is <u>widower</u> , <u>widow</u> , or <u>divorced</u> HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>Mary E Lewis</u>			17 I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from <u>Aug 1972</u> to <u>Sept 29 1977</u> that I last saw him <u>alive</u> on <u>Sept 29 1977</u> and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>7 P.M.</u>	
7 DATE OF BIRTH (Month) (Day) (Year)			The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: <u>Myocardial Infarction</u>	
8 AGE <u>77</u> yrs. mos. ds. IF LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.			(duration) yrs. mos. ds.	
9 OCCUPATION OF DECEASED (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>Ship Mechanic</u>			CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary)	
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed for employer			(duration) yrs. mos. ds.	
(c) Name of employer			18 Where was disease contracted	
10 BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Fla.</u>			If not at place of death?	
11 NAME OF FATHER <u>Dennis Lewis</u>			Did an operation precede death? <u>No</u> Date of _____	
12 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town) (State or country) <u>Fla.</u>			Was there an autopsy? <u>no</u>	
13 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>D. H.</u>			What test confirmed diagnosis?	
14 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town) (State or country)			(Signed) <u>J. D. West</u> M. D. 15 (Address) <u>Baydell, Fla.</u>	
16 Parent(s) <u>D. E. Lewis Baydell, Fla.</u>			*State the Disease Causing Death, or in death from Violent Causes, state (1) Mechanism and Nature of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal. (See reverse side for additional space.) <u>99</u>	
17 Filed <u>J. D. West</u> Registrar			19 Place of Burial, Cremation, or Removal <u>Baydell Cemetery</u> Date of Burial <u>Sept 29 1977</u>	
Form V. B. No. 9			20 UNDERTAKER <u>J. D. West</u> Address <u>Milton</u>	

Daniel Jefferson Lewis - Grandpa Lewis's Brother

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ANNIE E. LEWIS	DESOTA	F	050	865	1916
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CALVIN LEWIS	ESCAMBIA	M	054	2801	1916
C.H. LEWIS	HAMILTON	F	CARD	0622	1901
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JAMES W. LEWIS	BREVARD	M	049	333	1916
J.B. LEWIS	L	M	CARD	02963	1902
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J.P. LEWIS	ALACHUA	F	CARD	05	1901
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SALLIE LEWIS	POLK	F	CARD	3416	1902
SANFORD LEWIS	DUVAL	M	040	2303	1915
SARAH E. LEWIS	ESCAMBIA	F	02	726	1890
STILL(?)LEWIS	ESCAMBIA	F	054	2939	1916
THOMAS C. LEWIS	POLK	M	061	6141	1916
MRS. T. M. LEWIS	NASSAU	F	018	202	1909
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ALBERT J. (STILL) LEWIS	DUVALL	M	6	2603	1917
ALICE L. LEWIS	ST JOHNS	F	77	8269	1919
ALMA LEWIS	BRADFORD	F	63	1483	1919
ALONZO LEWIS	HOLMES	M	55	13665	1918
MRS. ANNYELON LEWIS	ST JOHNS	F	9	4352	1917
ARLILL LEWIS	OKEECHOBEE	F	36	4173	1918
AVERY LEWIS	ST. JOHNS	M	12	5504	1917
BENJAMIN LEWIS	TAYLOR	M	106	9208	1920
MRS. BLOXHAM LEWIS	LEON	F	135	9486	1921
CHARLES LEWIS	HAMILTON	M	117	424	1921
CHARLES A. LEWIS	ESCAMBIA	M	101	6664	1920
CHARLES R. LEWIS	HILLSBORO	M	79	9490	1919
CHARLOTTE E. LEWIS	JEFFERSON	F	40	6095	1918
CLIFFORD J. LEWIS	SANTA ROSA	M	79	9332	1919
CLYDE J. LEWIS, JR	HILLSBORO	M	111	11948	1920
COLBERT R. LEWIS, JR	JACKSONVILLE	M	117	273	1921
MRS. COLLIE LEWIS	JACKSON	F	119	1040	1921
DAVID H LEWIS	JACKSONVILLE	M	32	2435	1918
D.H. LEWIS	DESOTO	M	30	1228	1918
DORIS LEWIS	HILLSBORO	F	139	11224	1921
EARNEST J. LEWIS	PINELLAS	M	142	12846	1921
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EMMA LEWIS	COLUMBIA	F	168	12096	1922
ERIC LEWIS	PINELLAS	M	127	5185	1921
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HARRIET LEWIS	SANTA ROSA	F	75	7244	1919
HENRY H. LEWIS	ORANGE	M	158	7073	1922
HINKLEY LEWIS	GADSDEN	M	49	10856	1918
INA LEWIS	SANTA ROSA	F	140	11632	1921
JAMES M. LEWIS	ESCAMBIA	M	64	1803	1919
MRS. JESSIE LEWIS	HILLSBORO	F	64	1997	1919
J.L. LEWIS	HILLSBORO	M	50	11178	1918
JOHN LEWIS	GADSDEN	M	35	3777	1918
JOHN LEWIS	JACKSONVILLE	M	161	8518	1922
JOHN LEWIS	CALHOUN	M	10	4675	1917
JOHNNIE LEWIS	LAKELAND	M	167	11606	1922
JONATHAN LEWIS	HAMILTON	M	91	1836	1920
JOHN E. LEWIS	TAYLOR	M	14	6558	1917
JOHN J. LEWIS	JEFFERSON	M	41	6993	1918
JOHN V. LEWIS	CITRUS	M	76	7591	1919
JOSEPH LEWIS	SEMINOLE	M	68	3510	1919
KATHERINE LEWIS	ESCAMBIA	F	151	3742	1922
KATIE LEWIS	WALTON	F	119	1020	1921
KENNETH M. LEWIS	JACKSONVILLE	M	66	2888	1919
LAFAYETTE B. LEWIS	DUVAL	M	48	10255	1918
LAURA A. LEWIS	DESOTA	F	150	3358	1922
LENA LEWIS	GADSDEN	F	91	1808	1920
LILLIE LEWIS	WASHINGTON	F	98	5289	1920
LOUISE B. LEWIS	LAKELAND	F	15	7314	1917
LUCINA LEWIS	HERNANDO	F	117	430	1921
LUCY LEWIS	LIBERTY	F	65	2106	1919
LULA E. LEWIS	SANTA ROSA	F	106	9157	1920
MALINDA G. LEWIS	VOLUSIA	F	5	2126	1917
MARGARET LEWIS	BRADFORD	F	75	7464	1919
MARTHA LEWIS	BROWARD	F	41	6574	1918
MARY A. LEWIS	BAY	F	125	4421	1921
MARY C. LEWIS	HOLMES	F	62	707	1919
MARY E. LEWIS	PALM BEACH	F	86	12871	1919
MERYLEWIS	DUVAL	F	166	11340	1922
MARY V. LEWIS	JACKSONVILLE	F	169	12638	1922
MARY B. LEWIS	LEON	F	81	10179	1919
MELVIN LEWIS	SR. LUCIE	M	24	11903	1917

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INDIAN WARS.

(1-33-13) NAME OF SOLDIER: <i>Lewis Jesse</i>		NAME AND CLASS OF DEPENDENT: <i>Lewis Nancy</i> <i>Widow</i>			
SERVICE: RANK <i>Private</i> ENLISTED <i>1836</i> DISCHARGED <i>1836</i> <i>Capt. Douglas Campbell</i> Ga. Milit Vols.		ADDITIONAL SERVICE: <i>Florida War</i>			
DATE OF FILING: <i>1896 Oct 5</i> <i>Indian War</i> <i>52.19</i> <i>2748</i>	APPLICATOR NO. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CERTIFICATE NO. <i>5591</i>	FILE NO. <i>July 27 1892</i>	ACT. <i>Fla.</i>	STATES <i>Fla.</i>
COUNTY LAND: <i>43054-120-55</i>	REMARKS: <i>Widow died Feb 21 1898</i> <i>Widow died 1901</i>				

1842
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INDIAN WARS FROM 1832 TO 1842.

Act of July 27, 1892.

SURVIVOR'S PENSION. 5219

Claimant, Jesse Lewis
P. O., Holly
County, Santa Rosa
State, Fla.
Rank, Private
Company, Capt. Campbell's Co.
Regiment, 2d Fla. Inf.
Rate, \$8 per month, commencing July 27, 1892.

DROPPED

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name, P. J. Jackson
P. O., W. A. R. Co.
Agent to pay, W. A. R. Co.
Articles filed, Nov. 7, 1894.

APPROVALS

Submitted for Admission, Jan. 28, 1897.
Approved for admission, J. CHRISTIANCY Examiner

July 5, 1897
H. H. Hall Legal Reviewer.
Not now pensioned under other laws. Last paid to _____, 18____, at \$____
Pensioned from _____, 18____, at \$____, for _____

SERVICE SHOWN BY RECORD.

Personally named in Resolution of Congress of _____
Enlisted, Nov. 27, 1836, honorably discharged June 3, 1842
In service _____ days. Bounty Land Warrant _____ applied for.
Bounty Land Warrant No. 43054 for 1.20 acres issued Oct 5, 1852
Declaration filed Oct 5, 1894, alleges service in _____

Citizenship of the United States _____

INDIAN WAR PENSION.—Act of July 27, 1892.

Declaration of Survivor of Indian War, Between 1832 and 1842, Inclusive.

State of Florida, County of Santa Rosa

ON THIS 24 day of September, eighteen hundred and ninety-9

personally appeared before me, a Jules Peace (Notary, Justice, or Clerk of Court)

State aforesaid, John Lewis (Name of applicant)

aged 92 years, a resident of _____, County of Santa Rosa

State of Florida, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the

identical person who served under the name of John Lewis (Give name under which enlisted.)

in the company commanded by Captain Dick Campbell, in the

regiment of Mounted (Infantry or cavalry and give name of State, or if in Navy, the names of vessels.)

in the Severn Indian war of 1836; that he enlisted at Lewisville Jefferson Co (Name of war.)

on or about the fourth day of _____, 1836, and was honorably discharged at

August 24, on the _____ day of _____, 1836;

that he also served in Buffell Company, in the _____ Regiment of Mounted Vols.,

from _____ to _____; and that he has not been employed or paid in the military or naval service of the United States since the _____ day of

discharge, 1836. (Date of last discharge.)

That at the time of his first enlistment he was 31 years of age, _____ feet _____ inches

in height, with Blue eyes, light hair, light complexion, and by occupation a

Farmer and that he was born in the County of _____ State of South Carolina

That since leaving the service he has resided as follows: Jefferson Co Ga and

Mecque Co Ga and _____

Jefferson Co Ala and _____

That he is _____ now married. That the maiden name of his present wife was Wiley

Cobb That he was married to her on the 10 day of _____, 1837, at _____ State of Georgia

That he had _____ been previously married. That his former wife, whose maiden name was _____, died at _____

State of _____, on the _____ day of _____, 18 _____

That he has _____ heretofore applied for pension, the number of his claim being _____

That he has _____ applied for bounty-land, and received land-warrant No. do not know

for _____ acres, about _____, 1837.

That he is a citizen of the United States, and makes this application for the purpose of obtaining a pension under the provisions of the Act approved July 27, 1892; and he hereby appoints

R. J. Lockwood of _____

his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim. That his post-office address is _____

County of Santa Rosa, State of Florida

Attest:

1. J. H. Howell

2. General Hamilton

(Two witnesses who write signs here.)

John Lewis
(Applicant's signature—first name in full.)

FILED

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF SANTA ROSA.

1804
1897

In claim No. 3219 of Jesse Lewis Esq. vs. Campbell & Co. Personally appeared before the undersigned duly authorized to administer oaths within and for said County, Jesse Lewis aged 93 years, whose P. O. is Holley, County of Santa Rosa State of Fla. who being duly sworn states in relation to said claim as follows to-wit:

That he was born on the 10th day of May 1804, and has resided continuously in Santa Rosa County Florida since the year 1848 to the present time. I can not furnish evidence of any of my comrades as I do not know of any that are living that he returned bounty land warrant for 40 acres in two different tracts. He was reside at this place at the time, and that Judge John Chain was his attorney and that he sold them to Ben Thompson. That the foregoing affidavit was written by Solomon in my presence from my oral statement just made to him without the aid or prompting of any other person or written or printed statement or recital.

This who wrote the affidavit and if written by any one other than the claimant, I certify whether he is competent and disinterested.

And I certify for the state that he has no interest in this claim.
W. J. Williams
J. C. Williams

Jesse Lewis
made

Sworn to and subscribed before me on the 9 day of Jan 1897 and I certify that the contents of this affidavit was fully made known to the witness before signing and I have no interest in this claim or its prosecution.

J. P. Solomon
Clerk

L. S.

5591
Knot

WIDOW'S PENSION.

Claimant, Nancy Lewis

P. O., Milton

County, Santa Rosa

State, Florida

Rate, \$8 per month, commencing February 22 1899

Soldier, Jesse Lewis

Rank, Private

Company, Capt Douglas's 2nd Batt Campbell's Co

Regiment, 2nd Florida

War, Fla war

APR 1899

It is provided to terminate on the 18th day of _____, 18__.

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

P. J. Dockworth
P. O., Washington D.C.

Fee, \$20 Agent to pay.

Articles filed, June 9 1900, 1899

APPROVALS.

Submitted for admission June 2 1899 - S. M. Wilcox Examiner.

Approved for discharge

June 8 1899
June 9 1900
The soldier was pensioned at \$7.00 per month by Act July 27 1892.

M. S. Roberts, Legal Reviewer.

SERVICE SHOWN BY RECORD.

Personnel wanted in Resolution of Congress of _____, 18__.

Enlisted, March 3 1876, honorably discharged June 7 1876

In service 3 months days - Bounty Land applied for.

Bounty Land Warrant No. 42054 for 120 acres issued Act of _____, 1855-

Claimant's marriage to soldier Nov 3 1876 Date of death of soldier Feb 21 1892 X

Former marriage of neither Death of former _____

Declaration filed Dec 19 1899. Claimant not remarried.

18 18 Claimant does not write 18



INDIAN WARS.

Claim of Widow for Service Pension Under Act of July 27, 1862.

To be executed before some officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. The official character and signature of any such officer not required by law to use a seal must be certified by the clerk of the proper court, giving dates of beginning and close of official term. A full and explicit reply is required to all questions indicated by this blank.

State of Florida, County of Santa Rosa, SS: ON THIS 13 day of Dec, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine

personally appeared before me, a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid, Nancy Lewis aged 81 years, a resident of Milton in the State of Florida, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that she is the widow of Jesse Lewis, deceased, who was the identical person who served under the name of Jesse Lewis in the Company commanded by Captain Dick Campbell, in the Regiment of Seminole

War; that her said husband enlisted at ... on or about the ... day of ... A. D. 18... for the term of ... and was discharged at ... on the ... day of ... A. D. 18... that he was not otherwise employed in the military or naval service of the United States.

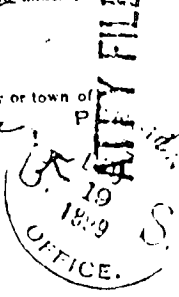
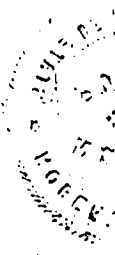
That at the time of entering the service claimed for, her said husband was ... years of age, ... inches in height, with ... eyes, ... hair, ... complexion, by occupation a ... and that he was born at ... County of ... State of ... That after leaving the service he resided at ... years at ... year, at ... years, and at ... near Milton, Santa Rosa Co Fla 514254

That she was married to him on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1836 in Jefferson Co Ga by ... under the name of Nancy Both; that he had (and) not been previously married to ... who ... on the ... day of ... A. D. 18... that she had (and) not been previously married to ... who ... on the ... day of ... 18...

That her said husband died at ... near Milton Fla, on the 22 day of February, A. D. 1877; that she has (and) not since remarried, to ... on the ... day of ... A. D. 18... That she has not heretofore made application for pension; that the number of her claim is ... that she has not made application for bounty land, the number of her land warrant being 5214; that her husband did make application for pension, the number of his claim being 5219; that he did make application for bounty land, the number of his warrant being ...

That she is a citizen of the United States, and makes this application for the purpose of obtaining a pension under the provisions of the act approved July 27, 1862; and hereby appoints ... her true and lawful attorney. That her post-office address is No. ... Milton, County of Santa Rosa, State of Fla.

ATTEST: J. O. Ruff (one) Nancy Lewis (signature of claimant in full.)





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PENSIONER DROPPED.

U. S. Pension Agency,

Knoxville, Tenn.

MAR 31 1900

1911/12/18 No. 3748

SURVIVOR

Principal Jesse Lewis

Soldier for Capt Douglas and

Servitor Campbell Co. S. Inf. Co.

Finance Division

SIR: I have the honor to report that the

above-named pensioner Jesse Lewis died

at S. S. Co. on 4 July 1899

has been dropped because of

Date of death Feb. 21, 1899

Very respectfully,

J. F. Wilkin

Commissioner of Pensions

War Department, Washington, D. C.

Record and Pension Office.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions.

The rolls show that Jesse Lewis
of Co. B Douglas Co. Cavalry
Co. B Co. Georgia
Co. A Mitchell (M. B. Co.)

was enrolled March 3, 1836;

mustered in March 3, 1836;

at Ark. State

and mustered out as a private

at June 3, Georgia, 1836.

at Edgeville, Georgia

and that the stations of the Company between

muster-in and the last-named date were as

follows:

Ark. State
Ark. State
Ark. State
Ark. State
Ark. State

Date Co. started for seat of war ... 18

Date Co. left seat of war ... 18

The rolls do not show the soldier absent as
except as follows: Chas. & M. Co. only

Nelly on file.

* Subsequently became Captain
see Co. Douglas Co. Cavalry

Who born in Jesse Lewis

Residence above given may

be changed to Temple, Tex.

No date. Our men left on

on the road - Temp. Tex.

left mile post from Temple, Tex.

English Army is 16 miles from

John Jacksonville, Tex.

of the Georgia Army

The name given Lewis here

was given as son of Capt

Emphatic Co. Douglas Co. Cavalry

Virginia Mrs. M. M. Lewis

This company is recognized by the

Department without their being

in the service of the United

States.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

J. H. ...

Colonel, U. S. Army, Chief of O.

NOV 26 1899

NOV 25

Washington, D. C.

(COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS)

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NOTE - If this name dropped to be this reported at war.



*P.O. & ...
denote ...
ndoms (M.W.) ...
to ...*

DROPPED
March 31, 1900
Dead James

Survivor Ref. 5591

*July 19, 1900. Accid. of + Ord. to Pa.
which date of death corrected from
1897 to Feb. 21, 1899. And. advised
2/19/00*

**Accrued Pensions,
ACT OF MARCH 2, 1896.**
Accrued - Pension Certificate and
Order issued *Jan. 14, 1900*
Payable to *James* herewith
Stated *Jan. 14, 1900*

8-240

No. *3,748*

Indian Wars.

(ACT OF JULY 27, 1892)

SURVIVOR.

Jesse Lewis

Rank *Priv.*

Company *Capts. Douglas & Campbell's*

Regiment *Co. 1st Va. Inf.*

Agency: *Knoxville*

Rate per month, \$8.00.

Commencing July 27, 1892.

Certificate issued *Feb. 16*, 1897

" mailed *" 24*, 1897

Fee, \$ *25*

DEAD.

JEFFERSON COUNTY

STATE OF GEORGIA

COURT OF
ORDINARY

LAND LOT
Lottery

*Kind from L.D.S. Library
at Salt Lake City, Utah
In #465, 064
- Surveyor General Lottery Grant*

*Persons entitled
to draw in the
Gold Lottery*

*Jesse Lewis, single
Dec. 24, 1831 - Mar. 24, 1832
Lot No. 33
81st. Dist. Capt Young*

(9-28-1983, I.M.)

*This would have been in
Baldwin County, Georgia
(Milledgeville, Ga.)*

THE
CHEROKEE LAND LOTTERY,

↔ 1839

CONTAINING
A NUMERICAL LIST OF THE NAMES OF THE FORTUNATE
DRAWERS IN SAID LOTTERY,

WITH
AN ENGRAVED MAP OF EACH DISTRICT.

BY JAMES F. SMITH,
OF MILLEDGEVILLE, GEO.

NEW-YORK:
PRINTED BY HARPER & BROTHERS
NO. 32 CLIFF-STREET.

1839.

*COCKROFT, James & Richard
Lewis, Jesse & Wiley*

1051

Jesse Lewis Bounty Land Application

August 5, 1851

State of Florida }
County of Santa Rosa }

On this the fifth day of Aug¹⁸⁵¹
-ust, One thousand, eight hun-
-dred and fifty one, Personally appeared before me
a Justice of the Peace within and for the County and
State aforesaid, Jesse Lewis aged Thirty five year
a resident of Santa Rosa County, who being sworn a-
-cording to law, Declared, That he is the ident-
-cal Jesse Lewis who was a Private in the Comp-
-any of Mounted Volunteers Commanded by Cap-
-tain J. Campbell (i.e. Campbell was the first Li-
-tenant when the Company left Georgia, but in Conseq-
-ue of the first Captain being promoted, Campbell
was, at Picolata, Florida, elected Captain of the Comp-
in the Regiment of Georgia Militia, be-
-minded by in the War with the Cree
and Seminole Indians of 1836, '37, '38, '39 & 1840 that
he volunteered at Popes Hill, in Jefferson County
Georgia, on or about the _____ day of March A.D. 1836
for the term of Three months, and continued in
actual service in said War for the term of said
Three months, and was honorably discharged
Augusta, Georgia, on the _____ day of _____
A.D. 1836; and never received any written or prin-
-ted Certificate of discharge, but which I serve
he thinks will fully appear by the muster Roll
of said Company. He says he volunteered at _____

April 21, 1855

State of Florida }
County of Santa Rosa }

on this Twenty first day
April A.D. One thousand eight hundred
and fifty five, personally appeared before me, Judge
of Probate, within and for the County and State of
said, Jesse Lewis, aged forty seven years,
resident of Santa Rosa, ^{County} in the State of Florida, ⁱⁿ
being sworn according to law, declares that he
the identical Jesse Lewis, who was a Private
in the Company Commanded by Captain John Bar-
-pbell, in the ~~the~~ regiment of Georgia Militia
Commanded by ~~the~~ ~~the~~ in the Florida War
of 1836, '37, '38, '39. It for the term of three months,
Continued in actual service in said War for ^{days}
fourteen ^{days} that he has heretofore made appli-
-tion for bounty land under the Act of September
28, 1850, and received a Land Warrant No.
for forty acres, which he has since legally dis-
-posed of, and cannot now return.

He makes this declaration for the purpose
of obtaining the additional bounty land to which
he may be entitled under the Act approved
the 3^d day of March, 1853. He also declares
that he has never applied for nor received
under this or any other Act of Congress, any
bounty land Warrant except the one above
mentioned.

Jesse Lewis
his mark

residents of Santa Rosa County, in the State of Fla
upon our oaths, declare that the foregoing decl-
-ration was signed and acknowledged by Jesse
Lewis, in our presence, and that we believe

from the appearance and statements of the ap-
-plicant, that he is the identical person he
represents himself to be.

Sherrill L. Hart
William J. Kennedy

The foregoing declaration and affidavit were
sworn to and subscribed before me on the day and
year above written; and I certify that I know
the affiants to be credible persons; that the
claimant is the person he represents himself to be
and that I have no interest in this claim.
And I further certify that I know the applicant
to be the identical Jesse Lewis to whom the
Warrant named in the foregoing declaration was
issued under his former declaration dated the 5th day
of August A.D. 1857.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the seal
of the Judge of Probate for the County
afore said, the day and year first
above written. John Chain
Judge of Probate

43.054

120-acres

Copy - Jesse Lewis Bounty Land Application for Santa Rosa Co, Fla.
1855 - for service in Indian War 1836. I have written another
letter to Bureau of Land Management to obtain the land description!
(120 ac) and is N 28 W Sec 35 9th think
but want it verified as bounty land! mlt

INDIAN WARS.

<p>(9-3-11) NAME OF SOLDIER:</p>	<p>Lewis Jesse</p>				<p>INDIAN WARS.</p>	
<p>NAME AND CLASS OF DEPENDENT:</p>	<p>Lewis Nancy Widow</p>					
<p>SERVICE:</p>	<p>RANK Private</p>	<p>ENTERED 1836</p>	<p>DISCHARGED 1836</p>			
<p>ADDITIONAL SERVICE:</p>	<p>Capt Douglas Campbell Fla. Sa. Md. Nols. Florida War,</p>					
<p>DATE OF FILING:</p>	<p>1896 Oct 5</p>	<p>CLASS Soldier</p>	<p>APPLICATOR No. 5219</p>	<p>CERTIFICATE NO. 2748</p>	<p>FILE NO. July 27, 1892</p>	<p>STATE Fla.</p>
<p>1899 Dec 19</p>	<p>Widow</p>	<p>7208</p>	<p>5591</p>	<p>Feb 27, 1891</p>	<p>Fla.</p>	<p>Fla.</p>
<p>COUNTY LAND:</p>	<p>M. 43054-120-55</p>					
<p>REMARKS:</p>	<p>Widow died Feb 21, 1899. Widow died 1901?</p>					

1842
3748
Nomr.

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INDIAN WARS FROM 1832 TO 1842.

Act of July 27, 1892.

SURVIVOR'S PENSION. 5219

Claimant, Jesse Lewis
P. O., Holly
County, Santa Rosa
State, Fla.
Rank, Private
Company, Capt. Campbell's Co.
Regiment, 2d. Fla. Inf.
Rate, \$8 per month, commencing July 27, 1892.

DROPPED

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY

Name, P. J. Eckman Agent to pay
P. O., W. Va. Articles filed, Nov. 7, 1894.

APPROVALS

Submitted for Admission Jan. 28, 1897, J. CHRISTIANCY Examiner
Approved for admission

Filed May 5, 1897, H. H. H. H. Legal Reviewer
not now pensioned under other laws. Last paid to _____, 18____, at \$____
Pensioned from _____, 18____, at \$____, for _____

SERVICE SHOWN BY RECORD.

Personally named in Resolution of Congress of _____
Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1836, honorably discharged June 3, 1846
In service _____ days. Bounty Land Warrant _____ applied for.
Bounty Land Warrant No. 43,054 for 120 acres issued Oct. 5, 1855
Declaration filed Oct. 5, 1896, alleges service in _____

Citizenship of the United States _____

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Signs by _____

19/1897

Clamantia
General Affidavit.

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF SANTA ROSA.

In claim No. 3219 of Jesse Lewis, Capt. Dick Campbell vs. Wm. H. ... Personally appeared before the undersigned duly authorized to administer oaths within and for said County, Jesse Lewis aged 93 years, whose P. O. is Holly, County of Santa Rosa State of Fla. who being duly sworn states in relation to said claim as follows to-wit:

I solemnly swear that I am the person who wrote this affidavit and of the contents of which I am fully and perfectly advised and that I have not written or caused to be written any other affidavit in relation to the same.

That he was born on the 10th day of May 1804, and has resided continuously in Santa Rosa County Florida since the year 1848 to the present time.

I can not furnish evidence of any of my comrades as I do not know of any that are living that he received bounty land warrant for 40 acres in two different tracts. He was reside at this place at the time, and that Judge John Chalmers was his attorney and that he sold them to Ben Thompson.

That the foregoing affidavit was written by H. H. ... in my presence from my oral statement just made to him without the aid or prompting of any other person or written or printed statement or recital.

H. H. Williams
J. C. Williams

Jesse Lewis
Jesse Lewis

Sworn to and subscribed before me on the 9 day of Jan 1897, and I certify that the contents of this affidavit were fully made known to the witness before signing and I have no interest in this claim or its prosecution.

H. H. Williams
Notary Public

L. S.

INDIAN WAR PENSION.—Act of July 27, 1892.

Declaration of Survivor of Indian War, Between 1832 and 1842, Inclusive.

State of Florida, County of Santa Rosa

ON THIS 24 day of September, eighteen hundred and ninety-two

personally appeared before me, a John Peace (Notary, Justice, or Clerk of Court) within and for the County and State aforesaid,

John Lewis (Name of applicant)

aged 72 years, a resident of _____, County of Santa Rosa

State of Florida, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical person who served under the name of John Lewis (Give name under which enlisted.)

in the company commanded by Captain Dick Craybell, in the regiment of Mounted Vol (Infantry or cavalry and give name of State, or if in Navy, the name of vessel.)

in the Seminole Indian war of 1836; that he enlisted at Law Hill Jefferson Co (Name of war.)

on or about the January day of _____, 1836, and was honorably discharged at Angie on the _____ day of _____, 1836;

that he also served in Craybell Company, in the _____ Regiment of Mounted Vols., from _____ to _____; and that he has not been employed or paid in the military or naval service of the United States since the _____ day of December, 1836. (Date of last discharge.)

That at the time of his first enlistment he was 31 years of age, _____ feet _____ inches in height, with Blue eyes, light hair, light complexion, and by occupation a Farmer and that he was born in the County of Cherokee District _____, State of South Carolina

That since leaving the service he has resided as follows: Jefferson Co Ga and Meriwether Co Ga and Barren Co Ala Jefferson Co Ala and Santa Rosa Co Fla

That he is _____ now married. That the maiden name of his present wife was Nancy Cobb (or is not)

That he was married to her on the 10 day of November, 1837, at _____, State of Georgia

That he had not been previously married. That his former wife, whose maiden name was _____, died at _____, State of _____, on the _____ day of _____, 18____.

That he has not heretofore applied for pension, the number of his claim being _____ (or has not)

That he has _____ applied for bounty-land, and received land-warrant No. do not know (If no warrant issued, so state)

for 80 acres, about _____, 1837-38

That he is a citizen of the United States, and makes this application for the purpose of obtaining a pension under the provisions of the Act approved July 27, 1892; and he hereby appoints P. J. Lockwood of Washington his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim. That his post-office address is Holley (Name of post-office)

_____ County of Santa Rosa, State of Florida

Attest: _____

1. J. H. Howell

2. James Henderson (If no witnesses who write sign here)

John Lewis (Claimant's signature—first name in full)

FILED

76th

Capt. Hannah's dist.

Lamp, Michael 9

Little, Ebenezer L. 48

Lee, Elias 63

Lee, William 64

Lee, Easton 65

Lamp, Phillip 67

Little, Forester 73

Logue, Charles 92

81st Dist. Capt. Young

Lee, John B. 15

Lee, Nedham, 20

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124 12TH DISTRICT, SECOND SECTION, CHEROKEE.

- 72 William J. Howard, 120th, Richmond.
- 73 Joseph Patrick, 27th, Glynn.*
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- 76 John A. Mullins, Kendrick's, Putnam.
- 77 Marcus B. Swinney, Coker's, Troup.
- 78 Moses & William Ogle, ors., Nesbit's, Newton.
- 79 James S. Jones, Peurifoy's, Henry.
- 80 George Thomas's ors., Hughes's, Habersham.*
- 81 William Perry, Cox's, Franklin.
- 82 Flisha Horn's ors., 122d, Richmond.
- 83 Jesse Lewis, Young's, Jefferson.*
- 84 James R. Brock, Brock's, Habersham.*
- 85 Walter Smith, Cleland's, Chatham.
- 86 John B. Calef, Hart's, Jones.
- 87 Elizabeth Gentry, deaf, Evans's, Fayette.
- 88 Betsey Humphries, w., 318th, Baldwin.
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- 90 Daniel D. Wall, 394th, Montgomery.
- 91 Silvester Murray, McMillon's, Lincoln.*
- 92 Dennis W. Hall, Jones's, Hall.
- 93 Thomas Askew, sol., Clevecland's, Clatham.
- 94 Thomas Woods, Blair's, Lowndes.*
- 95 Britton J. Franks, 295th, Jasper.
- 96 Daniel E. Phillips, sol., 574th, Early.
- 97 Hillard Emanuel, Gibson's, Decatur.
- 98 Anslem L. Anthony, Hamilton's, Gwinnett.*
- 99 William Flewellin, sol., Sullivan's, Jones.
- 100 William Fulton, Cold Rain, Chatham.*
- 101 John P. Woolbright, Luucford's, Wilkes.*
- 102 Jesse Benton, Cox's, Talbot.
- 103 Chemhel Delamar, Head's, Butts.
- 104 Martin Andrews, sol., 167th, Wilkes.*
- 105 John Collins, or., 34th, Scriven.
- 106 Lacretia Miller, w. r. s., 458th, Early.
- 107 Timothy J. Russell, Peurifoy's, Henry.
- 108 James Watson, Barrow's, Houston.*
- 109 John Knight, 417th, Walton.
- 110 James Hart, sol., Smith's, Elbert.
- 111 Henry Hacking, Albersson's, Walton.
- 112 John Anderson's ors., 56th, Burke.
- 113 John Bond, Giddis's, Hall.
- 114 James Eaton, Harris's, Jackson.
- 115 John McDonald, 17th, Early.
- 116 John Fossler, Gentry's, Merriwether.
- 117 John Barber, sol., Matton's, Baker.*
- 118 Shosh Jones, Peurifoy's, Warren.

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- 119 William M. Myhand, 279th, Morgan.*
- 120 Garland Jones, sol., Brooks's, Muscogee
- 121 Avon Scarborough, sol., Frasier's, Monroe
- 122 Mary Almstead, w., Sanderlin's, Chatham.
- 123 Ann Reid, w., Smith's, Houston.
- 124 Francis E. R. Miller, Hobker's, Camde.
- 125 Jacob Curry, s. l. w., 599th, Upson.*
- 126 Giles B. Taylor, Candler's, Bibb.*
- 127 Henry Bunn, Rainey's, Twiggs.*
- 128 Jesse H. Watson, 140th, Greene.
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- 130 Eliza Wofford, or., 245th, Jackson.
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- 137 Francis M. Durrence, Brewton's, Tatal.
- 138 Elizabeth Evans, id., Harralson's, Troup.
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- 140 John N. Alexander, Roberts's, Hall.*
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- 146 Phebe Sutton, w., Curry's, Wilkinson.*
- 147 Milton Worthy, 404th, Gwinnett.*
- 148 Martin B. Daniel, 366th, Jasper.
- 149 Rebecca Brown, w. r. s., Bishop's, Henry.
- 150 John J. Jones, sol., Mizell's, Talbot.*
- 151 Allen Spears, Sen., Jones's, Thomas.
- 152 Robert Habersham, Jr., Fitzpatrick's, Ch.
- 153 Mark Phillips, Strickland's, Merriwether.
- 154 Wiley Lewis, Williams's, Decatur. —
- 155 James S. Summs, Bragaw's, Oglethorpe.
- 156 John Garven, sol., Taylor's, Fabert.*
- 157 John Moreland, Jr., Underwood's, Putnam.
- 158 Aaron Fowler, Hargenbath's, Rabun.*
- 159 Charles S. Hannon, 1st section, Cherokee.
- 160 Jonathan Wallis ors., Fickler's, Jasper.
- 161 Daniel Adams, 11th, Early.
- 162 Crawford Lane, 11th, Habersham.
- 163 Lewis Black, ors., Flanders's, Early.
- 164 John H. Peans, Collier's, Putnam.
- 165 Nelson Harris, 11th, Newell.

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- 113 John A. Anderson, Goffin's, Hall.
- 114 James Faxon, Riche's, Jackson.
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- 161 Daniel A. Brown, 31st, Early.
- 162 Crawford Long, 117th, Hamilton's.
- 163 Lewis Blackman, Pennington's, Early.
- 164 John H. Brown, 1st section, Hamilton's.

76th

Capt. Hannah's Dist.

Lamp, Michael 9

Little, Ebenezer L. 48

Lee, Elias 63

Lee, William 64

Lee, Easton 65

Lamp, Phillip 67

Little, Forester 73

Logue, Charles 92

81st Dist. Capt. Young

Lee, John B. 15

Lee, Nedham, 20

Lewis, Jesse 33

Lott, Arthur 57

Lowe, James 62

Lee, Nedham 138

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STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS
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STATE ARSENAL ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA. 32085-1008

Serial No. None Florida
County Santa Rosa Co., Florida
Died at Santa Rosa Relationship Color White Cemetery Santa Rosa County

Name Jesse Lewis
Address Santa Rosa Co., Florida
Remarks Unlisted at Camp Leon, Florida. Map No. 1 Cont. No. 1

Notes Mary F. Lewis Cause South Carolina Organization Private Marker placed to Florida
Bagdad, Florida 1804 Robinson Point Section
May 21, 1898 Int. Infantry, Co. W. 5th Florida Infantry
Date of Birth Feb. 22, 1898 City Bagdad Block 104
Date of Death Feb. 22, 1898 City Bagdad Block 104
Date of Burial Feb. 22, 1898 City Bagdad Block 104
Grave No. None Confederate States Army, Infantry, Co. W. 5th Florida Infantry
Branch of Service None Confederate States Army, Infantry, Co. W. 5th Florida Infantry
Date of Discharge None Organization None Private Marker placed None
Date assigned to Post No. None Veteran Market, Decorations None
Date of Headstone placed None Veteran Market, Decorations None
Remarks None Muster Roll Volume No. 11, Adjutant General, Tallahassee
Source of Information None Muster Roll Volume No. 11, Adjutant General, Tallahassee
Other Service Information None Muster Roll Volume No. 11, Adjutant General, Tallahassee
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Jessie Lewis
Plt., Co. *D*, 5 Reg't Florida Infantry.

Appears on
 Company Muster Roll
 of the organization named above,
 for *March 14 to June 30, 1862*.

Enlisted:
 When *May 3, 1862*
 Where *Camp DeLeon*
 By whom *Capt. Cross*
 Period *3 yrs*

Last paid:
 By whom *pay due from lieutenant*
 To what time *186*

Present or absent
 Remarks: *Transferred to Capt. A. J. Bailey's Co. A. May 27/62*

Book mark: *C. H. [Signature]* (642) Copyist.

L | 5 | Fla.

Jessie Lewis
Plt., Co. *A*, 5 Reg't Florida Infantry.

Appears on
 Company Muster Roll
 of the organization named above,
 for *Feb. 28 to June 30, 1862*.

Enlisted:
 When *May 3, 1862*
 Where *Camp DeLeon*
 By whom *Capt. Barclay*
 Period *War*

Last paid:
 By whom *no pay rec'd.*
 To what time *186*

Present or absent *Present*
 Remarks: *Transferred from Co. D 5th Fla. Regt. May 3 1862*

Book mark: *C. H. [Signature]* (642) Copyist.

L | 5 | Fla.

Jessie Lewis
Plt., Co. *D*, 5 Reg't Florida Infantry.

Appears on
 Company Muster Roll
 of the organization named above,
 for *March 14 to June 30, 1862*
dated June 2/62.

Enlisted:
 When *March 14, 1862*
 Where *Camp DeLeon*
 By whom *Capt. Cross*
 Period *3 yrs*

Last paid:
 By whom *no pay received*
 To what time *186*

Present or absent
 Remarks: *Transferred to Co. A.*

Book mark: *C. H. [Signature]* (642) Copyist.

(Confederate.)
L | 5 | Fla.

Jessie Lewis
Plt., { Capt. Spencer's Company (Wa
 Tigers), 5 Reg't Florida Infan.

Age *27* years.
 Appears on
 Company Muster-in Roll
 of the organization named above. Roll
 for *Camp Anderson March 14, 1*
 Muster-in to date *March 14, 1*

Joined for duty and enrolled:
 When *March 14, 1*
 Where *Camp Anderson*
 By whom *Capt. Cross*
 Period *3 yrs*

Remarks:
Discharge due 1/50

*This company subsequently became Company I, 5th Florida Infantry.

Book mark: *C. H. [Signature]* (642) 1962

(Confederate.)
L | 5 | Fla.

Jessie Lewis
Plt., Co. *D*, 5 Reg't Florida Infantry.

Appears on
 Company Muster Roll
 of the organization named above,
 for *June 30 to Oct. 31, 1862*
dated Dec. 22, 1862.

Enlisted:
 When *May 3, 1862*
 Where *Cp. DeLeon, Fla.*
 By whom *Capt. Barclay*
 Period *War*

Last paid:
 By whom *May. Feasdale*
 To what time *June 30, 186*

Present or absent *Absent*
 Remarks: *Sent to Hospital at Richmond, Va.*

Book mark: *C. H. [Signature]* (642) Copyist.

(Confederate.)
L | 5 | Fla.

Jessie Lewis
Plt., Co. *D*, 5 Reg't Florida Infantry.

Appears on
 Company Muster Roll
 of the organization named above,
 for *Nov. & Dec., 1862*.

Enlisted:
 When *May 3, 1862*
 Where *Cp. DeLeon*
 By whom *Capt. Barclay*
 Period *War*

Last paid:
 By whom *May. Feasdale*
 To what time *June 30, 186*

Present or absent *Absent*
 Remarks: *Absent Hospital Richmond (sick)*

Book mark: *C. H. [Signature]* (642) Copyist.

(Confederate) 5 Fla.

James Lewis
 Co. A, 5 Reg't Florida Infantry.

Appears on
 Company Muster Roll
 of the organization named above,
 for Sept 1864, 1864.

Enlisted:
 When May 3, 1864
 Where Camp 1st
 By whom Capt. Bailey
 Period
 Last paid:
 By whom Capt. Baker
 To what time Apr. 30, 1863
 Present or absent Absent
 Remarks: Absent sick

Book mark:

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(CONFEDERATE) 5 Fla.

James Lewis
 Co. A, 5 Reg't Florida Infantry.

Appears on a Register of
 Medical Director's Office,
 Richmond, Va.

Hospital
 Admitted Oct 29, 1862
 Returned to duty Jan 19, 1863
 Discharged
 Deserted
 Died
 Furloughed
 Transferred
 Remarks:

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(Confederate) 5 Fla.

James Lewis
 Co. A, 5 Reg't Florida Infantry.

Appears on
 Company Muster Roll
 of the organization named above,
 for Sept 1864, 1864.

Enlisted:
 When May 3, 1864
 Where Camp 1st
 By whom Capt. Bailey
 Period
 Last paid:
 By whom Capt. Baker
 To what time Apr. 30, 1863
 Present or absent Absent
 Remarks: Absent in Fla.
 not needed

Book mark:

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(Confederate) 5 Fla.

James Lewis
 Co. A, 5 Reg't Florida Infantry.

Appears on
 Company Muster Roll
 of the organization named above,
 for Jan 1864, 1864.

Enlisted:
 When May 3, 1864
 Where Camp 1st
 By whom Capt. Bailey
 Period
 Last paid:
 By whom Capt. Baker
 To what time Apr. 30, 1863
 Present or absent Absent
 Remarks: Absent in hospital
 Tallahassee, Fla.

Book mark:

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L 5 Fla

Jesse Lewis
Pvt. Co. A. 5 Regt Fla

Appears on a Register of

Medical Director's Office,
Richmond, Va.

Hospital *Florida Hospital*
Admitted *Jan 30*, 1863
Returned to duty *Jan 31*, 1863
Discharged _____, 1863
Deserted _____, 1863
Died _____, 1863
Furloughed _____, 1863
Transferred _____, 1863
Remarks: _____

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(CONFEDERATE)

L 5 Fla

J. Lewis
Pvt. Co. A. 5 Regt Fla

Appears on

Hospital Muster Roll

of sick and wounded soldiers

in Louisiana Hospital,
Richmond, Va.

for *March 1st*, 1863
March 26, 1863

Entered: _____
When _____, 1861
Where *Manassas*
By whom *Dr. ...*
Period *Jan*
Attached to Hospital:
When _____, 1863
How employed _____

Last paid: _____
By whom *Capt. Patrick*
To what time *Feb 28*, 1863

Present or absent: *Present*

Book mark

W. H. ... Copyist

(CONFEDERATE)

L 5 Fla

J. Lewis
Pvt. Co. A. 5 Regt Fla

Appears on a Register of

Medical Director's Office,

Richmond, Va.

under the head of "Furloughs and discharges."

From *April 1st Florida*
Date of injury or disease *May 2*, 1863
Nature of injury or disease *to ...*
Furloughed *60 days June 7*, 1863
Discharged _____, 1863

Residence _____

Remarks: _____

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L 5 Fla

J. Lewis
Pvt. Co. A. 5 Regt Fla

Appears on a

LIST

of casualties, in Brig. Gen. E. A. Perry's Brigade, in the engagements in Spottsylvania Co., Va., (Chancellorsville and Fredericksburg) May 1863.

List dated near Fredericksburg, Va. May 9, 1863

Remarks: wounded mortally left base

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Jesse Lewis
Capt Co. A. 5 Regt Fla.

Appears on a

Register

of the Invalid Corps, P. A. C. B.

Date of retirement May 23, 1864

Military station

Assignment to duty

When 1864

Date of reexamining Dec. 17, 1864

Remarks: J. D.

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W. H. Callings
5000
Capt.

L 5 Fla.

Jesse Lewis
Pvt., Co. G., 5 Regt Florida Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

of the organization named above,

for Feb. 29 so June 30, 1864

Enlisted:

When May 3, 1864

Where by

By whom Capt. Stanley

Period

Last paid:

By whom Capt. Baker

To what time Oct. 30, 1864

Present or absent

Remarks: Absent sick

Book mark:

W. H. Callings
5000
Capt.

L 5 Fla.

Jesse Lewis
Pvt., Co. G., 5 Regt Florida Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

of the organization named above,

for July 1st to Oct 31st, 1864

Enlisted:

When May 3, 1864

Where by

By whom Capt. Stanley

Period

Last paid:

By whom Capt. Baker

To what time Oct. 30, 1864

Present or absent

Remarks: Absent sick

Book mark:

W. H. Callings
5000
Capt.

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SOURCE: 1840 CENSUS

JESSE LEWIS	35	LABORER	S.C.	1815
w NANCY	28		GA	1822
WM. FRANKLIN	12		GA	1838
NARCISSA E.	10		AL	1840
NANCY JANE	7		AL	1843
GEORGE W.	6		AL	1844
HENRY J.	4		AL	1846
CATHERINE A	1		AL	1849

SOURCE: 1850 CENSUS

JESSE	35 YRS	M	B. SC
NANCY	28 YRS	F	B. GA
WM. FRANK	12 YRS	M	B. GA
NARCISSA E	10 YRS	F	B. AL
NANCY JANE	7 YRS	F	B. AL
GEORGE W	6 YRS	M	B. AL
HENRY J	4 YRS	M	B. AL
CATHERINE A	1 YR	F	

SOURCE: 1870- UNABLE TO FIND FAMILY

SOURCE: 1880 CENSUS

JESSE	60 YRS	M	B. GA
NANCY	55 YRS	F	B. GA
DANIEL J	21 YRS	M	B. FL
"COOT" WM. S.	19 YRS	M	B. FL
HANKINS, JOANNE	5 YRS	F	GRAND-DAUGHTER
HALL, MAY	45 YRS	F	SERVANT

1900 CONSUS SHOWS NANCY JANE COBB LEWIS AS HAVING GIVEN BIRTH TO NINE CHILDREN, 6 WERE STILL LIVING IN 1900.

SANTA ROSA CO., FL.

SANTA ROSA COUNTY

Florida's twenty-first county, Santa Rosa was created on 18 February 1842. It was named for Santa Rosa Island, namesake of Santa Rosa de Viterbo, a twelve-year-old Catholic saint whose family was banished for her inveighing against submission of Roman Catholics to Frederick II during his campaign against Pope Gregory IX. The county seat is Milton, namesake of another religious crusader.

FEB. 18, 1842

PRECINCT NO. 1

McKinnon, Robert
Allen, Jesse C.
Jernigan, Blake
Jernigan, Silas -
Newman, Andrew -
Simpson, Ezk. C.
Keneday, Alex (Canady)
Whitemire, Stephen
Hudson, Benj.
Lewis, William+
Mitchell, Thomas
McComb, William+
Curry, D. B.+
Lewis, George
Walker, George Jr.+
Lee, James R.
Vincent, John S. -
Hannah, Mathew
Dunn, Wesley+
Forsyth, Joseph
Hannah, John P.+
Farley, Henry B.
Ball, F. A.
Mims, T. V.+
Mack, William
McArthur, D. G.
Moye, Reuben H.
Hobbs, Charles
Peyton, Bartley
Bowers, Samuel +
Rothery, Daniel
Vaughn, Richard
Patterson, Henry
Hunt, John
Walker, George
Bowers, Wm.+
Campbell, R. L.
Twitchell, Henry
Forsyth, James Jr.
Amos, E. S.
Milligan, John
Twitchell, Timothy
Cobb, Stephen
McArdle, James
Shepard, Alfred
Frater, Lewis
Hawkins, Isaac
Marshall, Benj.
Overman, Benj.
Snowden, N. M.

Election Clerks:
Durcan J. McArthur

Gaines, Wm. B.
Milligan, Robert
Owen, Joseph
Higgins, Miles
Long, Wm.
Slate, S. -
Owens, W. S. B.
Stanley, John
Rowen, Joseph M.
Stokes, James W.
Blair, John +
Cobb, Nathaniel
Burge, Albert (Burgoss)
Simpson, James E.
Johnson, Wm. H.
Fleming, L. B.
Alfison, John
Robinson, Robert Jr.
Grant, William
Bell, Frederick +
Silver, Francis
Bialock, Allen
Gregory, John -
Lanthrop, Geo. -
Chambles, Wm. +
Cook, R.G. +
Twitchill, Charles +
Chapman, William +
Malone, Drury Jr. +
Christian, Ferdinand
Nobles, William +
Morton, Jackson
Lovelett, Francis -
Goldsher, Joseph -
Miller, John H.
Thompson, Geo.
Washington
Thompson, Ewin R. +
Malone, Drury Sr.
Thompson, N. H.
Malone, Joel

Keyser, S. C.

PRECINCT NO. 2 (House of Wm. L. Williams)

Election Inspectors:
Neill McMillan, William
L. Williams, Peter
Wilkinson

Election Clerk:
Angus McMillan

McCaskill, Alexander
Campbell, Daniel
McCaskill, Allen
McKinnon, Allen
Lundy, George W.
McKinnon, Grigory
Liter, Abraham
McDavis, R. T.
Manning, Robert
McCormick, Daniel
Grant, Charles
Manning, Thomas
Ellis, William
McArthur, Angus
Campbell, Charles
Mims, Jesse
Allen, R. L.
Generito, Isaac
Mitchell, William
Jenkins, William
Wilkinson, Peter
McMillan, Neill
McMillan, Angus
Williams, William L.

PRECINCT NO. 3 (Pine Level, B. Barrow's House)

Election Inspectors:
Benj. Barrow, Isalah
Cobb, Elijah Gayler
Election Clerk:
Benj. Cobb

Campbell, Jesse
Robison, Robert
Kelly, John L.
Anderson, W.
Cathoun, Roland
Cobb, E. A.
Cobb, Calvin
Tweede, C. A.
Wilson, William
Amos, L. N.
Cobb, Daniel
Sunday, William
Nicholas, A.
Mims, James R.
Jernigan, Benjn.
Jernigan, Jesse
Clark, Harmon
McMillan, Malcomb
Manning, William
Jernigan, Eldridge
McCurdy, Elijah
Cobb, E. N.
Calhoun, James
Harrison, William W.
Cobb, Isalah
Wallen, Jacob +
Barrow, Benj.
Cobb, Isalah
Riley, James R.
Cobb, Benj.
Sunday, Francis

PRECINCT NO. 4 (Cold Water)

Election Inspectors:
Jeremiah Lavell, B.W.
Thompson, Henry Young

Election Clerk:
Nathan C. Cobb

Cobb, A. S.
Fleming, Aden A.
Thompson, B.W.
Landtrip, James
Landtrip, Joseph
Franklin, Wyatt
Bryant, William B.
Young, Henry
Cross, Stephen
Fleming, Wm. V.
Ard, Greenberry
McLellan, Malcomb
McLellan, John
Lavell, Jeremiah
McArthur, D.O.

PRECINCT NO. 5 (J. Pyburn's House)

Election Inspectors:
Jessee Donaldson, Jacob
Pyburn, Elijah Miller

Election Clerk:
William Thompson
Donaldson, Jessee
Pyburn, Jacob
Miller, Elijah
Thompson, William
Wilkinson, John
Rodgers, Joseph
Pyburn, Benjamin
Pyburn, Wm.

LAND DEEDS

Jesse Lewis p. 60 & 61 - 18 Mar. 1874
lot # 5 in fractional section 35
Twp 1 N - Range 28 - ~~W~~ W
containing 81 and 5/100 acres.

43) p. 60 of Deed Book B)
(18 Oct. 1874

Wm M. Kain & wife to Jesse Lewis
Know all men by these present that
we Wm M. Kain and Narcissa A. M'Kain
his wife, for and in consideration of
the sum of ~~25~~ twenty five dollars to us
in hand paid by Jesse Lewis (the
receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged)
have bargained
sold and conveyed and by these present
do bargain sell convey and deliver
unto the said Jesse Lewis his heirs and
assigns in fee simple forever the following
described lot or parcel of land, lying and
being situated in the State and County
aforesaid and known as lot number five
in fractional section 35 Twp 1 N Range 28
(~~28~~ ²⁸ west, containing eighty one and 5/100
acres more or less, together with all and
singular, the appertinances and improvements
thereunto belonging to have and to hold the
above described real estate unto the said
Jesse Lewis, his heirs and assigns in fee simple
forever, and we the ~~undersigned~~ said William
M'Kain and Narcissa ~~M'Kain~~ M'Kain his wife,
for ourselves, our heirs, executors and or
administrators do hereby covenant & warrant
EVER)

and defend the said Jessie Lewis,
his heirs and assigns, in the title and
quiet enjoyment of the premises, hereby
conveyed. In testimony whereof we have
hereunto set our hands and seal on this
18th day of October A.D. 1874.

In Presence of
Dixon H. Golsen
Frank Smith
or Frank

Wm M'Kain
Mrs N.A. M'Kain L.S.

I Narcissa A. M'Kain wife of William
M'Kain, do hereby testify that I joined my
said husband in the execution of the fore-
going deal (i.e.), fully & voluntarily for the
purpose of conveying any and all interest
of whatever nature I may have had in the
land mentioned and described in the same.

Given under my hand and seal on this
18th day of March A.D. 1874

Mrs. N. A. M'Kain L.S.

Top of p. 6 Recorded by Judge Dixon H Golsen
Frank Smith, Clerk
Mar 21, 1874.

Jose Lewis

To Joseph Ollinger

August 29, 1881

1/41, 22 acres
2000 1/2 acre
sold to Latter Day Saints
Church

State of Florida

Santa Rosa County

I know all men by their presents that one Jose Lewis and Nancy M. Lewis his wife for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred & forty dollars to them in hand paid by Joseph Ollinger the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have given bargained and sold and by these presents do give bargain and sell unto the said Ollinger his heirs and assigns the following described real estate lying and being situated in the County of Santa Rosa State of Florida and described as follows to wit the West half of the South East quarter of the South East quarter of Section fifteen 1537 in Town 15 N Range twenty eight (28) West containing twenty acres more or less & left one half acre herebefore sold to the Latter Day Saints as a Church lot and on which their Church House now stands together with all and singular the rights and appurtenances thereto in anywise by law in anywise in anywise

In presence of
R R Sheppard
J W Bishop

Nancy M. Lewis
wife

State of Florida
Santa Rosa County

Before the undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court personally came Jose Lewis and Nancy M. Lewis his wife persons both known to me and they both acknowledged that they signed the foregoing deed freely and voluntarily and for the purposes therein mentioned and the said Nancy M. Lewis under a private examination made by me separately and apart from her said husband acknowledged that she joined in the execution of said deed for the purpose of relinquishing any and all power she may here have had in and to the lands therein described without any fear Compulsion or Constraint of a firm her said husband and I certify that she gave the foregoing Certificate to me in my presence at the time of said examination

Clerk of Court

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal of Office this 29th day of August A.D. 1881

R R Sheppard
Clerk Circuit Court

Received this 30th day of June 1882

R R Sheppard
Clerk

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Mary A. Bessant

in bond paid by Mary A Smith of the same state and County
The receipt which is hereby acknowledged here given granted bargained
and sold and by these presents do give grant bargain and sell
unto the said Mary A Smith her heirs and assigns the following
described real Estate to wit Twenty Acres in the North East Corner
of the South half of the Joseph Benoit Grant Section 19 T One South
of Range twenty Eight East together with all the Improvements
and Appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining
to her and Whosoever she the said Mary A Smith her heirs and
assigns or for simple present and the said Jesse Lewis for
himself or his Executors Administrators or Heirs Covenant to
Warrant and defend the said Mary A Smith her heirs and assigns
in the quiet and peaceable possession of the premises hereby
conveyed against the lawful Claims or Claims of any and
all persons whatsoever. The above described lands are situated
in the County of Santa Rosa and State of Nevada

Book C
Pages: 249 & 250
March 31, 1882

\$30 pd by Mary Smith
20 acres

In Witness whereof the said Jesse Lewis and Nancy Lewis
hereunto set their hands and seal this 31st Day of March
A.D. 1882

In presence of
R.R. Sheppard
John Rourke

Jesse Lewis
Nancy Lewis

State of Nevada }
County of Santa Rosa } Before the undersigned Clerk of the Circuit
Court in and for said County personally came
Jesse Lewis and his wife Nancy Lewis persons
to me known and acknowledged that they signed and
delivered the foregoing Deed for the consideration here and purposes
therein mentioned and the said Nancy wife as aforesaid upon a
separate examination separate & apart from her said husband
acknowledged that she joined her said husband in the execution
of the aforesaid Deed for the purpose of relinquishing and releasing any
and all claims she may have had in and to the lands there
described without any fear Compulsion Constraint of or from
her said husband and that the same is her own free act and
deed

In Witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and Seal
this 31st Day of March A.D. 1882

R.R. Sheppard
Clerk Circuit Court

Received this 31st July 20 1882

R.R. Sheppard
Clerk

1882

Geo L McWhorter
to
Anne Mathews

Know all men by these presents that we Geo L McWhorter and
Mary L McWhorter his wife of the state of Florida and County of Santa
Rosa for and in Consideration of the sum of twenty two hundred
and fifty Dollars to me the said Geo L McWhorter in hand paid the
receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and Confessed by Anne M
Mathews here given granted bargained and sold and by these
presents do give grant bargain sell and convey unto the said
Anne Mathews an undivided Eighth interest in the assets
of the firm of J R Mising & Co of said County of any and all kinds
a description whatever wherever located and of any nature & the
same consisting in part of saw mill lands terms wagon tools
logs Credits and other things to have and to hold unto the said Anne
M Mathews her heirs and assigns in fee simple forever. And
I the said Geo L McWhorter do agree to warrant and defend the
title to the same to said Mathews yeft against a Mortgage
made by said firm to J F M Plunkett and recorded on page 75
Book C County Records against the lawful Claims and
demands of all persons whomsoever

In Witness whereof we hereunto set our
hands and seal this 28th day of July 1883
At presence of } Geo L McWhorter (S)
R R Sheppard } M L McWhorter (S)
Mamee McWhorter }

State of Florida }
County of Santa Rosa } Primarily appeared before the subscribed Clerk
M L McWhorter who acknowledged that he executed the
foregoing Deed for the use and purpose therein
mentioned also Mary L McWhorter who in a separate examination
by one separate and apart from her husband acknowledged before
me that she signed the foregoing Deed for the purpose of relinquishing
her right of dower to the lands therein mentioned freely and
voluntarily and without any Compulsion Constraint
apprehension or fear of or from her said husband

In Witness whereof we hereunto set my
hand and official seal July 28th 1883
R R Sheppard
Clerk C. Court

Received this 1st of Aug 1883
R R Sheppard
Clerk

claiming under them shall at any time hereafter have claim
or demand any right or title to the above premises or appurtenances
or to any part or parcel of described land

In testimony whereof the said party of the first part here
herunto set their hands and seals the day and year above written
signed sealed and delivered

In presence of } Rufus Mulligan 25
 } J. A. Chaffin 25
 } James Jeriingan 25
 } Oliver Jernigan Jr

State of Florida } Before the undersigned Clerk of the Circuit
County of Santa Rosa } Court in and for said County in and for
said County personally came Oliver Jernigan
Jr who after being sworn in due form of Law deposes and
says that he saw Rufus Mulligan of J. A. Chaffin and James Jeriingan
sign and deliver the foregoing deed for the considerations
uses and purposes therein mentioned and that he signed the
same as an attesting witness

Given to and subscribed before me this 28th day of May
AD 1853 } Oliver Jernigan Jr

R. R. Sheppard
Clerk Circuit Court

Received this May 28th AD 1853

R. R. Sheppard Clerk

O. E. Truckly } State of Florida } Nov 7th AD 1854
E. A. Truckly } Santa Rosa County } Received from Jesse Lewis (Jr) fifty-two

Dollars in full of all demands for certain
lot or parcel of land containing (20) twenty acres to get her
with all the improvements thereon the land (20) acres being
the West half of the North East quarter of the South East quarter
as surveyed by Wm B Gains in section (15) township one
one of Range (28) West

In presence of } Olin E. Truckly
 } Eliza A. Truckly
 } Wm J. Johnson
 } E. A. Truckly

State of Florida } Before the undersigned Clerk of the Circuit
County of Santa Rosa } Court in and for said County personally
came Wm J. Johnson a juror to me known
who after being sworn deposes and says that he saw Olin E. Truckly
& Eliza A. Truckly sign the foregoing instrument of writing and that
he affiant signed the same as an attesting witness
Given to and subscribed before me this 28th day of August AD 1852 } Wm J. Johnson

Received this May 28th AD 1853
R. R. Sheppard Clerk } R. R. Sheppard Clerk

of the sum of money aforesaid and the premises here in conformity with law hath and doth hereby give grant and convey the above divided tract of land above described together with the appurtenances and appurtenances to the said Henry McComb and to his heirs and assigns to their sole use and benefit forever

In testimony whereof R R Sheppard County Clerk of Santa Rosa County hereunto subscribed his name and in testimony of the Authority vested by law in him and in behalf of said state and hereunto subscribed my name of office and affixed the seal of the County Court of said County in the said County of Santa Rosa at Millers this 1st day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty seven

Done in the presence of
Ernest Arnes
G. J. Perreault

R R Sheppard
County Clerk

Filed for Record November 1st 20 1887

R R Sheppard
Clerk

to be kept
to
from

Santa Rosa County }
State of Florida }

Know all men by these presents that
Whereas the Circuit Court of the first judicial
District of the State of Florida in a case wherein Charles Black and Charles
& Black Copartners with the name of Charles Black upon were Plaintiff
and

Mr & Angler, Geo P C Batcher & John C Polley surviving partners
of the firm of Polley, Nichol & Co Batcher, Angler & Batcher
Angler & Polley and Thomas Deunoy & Co and Richard & Campbell
were defendants did on the 11th day of August 1875 render a decree
for closing the said defendants and all persons claiming
or to claim by through or under them of and from all rights
and equity of redemption in and to the following described lands
viz: being in Township 11th and Range 2nd County Eight in Santa Rosa
County State of Florida Lots 45 Four the north East quarter of Section
36 Thirty Four Containing 64⁰⁰ 1/2 by five 7/8 Acres and Lots 46 and
Section 23 County Three Containing 07⁰⁰ 2/3 County Nine 7/8 Acres
South half of South West quarter Section Three Township Nine Range 2nd in
County Eight 80⁰⁰ 1/2 Acres and by said decree it was ordered that the
aforesaid lands should be sold by Henry Wright trustee for said
appraisers by said Court now therefore by virtue of the Authority

These are the names of the persons who were present at the sale of the above described lands and who were the purchasers of the same. The names of the persons who were present at the sale of the above described lands and who were the purchasers of the same. The names of the persons who were present at the sale of the above described lands and who were the purchasers of the same.

State of Florida } County of Santa Rosa }
 Clerk of the Court }
 I hereby certify that the within and foregoing Certificate is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears in the records of the Clerk of the Court of Santa Rosa County Florida
 Done at Tallahassee this 10th day of August 1857
 P. R. Sheppard
 Clerk of the Court

in me vested - Henry Wright Trustee as aforesaid on the 3rd day of April 1876 after having given notice of the time and place of sale as required by law offer for sale at public and open during the usual hours of sale at the aforesaid place in the Town of Williston Fla. the foregoing described pieces or parcels of Land and Jesse Lewis having made the bid and highest bid Dry; (23) Four 2/100 Dollars the said Lewis become the purchaser thereof now therefore in possession of said acres and by Virtue of the Authority in me thereby vested Henry Wright Trustee for and in Consideration of the sum of Five Dollars as well as the said Lewis of Four 2/100 Dollars to me in hand paid having granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain sell and convey unto Jesse Lewis all the right title in and to the above described property - to have and to hold unto the said Jesse Lewis his heirs and assigns forever

In testimony whereof Henry Wright Trustee hereunto have hereunto my hand and Seal this 3rd day of April ad. 1876

Signed sealed and delivered
 in presence of
 Wm H Fisher
 J H Green
 H W Wright Trustee

State of Florida } Before the Undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court
 Santa Rosa County } in and for said County personally came H W Wright
 a person to me known and acknowledged that he signed sealed and delivered the foregoing deed for the Consideration aforesaid and purposes therein mentioned on the day the same bears date

Witness my hand and Seal officially this November 5th ad 1857
 P R Sheppard
 Clerk Circuit Court

Filed for Record Nov 5th ad 1857
 P R Sheppard - Clerk

To All to whom these presents shall Come Reading
 Whereas at a sale of lands by W J Humphrey Collector of Revenue of the County of Santa Rosa at public Auction at Williston in the said County of Santa Rosa on the 6th day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and Eighty six for the full payment of the taxes levied and assessed therein for the year one thousand Eight hundred and Eighty Five and which remained unpaid on the day of said sale together with the Costs and Charges thereon the following described Piece or Parcel of Land (to w^{ch}) sold to W J Humphrey whomas the

best hidden therefor in the sum of Two & 1/2 Dollars - Lots 5, 6, 10, 11, 12
 Block 28 in Miller sold as the property of Equity Bond which said
 sum was the whole amount of the due and unpaid on said above
 tract or parcels of land for the year aforesaid together with the interest
 and costs due thereon and the charges of such sale and has been paid
 by the said H J Kempfhill to the said H J Williams collector of Revenue
 aforesaid - Now therefore know all men by these presents that the
 State of Florida in Consideration of the sum of money aforesaid and
 the premises and in Conformity with law hath and doth hereby
 give grant and Convey the above tract or parcels of Land above described
 together with the Recreditments and appurtenances to the said
 H J Kempfhill and to his heirs and assigns to their sole use
 and benefit forever -

In testimony whereof J R Sheppard County Clerk of Santa Rosa County
 have caused this deed pursuant to and in virtue of the authority vested
 by law and for and on behalf of said State and have hereunto subscribed
 my name officially and affixed the seal of the County of said County
 in the said County of Santa Rosa at Milton this 17th day of November
 in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Eighty
 seven

Done in the presence of
 Geo Morgan Sr
 Wm J Johnson

J R Sheppard
 County Clerk

Filed for Record November 17th AD 1887

J R Sheppard
 Clerk

Wm J Johnson
 Geo Morgan Sr
 Mrs Parkers

Know all men by these presents that one Geo W Whitaker and Mary
 J Whitaker his wife of the State of Florida and County of Santa Rosa
 for and in Consideration of fifty Dollars to us in hand paid by
 Alon Leibins the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and Confessed
 have given granted conveyed and sold and by these presents do give
 grant convey sell and Convey unto the said Mrs Parkers her
 heirs and assigns the following real estate lying and being
 situate in the State and County aforesaid and within the Corporate
 limits of the Town of Milton and known and denoted in the
 floor of a part of said Town as follows to wit beginning at the
 South East Corner of Lot No 2 Block No 72 (Lot two Block seven)

County, have executed this deed, pursuant
 to and in virtue of the Authority, invested
 by law and for and on behalf of said State;
 and have hereunto subscribed my name
 officially, and affixed the seal of the
 Circuit Court of the said County of Santa
 Rosa, at Milton, in the said County of Santa
 Rosa, this 29 day of July in the year
 of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
 and ninety one
 In Presence of } L. P. Golson
 J. M. Nelson } Clerk of Court
 E. Amos }

State of Florida }
 Santa Rosa County } The execution of the above deed
 was this day acknowledged before me by L. P. Golson
 as Clerk Circuit Court as aforesaid, in his act
 and deed, and for the purposes therein
 therein mentioned.

Witness under my hand and seal official
 this 29 day of July A.D. 1891.

J. M. Nelson
 Notary Public

Recorded Aug 4th 1891.
 L. P. Golson
 Clerk Court

Par. Deed to see whom their Present May Comm-Grating's
 to therein as - at a sale of land by W. J. Williams
 Tax collector of the County of Santa Rosa at
 Public Auction, at Milton, in the said County
 of Santa Rosa, on the 2 day of June in
 the year of our Lord one thousand
 eight hundred and ninety, for the
 payment of Tax, found and assessed thereon
 for the year one thousand eight hundred and
 eighty nine and which remained unpaid on
 the day of such sale, together with the cost
 and charges due thereon, the following
 described piece - or parcel - was sold to Jesse
 Lewis who was the best bidder therefor,
 for the sum of one Dollar and eighty one
 cents. To wit: Lot No 2 section 35 -

To One N Range 28 West containing 80 acres more or less which such sum is the whole amount of Taxes due and unpaid on said tract of land for the year aforesaid, together with the Interest and Costs due thereon, and the Charges of such sale, and has been paid by the said Jesse Lewis to the said Tax assessor aforesaid.

Now, therefore, know all men by these presents, that the State of Florida in consideration of the sum of money aforesaid and the premises, and in conformity with the Law hath and doth hereby give, grant and convey the said tract of Land above described together with Hereditaments and Appurtenances to the said Jesse Lewis and to his heirs and assigns to their sole use and benefit forever.

In Testimony Whereof J. L. Polson Clerk of the Circuit Court of Santa Rosa County have executed this deed, pursuant to and in virtue of the authority vested by Law, and for and on behalf of said State, and have hereunto subscribed my name officially and affixed the seal of the Circuit Court of the said County of Santa Rosa at Milton, in the said County of Santa Rosa this 3 day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety one In presence of J. H. David J. H. Williams } (Seal) J. L. Polson Clerk Court

State of Florida }
Santa Rosa County } The execution of the above deed was this day acknowledged before me by J. L. Polson, as Clerk Circuit Court aforesaid, as his act and deed, and for the purpose and uses therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and seal Official this 3 day of August A.D. 1891 (Seal) J. H. Walter Notary Public

Recorded August 1891 J. L. Polson Clerk Court

Factually correct in fact and true com. 1st

Witness J. L. Polson

at
Lewis
Tommacillo

State of Florida 3 Know all men by these presents
Santo Roso County 3 that we Jesse Lewis and
his wife of said State County for and in consideration
sum of Five Dollars to us in hand paid by Peter Tommacillo
of said State County the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged
have granted bargained and sold and by these presents
grant bargain sell and convey unto the said Peter
Tommacillo his heirs and assigns forever the following
described real estate situated lying and being in the County
Santo Roso State of Florida to wit: Lot (3) Two in Section
(23) Twenty three Township (1) one Range (28) Twenty Eight
Containing Seventy nine and 25/100 (79 25/100) acres.

Together with all and singular the tenements hereditaments
and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise
appertaining from from all exemption and right of
reservation. And we covenant that we and our heirs
of said property and have a good right to convey in
same that it is free of incumbrances and that we
our heirs Executors and Administrators the said
grant in his heirs Executors Administrators and assigns
in the quiet and peaceable possession and enjoy
thereof against all persons lawfully claiming
same shall and will forever warrant and defend
In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and
seals this 4th day of November A.D. 1895

signed sealed and delivred in presence of
C. H. Sams
O. J. Bennett
Jesse Lewis
Nancy Lewis
Lewis

State of Florida 3
Santo Roso County 3
State of Florida 3 This day before the undersigned
Santo Roso County I appeared Jesse Lewis and Nancy Lewis
his wife to me well known to be the individuals
in and who executed the foregoing deed of conveyance and
acknowledged that they executed the same for the uses and purposes
therein expressed And the said Nancy Lewis wife of the said
Jesse Lewis upon a private examination by me held separate
and apart from the said husband acknowledged and declared that

State of Florida
Santa Rosa County

Deed
A. J. Kimmons
Elizabeth Kimmons

Know all men by these presents, that
Mr. A. J. Kimmons and Elizabeth Kimmons, his wife
of said State and County, for and in consideration of
the sum of Five Dollars, \$5.00 in hand paid by
the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,
Have granted, bargained and sold and by these presents
do grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the said W. S. Lee
his heirs and assigns forever, the following described
real estate, situate, lying and being in the County of
Santa Rosa, State of Florida, to-wit: Lot six (6) in
Fractional section Thirty five (35) Township no one (1) 7th
Range (28) Twenty eight West, being the Fractional S.E. 1/4
of said section, containing, exclusive of the grave
(which is to remain for the Public forever) sixty five
acres more or less of land, the above property also
being known as the property purchased by said A. J. Kimm.
from E. A. Perry & H. Wright by deed of conveyance of date May
1889 and recorded on Book "E" Pages 483 & 484, records of
Santa Rosa County, Florida, Together with
the improvements thereon, and the hereditaments and
appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appe-
taining; To have and to hold the said above describ-
ed premises unto the said W. S. Lee, his heirs and assign-
forever, free from all exception or homestead right or claim
of us the said grantors if any such right or claim we have
In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands
and seals this 20th day of February, A.D. 1896

Signed, Sealed and
Delivered in Presence of
C. J. Perreault
R. S. Robertson

A. J. Kimmons
Elizabeth Kimmons

State of Florida
Santa Rosa County } This day before the unders,
personally appeared A. J. Kimmons and Elizabeth
his wife

It is also declared, that being the heirs of C. M. Duff, Walter, Alexander, James, George, and Robert, who are manufacturers of paper, and have their places in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida.

REVERSE		DIRECT		KIND OF INSTRUMENT	Where Recorded		Date of Instrument			BRIEF ABSTRACT DESCRIPTION
FAMILY NAME	INDIVIDUAL	INDIVIDUAL	INDIVIDUAL		Book	Page	Month	Day	Year	
Lewis	John	William J. Heysen, H.C.	W.D.	A	401	Jun	5	1871	Town of Milton Lot 7 Blk 37	
Lewis	Simon P.	Smith, Frank	Deed	A	441	Aug	25	1871	39-5N-29 Village of Black Lot 3 Blk 7.	
Lewis	James M.	Simpson & Co. M.A.	Q.C.D.	A	638	Jan	24	1873	35-1N-28	
Lewis	Jessie	McKain, M.A.	W.D.	B	60	Oct	18	1874	Town of Milton Lot 6 Blk 86	
Lewis	Delphia	Atty in Perry, E.A. Foot et al By Atty	F.S.D	B	80	May	14	1874	Town of Milton Lot 6 Blk 86	
Lewis	Delphia	Stove, Jasper in Fact	F.S.D	B	80	May	14	1874	Lot 6 Blk 86 Tp. 6-29 5-29	
Lewis	S.P.	Black, John W. By Assignee	F.S.D	B	401	Jan	26	1876	Tp. 5 & 6N-29 & 7	
Lewis	Simon P.	Pensacola Lumber Co/ et al	F.S.D	B	452	May		1876	Tp. 5 & 6N-29 & 7	
Lewis	Simon P.	Smith, C. Edgar (Assignee)	F.S.D	B	452	May		1876		
Lewis	Betsey	Soffon, M.A.	W.D.	C	77	May	7	1881	Bounded descripti Lot 1 Blk 5 as su	
Lewis	Robert	James Kelly, Delila	Q.C.D	C	251	Dec	3	1881	vey by W.B. Gains.	
Lewis	Jesse	Orin E. Weekley, Eliza A.	Receipt	C	314	Nov	7	1874	15-1-28.	
Lewis	Henry	Ann Cornelia Caroline Anderson, Lewis	W.D.	C	533	Jul	19	1883	17-1S-28	
Lewis	Henry	Keyser, Harriet S. et al	Trustee's Deed	D	104	Jun	7	1886	Bonifay Grant Bounded descripti 35 & 23-1N-28	
Lewis	Jesse	Poolley, Nichols & Co et al	Trustee's Deed	D	297	Apr	3	1876	3-2-28	
Lewis	Jesse	Murray, Thomas & Co. et al	Trustee's Deed	D	297	Apr	3	1876	35 & 23-1N-28	
Lewis	Jesse	Batchelder, Criglar & Co et al	Trustee's Deed	D	297	Apr	3	1876	3-2-28	
Lewis	Jesse	Campbell, Richard L. Batchelder, Criglar & Poolley et al	Trustee's Deed	D	297	Apr	3	1876	35 & 23-1N-28	
Lewis	Jesse	Batchelder, Criglar & Poolley et al	Trustee's Deed	D	297	Apr	3	1876	3-2-28	
Lewis	Francis M.	Lewis, A.B. et al	W.D.	D	544	Sept	6	1888	Town of Milton Lot 6 Blk 86	
Lewis	Malinda	Chain, Julia A.	W.D.	D	587	Nov	28	1888	Town of Milton Bounded descripti 6 acres in Antonio	
Lewis	Henry J.	Arch Lindsay, S.M.	W.D.	F	232	Jul	12	1890	Melino Grant	
Lewis	Susan	Joseph Ollinger, S.	Q.C.D	F	393	Feb	12	1891	Town of Milton Lot 7 Blk 37	
Lewis	H.J.	State of Florida	Tax Deed	F	501	Jul	5	1890	9-1S-28	
Lewis	H.J.	State of Florida	Tax Deed	F	502	Jul	5	1890	8-1S-28	
Lewis	H.J.	State of Florida	Tax Deed	F	503	Jun	26	1891	15-1S-28	
Lewis	Jesse	State of Florida	Tax Deed	F	545	Aug	3	1891	Lot 2 35-1N-28	
Lewis	D.J.	F.A. J. Sovell, J.L.	W.D.	G	129	Oct	19	1891	Bounded descripti Lot 5- 35-1N-28	
Lewis	Jesse	H.T. et al Wright, Emily C.	W.D.	G	533	Jan	30	1893	Lot 5-35-1N-28	
Lewis	Jesse et al	Fanny, D. Mrs. M.F. as heir	W.D.	G	533	Jan	30	1893	Town of Milton Lot 2 Blk 86	
Lewis	Carrie	Judge, Dr. Wm. by heir	W.D.	H	560	Jan	5	1895	Lot 2 Blk 86	
Lewis	Calvin	Railroad Co. Louisville & Nashville	W.D.	I	18	Feb	5	1895	Tp. 1 & 2S-24	
Lewis	W.S.	Kimmons, Elizabeth	F.S.D.	I	416	Feb	20	1896	Lot 6-35-1N-28	
Lewis	Carrie	Judge, Mrs. M.F. et al	W.D.	J	271	Dec	30	1896	Lot 3 Blk 86 Milt	
Lewis	Calvin	Pfeiffer, C.W.	W.D.	M	425	Jul	12	1899	12-2S-27	
Lewis	Calvin	State of Florida	Tax Deed	M	553	Dec	6	1899	16-2S-24	
Lewis	Henry J.	L.N. Sanders, Louisa	W.D.	N	9	Jan	15	1900	14-1N-28	

								1878-1923		
Lewis	M. C.	By Shff.	Granau, George H.	Shrt.D.	A-22	185	Apr.	7	1913	11-1S-26
Lewis	Jno. Lena		Steffin, Sam et al.	W. D.	A-21	608	Jun.	16	1919	Lots in Floridatown
Lewis	Lena		Steffin, Sam et al.	W. D.	A-21	606	Jun.	16	1919	Lots in Floridatown
Lewis	W. S. N. A.		Otis Lumber Co.	D.	K	9	Aug.	21	1897	35-1N-28
Lewis	H. E. A. B.	et al	Jernigan, Oliver Jr.	W. D.	J	296	Dec.	26	1896	34-2N-28
Lewis	Calvin Henry Lizzie		Moore, J. R.	Cont.	J	145	Dec.	28	1896	2,10,11-2N-24
Lewis	W. S. N. A.		Bell, Henry	F.S.D.	J	61	Aug.	28	1896	9-1S-28
Lewis	Henry J. Elizabeth		Otis, Simon	W. D.	J	68	Aug.	24	1896	35-1N-28
Lewis	F. M.		Sanders, L. M.	W. D.	0	132	Jan.	19	1901	14-1N-28
Lewis	Emma A.		Stewart, Clara	W. D.	0	238	Aug.	5	1901	2-4N-28
Lewis	W. S. N. A.		Williams, Hazzie	W. D.	0	188	Nov.	17	1900	35-1N-28
Lewis	J. S. N. A.		Wingate, John	W. D.	0	182	Oct.	8	1900	35-1N-28
Lewis	A. B. Henrietta	et al	Perodi, G.	W. D.	0	274	Oct.	16	1901	11-4N-28
Lewis	Elizabeth	by heirs	Lewis, G. C.	W. D.	A-24	432	Dec.	4	1922	15-1N-28
Lewis	Elizabeth	by heirs	Lewis, G. C.	W. D.	A-24	453	Sep.	16	1922	12-1S-28
Lewis	Wilson	by heirs	Fisher, Addie L.	W. D.	A-24	484	Jan.	30	1923	10-2N-28
Lewis	W. S. N. A.		Lewis, Henry J.	W. D.	0	249	Aug.	26	1901	35-1N-28
Lewis	A. H. A. G. George (Zalphia	As heirs By heirs	Lewis, Francis M.	W. D.	D	544	Sep.	6	1888	Lot 6 Blk. 86 Milton
Lewis	Jesse Nancy Henry J. Elizabeth		Powell, Edward	W. D.	D	504	Aug.	10	1878	15-1N-28
Lewis	E. A. F. M.		Flutwood, F. Harry	W. D.	0	586	Dec.	31	1892	6-1S-28
Lewis	Charles A. Malinda		Boyakine, Jasper	W. D.	0	545	Oct.	25	1890	15-1S-28 Lot 6 Blk. 86 Milton
Lewis			Hundly, A. C.	W. D.	0	477	Jan.	23	1893	Lot 5, Tp. 1N-28 Milton

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Lewis	Augustus G. Calvin	W. D.	V	198	Apr.	3 1905	36-5N-28
Lewis	M. E.	Stewart, S. J. et al.	U	355	Jan.	2 1905	Tp. 2N-26 & 27
Lewis	R. E.	Pensacola Investment Co.	S	315	Feb.	9 1904	30-2N-29
Lewis	S. P. Emma	Hardee, L. F. & Co.	R	403	Feb.	19 1879	Tp. 5N-29
Lewis	A. G.	Jones, Lewis	T	24	Dec.	2 1903	56-5N-28
Lewis	A. B.	Newton, J. E.	S	454	Aug.	28 1903	11-4N-28
Lewis	H. C.	Stewart, S. J. & Bros.	S	454	Aug.	28 1903	11-4N-28
Lewis	A. B.	Stewart, S. J. & Bros. et al	S	428	Feb.	24 1904	35-1N-28
Lewis	H. C.	Williams, Jack	S	409	Jan.	4 1904	35-1N-28
Lewis	W. S.	Faulk, Mattie	Q	188	Nov.	24 1902	13-2S-27
Lewis	N. A.	Santa Rosa Lumber Co.	V	568	Apr.	20 1906	9-1S-28
Lewis	Gus	et al	V	568	Apr.	20 1906	9-1S-28
Lewis	Mary	Kunert, Hans et al.	V	567	Feb.	7 1905	9-1S-28
Lewis	Calvin	Grundig, Eugene A. et al.	V	107	Jan.	18 1905	30-2N-29
Lewis	M. E.	Lewis, Calvin	S	474	Aug.	13 1904	2-4N-28
Lewis	Francis M. Emma	Golson, L. P.	S	474	Aug.	13 1904	2-4N-28
Lewis	Francis M. Emma	Balentine & Whitley et al	S	131	Sep.	4 1903	22-1N-28
Lewis	Francis M. Emma	Whitley, J. P. et al.	O	530	Jan.	26 1903	10-2-30
Lewis	Francis M. Emma	Balentine, S. W. et al.	N	314	Oct.	8 1900	35-1N-28
Lewis	Mary Emma	Gainer, E. M. (Mrs.)	N	257	Mar.	28 1899	55-1N-28
Lewis	Gas	Jewellman v. James R. et al	C	534	May	10 1884	17-1S-28
Lewis	Reubin E. Maggie H. Nancy Catherine Jesse	Lewis, W. S.					
Lewis	Nancy D. J. Mary E. John Emma Jesse	Margroff, Aleesha					
Lewis	H. J. Elizabeth						

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DIRECT		REVERSE		END OF INSTRUMENT		Date of Instrument			BRIEF ABSTRACT OF DESCRIPTION
FAMILY NAME	ACQUAINTANCE			Book	Page	Month	Day	Year	
Lewis	Florence B. Giles F.	McLeod, W. A.	D	A-28	227	Dec.	26	1923	34-2N-28
Lewis	Louis V. Rebecca Leon	Smale, William	W. D.	A-23	153	Oct.	15	1923	21-1S-28
Lewis	Rebecca Leon	Lead, Viola et al.	W. D.	A-39	222	Mar.	30	1929	4-5N-28
Lewis	Leon	Jones, E. O. et al.	W. D.	A-39	222	Mar.	30	1929	4-5N-28
Lewis	Irvin Dennis Ruth Daniel G.	Lewis, Raymond	W. D.	A-39	451	Oct.	19	1929	35-6N-28 Lots 2, 3 & 4 Blk 90 Milton
Lewis	Ruth	Whittle, E. Jay et ux.	W. D.	A-42	410	Jul.	7	1932	
Lewis	H. J. Josephine	Johnson, May	W. D.	A-42	373	Dec.	9	1933	15-1N-28
Lewis	F. A. Maud Leon	Lewis, Leon	W. D.	A-42	257	Apr.	10	1912	2-4N-28
Lewis	Beckie	Pace Lumber Company	R.W.D.	A-23	523	Jun.	15	1921	2-4-28
Lewis	(Micie A. J. M. Annie	Lewis, George F.	W. D.	A-23	323	Nov.	15	1920	15-1N-28
	(R. E. Alice W. S.								
	et al								
	As heirs by heirs								
	By Shrf.	Granan, George H.	Shrf.D.	A-22	165	Apr.	7	1913	11-1S-26
Lewis	M. C. Jno. Lena Jno.	Steffin, Sam et al.	W. D.	A-21	608	Jun.	18	1919	Lots in Floridatarn
Lewis	Lena W. S. N. A.	Steffin, Sam et al.	W. D.	A-21	606	Jun.	18	1919	Lots in Floridatarn
Lewis	H. E. A. B.	Otis Lumber Co.	D.	K	9	Aug.	21	1897	35-1N-28
Lewis	Calvin Henry Lizzie W. S.	Jerdgan, Oliver Jr.	W. D.	J	296	Dec.	28	1896	34-2K-28
		Moore, J. R.	Cont.	J	145	Dec.	28	1896	2, 10, 11-2H-24
		Bell, Henry	F.S.D.	J	81	Aug.	28	1896	9-1S-28

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FAMILY NAME	ABCDEFGHIJKL	MNOPQRSTUVWXYZ			Book	Page	Month	Day	Year	
Lewis	Colvin		Leicesterville & Shilohville Railroad Co.	W.D.	N	85	Apr	7	1897	12-28-27
Lewis	Oweny		F.D. Chaffin, I. R.	Deed	N	143	May	16	1899	Lot 7 Blk P Chaffin Addition Milton
Lewis	Fred		F.D. Chaffin, I. R.	Deed	N	148	Feb	10	1898	Lot 19 Blk "A" Chaffin Add. to Milton
Lewis	James		P. Tomasello, L.C.	Deed	N	212	May	29	1897	23-1N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Lizzie et al St. Mary, Joe	W.D.	N	257	Mar	28	1899	35-1N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Lewis, Nancy et al et al	W.D.	N	257	Mar	28	1899	35-1N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Roberts, Cathrine	W.D.	N	314	Oct	8	1900	35-1N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Lewis, Nancy et al	W.D.	N	314	Oct	8	1900	35-1N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Hawkins, M. et al	W.D.	N	314	Oct	8	1900	35-1N-28
Lewis	Henry J.		Jackson, Jim By Master	S.M.D	N	360	Nov	17	1900	22-1N-28 10
Lewis	George I.		United States	Patent	N	372	Aug	9	1900	11-4N-28
Lewis	Henry J.		W.S. Lewis, H.A.	W.D.	O	249	Aug	26	1901	35-1N-28
Lewis	Gus		Henry J. Lewis, Elizabeth	W.D.	O	435	Jun	13	1902	35-1N-28 22-1N-28
Lewis	Gus		W.S. Lewis, H.A.	W.D.	O	476	Nov	29	1902	35-1N-28
Lewis	Reuben E.		John W. Gay, Elizabeth K.	W.D.	O	531	Jul	10	1891	10-2-30
Lewis	Hartwell		Phillip W. White, A.E.	W.D.	O	561	Apr	25	1902	28-2N-28
Lewis	Francis M.		United States	Patent	P	17	Apr	27	1896	2-4N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Lizzie et al St. Mary, Joe as heirs	W.D.	P	29	Mar	28	1899	Lots 2 & 5 35-1N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Lewis, Nancy et al	W.D.	P	29	Mar	28	1899	Lots 2 & 5 35-1N-28
Lewis	R.E.		F.A. Johnston, Sarah E.	W.D.	Q	554	Sept	30	1892	10-2N-30
Lewis	Colvin		Chaffin, J.A. et al	Q.C.D	R	342	Jun	6	1903	Tp. 1S-27 & 28
Lewis	Colvin		Peter et al Tomasello, Lulu C.	W.D.	R	443	Sept	30	1903	Tp. 2-26 2-27
Lewis	Colvin		H.R. et al Boyer, Martha	W.D.	R	443	Sept	30	1903	Tp. 2-26 2-27
Lewis	H.J.		W.D.J. Elliott, Anna G.	W.D.	S	133	Jul	11	1903	24-1N-28
Lewis	R.E.		A.L. Crist, Benjamin L.	W.D.	S	326	Feb	12	1904	51-1N-29
Lewis	Francis M.		Edgar J. Botts, Ida E.	W.D.	S	486	Aug	25	1904	4-4N-28
Lewis	Elizabeth		Rosasco, P.L. et al et al	W.D.	V	172	Mar	16	1905	12-1S-28
Lewis	Elizabeth		Bay Point Mill Co.	W.D.	V	172	Mar	16	1905	12-1S-28
Lewis	Henry		Robert Williams, Charlotte	W.D.	V	293	Sept	1	1900	22-1N-28
Lewis	Henry J. Jr. Colvin		Henry Bell, Amelia	W.D.	V	566	Sept	5	1901	9-1S-28
Lewis	Colvin		Henry J. Lewis, Josephine	W.D.	V	567	Feb	7	1905	9-1S-28
Lewis	W.S.		Otis, M.A. et al	W.D.	W	227	June		1905	15-1N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Howe, J.R. et al	W.D.	W	227	June		1905	15-1N-28
Lewis	Henry J.		Hugh Morrill, Fannie	W.D.	Y	72	June	6	1906	15-1N-28
Lewis	George I.		Stewart, S.J. et al	W.D.	Y	198				11-4N-28
Lewis	Charles A.		Lewis, S.H. et al	W.D.	Y	199	Oct	17	1906	11-4N-28

WM. SHERWOOD LEWIS 1859-1919 "COOT"
FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Name	Husband
STRICKLAND, NICIE ANN		WM SHERWOOD "COOT" LEWIS	
	8/16/1861	Born	3/9/1859
		Married	6/1/1881
	3/21/1937	Died	11/1/1919
BAGDAD, FL SANTA ROSA CO.		Burial	BAGDAD, FL SANTA ROSA CO.
MILES STRICKLAND		Father	JESSE LEWIS
		Mother	NANCY JEAN COBB
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born	Where born	Died	Where died
1	M	GEORGE FRANKLIN	4/29/1882	BAGDAD, FL	7/25/1966	
		m MARY FRANCIS INGRAM	1/18/1905			
2	M	JESSE MILES	1/7/1884	BAGDAD, FL	12/6/1958	MIAMI, FL
		m ANNIE LAURA MAYO	3/3/1907	TOOMSUBA, MS.	1981	MIAMI, FL
3	F	FRANCIS LOUISE	9/28/1886	BAGDAD, FL	11/20/1919	
		m #1 JAMES LEONARD JONES	12/6/1903	#2 WM A WALLER	6/28/1917	
4	F	MARTHA ANN ELIZABETH	6/11/1888	BAGDAD, FL	7/24/1943	
		m CHARLES HIGHNOTE	1/19/1908			
5	M	RUBY (RUBE) EDWARDS	8/29/1891	BAGDAD, FL	7/1/1949	MIAMI, FL
		m ALICE ELMIRA BROCK	2/1/1915			CALIF.
6	F	NANCY EMALINE	1/15/1894	BAGDAD, FL	2/15/1980	
		m FRANK BONIFY	10/12/1913			
7	F	NICIE LEE	5/3/1896	BAGDAD, FL	8/9/1900-1896?	
8	F	LINA MAE	11/10/1889	BAGDAD, FL	3/92	
		m MARION JEFFERSON ROLLO, SR.	2/4/1917		10/1951	
9	F	SALINA ELVINA				

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1. George Franklin Lewis, ^{mar. 1-18-1905} f. William Sterwood Lewis, ^m Nicie Ann Strickla,
2. Mary Frances Ingram Lewis } f. Samuel Ingram, ^m Georgia E. Bryant
3. Etta Ingram Rollo } ^{mar. 11-3-1903}
4. Jesse Miles 'Bud' Lewis, son of No. 13
5. Mama 'Down the Bay' Bryant — mother of Georgia No. 6
6. Georgia Bryant Ingram — daughter of No. 5, also wife of No. 9.
7. Newman Ingram — youngest son of Sam & Georgia Ingram
8. Albert Ingram — Eldest " " " " " " " " " " " " " "
9. Sam Ingram — father of Nos. 2, 3, 8, 10
10. Allen Ingram — middle " " " " " " " " " " " " " "
11. Ella Fair Cobb, sister to No. 5
12. Martha Elizabeth Lewis (Hinote) (single when picture was made)
13. Nicie Ann Strickland Lewis, mother of Nos. 1, 4, 12, 14, 15, 16
14. Lina Mae Lewis (Rollo) ^{sr}
15. Nancy Emaline Lewis (Bonifay)
16. Frances Louise Lewis (Jones (Walter))
17. { I am not sure of this identity.

Picture was made on Great Uncle Henry Lewis (Sr.) back porch
 by Joe Majors on Sun. afternoon. House was washed away in 1906
 storm — says Aunt Mary Sus Lewis (4-4-1983) will be 98 yrs. 5-1983

2-23-1986
 Ida Mae Hinote Hudson (I.M.H.)

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Robert H. ...

COUNTY HEALTH DIRECTOR

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LOCAL REGISTRAR

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16 December 1982

DATE

Faye Sturdivant

CHIEF DEPUTY REGISTRAR

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS				CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
1. PLACE OF DEATH County <u>Escambia</u> Precinct <u>Huffman Park</u> City <u>...</u>		District No. <u>14-01</u> Precinct No. <u>14-027</u> City or Town No. <u>...</u>		State File No. <u>...</u> Registered No. <u>157</u>	
2. FULL NAME <u>Micie A. Lewis</u> (a) Residence: No. <u>1008 N. W. ...</u> City <u>...</u> St. <u>...</u> Ward <u>...</u>				Length of residence in city or town where death occurred <u>40</u> yrs. mos. ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.	
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
1. SEX <u>F</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>W</u>	5. Single, married, widowed or divorced (write the word) <u>widowed</u>	21. DATE OF DEATH (month, day, and year) <u>Mar 21 1937</u>		
6. If married, widowed or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>W. S. Lewis</u>		22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from <u>Feb 4 1937</u> to <u>Mar 4 1937</u> . I last saw him alive on <u>Mar 20 1937</u> . Death is said to have occurred on the date stated above at <u>4:50 AM</u> .			
7. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day and year) <u>Jan 25 1897</u>		The principal cause of death and related causes of importance in order of chief importance as follows: <u>Chronic Nephritis</u>			
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, lawyer, bookkeeper, etc. <u>none</u>		Contributory causes of importance not related to principal cause: <u>...</u>			
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, sawmill, bank, etc. <u>none</u>		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation <u>...</u>			
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u>...</u>		12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Bayou La Pate, La.</u>			
FATHER	13. NAME <u>Sam Truckland</u>		Name of operation <u>...</u> Date of <u>...</u>		
	14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Bayou La Pate, La.</u>		What test confirmed diagnosis? <u>...</u> Was there an autopsy? <u>...</u>		
MOTHER	15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Hellen Plutons</u>		13. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following: Accident, suicide, or homicide? <u>...</u> Date of injury <u>...</u>		
	16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>...</u>		Where did injury occur? <u>...</u> (Specify city or town, county, and State)		
17. INFORMANT <u>Fred ...</u> (Address) <u>...</u>		Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place <u>...</u>			
18. BURIAL, EMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>...</u> Date <u>Mar 22 1937</u>		Manner of injury <u>...</u>			
19. UNDERTAKER <u>...</u> (Address) <u>...</u>		Nature of injury <u>...</u>			
20. FILED <u>Mar 24 1937</u> <u>...</u> Local Registrar		24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? <u>...</u> If so, specify <u>...</u> (Signed) <u>...</u> (Address) <u>...</u>			

GEORGE FRANKLIN LEWIS

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

"UNCLE FRANK"

Wife		Husband	
MARY FRANCES INGRAM		Name	GEORGE FRANKLIN LEWIS
BAGDAD, FL	8/13/1885	Born	4/29/1882 BAGDAD, FL
	1/18/1905	Married	
BAGDAD, FL	7/27/1969	Died	7/25/1965 BAGDAD, FL
BAGDAD, FL		Burial	BAGDAD, FL
		Father	WILLIAM SHERWOOD LEWIS "COOT"
		Mother	NICIE ANN STRICKLAND
husband		Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	CLYDE E. LEWIS	7/16/06	BAGDAD, FL	2/14/70	BAGDAD, FL
		W MINNIE ROLLO				
2	F	CECIL				
		H KERNEY POOLEY m 5/28/26				
3	F	ETHEL				
4	M	CHESTER S.	10/20/12	BAGDAD, FL	12/10/64	BAGDAD, FL
5	F	EVA MAE (LIVES IN CHARLOTTE, N.C.)				
		H McDUFF				
6	F	NICIE ETTA	4/10/19	BAGDAD, FL	11/2/60	BAGDAD, FL
		H COLD				
7	M	MARVIN S.	6/1925	BAGDAD, FL	/1978	
		PVT, U.S. ARMY-WORLD WAR II				
8	M	ADRAIN				
9	F	MARY OLIVE				

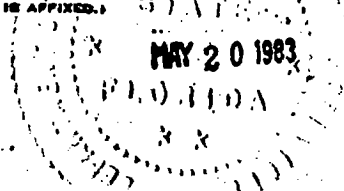
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Everett H. Williams
STATE REGISTRAR FOR VITAL STATISTICS
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH FLORIDA

STATE FILE NO. **66-035024**

BIRTH NO.		REGISTRAR'S NO. 8522	
1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY Escambia		CODE NO. 27-XXY	2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institutional, residence before admission)
b. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION Pensacola		c. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	e. STATE Florida f. COUNTY Escambia
3. NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION Escambia General Hospital		d. STREET ADDRESS 2313 W. Maxwell Street	
4. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) George Franklin Lewis		5. DATE OF DEATH Month July Day 25 Year 1966	
6. SEX Male	7. COLOR OR RACE Cau.	8. MARRIED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NEVER MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED <input type="checkbox"/>	9. DATE OF BIRTH April 29, 1882
10. USUAL OCCUPATION (Use kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) Carpenter		11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Milton, Florida	12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? USA
13. FATHER'S NAME William G. Lewis		14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Nicie Ann Strickland	
15. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 267-09-7677		16. DECEASED'S SIGNATURE <i>Mrs. Mary Andrews</i>	
17. ADDRESS (J-74) Pensacola, Florida		18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line (a), (b), and (c).)	
PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) Shot in front of chest		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH 4 hr	
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19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		20. (FURNED) ACCIDENT <input type="checkbox"/> SUICIDE <input type="checkbox"/> HOMICIDE <input type="checkbox"/>	
21. TIME OF INJURY Hour 9:08 Month July Day 25 Year 1966		22. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of Item 18)	
23. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/>		24. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)	
25. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION		COUNTY	
STATE		26. I attended the deceased from 5-11-65 to 7-25-66 and last saw him alive or 7-25-66 Death occurred at 9:08 a.m. on the date stated above; and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.	
27. SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i>		28. ADDRESS 1000 W. BLOUNT ST.	29. DATE SIGNED 8-3-66
30. BURIAL CREMATOR (Name) Bagdad Cemetery		31. DATE 7-27-1966	32. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Bagdad Cemetery
33. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) Santa Rosa Co., Fla.		34. DATE RECD. BY LOCAL REG. August 3-1966	
35. DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i>		36. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i>	

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Received of Mr. K. Johnson, Sheriff
The above find in favor of State vs
W. Lewis find one dollar & 100
Left 5 per cent -
This 2nd day of February 1891

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Geo. J. Gray County, Tex.

WARRANTY DEED

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF SANTA ROSA.

Know all Men by these Presents. That we, *M. Lewis and A.A. Lewis, his wife*

for and in consideration of *One*

Dollars, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do bargain, sell, convey, and grant unto *John Kingale*

his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, forever, the following described property, to wit:

lying and being situated in the County of Santa Rosa State of Florida, and being a part of Lot Six (6) in Section Thirtieth (30) Township One (1) North of Range Twenty-eight (28) West. More or less commencing on the south boundary line of said Lot, from corner of said Lot, thence running East on said north boundary line of chains and 24 links, thence South 24 chains and 24 links, thence South 24 chains, thence West to place of commencing

together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining, free from all exemptions and rights of homestead. And ~~we~~ covenant that ~~we~~ well seized of the said property, and have a good right to convey the same; that it is free from incumbrance, and that ~~we~~ and *our* heirs, executors, and administrators, the said grantees, *his* heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, in the quiet and peaceable possession and enjoyment thereof, against all persons lawfully claiming the same, shall and will forever warrant and defend.

In Witness Whereof, *we* have hereunto set *our* hand and seal, this *8* day of *Oct* A.D. 190*2*

M. M. Diamond
J. P. Golsan

M. Lewis (Seal.)
A.A. Lewis (Seal.)
(Seal.)
(Seal.)

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF *Santa Rosa*

Before the subscriber personally appeared *N. J. Lewis*

A.A. Lewis, known to me to be the individual described, and acknowledged that they executed the foregoing instrument for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

And the said *A.A. Lewis*, wife of the said *N. J. Lewis*, on a private examination by me held separate and apart from her husband, acknowledged and declared that she executed the same freely and voluntarily, and without fear, apprehension, compulsion, or constraint of or from her husband, and for the purpose of renouncing, relinquishing, and conveying all her right, of whatsoever kind, in and to the said property. Given under my hand and official seal, this *8* day of *Oct*, 190*2*



J. P. Golsan
Clerk Ct. Ct.

STATE OF FLORIDA, SANTA ROSA COUNTY.

Received this *15* day of *April*, A.D. 190*2*, at *10:15* o'clock *A.M.*, and recorded in Volume *0*, page *187*, the *15* day of *April*, 190*2*

J. P. Golsan, Clerk Circuit Court

GENERAL INDEX TO DEEDS—REVERSE—SANTA ROSA COUNTY

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RECORDS DEPARTMENT COUNTY OF SANTA ROSA, CALIFORNIA

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REVERSE			DIRECT	TYPE OF INSTRUMENT	Wave Recorded	Date of Instrument			INDEX ABSTRACT DESCRIPTION
FAMILY NAME	SUBJECT	ABSTRACT		Book	Page	Month	Day	Year	
Lewis	Colvin		Louisville & McPhersonville Improvement Co.	W.D.	N	85	Apr	7 1897	12-25-27
Lewis	Swony		Chaffin, I.R.	Deed	N	143	May	16 1899	Lot 7 Blk P Chaffin Addition Milton
Lewis	Fred		Chaffin, I.R.	Deed	N	148	Feb	10 1898	Lot 19 Blk P Chaffin Add. to Milton
Lewis	James		Tomasello, L.G.	Deed	N	212	May	29 1897	23-1N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Lizzie et al St. Mary, Joe	W.D.	N	257	Mar	28 1899	35-1N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Lewis, Nancy et al et al	W.D.	N	257	Mar	29 1899	35-1N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Roberts, Cathrine	W.D.	N	314	Oct	8 1900	35-1N-28
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Lewis	W.S.		Hawkins, M. et al	W.D.	N	314	Oct	8 1900	35-1N-28
Lewis	Henry J.		Jackson, Jim By Master	S.M.D	N	360	Nov	17 1900	22-1N-28 10
Lewis	George I.		United States	Patent	N	372	Aug	9 1900	11-4N-28
Lewis	Henry J.		Lewis, N.A.	W.D.	O	249	Aug	26 1901	56-1N-28
Lewis	Gus		Lewis, Elizabeth	W.D.	O	435	Jun	13 1902	35-1N-28 22-1N-28
Lewis	Gus		Lewis, N.A.	W.D.	O	476	Nov	29 1902	35-1N-28
Lewis	Heuben E.		John F. Gay, Elizabeth K. Phillip W.	W.D.	O	531	Jul	10 1891	10-2-30
Lewis	Hartwell		White, A.E.	W.D.	O	561	Apr	25 1902	28-2N-28
Lewis	Francis M.		United States	Patent	P	17	Apr	27 1896	2-4N-28
Lewis	W.S.		Lizzie et al St. Mary, Joe as heirs	W.D.	P	29	Mar	28 1899	Lots 2 & 5 35-1N-28
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Lewis	Colvin		Chaffin, J.A. et al Peter et al	Q.C.D	R	342	Jun	6 1903	Tp. 1S-27 & 28 Tp. 2-26 2-27
Lewis	Colvin		Tomasello, Lulu C. H.N. et al	W.D.	R	443	Sept	30 1903	Tp. 2-26 2-27
Lewis	Colvin		Boyer, Martha	W.D.	R	443	Sept	30 1903	Tp. 2-26 2-27
Lewis	H.J.		W.D.J. Elliott, Anna G.	W.D.	S	133	Jul	11 1903	24-1N-28
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Lewis	Francis M.		Botts, Ida E.	W.D.	S	486	Aug	25 1904	4-4N-28
Lewis	Elizabeth		Rosasco, P.L. et al et al	W.D.	V	172	Mar	16 1905	12-1S-28
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Lewis	Henry		Henry	W.D.	V	293	Sept	1 1900	22-1N-28
Lewis	Henry J. Jr.		Bell, Amelle	W.D.	V	566	Sept	5 1901	9-1S-28
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Indian Springs Precinct

Name of incorporated city, town, or village, within the above-named division, & enumerated by me on the 5 day of June, 1900.

LOCALITY	NAME	RELATION	PERSONAL DESCRIPTION		Place of birth of this person	Place of birth of parents of this person	NATIVITY
			Color	Age at last birthday			
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THIRTEENTH CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES: 1910 - POPULATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR - BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

NAME OF INCORPORATED PLACE

REGISTERED BY ME ON THE

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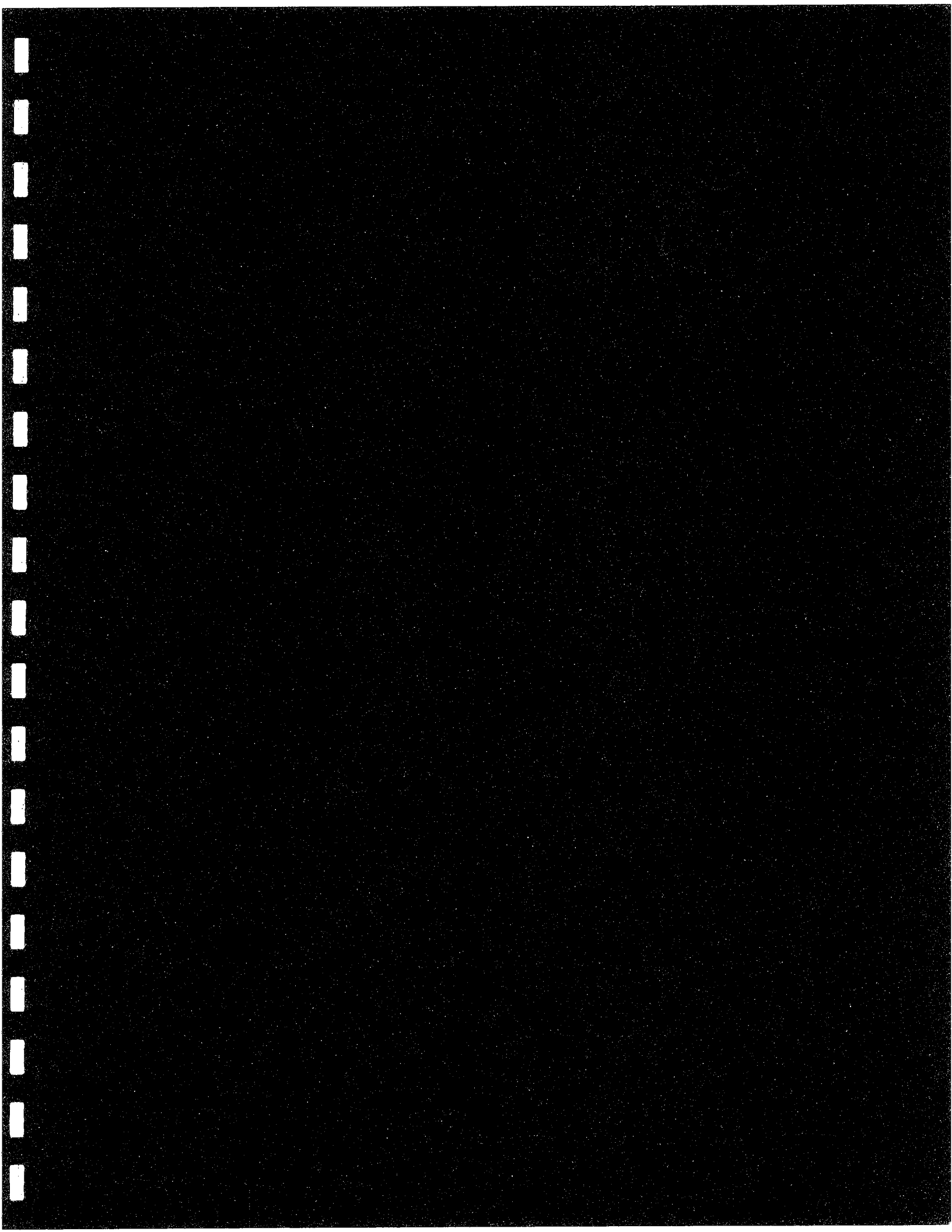
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354	Wendy	Wife	F	15	Wife	Wife	California	California	Wife	California	Wife	California	Wife	California	Wife	California	Wife	California
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"WHERE DID ALL THE GOOD TIMES GO?"

THE BIG FREEZE HIT NORTH FLORIDA ON DEC. 8, 1894. THIS CAUSED MANY PEOPLE TO THINK OF SOUTH FLORIDA, MIAMI. JESSE MILES WAS BORN IN BAGDAD AND GREW UP THERE. HE MARRIED ANNIE LAURA MAYO ON MAR. 3, 1907. HE WORKED IN BAGDAD AS THE FOREMAN OF THE SAW MILL, A MILLWRIGHT. ANNIE LAURA WAS THE BELL OF THE TOWN, HIGH SPIRITED. BOTH ANNIE AND JESSE WERE TALL, SLENDER AND SPLENDID LOOKING. ANNIE WITH BLACK HAIR AND DARK BROWN EYES, JESSE WAS FAIR WITH BROWN HAIR AND CLEAR ICE BLUE EYES. EVERYONE WAS TALKING ABOUT SOUTH FLORIDA, THE NEW AND FANTASTIC MECCA OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY. THE FIRST TO COME TO DADE COUNTY WAS M. J. ROLLO AND LINA MAE LEWIS ROLLO. THE MAIN PART OF THE CITY WAS CLOSE TO THE BEAUTIFUL BISCAYNE BAY. M. J. AND LINA FOUND A LARGE HOUSE, DUPLEX, WITH A HUGE PORCH ALL AROUND IT. THE DASHBY BUNGALOW. IT WAS A TYPICAL PINE FLORIDA HOUSE. LINA STARTED RENTING OUT ROOM FOR MIAMI WAS FULL. THE NEXT OF THE FAMILY TO COME WAS JESSE MILES. IT WAS JAN. OF 1925. HE FOUND A JOB THEN WENT TO GET HIS FAMILY IN APRIL OF 1925. BETTY RUTH WAS ONLY A FEW MONTHS OLD AND THE LAST CHILD TO BE BORN IN BAGDAD, FL. THE CHILDREN WERE: RAYMOND VERDI 1/4/1908, HERBERT CLAYTON 9/2/1909, ADDIE PEARL 12/3/1912, MARGARET ESTELLE 1/16/1914, AND BETTY RUTH 11/4/1924. JESSE WAS A BUILDER, A MAN LOOKING AT THE FUTURE AND KNOWING HIS FUTURE WAS IN MIAMI. THE FAMILY WAS IN FOR AN ADVENTURE. DRIVING DOWN FROM BAGDAD IN HIS MAXWELL SEDAN. THE FAMILY MOVED IN WITH LINA AND M. J. LINA PUT COTS AROUND THE PORCH AND THE CHILDREN ENJOYED CAMPING OUT. RAYMOND AND CLAYTON WENT RIGHT TO WORK. JESSE HAD MANY JOBS IN MIAMI: WORKING ON THE ROADS FOR FLAGLER, DRIVING PILINGS FOR THE MCAUTHUR AND RICKENBACKER CAUSEWAYS. THEY WERE WOODEN THEN. WORKING ON THE BILTMORE HOTEL. HE ALSO WORKED AS AN ENGINEER AT WHITE LAUNDRY. THIS WAS NOT A LAZY MAN. HE SET A FINE EXPAMPLE FOR ALL OF US TO FOLLOW AND HIS TALENTS WITH WOOD CAN BE FOUND IN PRESENT GENERATIONS.

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BITS OF THE PAST: From left, Indian pottery, porcelain shards, a turtle bone and a fishnet weight. **PETER ANDREW BOSCH / Herald Staff**

Found: the farm of the first recorded European settlers here.

A missing link in Dade history

By CHARLES STROUSE
Herald Staff Writer

Shards of 200-year-old British crockery and slivers of ancient Spanish olive jars litter the archaeological dig off Brickell Avenue. Pirates once torched a Dade pioneer there. And, before Florida statehood in 1845, Indians leveled a farmhouse on the site.

Archaeologists have unearthed a farm that they say belonged to South Florida's first recorded European settlers, the children of British loyalist Surles Lewis.

"It's very exciting, the best settlement we have ever found," said Arva

Moore Parks, an expert on Miami's history. "They are the first permanent settlers in South Florida and knowing how and where they lived should tell us a lot."

Just a few feet from the planned 51-story Santa Maria condominium tower, a team of archaeologists has been sifting through dirt and chipping off copper nails, old-time gunflints, and remnants of farm animals and citrus groves.

Researchers hope the dig will give them a better idea of how pioneers

PLEASE SEE PIONEER, 11A

Farm a missing link in Dade's history

HOMESTEAD, FROM 1A

lived. That should fill in a chapter of Miami history — between the Spanish acquisition of Florida in 1763 and statehood — that is largely still a mystery.

Scholars suspected that Surles Lewis family first settled in the tropical wilderness south of the Miami River in 1808, but confirmed it only recently by comparing land records, historical descriptions and the goods they were digging up.

Others might have attempted settlement before, but none stayed, Parks said.

Lewis, researchers believe, was a loyalist to British King George. After the revolution, he set out for the Bahamas and then for South Florida. His wife, Franck, and children, including Jonathan and William, traveled with him. First, the Lewises settled on the

100 miles and south into the Florida Keys.

A Spanish military expedition in 1793 found that Surles Lewis family were the only settlers in South Florida.

No one has found the family's original home in Fort Lauderdale, said Broward historian Rodney Dillon.

Around 1808, William, Jonathan and their spouses headed south.

They spotted an area on a high bluff that had long been a marker for a sailors, said Dade County Archaeologist Bob Carr. It was flat, had running water and had been used as an ancient Indian burial ground.

"They might have come here for the breeze and the running water," Carr said, while walking the site Tuesday. "They probably had to drink themselves numb sometimes."

As for the Lewis family, Surles Lewis drowned on a trip to Nassau for provisions in 1818, Parks said. The next year, pirates invaded the site and tortured William with a cat-o-nine-tails. He died soon after.

The site was sold to a former South Carolina Senator, William Fitzpatrick, in 1832.

Jonathan had five kids who

"The Lewises and a family named the Egans came to Miami about the same time," Parks said. "You can't say for sure who was first."

Archaeologists at the Brickell site have discovered hand-painted pottery and some signs that the family was affluent. A visitor in 1826 noted a "luxuriant" lime grove, a garden and Indians who tilled the soil.

Several whiskey and gin bottles have also been unearthed. "The mosquitoes were so bad that they probably had to drink themselves numb sometimes," said Don Mattuci, one of the archaeological crew.

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SIFTING THE EVIDENCE: Frank Milera filters soil, seeking artifacts from the Lewis homestead south of the Miami River.

lived on the site and then moved to Key West. The area was damaged by a hurricane in 1835 and then destroyed by Indians, said Patrick Scott, who will publish an article about the Lewis family next month in *Broward Legacy*, a historical journal.

Heirs later sued at least three times to reclaim the land. They failed. "Everybody had lost track of whose home this was," said Scott. "These people are coming back to life again after being lost to us for more than a century."

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

STATE OF FLORIDA, } To any Minister of the Gospel or any Officer Legally Authorized to Solemnize the Rite of Matrimony:
SANTA ROSA COUNTY.

Whereas, Application having been made to the County Judge of Santa Rosa County, of the State of Florida, for a License for Marriage, and it appearing to the satisfaction of said County Judge that no legal impediments exist to the marriage now sought to be solemnized, these are therefore to authorize you to unite in the

(303) Holy Estate of Matrimony, *James Lewis*
Miss Annie L. Mayo *James Lewis*

and that you make return of the same, duly certified under your hand, to the County Judge aforesaid.

Witness my name as County Judge, and the seal of said Court, at the Court House in Milton, this

day of March A. D. 1907

E. P. Hally County Judge.

I Certify that the within named James Lewis
Annie L. Mayo

were by me, the undersigned, duly united in the Holy Estate of Matrimony by the authority of the within License.

DONE this 13 day of March A. D. 1907

E. P. Hally County Judge.

Recorded this 4 day of March A. D. 1907

E. P. Hally County Judge.

SALEM BAPTIST CHURCH MINUTES-ALAMUCHA, MISSISSIPPI
LAUDERDALE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
PUBLISHED BY LAUDERDALE CO. DEPT. OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY, INC.

LAND GRANTS-AUGUSTA MS PERRY COUNTY
JANE LEWIS-1835
STEPHEN LEWIS 1835-DEC. 17, GAVE LAND TO CHURCH

8/21/1858 SERVICE BY BROTHER B. F. LEWIS
9/16/1856 RECEIVED MRS. MARTHA LEWIS
8/1/1865 MARTHA LEWIS IS EXPELLED DUE TO UNCHRISTIAN CONDUCT.
8/1877 WARREN LEWIS IS ADDED TO CHURCH
5/1882 UNDATED LIST OF CHURCH MEMBERS

ANNIE WEBB MAYO
WARREN LEWIS
HENRY MAYS

8/1884 MRS. MAYO RECEIVED
6/1891 J.H. MAYO AND WIFE: LETTERS OF DISMISSION

THE FIRST RECORDING OF LAND OWNERS OCCURRED IN 1834. PEOPLE HAD LAND BEFORE THIS DATE, WITH A POSSIBLE ISSUE OF A GRANT ON A TRACT OF LAND FROM THE LAND OFFICE AT AUGUSTA, MS (PERRY CO). SOME OF THESE LAND GRANTS WERE ISSUED AFTER IMPROVEMENTS WERE MADE ON THE LAND. IN ORDER TO OBTAIN A CLEAR TITLE TO THE LAND, THE PROSPECTIVE OWNER WAS REQUIRED TO HAVE THE LAND SURVEYED, RECORDED AND A PATENT ISSUED. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THERE ARE INSTANCES WHERE LAND WAS PATENTED SOME YEARS AFTER THE ORIGINAL ISSUE OF THE LAND GRANT, AND IN SOME INSTANCES PATENTED TO A DIFFERENT INDIVIDUAL.

SOME OF THE EARLY LANDOWNERS IN THE ALAMUCHA AREA WERE:
JANE LEWIS 1835
STEPHEN LEWIS 1835

IT IS BELIEVED THAT THE SALEM BAPTIST CHURCH WAS FIRST A PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH. THE LAND WHERE SALEM CHURCH NOW STANDS WAS FIRST OWNED BY URIAH HOLLAND AND STEPHEN LEWIS WHO PURCHASED OR RECEIVED A GRANT FOR THE LAND ON DEC. 17, 1835. THEY RECEIVED A CERTIFICATE OF TITLE FOR T D THROUGH A GOVERNMENT LAND OFFICE AT AUGUSTA, MS.

ENUMERATION OF EDUCABLE CHILDREN -1885- WHITE AND BLACK
 LAUDERDALE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
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LEWIS

WARD I

PARENT	CHILDREN	AGE	SEX	RACE	PAGE
LEWIS, W.T.	JOHN H.	11	M	W	4
	THOMAS T.	8	M	W	
	MINNIE	6	F	W	

WARD II

LEWIS, J.A.	WILLIE	14	M	W	18
	IDA	12	F	W	
	JOHN A.	11	M	W	
	ROBERT	9	M	W	
	ANNA	5	F	W	

BEAT IV

LEWIS, C.C.	BANISTER	17	M	W	157
LEWIS, SCOT	JOHN	6	M	W	172

MAYOW

BEAT V

MAYOW, J.H. (JOHN HENRY)	JOHN W. (WESLEY)	1879	6	M	W	189
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357-365	LEWIS, WILLIAM S	HEAD	M W 51 29	FL FL
	NICEY	WIFE	F W 48 29 9 7	FL FL
	RUBY		F W 18 S	FL FL
	NANCY		F W 17 S	FL FL
	LINEY		F W 11 S	FL FL
358-366	LEWIS, FRANK	HEAD	M W 28 M 5 2 2	FL FL
	MARY	WIFE	F W 25 M 5 2 2	FL FL
	CLYDE	SON	M W 8 S	FL FL
	CECIL	DAUGH	F W 2 S	FL FL
363-371	LEWIS WILLIAM	HEAD	M W 31 M 4	FL FL
	PAULINE	WIFE	F W 31 M 4 0 0	FL P P
264-269	LEWIS, JESSIE M	HEAD	M W 25 M 3	FL FL
	ANNIE	WIFE	F W 18 M 3 2 2	MS
	RAYMOND	SON	M W 2 S	FL
	CLAYTON	SPM	, W 7/12 S	FL

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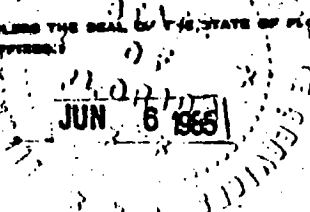
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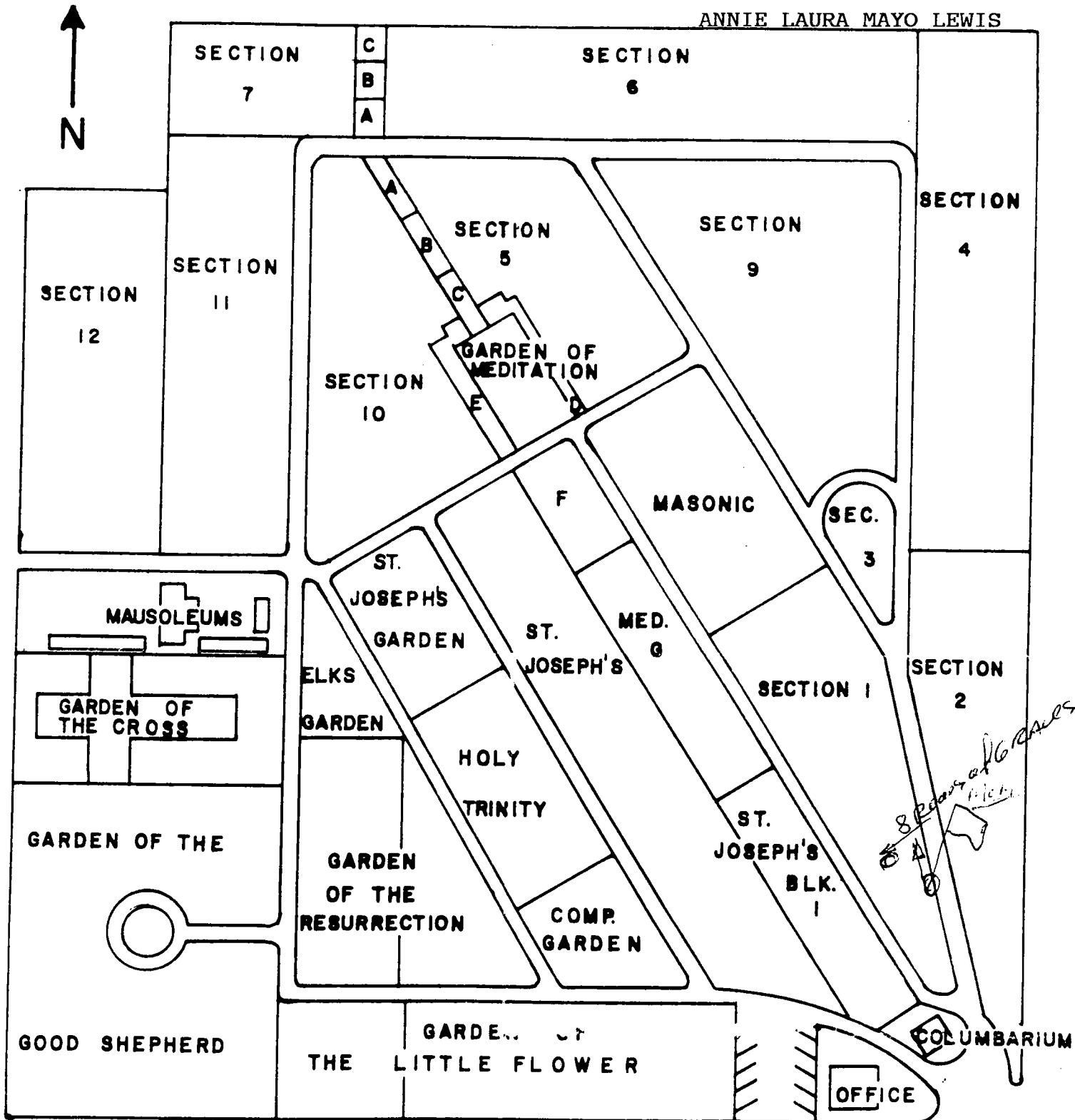
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES



STATE BOARD OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS		CERTIFICATE OF DEATH FLORIDA		STATE FILE NO. 58-041361
BIRTH NO.		REGISTRAR'S NO. 7842		
1. PLACE OF DEATH & COUNTY Dade		CODE NO. 23-10	2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived, if institution; residence before admission) a. STATE Fla. b. COUNTY Dade	
3. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION Miami		4. IS PLACE OF DEATH HERE CITY LIMITED? YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	5. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION Miami	
6. NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION Jackson Memorial Hosp.		7. LENGTH OF STAY IN IS 55 yrs.	8. STREET ADDRESS 1457 N. W. 69 Street	
9. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) JESSIE M. LEWIS		4. DATE OF DEATH December 6, 1958		
10. SEX Male	11. COLOR OR RACE White	12. MARRIAGE STATUS MARRIED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NEVER MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED <input type="checkbox"/>	5. AGE (In years last birthday) 74	
13. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) Carpenter		14. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Construction	6. DATE OF BIRTH Jan. 7, 1884	
15. FATHER'S NAME William Sherwood		16. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Florida		7. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY U.S.A.
17. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Helen (unabt.)		18. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 163X		
19. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES (If yes, give unit or date of service) No		19. IMPROBANT'S SIGNATURE <i>Edwin C. New</i> Address 5279 Coral Way		
20. CAUSE OF DEATH (State only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).) PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) Carcinoma of Lung Condition, if any, which may have led above cause (b) pneumonia DUE TO (c) 10 days				INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH 10 days
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I (a)				21. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
22. (FRODO?) ACCIDENT <input type="checkbox"/> SUICIDE <input type="checkbox"/> HOMICIDE <input type="checkbox"/>		20. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of item 12.)		
23. TIME OF INJURY Hour 10:30 Month 5/58 Day 58 Year 58		21. I attended the deceased from 10/30/58 to 12/6/58 and last saw him alive on 12/6/58 Death occurred at 1:15 A.M. on the date stated above; and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.		
24. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/>		25. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, after trial, etc.)		22. ADDRESS JACKSON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
26. SIGNATURE <i>J. Lee Dickey</i>		27. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Flagler Memorial Park		23. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) Miami Dade Fla.
28. DATE Dec. 8, 1958		29. DATE RECD. BY LOCAL REG. DEC 8 1958		24. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <i>Ethel Shusterman</i>
30. SIGNATURE OF LOCAL DIRECTOR <i>[Signature]</i>		31. ADDRESS 778 W. Flagler St.		

JESSE MILES LEWIS
ANNIE LAURA MAYO LEWIS



J.C. Rev. 6-17-77

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SPACE 5 & 6-LOT 181- SECTION ONE

A HISTORY OF TOOMSUBA, MISSISSIPPI

THE FIRST SETTLERS

IT IS NOT KNOWN HOW LONG INDIANS LIVED IN THE VICINITY OF TOOMSUBA, BUT THERE MUST HAVE BEEN A VILLAGE HERE BECAUSE OF BROKEN POTTERY THAT HAS BEEN FOUND, AND THE ARROW HEADS ALSO FOUND HERE ARE EVIDENCE OF HUNTING AND FIGHTING CARRIED BY THESE INDIANS.

THESE INDIANS WERE CHOCTAWS BECAUSE THIS WAS A PART OF THE CHOCTAW NATION AND NOT VERY FAR FROM PUSHMATAHA'S HOME IN OLD TOWN OR ALAMUCHA. TRADITION SAYS THAT AN INDIAN'S WHITE HORSE FELL IN THE CREEK. THE CHOCTAW NAMED THE CREEK TOOMSUBA, WHICH MEANS DROWNED HORSE. AFTER THE TREATY OF DANCING RABBIT CREEK OF 1830, THE CHOCTAW NATION WAS ENDED AND THE MAJORITY OF INDIANS MOVED TO THEIR RESERVATION IN THE WEST.

THE FIRST SETTLERS, OF WHOM ANY KNOWLEDGE IS KNOWN OF, CAME TO WHAT IS NOW TOOMSUBA IN ABOUT THE YEAR 1832. THE FIRST SETTLERS WERE: NEILL MCLAURIN AND CHILDREN, COLONEL JOHN R., MARY AND TWO OTHER DAUGHTERS, JIM KEETON (THE WRITER'S GREAT-GREAT GRANDFATHER), DUNCAN KELLY, A MR. GRIFFITH A MR. MCNEAL, EPHRAM ODUM (HIS SEVEN YEAR OLD DAUGHTER BURNED TO DEATH AND WAS THE FIRST WHITE PERSON TO BE BURIED IN THE CEMETERY. IT IS SAID THAT THIS CEMETERY WAS ONCE AN INDIAN BURYING GROUND), J. CLINTON, COLONEL DURR, A MR. CARR, CROSBY MILLER, JOHN CALHOUN, JOHN PIERCE, S. H. SHANNON, MRS. ELIZABETH PIGFORD AND CHILDREN-WRIGHT, WILLIAM, TIMOTHY, ALFRED AND TWO DAUGHTERS.

THE ABOVE PEOPLE WERE IN TOOMSUBA WHEN IN 1836 THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE MOVED HERE: BIRD WILLIAMS, WIFE AND CHILDREN-JOHN, ROBERT, BENY, KITTY, NANCY, POLLY AND ELIZABETH (MR. W.C. ROGER'S MOTHER), DANIEL ROGERS, WIFE AND CHILDREN-WILLIAM (MR W.C. ROGER'S FATHER) JAMES, AUGUSTA, MARTHA ANN, SALLY, JANE, AND OPHELLIA, CAPTAIN PETER BOZEMAN AND FAMILY, MRS. PENNY BRADLY AND FAMILY, REVERAND GEORGE BANCROFT AND FAMILY AND JOSEPH PAGE AND FAMILY.

TRANSPORTATION

THIS LITTLE VILLAGE WAS KNOWN AS MCLAURIN STATION AFTER THE RAILROAD WAS BUILT AND THE POST OFFICE ESTABLISHED. IN 1866 THE NAME WAS CHANGED BY THE RAILROAD PEOPLE FROM MCLAURIN STATION TO TOOMSUBA, ITS NAME BEING DERIVED FROM THE CREEK OF THE SAME NAME NEAR BY.

THE MAIN ROAD PASSING THROUGH TOOMSUBA, SOUTH OF THE JACK KEETON HOME, WAS THE MARION AND LIVINGSTON ROAD. TODAY PART OF THE OLD ROADBED IS USED AS A LANE ON THE PLANTATION OF MRS. R.W. CHARLES. THERE WAS ALSO ANOTHER ROAD THAT RAN EAST AND WEST ABOUT ONE MILE NORTH OF THE OLD MARION AND LIVINGSTON ROAD. AT PRESENT PART OF THIS ROAD IS USED AS A PUBLIC ROAD. THIS PART IS LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE HOME OF MR. W.C. ROGERS AND GOES IN A WESTERN DIRECTION. THESE ROADS WERE CARED FOR BY EACH NEIGHBORHO NEIGHBORHOOD. THE MUDDY SPOTS WERE FILLED IN WITH TOP SOIL; WHERE THIS DID NO GOOD, BOARD RUN-WAYS WERE BUILT. THE WAGONS WERE A HINDRANCE TO THE UPKEEP OF THESE ROADS, AS THE WHEELS CUT SUCH DEEP RUTS INTO THE BED.

IN THE EARLY DAYS OXEN WERE USED MOSTLY FOR WORK BECAUSE OF THE ROUGHNESS AND TOUGHNESS OF THE NEW AND UNCULTIVATED EARTH. AS THE YEARS PASSED BY THE WORK WAS SPEEDED UP BY THE BRINGING OF THE MULE. THE SLOW OXEN WENT OUT OF USE. HORSES WERE USED FOR RIDING AND FOR PULLING CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, AND SURREYS. WHEN A HEAVY LOAD OF MERCHANDIS, SUCH AS COTTON, WAS TO BE TAKEN TO MERIDIAN, OXEN WERE USUALLY USED BECAUSE OF THEIR STRENGTH IN PULLING THE HEAVY WAGONS OVER THE BAD ROADS AND STEEP HILLS. THE TRIP TO MERIDIAN USUALLY STARTED ABOUT TWO OR THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON. IT ALWAYS TOOK A DAY AND A HALF TO MAKE THE ROUND TRIP WITH THE FAMILY-WILLIAM (MR W.C. ROGER'S FATHER), JAMES, AUGUSTA, MARTHA ANN, SALLY JANE AND OPELLIA. CAPTAIN PETER BOZEMAN AND FAMILY, SCOTT (?). THE OLD CUTS WERE DUG THROUGH THE HILLS TO A DEPTH OF ABOUT 72 FEET AND THE ROAD BED WAS MADE LEVEL OVER VALLEYS OF EQUAL DEPTH. THESE CUTS HELPED A LOT IN LOWERING THE GRADE BUT IT WAS STILL SO STEEP THAT AN EXTRA ENGINE WAS KEPT AT TOOMSUBA OR RUSSELL TO PULL EACH TRAIN THROUGH THE HILLS. IN 1869 THE ALABAMA GREAT SOUTHERN RAILROAD WAS BUILT FROM CHATTANOOGA AND JOINED THE SELMA ROAD AT YORK, ALABAMA. THE A.G.S. BOUGHT THE SELMA ROAD BED FROM YORK TO MERIDIAN. NEW CUTS WERE DUG AND THE ROAD BED WAS BUILT UP FROM TOOMSUBA TO THE CUTS. THIS MADE THE CLIMB MUCH EASIER AND THE EXTRA ENGINE THAT WAS USED TO HELP PULL EACH TRAIN THROUGH WAS ELIMINATED. THE SELMA ROAD USED THE A.G.S. ROAD FROM YORK TO MERIDIAN BUT SUCH HIGH RATES WERE CHARGED THAT THE SELMA ROAD DECIDED TO BUILD ANOTHER ROAD TO MERIDIAN. THEY SURVEYED ANOTHER LINE TO PASS THROUGH TOOMSUBA BUT BECAUSE OF THE HILLS THEY ONLY BROUGHT IT AS FAR AS CUBA THEN NORTH TO LAUDERDALE AND JOINED THE MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD THERE. THE SELMA GAUGE WAS SMALLER THAN THE M. AND O. SO EVERY TRAIN HAD TO BE JACKED UP AND THE WHEELS WIDENED. WHEN RETURNING FROM MERIDIAN TO SELMA THE WHEELS HAD TO BE NARROWED THIS WASN'T VERY SATISFACTORY SO TODAY THE SOUTHERN RAILROAD OWNS ALL OF THE SELMA ROAD.

SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES

IN THE EARLY DAYS IT WAS A HARD MATTER TO GET SCHOOL TEACHERS SO THE CHILDREN DID NOT HAVE THE CHANCE OF OBTAINING EDUCATION AS THEY DID LATER ON. THE ONLY WAY THAT THEY COULD ATTEND SCHOOL WAS TO GO OFF TO HIGH SCHOOL IN MERIDIAN OR TO SOME OTHER CITY OR TO HAVE PRIVATE TUTORS COME TO THEIR HOMES. THIS WAS RATHER EXPENSIVE AND NOT VERY MANY COULD AFFORD IT.

IN THE YEARS OF 1865 TO 1870 CAPTAIN W.C. DAY OF OLD MARION TAUGHT HIGH AT A HIGH SCHOOL IN TOOMSUBA THAT WAS KNOWN AS THE ACADEMY. HE WAS A VERY GOOD TEACHER AND THE ACADEMY WAS WELL KNOWN. THE CYCLONE OF MARCH 3, 1893 BLEW DOWN THE ACADEMY BUT IT WAS REBUILT AND SCHOOL CONTINUED ON WITH ITS ONE TEACHER. ABOUT 1895 OR 1896 DR. W.C. BLACK, JR REORGANIZED THE HIGH SCHOOL AND PUT ON AN EXTRA TEACHER. SEVERAL YEARS LATER, IN ORDER TO PREVENT A CERTAIN INDIVIDUAL FROM GAINING CONTROL, THE SCHOOL WAS MOVED TO WHAT IS NOW KNOWN AS THE COOPER RESIDENCE. SCHOOL CONTINUED ON THERE FOR TWO OR THREE YEARS THEN WAS MOVED TO WHERE THE WIMBERLY RESIDENCE NOW STANDS. THIS BUILDING WAS OF A LARGE TWO STORY DESIGN WITH A LARGE HALL THROUGH THE CENTER OF THE FIRST FLOOR. IN 1927 THE SCHOOL CONSOLIDATED WITH THE OTHER SCHOOLS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD AND WAS NAMED THE DIXIE HIGHWAY SCHOOL WITH GRADES RUNNING FROM THE FIRST THROUGH THE TWELFTH GRADES. WHAT WAS KNOWN AS THE ACADEMY IS NOW THE MASONIC LODGE.

THE PRESBYTERIANS HAD A HOUSE OF WORSHIP ABOUT 1834. THIS CHURCH WAS LOCATED AT WHAT IS NOW AN OAK GROVE IN THE FRONT YARD OF THE WELCH RESIDENCE. THEREE WAS A BALCONY FOR THE SLAVES. BECAUSE OF THEIR STRICT DOCTRINES THESE EARLY PRESBYTERIANS WERE CALLED THE OLD LINE BLUE STOCKING PRESBYTERIANS. IN 1883 THIS CHURCH WAS MOVED TO ITS PRESENT SITE. THE FLOORING AND SILLS IN THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WERE HAND CUT. UPON CLOSE INSPECTION THE PEGS OF THE FIRST BUILDING CAN BE FOUND CUT OFF IN THESE HEAVY HAND HEWN SILLS. THE FLOOR BOARDS ARE OF HEAVY AND THICK LUMBER, HAND HEWN AND NAILED DOWN WITH SQUARE HEADED AND LONG IRON NAILS. IN 1925 THE WEST SIDE OF THE CHURCH WAS EXTENDED FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL ROOMS AND CONCRETE STEPS BUILT AT THE ENTRANCE. THE METHODISTS AND THE PRESBYTERIANS HAVE ALWAYS WORSHIPED TOGETHER.

THE BAPTISTS ORGANIZED IN 1884 AND BUILT THEIR CHURCH IN THE BACK OF WHAT IS NOW THE JACKSON KEETON RESIDENCE. THE CYCLONE OF MARCH 3, 1893 BLEW DOWN THIS CHURCH. IT WAS REBUILT ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE GRAVEL HIGHWAS ON THE SOUTH-WEST SIDE OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. WHEN THE NEW CONCRETE HIGHWAS WAS BEING BUILT THIS CHURCH WAS IN THE WAY SO IT WAS ROLLED ACCROSS THE HIGHWAY TO ITS PRESENT SITE ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE HIGHWAY, 1930-1931. THE TWO CHURCHES AND THE MASONIC LODGE ARE ALL IN A ROW AND FACE THE HIGHWAY. THE CEMETERY IS ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE PRESBYTERIAN

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I DO NOT KNOW WHERE THE REST OF THE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND.

JS -

LAUDERDALE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
SCHOOL CENSUS 1885

BEAT FIVE

PARENT	CHILDREN	AGE	SEX	RACE	PAGE
Mason, B. F.	H. H.	11	M	W	189
	J. B.	9	M	W	
	M. W.	7	F	W	
Mason, Presley	Maggy	14	F	W	175
	Frank	12	M	W	
	Mattie	10	F	W	
	James	8	M	W	
	Suzen	6	F	W	
Mathews, Amos	General	15	M	B	193
	Ida	14	F	B	
	Robert	10	M	B	
	Annias	8	M	B	
	Jennie	5	F	B	
Mathews, Amos	General	14	M	B	198
	Tom	12	M	B	
	Charley	10	M	B	
Mathews, Henry	Madison	6	M	B	200
Mayow, J. H.	John W. <i>b-1879</i>	6	M	W	189
Means, T. A.	Emmer	20	F	W	182
	Tommey	16	M	W	
	Mattie	14	F	W	
	Charley	11	M	W	
	Jeney	8	M	W	
	Buck	6	M	W	
Miller, Lewis	Isaac	11	M	B	197
	Almeda	9	F	B	
	Mitty	8	F	B	
	Silas	6	M	B	
	Juley	5	F	B	
Molpus, Ed	Arradell	6	F	B	199
Molpus, J. W.	James W.	18	M	W	175
	Mattie	17	F	W	
	Richard	9	M	W	
Molpus, Strange	Sealey	7	F	W	183
	Ardy	5	F	W	
Moody, Aaron	Sam	19	M	B	198
	John	17	M	B	
	William	15	M	B	
	Robert	13	M	B	

"MAYO" FAMILY (MAYOW)

NAME	BIRTH	MAR.	DEATH
SARAH ELIZABETH MAYO	! 12/05/1853 !		! 12/12/1934
JAMES HENRY MAYO	! 06/30/1858 !		! 06/06/1917
JOHN WESLEY MAYO	! 09/01/1878 !		! 03/10/1942
ALVA J. MAYO	! 10/10/1881 !		! 12/27/1901
MITTIE MAYO JONES	! 09/26/1883 !		! 05/06/1957
h. ALEC K. JONES	! 06/28/1867 !		! 11/11/1938
Ch1. WILLIE JONES !			
w. MINNIE			
HENDERSON ! SEE RECORD OF CHARLES W. HUDSON			
2. LIZZIE JONES KING			
JAMES RYAN MAYO	! 09/10/1885 !	02/03/1907	! 12/27/1970
w. MINNIE LEE McCOMBS	! 12/03/1878 !	" " "	! 06/27/1966
GS. CLIFF MAYO, Jr.	! 05/24/1940 !		! 08/29/1973
SEE McCOMBS RECORD	-----	ALSO MARTIN HUDSON RECORD	
MYRA E(LIZABETH?) MAYO	! 04/04/1888 !		! 04/28/1968
h. WADE McCOMBS	! 03/11/1883 !		! 04/22/1940
Ch1. IRENE McCOMBS			
h. BILL SEIFERT			
2 BOYS			
ANNIE LAURA MAYO	! 04/06/1892 !	03/03/1907	! 01/09/1981
h. JESSE MILES LEWIS	! 01/07/1884 !	" " "	! 12/06/1957
Ch1. RAYMOND VERDI - Sch			
2. HERBERT CLAYTON			
3. ADDIE PEARL by JOYCE BEACH MURPHY, M. PEARL			
4. MARGARET ESTELLE			
5. BETTY RUTH			
7 & 8 TWINS, died at birth.			
9. HAROLD LLOYD			

SANTA ROSA CO. MARRIAGE RECORDS:
 J. W. MAYO MARRIED DISEY REED, 09/19/1914.
 DON'T KNOW IF THIS IS SAME JOHN WESLEY MAYO.
 NAME OF ALVA J MAYO TAKEN FROM MILTON CEM.

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SOURCE: CENSUS, MARRIAGE & CEMETERY RECORDS; WORD OF MOUTH
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J. H. MAYO PASSES AWAY

J. H. Mayo, one of Milton's worthy citizens was called to the Great Beyond Wednesday, May 6th, after an illness of several weeks.

Deceased would have been sixty-three years old the last day of this month and had resided in this locality for about twenty-one years having come here from Mississippi. He has always been an honest, industrious, honorable man, highly esteemed by all who know him. He is survived by his wife and five children, as follows: J. W. Mayo, Mrs. A.K. Jones, Mrs. W.A. McCombs, Mrs. J.M. Lewis and J.R. Mayo, all of whom are residents of this section of the country.

Deceased was interred in the Milton Cemetery, the funeral services being conducted at ten o'clock, Thursday morning, by Rev. John D. Wilkes, pastor of the Baptist Church of this city, of which denomination he had been a member for forty years or more.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved widow and children.

CARD OF THANKS

To our friends, neighbors and the people of Milton, in general, we desire to express our sincere thanks for the many kindnesses shown us, and the assistance given us during the recent illness and death of our husband and father, J.H. Mayo. Your kindness will never be forgotten by us.

Respectfully Mrs. J.H. Mayo and Family

SOURCE: The Milton Gazette, June 8, 1917

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MS. SARAH E. MAYO FORMER MILTON WOMAN, DIED 12-11-1934

Mrs. Sarah E. Mayo, age 81, died Tuesday night at her home, 1013 E. Gadsden St. in Pensacola.

She is survived by two sons, J. W. Mayo of Pensacola, J.R. Mayo of Milton, three daughters, Mrs. A.K. Jones of Milton, Mrs. W.A. McCombs of Pensacola and Mrs. J.M. Lewis of Miami.

Mrs. Mayo was a Milton resident, having moved to Pensacola some ten years ago.

Funeral services were conducted at her home at nine o'clock this morning and at 10 o'clock at the Baptist church in Milton. Rev. A.C. Abney of Pensacola, and Rev. E.R. Vincett of Milton officiating. Interment was made in the Milton Cemetery.

MRS. SARAH ELIZABETH DAVIS HENDERSON MAYO

Source: The Milton Gazette, 12/13/1934

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"MAYO" DECEASED

NAME	BIRTH	MAR.	DEATH
SARAH ELIZABETH MAYO Davis Henderson	: 12/05/1853 !		: 12/12/1934
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NAMES FROM "THE MILTON CEMETERY" or THE OLD MILTON NEWSPAPER

NANCY GAINER MAYO	: 1829 !	: 1903
h. JAMES A. BISHOP		
CATHERINE MAYO	: 06/10/1831 !	: 07/26/1905
h. F.A. BOGHICH		
MARTIN G. MAYO	: 03/22/1889 !	: 05/30/1964

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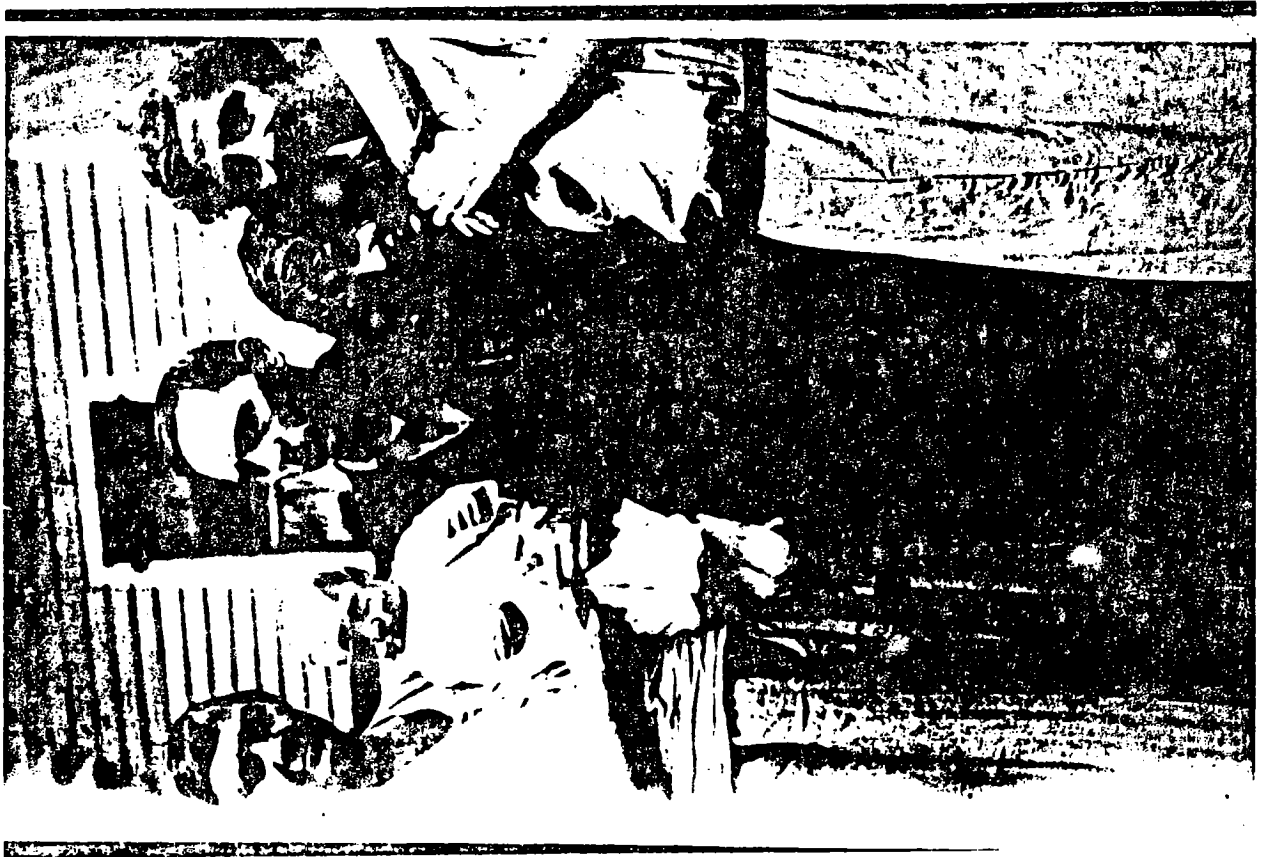
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Myra Elizabeth
Mayo McCombs

Annie Laura
Mayo Lewis

Mr. Sarah
Elizabeth

James H.
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GLADYS, ALICE, ANNIE LAURA

JESSE MILES "BUD" LEWIS



H.C., ADDIE PEARL, RAYMOND

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Jones	Louis Arthur		Wray, Henry	W. D.	199	Aug.	30	1897	7-5-29	
Jones	R. C. Elizabeth P.		Jones, Russell S.	W. D.	740	Nov.	10	1897	Lots in Blk. 17, 31-1N-	
Jones	Russell S.		Jones, Elizabeth P.	W. D.	741	Feb.	6	1899	Lots in Blk. 17, 31-1N-	
Jones	Charley	et al	Leitvins & Whitley	Lease	461	Nov.	17	1897	20-2-28	
Jones	Louis Arthur		Cannon, Marion A.	W. D.	104	Apr.	13	1899	7-5-29	
Jones	J. B. Mrs. B.		Carv, Jno. P. & Co.	P.S.D.	186	Aug.	21	1888	11-5N-28	
Jones	Scipio J.	et al by heirs	Whitacre, R. B.	W. D.	48	Sep.	5	1900	Lot C, Blk. 26, Milton	
Jones	Jeff L. Abel		Board of Public Inst. Santa Rosa County	W. D.	216	Dec.	17	1900	19-5N-28	
Jones	Little George A.		Chaffin, Jas. A. & Co.	W. D.	231	July	11	1901	23-5H-28	
Jones	Priscilla	et al by heirs	Chaffin, Jas. A. & Co.	W. D.	241	Aug.	7	1901	8-, 17-4N-28	
Jones	Cleo	et al by heirs	Chaffin, Jas. A. & Co.	W. D.	241	Aug.	7	1901	8-4N-28, 17-4N-28	
Jones	A. K. Little G.		Jones, Thom. F.	W. D.	150	July	7	1901	4-1N-29	
Jones	T. W. Alice (J. B. Sarah Sarah Hugh Lee Daisy Elizzie Andrew Johnnie) Alice; T. W.	by heirs as Gdn. et al by heirs as heirs by Gdn.	Hardee, A. P.	W. D.	287	Sep.	5	1901	4-1N-29	
Jones	Lee	et al by heirs	Amos, Richard	W. D.	477	Nov.	29	1901	5-1N-28	
Jones	Alice; T. W.	as heirs by Gdn.	Gray, J. A.	W. D.	485	Dec.	10	1901	Bounded description, Hill	
Jones	William A.		Chaffin, J. A. & Co.	W. D.	543	Feb.	7	1903	14-4N-29	
Jones	R. C. Elizabeth P.	by Master	Prohn, John H.	S.M.D.	53	Sep.	2	1901	31-1N-29	
Jones	F. C. Elizabeth P. Russell H. Mrs. E.; Mary E.	et al by Master	Loren, John H. Picollis Methodist Episcopal Church	S.M.D. W. D.	115 161	Dec. Nov.	1 13	1901 1899	7-1N-29, 13-1N-29, Lots 15-5H-28	
Jones	E. C.	by Off.	Brown, John H.	Shir's Deed	126	Jan.	10	1901	Town site of Santa Rosa	
Jones	Bernard Miran	et al as heirs	Kennedy, J. H.	W. D.	490	Apr.	7	1904	23-4N-28, 31-4N-28	
Jones	E. H. Elizabeth (Sarah Hugh Lee Sarah Elizzie Annie Johnnie) J. B.		Parodi, G.	Timb.D.	499	June	7	1902	Bounded description	
Jones	Sarah Hugh Lee Sarah Elizzie Annie Johnnie J. B.	as Gdn. et al	Amos, Richard	W. D.	154	Nov.	21	1901	4-1N-28	
Jones	Willis G. Cousins		Newton & Co.	Turp.L.	522	Dec.	22	1901	7-5N-28	
Jones	E. E. Mary Elizabeth		Newton & Co.	Turp.L.	571	Feb.	5	1903	15-, 14-5-28	
Jones	Bernard Miran	et al as heirs	Pixon, Ella	W. D.	957	Apr.	7	1894	23-, 23-4N-28, 5-2N-29	
Jones	T. Scott Alice C.		Aymard, L. G.	W. D.	14	Apr.	2	1907	13-1N-28	
Jones	Cleopatra		Jennison, Oliver Jr.	W. D.	53	June	8	1903	17-4N-28	
Jones	J. B. Sarah		Grotling, J. W.	W. D.	98	Mar.	4	1898	2-1N-28	
Jones	A.		Parodi, G.	Timb.P.	177	Oct.	1	1907	11-4N-29	

STATE OF FLORIDA
SANTA ROSA COUNTY

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WARRANTY DEED

Know All Men by These Presents: That we, TOM WHITTLE AND CHARLIE BELL
MAYO WHITTLE, husband and wife,

for and in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable
considerations

the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do bargain, sell, convey and grant unto
JAMES R. MAYO AND MINNIE McCOMBS MAYO, husband and wife,
their

heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, forever, the following described real property,
situate, lying and being in the County of Santa Rosa, State of Florida,

to-wit:
All of our undivided one-ninth (1/9) interest in and
to the following described real property, situate, lying
and being in the County of Santa Rosa, State of Florida,
to-wit:

Lots two (2) and five (5) of the Webb Tract as
per plat recorded in Deed Book 8, at Page 6 of
the public records of Santa Rosa County, Florida,
in Section Ten (10), Township One (1) North of
Range Twenty-eight (28) West.



RAY C. HELMS
CLERK CIRCUIT COURT
MILTON, FLA.
SEP 23 4 50 PM '60
FILED
SANTA ROSA COUNTY
CLERK'S OFFICE

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto in any
wise appertaining, free from all exemptions and right of homestead.

And we covenant that we are well seized of an indefeasible
estate in fee simple in the said property, and ha ve a good right to convey the same, that it is free of lien or encum-
brance, and that we & our heirs, executors and administrators, the said county & their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, in the quiet and peaceful possession and enjoyment thereof, against all
persons lawfully claiming the same, shall and will forever warrant and defend.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seal this 23rd
day of September A. D. 1960.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of
Doris R. Hunter (SEAL)
Helen M. Holloman (SEAL)
(SEAL)
(SEAL)
(SEAL)

STATE OF FLORIDA
SANTA ROSA COUNTY

Before the subscriber personally appeared Tom Whittle
and Charlie Bell Mayo Whittle

his wife, known to me, and known to me to be the individual described by said name in and who executed
the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that they executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set
forth.

Witness my hand and official seal this 23rd day of September 1960.



Documentary Stamp Tax \$10.00
State
Federal My commission expires 4-9-61

Filed 9-28-60 at 4:50 o'clock P. M. Recorded in the public records of Santa Rosa County, Florida
in the book and page noted above. RAY C. HELMS, Clerk Circuit Court. By Helen M. Holloman, D. C.

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REVERSE			DIRECT	TYPE OF INSTRUMENT	Where Recorded		Date of Instrument			BRIEF ABSTRACT DESCRIPTION
FAMILY NAME	ABCDEFGHIJKL	MNOPQRSTUVWXYZ			Book	Page	Month	Day	Year	
Mayo	Roger C.		Jannyn, et al Burgess, Joe L.;	W.D.	114	432	Nov	18	1954	17-1S-28
Mayo	Roger C.		C.H. as Trustee Overman, C.H.; Arnett	W.D.	114	431	Dec	1	1954	16-1N-28
Mayo	C.G.		Mayo, Martin C.; Nancy	W.D.	117	527	Apr	29	1955	9 1N 28W
Mayo	Roger C.		Marion D. Scale, Guy I.;	Q.C.D.	121	361	Nov	9	1955	16-1N-28
Mayo	Roger C.		Mayo, Martin C.; Nancy	W.D.	126	413	June	25	1956	9 1N 28W
Mayo	Clifford C.; Thelma		Penton, Mack; Amanda Thomas W.;	W.D.	126	461	June	29	1956	3 1N 28W
Mayo	James H., Sr.; Eula Mae		Holland, Bonnie C. et al Herbert ;	W.D.	136	101	Sept	9	1957	Lot 52 Woodlawn Shor 29 & 30-2S.-27West
Mayo	James H., Sr.; Eula Mae		Lathan, Carrie J. et al Thomas W.;	W.D.	136	101	Sept	9	1957	Lot 52 Woodlawn Shor 29 & 30-2S.-27West
Mayo	James H., Sr.; Eula Mae		Holland, Bonnie C. et al Herbert ;	W.D.	136	102	July	29	1957	Lot 51 Woodlawn Shor 29 & 30-2S.-27West
Mayo	James H., Sr.; Eula Mae		Lathan, Carrie J. et al Roger C.;	W.D.	136	102	July	29	1957	Lot 51 Woodlawn Shor 29 & 30-2S.-27West
Mayo	Martin C.; Nancy		Mayo, Geraldine R. James A.	W.D.	140	465	June	10	1958	Bounded 9-1N.-28West Bounded Lots 1 & 2
Mayo	Annie R.		Andrews, Cussie ;	W. D.	143	395	July	9	1958	Floridatown Sec. 23 Azulea Hotel
Mayo	Roger C.; Geraldine R.		Fripp, Wilhelmina V.	Cent.	145	298	Nov	17	1958	4-3S-29W
Mayo	Roger C.; Geraldine		Mayo, Martin C.; Nancy	W.D.	143	570	June	13	1958	9-1N-28W
Mayo	Nathan		United States of America	Cert.	155	337	Jan.	22	1960	18-1N.-28W
Mayo	Roger; Geraldine R.		Walsh, Douglas L.; Luc Shirley	Q.C.	155	401	May	23	1959	Lots 6, 7, 10, 11, 12 Bl Lynwood Park
Mayo	Roger C. ; Geraldine R.		walker, Autry L.;	Q.C.D.	155	489	June	6	1959	Lot 8 Blk 6 Lynwood
Mayo	Roger C.; Geraldine		Walsh, Bennie; Thelma	L. Q.C.D.	156	181	Feb.	3	1960	Lot 647 Blk 3 Lynwood
Mayo	James H., Sr.; Eula Mae		Calowell, H. Miller; Chr istine	W.D. Corr.	157	565	May	18	1960	Lot 49 Woodlawn Shor
Mayo	James H., Sr.; Eula Mae		Lewis, Anna H.	W.D. Corr.	157	561	May	23	1960	Lot 50 Woodlawn Shor
Mayo	Ellis; Ella Lee		Gaston, Fannie W.; Chr lie	Contract	158	27	Mar.	29	1960	4-2N-29W
Mayo	James R.; Minnie		Whittle, Ton; Charlie	W.D.	160	319	Sept	23	1960	Lot 2, 5 Webb Tract
Mayo	Elyven		Lawson, R.L.	W.D.	161	94	Aug	20	1960	21-1N-28W
Mayo	Roger C.; Geraldine		etal as Trustee McKittrick, Edith I.	Deed	162	150	Sept	29	1960	29-2S-27W

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband		
FRANCES MARY HAAS		Name	RAYMOND VERDI LEWIS	
Albany AL.	11/10/11	Born	1/4/07	Santa Rosa Co. FL
Miami, FL.		Married		
		Died		
		Burial	Naples FL	
Conrad Henry Haas		Father	Jesse Miles Lewis	
Helena Schmit		Mother	Annie Laura Mayo	
husband		Other (if any)	wife	
Notes				

Date married & spouse

#	S	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	CATHERINE DOLORES LEWIS	5/12/30	Miami FL		
		m Milton Robert Addison, jr				
2	F	MARVIDEEN ROSE	12/18/33	Miami FL		
		m Edward Pierce Jones				
3	F	CAROL ANN	3/9/37	Miami FL		
		m Charles Francis Otto				


 Gentlest Heart of Jesus
 ever present in the
 Blessed Sacrament, ever
 consumed with burning love for the
 poor captive souls in
 Purgatory have mercy on the soul
 of Thy departed servant.
 Be not severe in Thy judgment
 but let some drops of
 Thy Precious Blood
 fall upon the devouring flames,
 and do
 Thou O merciful Saviour
 send Thy angels to conduct
 Thy departed servant to a place
 of refreshment,
 light and peace. Amen.
 May the souls of all the faithful
 departed, through the mercy of
 God, rest in peace. Amen.

IN MEMORY OF
RAYMOND V. LEWIS

BORN
January 4, 1908

DATE OF DEATH
May 24, 1974

SERVICES FROM
St. Ann Catholic Church
Tuesday, May 28, 1974 — 12:30 P.M.

CLERGYMAN OFFICIATING
The Rev. Father Owen D. Henderson

FINAL RESTING PLACE
Naples Memorial Gardens

FUNERAL CONDUCTED BY
Earl G. Hodges Funeral Chapel
Naples, Florida

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
CATHERINE DOLORES LEWIS		Name	MILTON ROBERT ADDISON, JR
Miami FL	12/5/30	Born	14/2/29 Detroit Mich.
		Married	12/9/49 Miami FL
		Died	
		Burial	
Raymond Verdi Lewis		Father	Milton Robert Addison, Sr
Frances Mary Haas		Mother	unknown
husband		Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	S	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	RAYMOND CONRAD	4/8/1948	Miami FL		
2	F	KATHERYN DAWN	9/9/1960	Miami FL		
3	F	VICTORIA DIANN	25/12/1964	Palatka FL		

Source

By

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
SANDRA KAYE		Name	RAYMOND CONRAD ADDISON
	8/1/49	Born	4/8/48 Miami FL
		Married	21/10/84
		Died	
		Burial	
		Father	Milton Robert Addison, jr.
		Mother	Catherine Dolores Lewis
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	TRACEY LYNN	17/4/70	Nashville TN		
2	M	RAYMOND BRYAN	9/6/81	Orlando FL		

Source _____ By _____

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
KATHERYN DAWN ADDISON		Name	JOHN GLOR
Miami FL	9/9/60	Born	1/1/66
	7/2/88	Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
Milton Robert Addison, Jr		Father	
Catherins Dolores Lewis		Mother	
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	S	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	KATHERYN ANN TRITT	23/3/81	Hawaii		
2	F	HOPE MANCHESTER GLOR	21/7/89	Naples FL		

Source _____ By _____

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

VICTORIA DAWN ADDISON

Wife		Husband	
VICTORIA DAWN ADDISON		Name	BRET WALTERS
Palatka FL	25/12/64	Born	22/9/67
	31/3/90	Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
Milton Robert Addison, jr		Father	
Catherine Dolores Lewis		Mother	
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	MICHAEL RYAN WALTERS	17/7/86	Naples FL		

Source

By

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
Marvideen Rose Lewis		Name	Edward Pierce Jones
	18/12/33	Born	
		Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
Raymond Verdi Lewis		Father	
Francis Mary Hass		Mother	
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	Raymond Eugene	20/2/1954	Miami, FL		
2	M	Charles Edward	18/8/1956	Miami, FL		
3	F	Sandra Jean	11/2/1954	Miami, FL		

Source _____ By _____

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
	Name	RAYMOND EUGENE JONES	
	Born	20/2/54	Miami FL
	Married		
	Died		
	Burial		
	Father	Edward Pierce Jones	
	Mother	Marvideen Rose Lewis	
	Other (if any)	husband	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	S	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	ERIC	17/5/82	Hollywood FL		
2	F	ASHLEY JEAN	20/7/87			

Source

By

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
		Name	CHARLES EDWARD JONES (C.J.)
		Born	18/8/56 Miami FL
		Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
		Father	
		Mother	
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	§	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	CHARLES EDWARD JONES C.J.	15/8/79	Hollywood FL		
2	M	JUSTIN	5/1/86	Hollywood, FL		

Source

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
Carol Ann Lewis		Name	Charles Francis Otto
Mar. 9, 1937 - Miami FL		Born	Jan. 11, 1937
Aug. 25, 1956		Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
Raymond Verdi Lewis		Father	
Frances Mary Hass		Mother	
husband		Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1M		Charles Francis, Jr. m Mylene 1/1/94	1/4/1970	Miami, Fl.		
2F		Mary Francis m Keith Gillis 15/3/92	10/11/1971	Miami FL		
3F		Elizabeth Carol	31/12/1972	Miami FL		
4M		David Raymond	17/10/1974	Miami FL		

Source

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
Catherine Estelle Lewis		Name	Carole (Carl) Edwards
#2/24/1931 Miami, Fl.		Born	1/9/19
5/14/19 Miami, Fl.		Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
Herbert Clayton Lewis		Father	
Dorothy Estelle Zumwalt		Mother	
husband		Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	§	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
		None				

Source _____ By _____

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
BOBBY JEAN LEWIS		Name	Roger Duncan
July 15, 1934 - Miami, FL	FL	Born	April 11, 1931-Douglas, NEB.
Las Vegas, Nev.	Nov. 5, 57	Married	
		Died	August 11, 1991
		Burial	Escondido, CA
Herbert Clayton Lewis		Father	Lloyd Hall Duncan
Dorothy Estelle Zumwalt		Mother	Junita Carpenter
Authur Locke #1 husband		Other (if any)	wife
Notes B.J. LEWIS Baptized 1946			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	Sherry Anne Locke	6-1-53	Newport, RI	25-12-54	Miami, FL
		Father: Authur Locke				
1	M	Roger E. Duncan	26-1-59	Escondido-San Diego CA		
	m	Christina Romaine		Jan. 6, 1979	Div.	
	m	Romaine		Sept. 16, 1989		
2	F	Cathy Duncan	9-3-64	LaMesa SD, CA		

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
#2 ROMAINE		Name	ROGER E DUNCAN
March 23, 1959 Milwaukee, WS		Born	Jan. 26, 1959 Escondido, CA
		Married	Sept. 16 1989
		Died	
		Burial	
Raymond Maciejewski		Father	Roger D Duncan
Pearl Stencel		Mother	Bobby Jean Lewis
husband		Other (if any)	wife
Notes #1 wife: Christina Arenas -mother of Children 1,2,3			
#2 wife: Romaine Maciejewski-mother of twin boys			

Date married & spouse

#	S	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	Roger Anthony	10-4-81	Escondido, CA	(San Diego)	
2	F	Anamda Marie	19-5-83	Escondido, CA	"	
3	F	Melissa Christine	19-10-85	Escondido, CA	"	
		Mother: Romaine				
1	M	Randy Michael	19-5-91	Reno, NV	19-5-91	Reno, NV
2	M	Rusty Matthew	19-5-91	Reno, NV	19-5-91	Reno, NV

Source _____ By _____

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
CATHY DUNCAN		Name	BILL MITCHELL
March 9, 1964-LaMesa, CA		Born	May 21, 1964 Santa Barbara, CA
LaJolla, CA	Aug 16, 86	Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
Roger D. Duncan		Father	William John Mitchell
Bobbie Jean Lewis		Mother	Shirley Beasley
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes infor: Bobby Jean Lewis Feb., 1995			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	Danica Lynne	13-9-89	San Diego, CA		
2	F	Lindsey Alexandra	11-1-92	San Diego, CA		

Source

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TALKING TO HERBERT CLAYTON LEWIS: APR. 7, 1993 LAKELAND, FL.
LAKELAND, FL.
LOOKING THRU THE PHOTOGRAPHS-VERY OLD PHOTOS

UNCLE JOHN WESLEY MAYO WAS A WORKMAN
I'VE NEVER HEARD OF ALVA-NO MITTIE. DO YOU REMEMBER UNCLE , HE WAS A
MAILMAN

RYAN WORKED AT THE SAWMILL. ONE DAY A PIECE OF LUMBER HIT HIM.
AUNT MYRA, UNCLE WADE, IRENE AND ALL OF THEM LIVED
ANNIE LAURA MET JESSE MILES AT A DANCE. MARRIED IN BAGDAD, FL. THAT SOUNI
LIKE HER. A REALLY BEAUTIFUL LADY.

DID YOU KNOW YOUR GRANDPARENTS?

MAYO-YES, I KNEW THEM JAMES

J MAYO WAS A FARMER. S E
KNOW ANYBODY PAST THEM?

JESSE-THIS IS FROM THE ARCHIVES. HE WAS A CONFEDERAT SOLDIER AND FOUGHT
THE INDIAN WAR IN FL. HE DIED IN 1899.

GRAND MA MILKED A COW. I WAS OUT THERE WITH HER ONE DAY AND SHE SQUIRTED
MILK RIGHT IN MY MOUTH (LAUGHTER)

OTHER GRANDDADDY "COOT" HAD CONNECTIONS WITH THE LUMBER MILL-THAT IS THE
REASON DADDY WORKED IN THE SAWMILL.

NICIE 1880- JESSE AND NANCY

NICIE (STRICKLAND) WAS 18 YRS. OLD

COOT, NICIE, RUBE, NANCY AND MARTHA MARRIED HIGHNOTES

(ON 1800'S CENSUS) COUNTRY OF ORIGIN-ENGLISH- I GUESS THAT IS OUR COUNTRY
OF ORIGIN.

JESSE-NANCY JANE COBB BORN 1815 MARRIED 1837, BORN ROBINSON POINT-HAD 13
CHILDREN. IN 1870 CENSUS "COOT" WAS IN MILTON, FL.

THAT'S MY GRANDDADDY. HE WAS WELL KNOWN A LOT, OWNED A LOT OF PROPERTY IN
BAGDAD, FL.

FIRST JESSE? BORN IN SC. SHE WAS BORN IN GA, MARRIED IN GA, LIVED IN AL
AND FL.

THAT IS HOW I TRACED HIM.

THIS IS YOUR GREAT GRAND-WHAT DID HE DO?

I REMEMBER DADDY, UNCLE FRANK, UNCLE RUBE-

DO YOU KNOW IN THE DEEDS HE OWNED ALMOST ALL OF BAGDAD AND ROBINSON POINT
FL. THERE ARE NEWSPAPER ARTICLES ABOUT HIM, WHERE HE CAME IN AND BOUGHT UP
(LATER) FOUND OUT IT WAS GIVEN TO HIM-JESSE-FROM THE INDIAN WARS) ALL THIS
LAND

WELL NOW, "COOT" LEWIS-DOES IT-IS IT "COOT" OR JESSE HAD IT FIRST?

JESSE HAD IT FIRST, "COOT" IN 1870, M ,RB AND MOVED TO BAGDAD IN 1837.

"COOT" GRANDDADDY-OWNED A LOT OF

A. FRANCIS MARRIED LEONARD HIGHNOTE. DURING A STORN, HE OWNED A LOT OF
BOATS-AND HE WENT OUT IN HIS LITTLE BOAT AND HE DROWNED OUT THERE. (BLACK
RIVER?)

THAT WAS LEONARD HIGHNOTE. AUNT FRANCIS

"COOT" BORN IN 1861 IN MILTON, FL. NICIE BORN IN PENSACOLA, FL. FIRST SON
WAS GEORGE.

JESSE MILES WAS MY DADDY.

GEORGE, NEVER DID KNOW UNCLE GEORGE. WHY? HE DIDN'T DIE UNTIL 1966.

I HAVE NO IDEA. AND HE WAS BORN IN BAGDAD, FL.





H. Clayton-Deta.



FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
ADDIE PEARL LEWIS		Name	ALBERT JOEL BEACH
12/3/1912	Bagdad FL	Born	12/20/05 Sumter, SC
Ft. Lauderdale FL	5/6/17	Married	
Richland Hills, TX	3/16/92	Died	7/10/76 Miami FL
Miami Memorial Park-Miami FL		Burial	same
Jesse Miles Lewis		Father	Henry Dinkins Beach
Annie Laura Mayo		Mother	Kate Elizabeth Weeks
husband		Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	JOYCE ANN	05/03/31	Miami FL		
	m	Oscar Lee Nelson				
	m	Harrison Roland Murphy				
		KNOWN ADDRESSES:	source: Bible-APL			
		1166 NW 7th Court	Miami FL			
		627 NW 22nd Street	Miami FL			
		752 NW 22 Court	Miami FL			
		2420 SW 19th Street	Miami FL			
		401 Aurelia Ave.	Coral Gables FL			

Source

By

APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE C. J. NO. 2264

Name A. J. Beach Address Miami, Fla.
 Age 22 Color White Birthplace Sumpter, S. C.
 Married before? No Divorced? No Where? _____ Occupation Mechanic
 Name Pearl Lewis Address Fort Lauderdale, Fla.
 Age 16 Color White Birthplace Bay Point, Fla.
 Married before? No Divorced? No Where? _____ Occupation Cashier

STATE OF FLORIDA, Broward
 COUNTY OF Broward

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared

J. M. Lewis and
Ann L. Lewis
 who being first duly sworn, depose and say that They the parents of the said Pearl Lewis who is 16 years of age, and that They do hereby consent to the marriage of the said Pearl Lewis to A. J. Beach

J. M. Lewis
Ann L. Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this, the 6th day of May, 1928.

Forrest D. Shippey
 Notary Public

Notary No. 48

It is expected that

Forrest D. Shippey
 Address Thunderbolt, Fla.
 will perform the ceremony.

STATE OF FLORIDA, Broward
 COUNTY OF Broward

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared the persons above named, who, being first duly sworn, depose and say that the information given by each of them as above set forth is true and correct, and that neither of them are married at this time and that they are not related within the prohibited degree.

A. J. Beach
Pearl Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this, the 6th day of May, 1928.

Forrest D. Shippey
 Notary Public

BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA
 I certify this document to be a true and correct copy of the original.
 WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL
 on OCT 30 1991
 ROBERT E. LOCKWOOD, Clerk
 BY Dorothy Little C.
 (Validated by authorized original signature only)

THIS IS TO CERTIFY

That A. J. Beach of Miami
In the State of Florida and Earl Lewis
of Fort Lauderdale, Broward County, in the State of Florida,

were by me joined together in

HOLY MATRIMONY

on the sixth day of May, in the

year of our Lord, 1928.

Witness A. C. Lewis George Whippy

Witness J. H. Springblood Notary Public

DON'T SAY IT - -

Write It!

To.....JOYCE ANN BEACH.....

Date MAY 30, 1989.....

From..MOTHER-ADDIE PEARL LEWIS BEACH..

Subject: FIGHT: CLAYTON & RAYMOND....THEY HAD HAD AN ARGUMENT, AND WERE

FIGHTING. FISTFIGHT..I WAS WASHING DISHES AND THEY MOVED THEIR FIGHTING INTO THE KITCHEN. RAYMOND HAD A BUTCHER KNIFE, ABOUT TWELVE INCHES LONG. HE WAS YELLING, " I"M GONNA KILL YOU". I GOT BETWEEN THEM AND TRIED TO STOP THE FIGHT. I TRIED TO GET THE KNIFE. AS I GRAEBED FOR IT I GOT THE BLADE AND RAYMOND PULLED. AS HE DID MY LEFT THUMB WAS HANGING, WHERE HE HAD PULLED THE KNIFE HE HAD CUT MY THUMB OFF. IT WAS HANGING. MOTHER HEARD THE SCREAMING AND RAN INTO THE KITCHEN. SHE WAS GOING TO SWITCH US ALL. I KEPT SAYING MOTHER I DIDNT DO ANYTHING. SHE SAW MY HAND AND WRAPPED A KITCHEN TOWEL AROUND IT. SHE TOOK ME TO THE DOCTOR AND HE SEWED IT BACK ON. THE THUMB IS STILL STIFF AND HALF THE SIZE OF THE RIGHT ONE. WHEN WE GOT BACK SHE SWITCHED THEM AND THEY WERE NOT ALLOWED OUT OF THE YARD FOR THE REST OF THE DAY. MOTHER NEVER MEANT TO BE MEAN BUT SHE MEANT FOR US TO BEHAVE.

CHURCH: SUNDAY SCHOOL AT FIRST BAPTIST AT HOLT. LUCILLE CORSON WAS MY BEST FRIEND. WE WENT TO SCHOOL TOGETHER AND SUNDAY SCHOOL TOGETHER. I WAS BAPTIZED--DIPPED AT THIS CHURCH.

LUCILLE WAS MORE ADVENTUROUS THAN I WAS. SHE TRIED SMOKING. ONE AFTERNOON WE WERE IN HER ROOM AND SHE TRIED A CIGARETTE. AFTER SHE HAD A COUPLE OF DRAGS SHE WOULD PUT THE CIG. OUT AND THEN STUFF IT IN ONE OF THE KNOT HOLES IN THE WOOD IN HER BEDROOM. IT IS A WONDER THAT THE HOUSE DIDN" T CATCH FIRE BUT SHE WAS LUCKY. HER PARENTS WOULD HAVE KILLED HER IF THEY HAD KNOWN.

LUCILLES PARENTS HAD KINDA LIKE A RESTURANT..

MY FAME WAS MY BISCUITS. AS FAR BACK AS I CAN REMEMBER, MOTHER WOULD STAND ME ON A BOX IN FRONT OF A KITCHEN TABLE AND PUT THE FLOUR IN A MIXING BOWL. SIFTED THE FLOUR IN THE BOWL, ADD THE BAKING POWDER, THE LARD, POUR THE MILK IN AND MIX IT UP. I MEASURED EVERYTHING WITH MY EYES AND WITH THE FEEL OF THE DOUGH. I ROLLED THE BISCUIT IN MY PALMS THEN FLATTENED THEM OUT ON THE BISCUIT PAN, ONE THAT HAD BEEN USED SO MUCH IT WAS BLACK WITH AGE. I WATCHED TO BE SURE NOT TO BURN THEM. A BURNED BISCUIT IS THE SORRIEST THING IN THE WORLD. IF THEY EVER BURNED I JUST LEFT THEM OUT OR FED THEM TO THE DOGS....

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
JOYCE ANN BEACH		Name	OSCAR LEE NELSON, JR.
Miami, FL	3/5/31	Born	2/25/31 Orlando FL
Riverside Baptist	8/4/53	Married	Div. 11/ 75
		Died	
		Burial	
Albert Joel Beach		Father	Oscar Lee Nelson, Sr.
Addie Pearl Lewis		Mother	Marion Elizabeth Redfearn
Harrison R. Murphy husband		Other (if any)	wife
Notes			
2nd marriage-Feb. 15, 1977			
DIV. 5/96			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	RICHARD LEE	25/9/57	Atlanta, GA		

Source _____ By _____

ANCESTOR CHART NO. _____

Date _____
 Name of compiler _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____
 Person No. 1 on this chart is identical to person _____ on chart No. _____
 No. _____

b Date of birth _____
 pb Place of birth _____
 m Date of marriage _____
 d Date of death _____
 pd Place of death _____

2 **NELSON, OSCAR LEE JR.**
 b 2/25/1931 (Member of No. 1)
 pb ~~Atlanta~~, Florida, **Orlando**
 m 8/4/1953 Miami, Fl.
 d
 pd
 div. 11/ /1975

1 **NELSON, RICHARD LEE**
 b 9/25/1957
 pb Atlanta, Georgia
 m
 d
 pd

3 **BEACH, JOYCE ANN**
 b 3/5/1931 (Member of No. 1)
 pb Miami, Florida
 d 8/4/1953-Miami, Fl
 pd
 div. 11/ /1975

4 **Nelson, Sr. Oscar Lee**
 b 12/1/1901 (Member of No. 3)
 pb Ala.
 m Black Mt. N.C.
 d
 pd

5 **Redfearn, Marion Elizabeth**
 b Aug. 4, 1905 (Member of No. 2)
 pb GA.
 m
 d
 pd

6 **Beach, Albert Joel**
 b 12/20/1905 (Member of No. 3)
 pb Sumter, SC
 m 5/6/1927 Ft. Lauderdale, Fl.
 d 7/10/1977
 pd Miami, Fl.
 Miami Memorial Cemetery

7 **Lewis, Addie Pearl**
 b 12/3/1912 (Member of No. 3)
 pb Bagdad, Fl.
 m
 d 5/6/1927
 pd

b (Father of No. 4)
 pb
 m
 d
 pd

b (Mother of No. 4)
 pb
 m
 d
 pd

b (Father of No. 5)
 pb
 m
 d
 pd

b (Mother of No. 5)
 pb
 m
 d
 pd

12 **Beach, Henry Dinkins**
 b 5/30/ (Father of No. 6)
 pb Calarendon, SC
 m 12/25/1958-Miami, Fl
 d
 pd

26 **Weeks, Kate Elizabeth**
 b 4/20/1880 (Member of No. 8)
 pb Sumter, SC
 m
 d

27 **Myers, June Sarah**
 b 1/3/1937
 pb Miami, Fl. Miami
 m Memorial Cemetery
 d

29 **JESSE MILES LEWIS**
 b 1/7/1884 (Father of No. 7)
 pb 3/3/1907
 m 12/6/1958
 d
 pd

15 **ANNIE LAURA MAYO**
 b 4/6/1892 (Member of No. 7)
 pb Tomsuiber, MS
 m 1/9/1981
 d
 pd

16 (Father of No. 8) Continued on chart

17 (Mother of No. 8) Continued on chart

18 (Father of No. 9) Continued on chart

19 (Mother of No. 9) Continued on chart

20 (Father of No. 10) Continued on chart

21 (Mother of No. 10) Continued on chart

22 (Father of No. 11) Continued on chart

23 (Mother of No. 11) Continued on chart

24 **Beach, Joel Larrisey**
 b (Father of No. 12) Continued on chart
 m Collinton-Waterboro, SC
 d

25 **Hicks, Sara Jane**
 b (Mother of No. 12)
 m Calarendon Co. SC-Maysville,
 d

26 **Weeks, Albert H.**
 b (Father of No. 13) Continued on chart
 m Sumter, SC
 d

27 **Myers, June Sarah**
 b (Mother of No. 13)
 m Richland, SC
 d 12/9/1840

28 **Wm. SHERWOOD LEWIS**
 b 3/9/1859 (Father of No. 14)
 pb 6/1/1881
 m 11/1/1919
 d

30 **NICIE ANN STRICKLAND**
 b 8/16/1867 (Mother of No. 15)
 m 3/21/1937
 d

31 (Mother of No. 15) Continued on chart

Refer to name and number

CERTIFIED COPY

FULL NAME OF CHILD RICHARD LEE NELSON		# 15775	
DATE OF BIRTH Sept 25, 1957	BOY OR GIRL Male	IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? 4. YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	
PLACE OF BIRTH NAME OF COUNTY Fulton		USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER 9. COUNTY DeKalb	
NAME OF CITY OR TOWN Atlanta IN CITY LIMITS YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		10. NAME OF CITY OR TOWN Chamblee ZONE IN CITY LIMITS YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	
NAME OF HOSPITAL Georgia Baptist Hospital		11. STREET ADDRESS OR R.F.D. AND BOX NO. 5015 Blackburn Way	
HOW LONG WAS MOTHER IN THIS COUNTY BEFORE DELIVERY 5 hrs		12. STATE Georgia	
FATHER OF CHILD FULL NAME Oscar Lee Nelson, Jr.		MOTHER OF CHILD 18. MAIDEN NAME Joyce Ann Beach	
RACE White	15. AGE AT TIME OF THIS BIRTH 26	19. RACE White	20. AGE AT TIME OF THIS BIRTH 26
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Orlando, Florida.		21. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Miami, Florida.	
USUAL OCCUPATION Salesman		22. USUAL OCCUPATION Teacher	
NUMBER OF OTHER CHILDREN NOW LIVING 0	24. NUMBER OF OTHER CHILDREN BORN ALIVE - NOW DEAD 0	25. NUMBER OF FETAL DEATHS OF ANY GESTATION AGE 0	
PARENT OF INFANT SIGN HERE Mrs. Oscar L. Nelson, Jr.		RELATIONSHIP TO INFANT Mother	
LOCAL REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <i>Kate Pierce</i>		DATE FILED Oct. 2, 1957	MILITIA DISTRICT

STATE OF GEORGIA

CITY OF Fulton

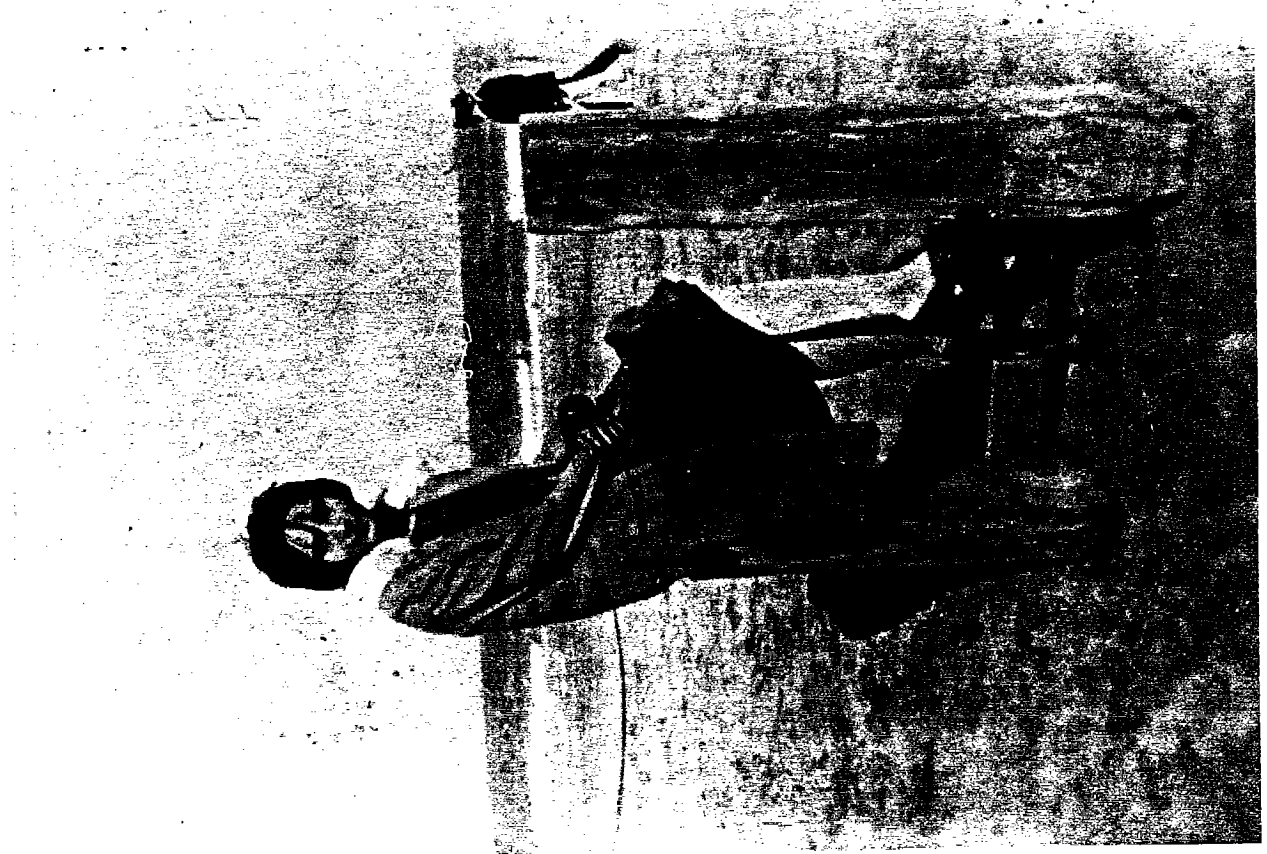
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND CORRECT RECORD ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE.

(SIGNED) J. J. Hedberg MD.
(ORDINARY) (HEALTH OFFICER)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

ADM-5.11

CERTIFICATE OF
LIVE BIRTH





PEARL & ALBERT'S 43RD ANNIVERSARY

AGNES - ARRON - CLAUDIA - DEVA - CLAYTON - CARL

GRACE - KATIE - JAN - DUFFY

BILL - EDWIN - MARGARET - BOB

CAROLYN

ANNIE - PEARL - ALBERT - JIM - LEE

BETTY / CHERRON - JOYCE





Joyce & Ric

"WHERE HAVE ALL THE GOOD TIMES GONE?"

I HAVE A HOME IN MIAMI. ALL THROUGH MY LIFE I HAVE HATED, DREADED TO MOVE. EVEN FURNITURE. AS A CHILD I WANTED EVERYTHING TO STAY IN ITS PLACE. I FELT AS THOUGH IF SOMETHING STAYED IN ITS PLACE I WOULD BE SAFE. WHY I SHOULD FEEL INSECURE, I DON'T KNOW. I SURELY HAD THE BEST PARENTS IN THE WORLD AND A FAMILY THAT TREATED ME AS A LITTLE PRINCESS. BEING THE FIRST "BEACH" GRANDCHILD, MY GRANDMOTHER BEACH CARED FOR ME AS A SOUTHERN LADY. MY GRANDMOTHER LEWIS TREATED ME AS SHE DID ALL OF THE OTHER GRANDCHILDREN AND LESS THAN MY UNCLE LLOYD WHO WAS THREE YEARS YOUNGER THAN I.

NOW AFTER ALL OF THE MOVES I HAVE MADE, I MUST MOVE AGAIN. I THINK MY HEART SHALL BE TORN OUT OF ME BUT IT IS THE ONLY THING TO DO. THE JOY OF IT WILL BE THAT WE WILL BE NEAR MY SON. HE IS SO PRECIOUS TO ME. HE HAS BEEN LOOKING FOR A HOME OR CONDO FOR US FOR THE PAST MONTH. EVERY DAY OR SO HE CALLS SOMETIMES TWICE A DAY. NOW I HAVE JUST FOUND A POEM- CAN'T REMEMBER WHERE I FOUND IT BUT IT IS APPROPRIATE:

I WALK THROUGH A WORLD WHERE THE TOUCH
OF A HAND OR THE EYES OF A FRIEND
CAN GRASP MY SOUL AND,
DELERIOUS WITH THE PAIN, I CRY.
BEING HERE HAS BEEN ENOUGH
I HAVE BEEN HAPPY, LOVING AND LOVED.
BUT TO LIVE IS TO HAVE TO CHANGE
AND NOW IT CANNOT BE ENOUGH
HAVING FORSEEN THIS TIME HAS NOT EASED
THE PAIN.
NO AMOUNT OF PREPARATION CAN PREVENT
THE SOUL FROM LIVING THROUGH THIS AGONY.
TO SEE YOU MOST VULNERABLE AND AT YOUR
GREATEST STRENGTH
TO SEE THE TRANSCENDENT PAIN, THE
BLEEDING OF YOUR SOUL BECOMES MY OWN
TO NEVER HAVE BEEN ABLE TO TELL YOU
ALL THAT YOU HAVE BEEN, ALL THAT YOU ARE
ALL THAT YOU WILL ALWAYS BE TO ME.
BE WITH ME THROUGH THIS LAST
AND THEN- I LEAVE



THOUGHTS I CHERISH

'OH, THE COMFORT, THE INEXPRESSIBLE
COMFORT OF FEELING SAFE WITH A PERSON-
HAVING NEITHER TO WEIGH THOUGHT NOR
MEASURE WORDS, BUT POURING THEM ALL
OUT JUST AS THEY ARE. CHAFF AND GRAIN
TOGETHER; AS CERTAIN THAT A FAITHFUL
HAND WILL TAKE AND SIFT THEM, KEEP WHAT
IS WORTH KEEPING, AND WITH THE BREATH OF
LOVE, BLOW THE REST AWAY."

JB-1948

JESSE MILES LEWIS: MARGARET ESTELLE
FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
MARGARET ESTELLE LEWIS		Name	CHARLES ROBERT SCOGGINS (#3)
Mulat, FL Escambia Co FL	1/16/14	Born	2/13/16 Guilford Co NC
Dade Co Courthouse FL	8/5/68	Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
Jesse Miles Lewis		Father	Charles Lee Scoggins
Annie Laura Mayo		Mother	Mary Elizabeth Poole
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes Husband #1-Edward Watson New: father of Edwin, Bill & Richard Wade #2-Edward Gonzalez: father of Clayton Lee & Terry			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	Edwin Eugene	6/11/31	Miami, FL		
		Carolyn Maureen Williams-Dec. 30, 1956-Atlanta, GA				
2	M	William Harry	10/5/33	Miami, FL		
		Janice c Bernhardt-Oct. 25, 1958-Miami, FL				
3	M	Richard Wade				Miami, FL
4	M	Clayton Lee Gonzalez	12/4/38	Miami, FL		
		Elizabeth Ann Harvey-Oct. 6, 41-Miami, FL				
5	M	Terry G.	2/4/40	Miami, FL		
		Div.				

The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul; He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me; Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; Thou anointest my head with oil, my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

In Loving Memory of
CHARLES R. SCOGGINS

Entered Into Life

February 13, 1916

Entered Into Rest

October 8, 1988

Services

October 13, 1988

Thursday 1 PM
4850 Palm Avenue

Officiating

Rev. Grant Mc Donald

Interment

Flagler Memorial Park

Arrangements By

LOWE - HANKS FUNERAL HOMES
Hialeah, Florida



Honorable Discharge

This is to certify that
CHARLES R SCOGGINS 34 593 880 TECHNICIAN FIFTH GRADE
108TH EVACUATION HOSPITAL

Army of the United States

*is hereby Honorably Discharged from the military
service of the United States of America.*

*This certificate is awarded as a testimonial of Honest
and Faithful Service to this country.*

Given at SEPARATION CENTER
FORT BRAGG NORTH CAROLINA

Date 20 NOVEMBER 1945

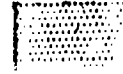
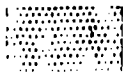
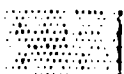
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entered in the office of the Register of Deeds

County in Book No. 5 page 393

19th day of April, 1946

J. H. [Signature]
S. A. REG. OF DEEDS

BEN B MABSON JR.
LT. COL. C. E.



FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
CAROLYN MAUREEN WILLIAMS		Name	EDWIN EUGENE NEW, SR
July 1, 1934		Born	MIAMI, FL Nov. 6, 1931
Dec. 30, 1956	Atlanta, GA	Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
Elmo Homer Williams		Father	Edwin Watson New
Gladys Fayne Stephens		Mother	Margaret Estelle Lewis
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	Donna Jean	8/12/57	Miami, FL		
2	F	Brynda Elaine	11/9/59	Miami, FL		
		m Keith Robert Miller	10/9/57			
3	M	Edwin Eugene, Jr.	16/11/60	Miami, FL		
		m Suzanne Tuggle	2/8/61			
4	M	Joseph Watson	19/8/63			
		m Tracy Ann Brookins	16/7/63			
5	M	James David	2/10/67			
		m Christina Pitt	2/11/55			

Source

By

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife				Husband	
BRYNDA ELAINE NEW			Name	KEITH ROBERT MILLER	
SEPT. 11, 1959		MIAMI, FL	Born		SEPT. 10, 1957
			Married		
			Died		
			Burial		
EDWIN EUGENE NEW			Father	ALEXANDER AUGUSTUS MILLER	
CAROLYN MAUREEN WILLIAMS			Mother	GLADYCE FLETCHER TYLDSLEY	
husband			Other (if any)	wife	
Notes					

Date married & spouse

#	S	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	ROBERT LLOYD	31/7/1984	Miami, FL		
2	F	CAROLYN ESTELLE	11/12/1985	Miami, FL		
3	M	"Will" WILLIAM EUGENE	11/7/1993	Miami, FL		

Source

By

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
Suzanne		Name	Edwin Eugene, Jr.
		Born	June 11, 1960 Miami, FL
		Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
		Father	Edwin Eugene New, Sr.
		Mother	Carolyn Maureen Williams
husband		(Other if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	Michael Edwin	26/2/1986			
2	F	Eileen Ranae	24/2/1988			
3	M	Daniel Mark	15/2/1990			
4	M	Stephen Riley	7/6/1992			

Source

By

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
Tracy Ann Brookins		Name	Joseph Watson New
Miami, FL	16/7/63	Born	8/19/63 Miami, FL
		Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
		Father	Edwin Eugene New, SR
		Mother	Carolyn Maureen Williams
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	Ryan Wesley	23/11/90	Miami, FL		

Source

By

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
Isabel Christina Pitt		Name	James David New
Santiago, Cuba	2/11/55	Born	10/2/67
		Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
William Arthur John Pitt		Father	Edwin Eugene New, SR
Bertha Julia Wasmer		Mother	Margaret Estelle Lewis
Paul Wesley Deering	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	Victoria Eliz. Deering	10/11/82	Miami, FL		
2	F	Amanda Suzanne	9/3/92	Miami, FL		
3	M	Wesley Corbin	6/1/95	Miami, FL		

Source

By







FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
Janice Christen Bernhardt		Name	William Harry New "Bill"
Jan 6, 1938		Born	May 10, 1933 Miami, FL
Oct. 25, 1958	Miami, FL	Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
-JAMES THOMAS BERNHARDT, JR		Father	Edwin Watson New
LYDIA CHRISTENE CORBITT		Mother	Margaret Estelle Lewis
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	S	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	Amy Annette	15/3/1960	Miami, FL		
		m Ellis Clyde Mc Clain			ch: Brenna Kate 1/26/95	
2	F	Susan Rebecca	27/4/1961	"		
3	M	William Harry Jr.	2/8/1963	"		
		m Alicia			ch: MADISON LEE 2/96	

Source

By

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
AMY ANNETTE NEW		Name	ELLIS CLYDE MCCLAIN
Miami, FL	3/16/60	Born	1/27/59
Atlanta, GA	3/7/92	Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
William Harry New		Father	Thomas Lamar McClain
Janice C Bernhardt		Mother	Leona Deagin
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	Brenna Kate McClain	25/1/95	Atlanta, GA		

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD WM. HARRY NEW, JR.

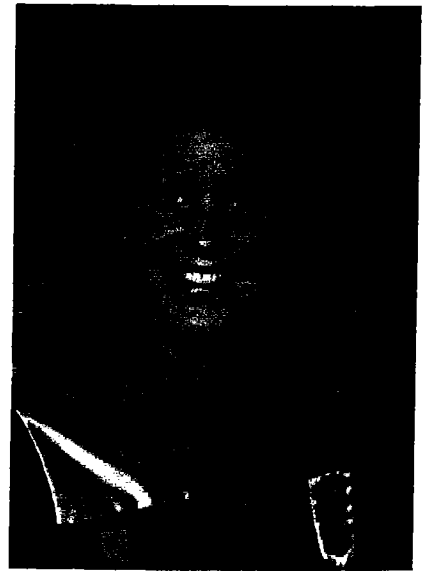
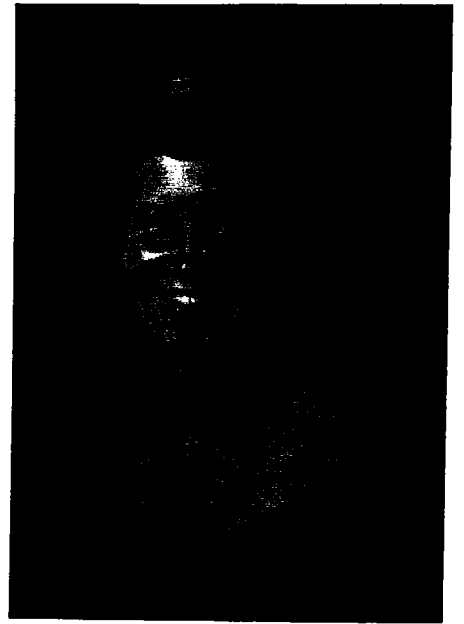
Wife		Husband		
ALICIA CLAIR LARKIN		Name	WM. HARRY NEW, JR.	
CAIRO, GA	8/22/70	Born	8/2/63	MIAMI, FL
		Married	7/18/92	WHIGHAM, GA
		Died		
		Burial		
WENDELL CLAUDE LARKIN		Father	WM. HARRY NEW, SR	
CLARANELL WILLIAMS		Mother	JANICE C. BERNHARDT	
	husband	Other (if any)	wife	
Notes				

Date married & spouse

#	S	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	MADISON LEE	FEB. 96			

Source

By



FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
LEE ANN GONZALEZ		Name	DAVIE YOUNGH
Miami FL	3/3/60	Born	
		Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
Clayton Lee Gonzalez		Father	
Elizabeth Ann Harvey		Mother	
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	BRET DAVID	4/25/85	Miami FL		
2	F	AMY ELIZABETH	12/22/88	Miami FL		

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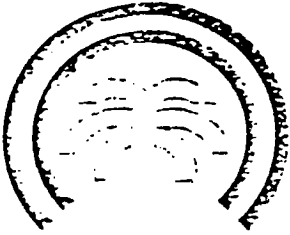
FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
		Name	Terry Gonzalez
		Born	Apr. 2, 1940 Miami, FL
		Married	
		Died	
		Burial	
		Father	Edward Gonzalez
		Mother	Margaret Estelle Lewis
husband		Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	M	Dominague	OCT., 1961	Miami, FL		
		m ARLENEIS	8/23/80	Miami, FL		
2	F	Jennifer Christina	15/6/1978	Miami, FL		

Source _____ By _____



City of Miami

Richard L. Fosmoen
City Manager

February 5, 1981

Firefighter Terry Gonzalez
Miami Fire Department

Dear Firefighter Gonzalez:

It is with great pleasure to inform you that you have been selected the 1980 "Outstanding Employee of the Year" for the City of Miami.

Your motivation, initiative and professional ability to handle unique and very technical situations as well as convincing citizens of the importance of fire safety regulations makes you one of the finest of the City of Miami's employees. Your ability to handle public education assignments as well as encouraging the cooperative exchange of ideas and information with various Fire Departments in South American countries and the Fire Department's reliance on you as a classroom training instructor because of your field expertise exemplifies in every aspect the qualities of an outstanding employee. You and your department have every right to be proud of your accomplishments as is the City of Miami.

By way of recognition you will receive a \$500 check, a plaque and a certificate.

At a date yet to be set, you will receive the \$500 check in my office at which time you will be invited to a luncheon, along with your spouse and Department Head, in your honor. The plaque and certificate will be presented to you by the Mayor of the City of Miami at a future Commission meeting.

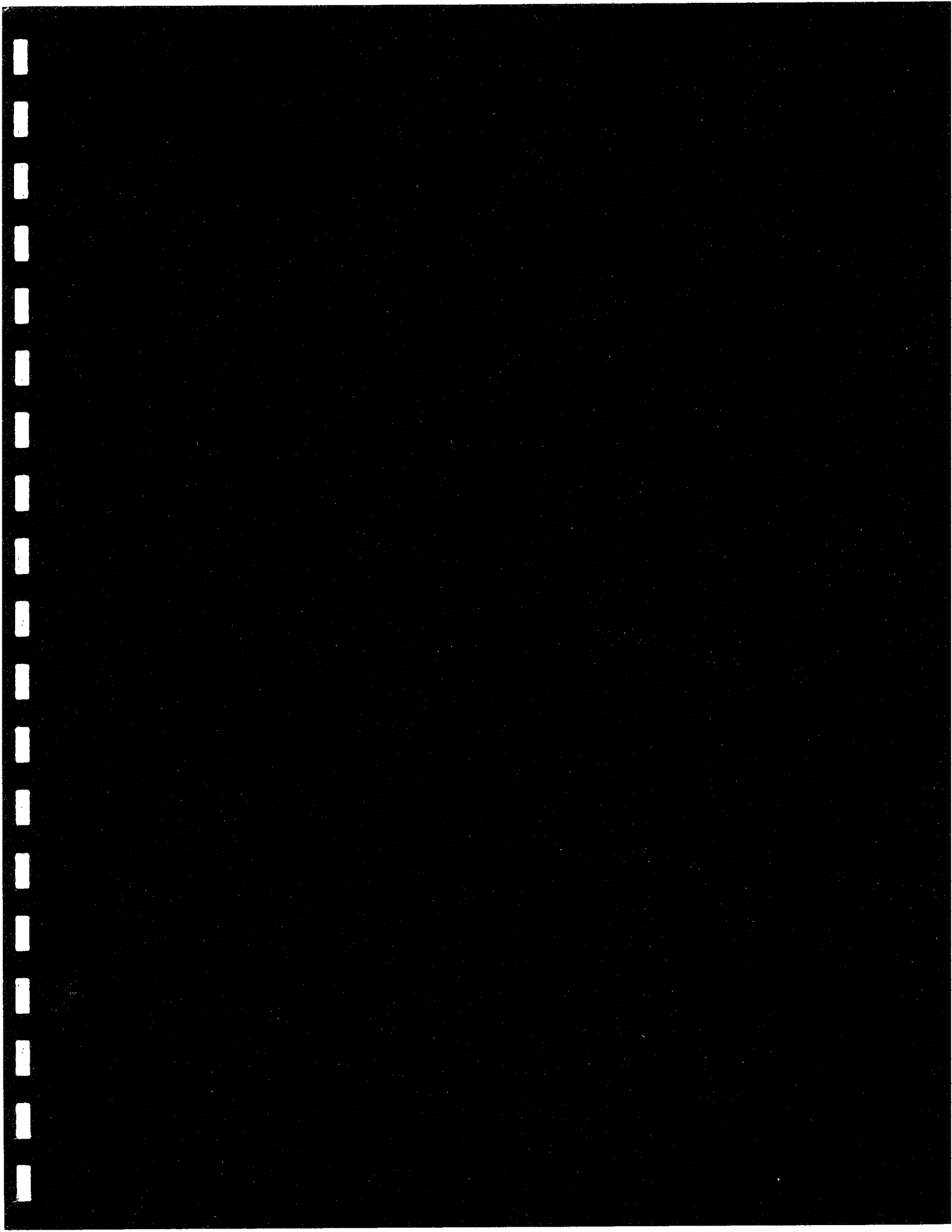
This letter of commendation will be made a permanent part of your personnel file. Again, my congratulations for being selected the 1980 "Outstanding Employee of the Year" of the City of Miami.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "R. Fosmoen".

Richard L. Fosmoen
City Manager

cc: Department Head
Human Resources Dept. - Personnel File



HISTORY SHEET

Surname: LEWIS

Given name: BETTY RUTH

Date of record:

Source: Betty Ruth Lewis Duffield

Talking to Bet: Can you give me the places where you and Duffy lived?

NW 57th St & 7 Ave: 1943-no noise and no children

1025 Beach Ave, Jacksonville FL (Atlantic Beach) NOV 1943

Duffy shipped out the fall of 1944. Betty was with Margaret until Eddie G. came home.

Then moved in with Ma and Pop until Duffy came home 1945

6795 SW 18th St. Miami, FL Mackle house-1945

Walter was born at NW 15th Ave and 61st Street NW

750 NW 22nd Place (next door to Pearl) Richard was born there in Jan. of 1952

With Ma 1497 NW 59th St.

110 E. 44th St. Hialeah RE June 1952. Walter was in kindergarten.

5821 W. 2nd Ct. Hialeah FL 1963-64 Walter graduated from High School

In August of 1983 Duffy, Cherron and I moved to 902 Pineridge Dr. Valdosta GA.

We are still living there

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife	Husband
SHARON ANN ROBERTS	Name WALTER MILES DUFFIELD
	Born July 12, 1945
	Married
	Died
	Burial
	Father WILLIAM ALBERT DUFFIELD
	Mother BETTY RUTH LEWIS
husband	Other (if any) wife
Notes	

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
		CHERRON ANNE DUFFIELD	13/10/69	Hialeah, FL		
		married: 15/10/87		Valdosta, GA		
		CLIFFORD RAY MILEY	14/5/68	Hahira, GA		
		CHILDREN:				
	F:	JESSICA ANNE MILEY	24/10/88	Valdosta, GA		
	M:	C. R. MILEY (CLIFFORD RAY)	22/4/90	Valdosta, GA		
	M:	AUSTIN CHASE MILEY	23/1/96	VALDOSTA, GA		

Source

By

TYPE OR PRINT IN PERMANENT BLACK OR BLUE-BLACK INK

STATE OF GEORGIA CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH			Local File Number	125	State File Number	110-96-004559
2. CHILD'S NAME FIRST		3. MIDDLE	4. LAST	5. JR., II, ETC.	6. SEX (M or F)	7. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Year)
Austin		Chase	Miley		Male	January 23, 1996
8. TIME OF BIRTH		9. THIS BIRTH (Single, Twin, Triplet, Etc.)		10. IF NOT SINGLE SPECIFY BIRTH ORDER		
16:46 PM		Single				
11. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION OF BIRTH			12. HOSPITAL FACILITY NAME (If not Hospital, give Street and Number)			
Valdosta			South Georgia Medical Center			
13. IF NOT HOSPITAL, Specify			14. COUNTY OF BIRTH			
			Lowndes			
15. MOTHER'S NAME FIRST		16. MIDDLE	17. LAST	18. MAIDEN (Last Name)		
Cherron		Ann	Miley	Duffield		
19. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Year)		20. STATE OF BIRTH (If not U.S.A., Name Country)		21. RESIDENCE-STATE		22. COUNTY
October 13, 1969		Florida		Georgia		Lowndes
23. CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION			24. STREET AND NUMBER OF RESIDENCE			
Hahira			4196 Miley Lane			
25. MOTHER'S MAILING ADDRESS-IF SAME AS ABOVE, ENTER ZIP CODE					26. RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? (Yes or No)	
31632					No	
27. FATHER'S NAME FIRST		28. MIDDLE	29. LAST, JR., ETC.	30. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo., Day, Year)		31. STATE OF BIRTH (If not U.S.A., Name Country)
Clifford		Ray	Miley, Sr.	May 14, 1968		Georgia
32a. INFORMANT'S NAME (Type or Print)			32b. RELATION TO CHILD		33. PARENTS AUTHORIZE RELEASE OF INFORMATION TO SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION TO ISSUE THIS CHILD A SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (Yes or No)	
Cherron Miley			Mother		Yes	
34. I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE NAMED CHILD WAS BORN ALIVE AT THE PLACE AND TIME AS SHOWN ON THE DATA STATED ABOVE (Signature)			35. DATE SIGNED (Mo., Day, Year)		36. ATTENDANT AT BIRTH IF OTHER THAN CERTIFIER (Type or Print)	
<i>Brenda Corbin</i>			1-25-96		(Name) Margaret Smith 37. (Title) C.N.M.	
38. CERTIFIER (Type or Print)			39. PHYSICIAN'S MEDICAL LIC. NO.		40. CERTIFIER-MAILING ADDRESS (Street or R.F.D. No., City or Town, State, Zip)	
(Name) Brenda Corbin <i>Brenda Corbin</i>					2501 N. Patterson St. Valdosta, GA 31601	
41. REGISTRAR (Signature)			42. DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR (Mo., Day, Year)			
<i>Brenda Corbin Deputy Registrar</i>			1-25-96			

Form 3001A (Rev. 7-1-92)

This is to certify that this is a true and correct copy of the certificate filed with the Vital Records Service, Georgia Department of Human Resources. This certified copy is issued under the authority of Chapter 31-10, Vital Records Code of Georgia.

Michael R. Lawrie
State Vital Records Registrar
and Custodian, Director,
Vital Records Service

County Custodian *Brenda Corbin*
Issued by *Heiter Bassard*
Date: *April 22, 1996*
(Void without original signature and impressed seal.)

The Valdosta Daily Times

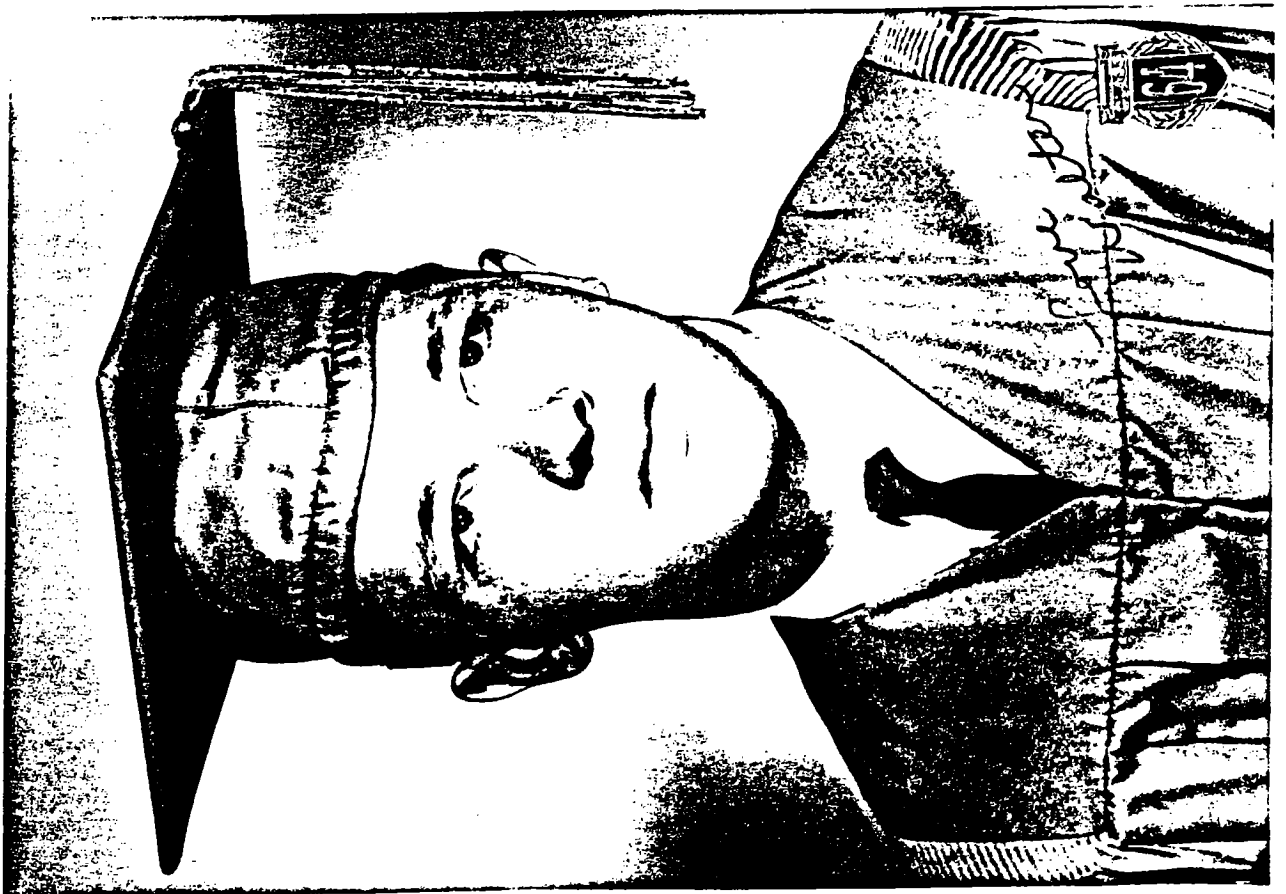
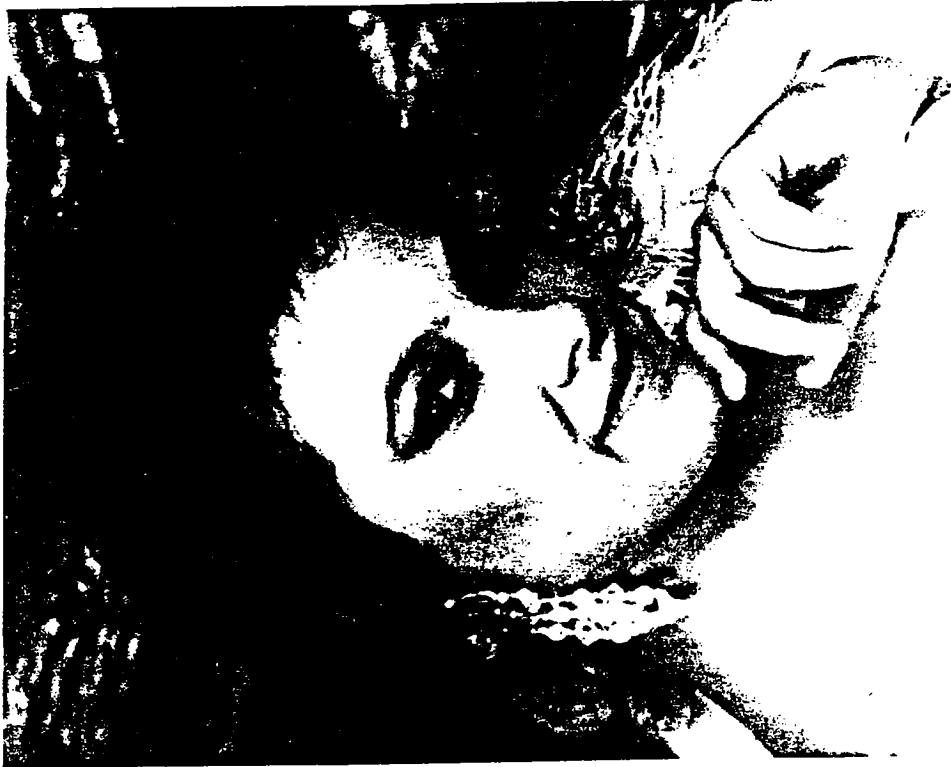
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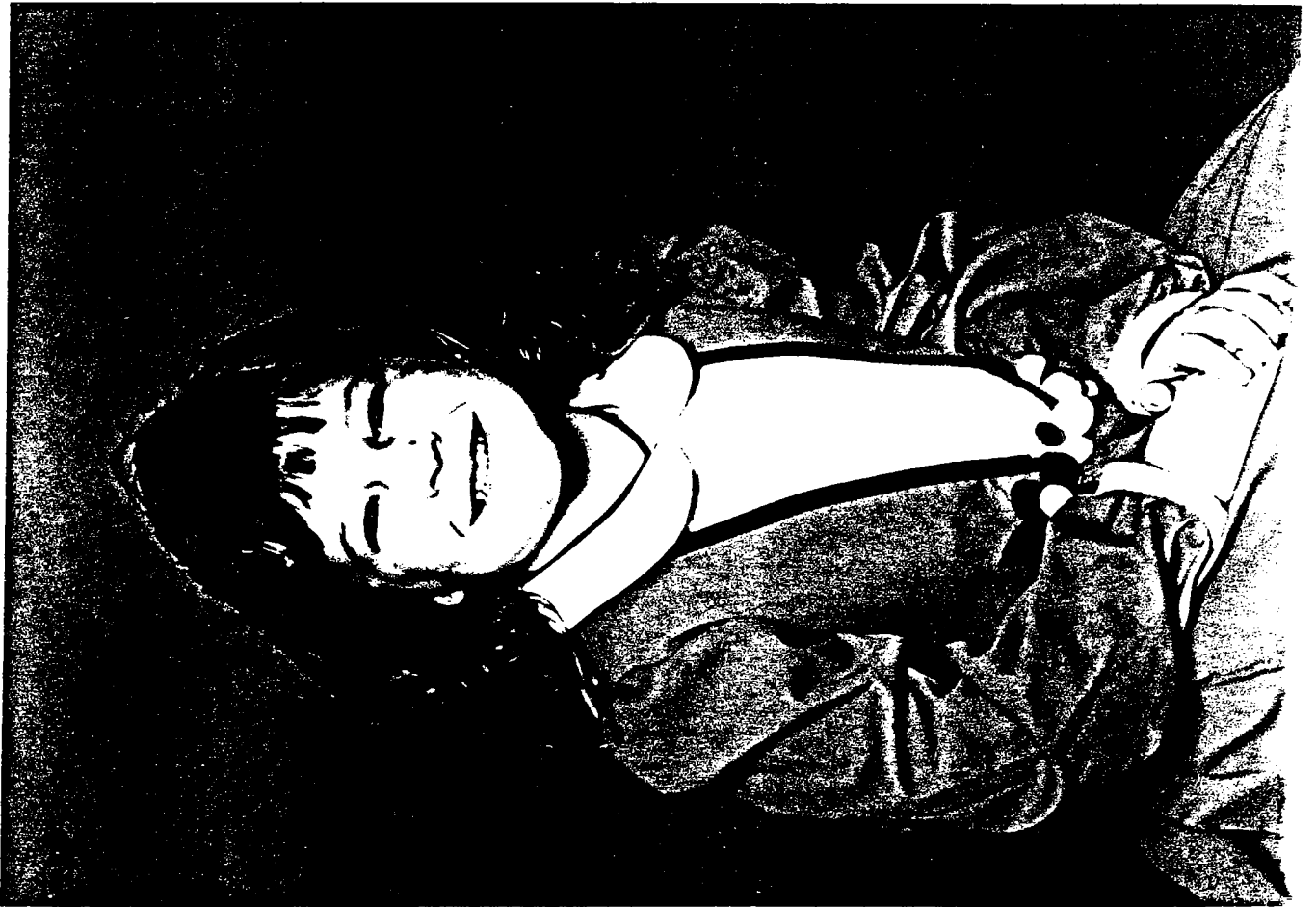
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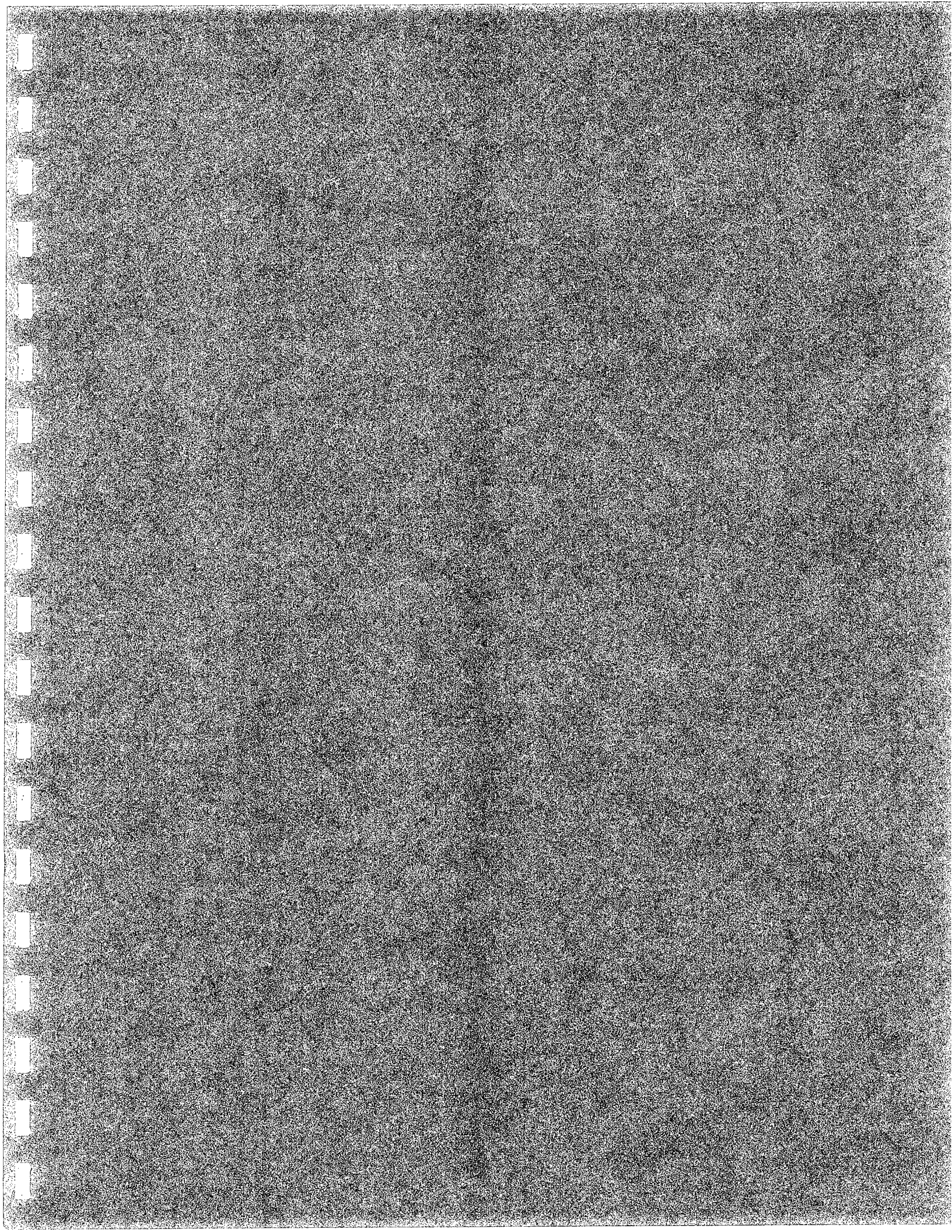
Austin Chase Miley was born Jan. 23 at South Georgia Medical Center to Clifford and Cherron Duffield Miley of Hahira.

The baby's grandparents are Walter Duffield of Halandale, Fla., and Patricia Hughes Miley of Valdosta. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Duffield and Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Hughes, all of Valdosta, and Ethel Miley of Hahira.













LEWIS

MISS TERRI A. 22 of Hialeah passed away March 17, 1981. Was a native Hialeah, a graduate of Hialeah-Miami Lakes High School Class of 1976, a graduate of Broward Community College, majoring in creative writing & poetry. Survived by parents, Mr. & Mrs. Harold L., brother, Harold L. Jr.; maternal grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. George Dohn. Family will receive friends 7-9 P.M. Wed (today) 7-9 P.M. Services 11:00 A.M. Thurs. **LOWE-HANKS FUNERAL CHAPEL, 4850 PALM AVE. Burial Vista Memorial Gardens.**

Book survives victim of rare disease

LUISA YANEZ
Miami News Staff

Harold Lewis says his sister, Terri, always wanted to be a writer — writing was a passion with her.

When Terri Lewis, 22, an English major at Broward Community College, died yesterday of a mysterious blood disease at Bennett Community Hospital in south Broward, she left a neatly typed, 900-page book — ready for a publisher — in her room at her Miramar home.

"She finished it just before she got sick three months ago. Terri had worked on it for three years, and her professor at Broward Community College, Betty Owen, was going to help her get it published," her brother said.

"I can't tell you what the book is about. I haven't been able to bring myself to read it, but I've heard it's fantastic."

Lewis says his sister's dream won't die with her.

"My parents are going to try to get it published. We're going to do all we can to see that she gets her wish."

Lewis says Broward Community College will also honor his sister. "They are offering a scholarship in her name, the Terri Lewis Creative Writing Scholarship," he said.

Terri died yesterday of double pneumonia, a com-

plication of a rare blood disease.

In addition to her brother, she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lewis, and her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dohn.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. today. Services will be at 11 a.m. tomorrow at the Lowe-Hanks Funeral Chapel, 4850 Palm Ave., Hialeah. Burial will be at Vista Memorial Gardens Cemetery, 14200 NW 54th Ave.

Terri's death was caused by an uncharted disease.

"Twenty doctors were working on her. They even wrote a research paper on her illness. Nobody knew what to call it. We still don't know what it was," said her brother.

When Terri, who graduated from Hialeah-Miami Lakes High School in 1976, went to the doctors, "they discovered her blood was breaking up. The enzymes in her blood were disintegrating," her brother said.

"Every time they gave a new transfusion, her blood would break up in her system again. She got so weak.

"But to the end, we believed, and so did she, that she'd get better. Through it all, she never complained. If the doctor told her to hold still she'd say, 'How long?' If they wanted to give her some strange medicine she'd say, 'Sure.'

"She had two operations. She never complained.

"She just wanted to get well and get back to her writing and studies."

