ESKRIDGE FAMILY ASSOC.

219 PROVIDENCE SQUARE DR.
CHARLOTTE, N.C. 28270

AUG 2 3 1993

DEAR ESKRIDGE COUSINS, RELATIONS, FRIENDS & LOYAL SUPPORTERS!!

ANNUAL MEETING — This year's annual meeting will convene in the Council House at Stratford Hall Plantation, located near Montross, in Westmoreland County, Virginia, on Saturday October 2, 1993 at 11:00 AM. We will hold our business meeting, adjourn for lunch, then reconvene at the Council House for our program. NEWS FLASH!! — THE COUNCIL HOUSE IS NOW AIR CONDITIONED!!

LUNCHEON — Bea Smith, our hostess at Stratford Hall Plantation, will serve a scrumptious luncheon of "Lee Baked Chicken".

RESERVATIONS FOR THE LUNCHEON ARE REQUESTED — The cost is $15 per person. Reservations should be made by September 25th. Please send checks payable to the Eskridge Family Association to Coz. Harry Eskridge, 219 Providence Square Drive, Charlotte, N.C. 28270 (NOTE NEW ADDRESS) and mark them in some way for the luncheon. Last minute reservations may be made by calling Coz. Harry or Coz. Cyndee at 704-366-0215 (after 6 PM). We always plan for a few extras, but we must give Stratford a final count 48 hours in advance.

PROGRAM -- Our special speaker is Mrs. Marie Black of Annandale, Va. Marie is associated with DAR, Colonial Dames of 17th Century, War of 1812, Women Writers Pen Group. She serves on the National DAR Speakers Bureau, as well as the Virginia Speakers Bureau. Her topic will be "Heirlooms" and will lead into a discussion of tracing ones roots -- where and how to begin. We expect our members that have done genealogical work to pitch in and participate to help those who are "new to the game".

TOURS — Tours of Stratford will be available at the discounted rate of $4 per person. No visit to an EFA Reunion is complete without a visit to Col. George's church, Yeocomico, and Sandy Point, site of his home. Special maps and arrangements will be available at the meeting.

OVERNIGHT ACCOMODATIONS -- We might suggest: Washington & Lee Motel (804-493-8092) and the Inn at Montross both of which are in nearby Montross; Days Inn Tappahannock, Va (804-443-9200) is fairly new and only 20 miles away; Westmoreland State Park, which contains compsites and cabins, is on state Route 3 not far from Stratford. In addition, accomodations at many national chains can be found in Richmond and Fredricksburg - each about 1 hour away.



DUES FOR 1993-1994 ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED

Submit your checks payable to the Eskridge Family Association to Coz Harry Eskridge 219 Providence Square Drive, Charlotte, N.C. 28270. Dues are $3 single, $5 joint (includes children under 18 at home). If you have never joined and would like to, send your $5 initiation fee and your first year's dues to Coz. Harry.

AGAIN, PLEASE NOTE NEW ADDRESS FOR COZ. HARRY!

COMPUTERS WILL OFFER HISTORIC CIVIL WAR DETAILS

By 1996, the National Park Service hopes to install computer terminals at 28 major civil war sites, from Fort Sumter to Shiloh. You should be able to type in an ancestor's name and retrieve information such as the ancestor's company, regiment and rank.

UPDATE — COZ. ELIZABETH COINER

Last fall Coz. Elizabeth moved to Shelby, NC to be near her nephew Richard Coiner. She first moved into an apartment but has since been moved into a nursing home. SHE WOULD WELCOME CARDS AND LETTERS. Health problems keep her from writing, so don't request or expect long answers. Her address is:

Miss Elizabeth Coiner
P.O. Box 3003
Shelby, N.C. 28151-3003

Cleveland Pines Nursing Center
1404 N. Lafayette St.
Shelby, N.C. 28150

QUESTIONS WE FREQUENTLY GET ASKED

Q. I haven't gotten a news letter since sometime last year, but I paid my dues, what happened? A. There is currently only one news letter per year, usually mailed 6-8 wks before the annual reunion. There has been some discussion of other letters, but dues would probably have to go up.

Q. When will the annual meeting be? A. We have established the first Saturday in October as the "normal" meeting time. Sometimes we have to move it 1 week either way because of conflicts and we have tried to have a summer meeting every 4 years to get more school age children to come.

Q. Where does my dues money go? A. Most of your dues money is eaten up in the cost of doing the news letter. The balance is used for the charitable donations the association makes on your behalf. Most of the balance we carry in our bank account is ear marked for special projects.

Q. How can I get a copy of Mrs. West's "A Genealogical History of the Eskridge Family"? A. We had delayed reprinting Mrs. West's history because Coz. Elizabeth has been working for several years on a revised version and because Mrs. West's history contains some errors. We've had so many requests, we will be reprinting this fall. Contact your secretary for information.

Q. What about some of the other literature that has been available? A. Again, some of this information has been a casualty of Coz. Elizabeth's health problems. Our secretary has been assigned the project of finding all information and determining cost to have it reproduced. A list should be available from your secretary before the end of the year.

Q. How much do the officers of the association get paid? A. The officers serve at your pleasure at no compensation. All are gainfully employed elsewhere and do their association tasks in addition to the other things that are demanded of them.

Q. I want to visit Montross, when are the archives open? A. The archives are open any time the Westmoreland County Museum is open.
They are kept in a locked file cabinet on the second floor. Please be sure they are kept neat and any files you remove are replaced.

THIS IS YOUR ASSOCIATION, IT'S ONLY AS GOOD AS YOU MAKE IT!!

WELCOME TO OUR WORLD NEW ESKRIDGES!!



Thomas Zachary (Zack) Eskridge 9/30/91 Son of M/M Larry K Eskridge
Adelle Elise Smith-Eskridge 10/19/91 Daughter of Kent M Eskridge & Laurie P Smith
Virginia Lee Wooten 8/17/88 Grandaughter of Lt Col/M Hoyt Dudley
Benjamin Michael Warren 5/25/92 son of M/M Claude M Warren IV, Grandson of Dr/M Claude M Warren III, Greatgrandson of Mrs Marshall Eskridge
Philip Pendleton Barbour Steptoe 3/3/93 Son of M/M Thomas W Steptoe, Jr.

RINGS, RICE AND THINGS



Christine E Knight (Kenner Prichart) to William Stephen Woods 12/20/92

THE MEMBERS OF EFA EXTEND OUR CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF:



Dr Ivanoel Gibbins, Duarte, Ca - Eskridge/Kenner - 5/5/92; Rudolf Giles Eskridge, Kansas City, Mo - John 3 -7/13/92; Mrs Helen Curnow, Frontenac, Ks - John 3 - 6/23/90; Mrs Linda Eskridge Adams, Enterprise, Fl 8/19/91; Mr Leslie K Black, Ft Cobb, OK - Sam 2 - 1/14/92; Mr George Konz, Matthews, NC - Spouse- 3/4/92; Mrs John H McLean, Chapel Hill, NC - John 3 - 10/22/92; Mrs Clarence D Wheeler - Newton-4/13/93; Lucy Ada Dunn Thomas, Kansas City, Ks - Sam 2 - 3/5/90; Nettie Merrick, Sacramento, CA - 8/19/92; Tracy Lynn Walker, Lanham, Md - Jno 3 - b 12/25/72, d 8/13/92; Worthy Caperton Eskridge, Vicksburg, Ms - Chas 3 -5/17/92; Lillian Eskridge, Baltimore, Md - 8/92;Mrs M K Quesenbury, Little Rock, Ar - Lt William - ?; Lucille H Eskridge - 7/91

The Association is especially saddened by the loss of an old friend and institution Rev. Treadwell Davison beloved husband of Coz Bee Davison. Anyone who ever attended an EFA reunion was greated with that familiar smile and warm handshake. Coz Treadwell passed away 5/30/93, Kinsale, Va.

UPDATE -- ESKRIDGE PORTRAITS

Last year, we advised you of the need to restore the portraits of George and Rebecca Eskridge that are housed at the Virginia Historical Society in Richmond. We need to raise $3000 and so far we're at about $1800. The two portraits are part of our legacy and as such, the Association feels a responsibility to help preserve these valuable assets. Won't you consider a TAX DEDUCTIBLE contribution to help put us over the top? Send monies to Coz. Harry.

UPDATE -- ENGLISH RESEARCH

We're nearing completion of phase II of our English research and feel we're closing in on Col. George. All roads continue to lead to Gressingham, Over-Kellet and the village of Eskrigg. We should finish phase II this fall and anticipate moving on into phase III soon thereafter. Donations are still being accepted for this project.

UPDATE -- ELECTION OF OFFICERS -- YOUR HELP NEEDED

Every two years, we elect new officers. This year, I have decided NOT to seek re-election. The pressure of time requirements for my public office and my family necessitate a change. I appreciate the opportunities you have afforded me in serving you. WE NEED NEW BLOOD -- if you would be interested in serving as president or in any other office, please contact me. My home phone is 304-725-0029.

UPDATE -- THE FAMILY TREE

The most important function of our association is the feed and nourish our family tree. For many years, we relied on Coz. Elizabeth to do all our work for us, but she can't do it anymore -- AND I DON'T KNOW HOW SHE EVER DID AS MUCH AS SHE DID!! This work is very important to the association and we must have help! As announced at last year's meeting, we have established genealogy/research groups for each of Col. George's sons and daughters, as well as one for Delaware and Sgt. Geoge of KY. Would you help us by volunteering to chair or co/chair on the the groups? Please contact me or our historian: Patricia Ridgely, 3709 S. George Mason Dr. #1406E, Falls Chruch, VA 22041.

ATTENTION DESCENDENTS OF SGT. GEORGE ESKRIDGE OF KENTUCKY

Coz. Hillis Eskridge would like to hear from all descendents of Sgt. George of Kentucky. You can reach him at:

100 West 5th St. Suite 800
Oklahoma City, OK 74103

We have never been able to prove a direct link to Col. George from this group, but hope these efforts will clear up some questions.

CONTRIBUTIONS

While dues, initiation fees and the luncheon are not tax deductible, contributions are. If you wish to make a contribution, please mark your check accordingly and send to Coz. Harry in Charlotte. A special THANK YOU goes out to those of you who have submitted such contributions in excess of $10 this year:

Ms Mary E Van Cleave	$10	M/M James R Eskridge	$20	Ms Mary Lee Konz	$10	M/M Thomas W. Steptoe, Jr.	$250
Dr/M Edward Wilson	$25	M/M Jack Eskridge	$30	Ms Mary Lewis	$22	M/M Edgar L McDaniel Jr.	$15
Dr/M Glen Garrison	$25	M/M Delbert Todd	$20	M/M E.A. Eskridge	$10	Col Graham E Beard	$44
Mr Nichol Eskridge	$10	Mr Floyd Wickenkamp	$10	Ms Kathryn M Waite	$10	Ms Yetive Ramsey	$20
Ms Sandra Ralson	$20	Mr John H. McLeod	$10	Ms Vicki J Wade	$17	Ms Joan Dimmitt	$10
M/M Larry K Eskridge	$10	Mr Jack Grantham Jr	$12	Dr/M Philip Steptoe	$50	Dr/M Charles D Eskridge	$10
Mr Ira K Eskridge	$31	Mrs Virginia Morey	$10	Mrs Elizabeth Cain	$10		
Mrs Marshall Eskridge	$297						

Anita R. Kenyon in memory of her brother Dr. Ivanel Gibbins $10
Janice Spangler in memory of her uncle Elbert Sanford Eskridge $20

EFA WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS

Mrs Mary Jo Smith, Covington, Ga; Mrs Edith Eskridge, Wilmington, DE; Mrs Vicki J Wade, Pittsfield, IL; Mrs Thelia Taylor, Oklahoma City, Ok; Mrs Katherine Redford, Richmond, Va; Mr Joseph D Eskridge, Jr. Fairfax, Va; Mr David Coulter, Honesdale, Pa; Ms Diane Procter, Eldon, Mo; Mrs Marisa Ann Hutchison, Orangevale, Ca; Mr Ralph Eskridge, Cambridge, Md.

LOST MEMBERS - CAN YOU HELP WITH CURRENT ADDRESSES?

M/M Jerry Richard Eskridge M/M John Asby Marsh Mr Mike Eskridge Mrs Hilda Fitzhugh
Mrs Howard Steptoe Fitzhugh Mrs Nancy E Beasley M/M Charles McKinley Saltzman II
M/M William Floyd Tipps Mrs Brian Thomas Wurst Mrs Zoe Ann Olsen Brown M/M A L Eskridge
Mrs Risden Davis DeFord Mrs Carolyn Lefcowitz Mrs Linda A Lewis Nacke Mrs Lester Shaffer
Mr Mark Eskridge (Canada) Mrs Colleen Raines Miss Donna Lynn Eskridge



CHANGE OF ADDRESSES

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PLEASE ADVISE YOUR ASSOCIATION SECRETARY WHEN YOU MOVE — IT SAVES EFA MONEY — AND KEEPS US FROM LOSING TOUCH WITH YOU!!!

Join us for fun and fellowship October 2nd.

Sincerely,

Coz Tom

Thomas W. Steptoe, Jr.
President, EFA

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MINUTES OF THE 45TH ANNUAL REUNION OF THE ESKRIDGE FAMILY ASSOCIATION
HELD AT STRATFORD HALL PLANTATION, STRATFORD, VA.
OCTOBER 3, 1992

OPENING OBSERVANCES - The meeting was brought to order by our president, Thomas W. Steptoe, Jr., Charles Town, W. Va. Sixty three friends and relations were in attendance.

INVOCATION - Was delivered by Rev. Alan Hooker minister of Yeocomico Church.

REPORTS - Minutes from 1991 were approved unanimously. The Treasurer's Report was given by Coz. Harry Eskridge, Charlotte, N.C. Membership Report Coz. Cyndee Eskridge, Charlotte, N.C. reported that since our last meeting, we added 65 with 15 deaths for a total of 704 member/families. Coz. Tom Steptoe conducted a Memorial Service for those who had passed away. Rev. Alan Hooker offered a Memorial Prayer. Flower Report - given by Coz. Tom. The members present approved a $25 donation to the Altar Guild of Yeocomico Church. British Research Report was given by Coz. Harry Eskridge. Research is being done in the northern part of England and some clues to Col. George Eskridge have been found.

NEW BUSINESS - Genealogical Research Plan - Historian, Coz Pat Ridgely, Falls Church, Va. discussed a plan to research each of the branches of the Eskridge family.

The meeting was adjourned for lunch at Stratford Hall Dining Room. It was then reconvened at George Washington Birthplace National Park - Wakefield.

PROGRAM - Coz. Dwight Storke presented a very informative program on Washington's birthplace and high lighted recent research and excavations of slave dependencies and the life of slaves at Wakefield. This was followed by a tour of the house and grounds. Coz. Dwight and his staff treated us like royalty. All in attendence agreed it was one of the most enjoyable and informative programs ever.

Respectfully submitted,

Cyndee Eskridge

Cyndee Eskridge, Secretary
The Eskridge Family Association

RUTH BOWNDS KERSHNER
4100 Jackson #223, Austin, Texas 78731
Phone: (512) 459-4890

17 October 1993

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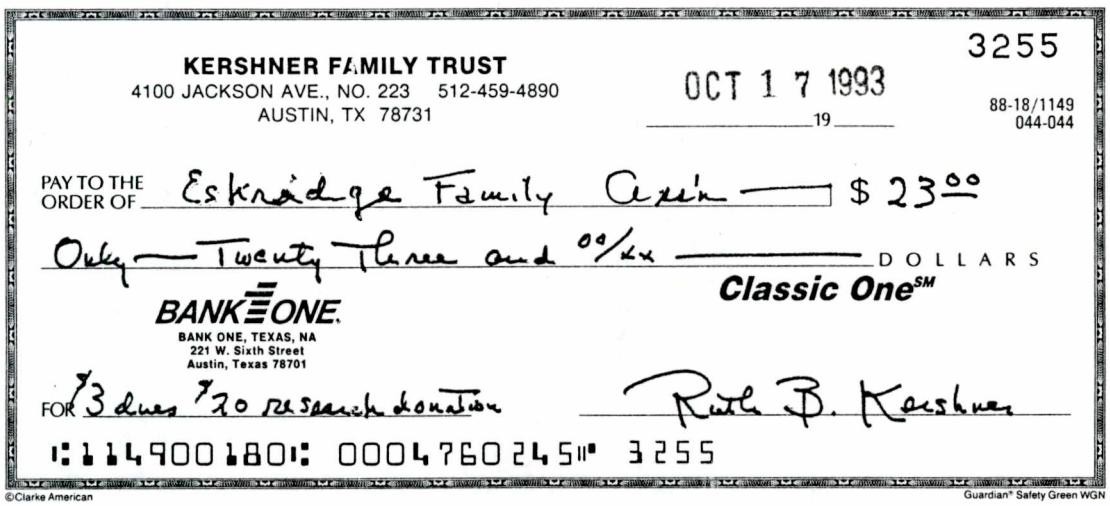
Dear Coz Harry:

Thank you for keeping me on the list. I seem to have lost touch with you last year. Since the death of my husband, I have not been traveling much. I did have the pleasure of attending one Reunion with Coz. Elizabeth, and am glad to have a new address for her. I appreciate the newsletter, too, and enclose a check for the $3 dues and $20 toward our research and other expenses.

A Mrs. Olivee Eskridge has moved into my retirement facility, and I am looking forward to getting together with her.

Sincerely,

Ruth B. Kershner



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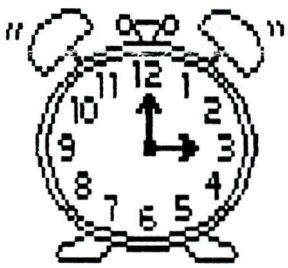
PROGRAM —— This year's program will be held at Wakefield — George Washington's birthplace and will center upon discussions of life for the slaves in Colonial Virginia. Recent excavations at Wakefield have unearthed some interesting evidence.

SPEAKER —— Our speakers will be Coz. Dwight Storke and his staff from Wakefield. Coz. Dwight has been kind enough to address our association on several occasions and it is always an interesting program.

TOUR OF WAKEFIELD —— A tour of the house and dependencies follows the program. It will take 1 1/2 to 2 hours and it's FREE!

TOURS OF YEOCOMICO CHURCH AND SANDY POINT —— No visit to an EFA reunion is complete without a visit to Col. George's church, Yeocomico, and Sandy Point, site of his home. Special maps and arrangements will be available at the meeting.

OVERNIGHT ACCOMODATIONS —— The following overnight accomodations are located near to Stratford Hall: Washington & Lee Motel (804-493-8092) and the Inn at Montross are in nearby Montross; The Grove, a bed & breakfast (804-472-3734) is in nearby Kinsale; Westmoreland State Park, which contains campsites and cabins, is on State Route 3 (the road from Fredricksburg to Montross) not far from Stratford Hall. In addition, accomodations at many national chains can be found in Richmond and Fredricksburg — about 1 hour away.



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1920 CENSUS UNCOVERED

By law, the detailed results of each census are sealed for 72 years. The results of the 1920 census just became available to us. Check you local libraries for new information!! We'd love to add some tidbits to our archives so keep us informed.

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Ms Willa Mac Coulter	$25	Ms Z Joyce Eskridge	$100	Mr Jack Grantham	$12
Mr Elmer L Eskridge	$40	Ms Margaret Eskridge	$90	Mrs Chlora Leachman	$12
Dr/M Philip Steptoe	$10	Dr Graham E Beard	$19	Mrs Marjorie Borrer	$22
Mr R W Mitchel, Jr	$22	M/M Frank Eskridge	$15	Mrs Della M Dickson	$25
Dr Willoughby Newton	$22	Dr/M Edward Wilson	$25	Ms Dortha Burtner	$12
M/M Jas Robt Eskridge	$20	Mrs Omega Reynolds	$27	Ms Patricia Ridgely	$20
M/M Thomas L Eskridge	$10	Estate Mrs. Martha Eskridge Hevalow			$50

$10 by Walter A. Eskridge, Belleville, IL in memory of his mother Lucille and his father William.

CHANGE OF ADDRESSES REPORTED TO EFA



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Alexander Gilbert Eskridge, Bowie, TX SAM 2, Born 9/30/1898, Died 1/1/91; Mrs Florence Steptoe Powell, Vero Beach, FL, Eliz 2; Mr Elbert Sanford Eskridge, Sr, Shelby, NC, SAM 2, 2/3/90; Mrs Nellie Blance Ashcraft Boucher, Santa Barbara, CA, KENNER/SEATON, Born 9/5/1901, Died 1/1/91; Mrs Martha Hevalow, Independence, MO, Sam 2, Died 5/7/91; Mrs Selma Eskridge Helms, Raleigh, NC SAM 2, Died 10/4/91; Mr Charles William Eskridge, Charlotte, NC CHAS 3, Died 11/91.

BIRTHS



Alyssa Danae Stowe 8/22/88 Grd/o Wynelle Eskridge Wagnon

RINGS, RICE AND THINGS



Miss Martha Jean Eskridge, d/o M/M Thomas L. Eskridge, Burlington, NC, to Kevin J. Robinson 4/20/91

Mr. James D. Eskridge s/o Dr/M Charles D. Eskridge III, Columbia, S.C., to Angela Williams 8/8/92

WELCOME TO OUR FAMILY!!!

EFA WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS

M/M Robert J Eskridge, Cary, NC - Sam 2; Capt/M Paul C Eskridge, Lawton, OK - Sam 2; Dr Willoughby Newton, NY, NY - Esk/Newton; Ms Dortha H Burtner, Kennett Square, PA; E Holliday Eskridge, Beverly, MA; M/M Claude M Warren III, Mobile, AL; Mr C.D. Eskridge, Sanford, NC - Sam 2; Mrs Jane A Lion, Fairfax, VA - Friend EFA; M/M John H Cumberland, Lusby, MD; M/M Bill H Eskridge, Chattanooga, TN; Ms. Courtney Eskridge, Smyrna, GA; M/M J Donald Latimer Lanham, Seabrook, MD; M/M J C Rhymes, Jr, Hazelhurst, MS; Mr William L Jobe, Jr, Studio City, CA; Mr Robert C Dodd, Jr, Sarasota, FL-Marg 2; M/M Randy Halliday, Provo, UT; Dr Albert C Walling II, San Antonio, TX; M/M Paul A Mullins, Claremore, OK; Angela Williams Eskridge, Swansea, SC; Mrs Doris Dodd Legallet, San Jose, CA - Marg 2; Mr Joseph Legallet, Hillsborough, CA - Marg 2; Mr Jack C Carmichael, Hurst, TX - Richard(Carroll Co Ms.).

VIRGINIA HISTORICAL SOCIETY -- ESKRIDGE PORTRAITS

In April 1992, we received a letter from William Rasmussen, Virginius Hall Curator of Art at the Virginia Historical Society that said in part:

We have been pleased over the past several weeks to receive a number of phone calls from members of the Eskridge Family Association who have requested photographs of the Society's portraits of George and Rebecca Eskridge...I am aware that in 1963 the Eskridge Family Association very generously paid to have the pair of Eskridge portraits conserved...Since then, thirty years have passed and the science of conservation has advanced disproportionately, so that the best conservators now can perform wonders that were undreamed of in the 1960s...We just completed...a conservation survey...found that both of the Eskridge portraits need treatment: they have discolored retouching (overpainting and inpainting) that is pronounced and needs to be removed; the portraits need to be cleaned, the losses need to be filled and correctly inpainted, and a new coat of varnish is needed for both. The estimated cost for each is $1500 for a total of $3000...The survey identified over 100 paintings in need of treatment...Most of those paintings are in much worse condition than the Eskridge portraits, which are accordingly at the bottom of that list for treatment, and thus are not likely to be conserved without your help...I hope you and the Eskridge Family Association can help us once again.

The two portraits are part of our legacy and as such, the Association feels a responsibility to help preserve these valuable assets. We would ask that each member contribute at least $10 this year towards the portrait conservation.

THE FAMILY TREE

We need help with our family genealogy!! Our numbers continue to grow and 1 or 2 people can't handle the job. In order to handle the information and to help new members "plug in", we would like to establish genealogy/research groups for each of Col. George's sons and daughters, as well as one for Deleware and Sgt. George KY. Several of you have done extensive research on your own and are already familiar with "the tree", others of you may just have an interest. WOULD YOU VOLUNTEER TO HELP US BY BEING CHAIRMAN OF THE SAMUEL GROUP, THE SARAH GROUP, ETC.? Please contact me or our historian Patricia Ridgely, 3709 S. George Mason Dr. #1406E, Falls Church, Va. 22041. Our first projects will involve constructing the family limb and compiling an index of names. PLEASE HELP US!

Please join us for fun and fellowship October 3rd.

Sincerely,

Coz Tom

Thomas W Steptoe, Jr.
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MINUTES OF THE 44TH ANNUAL REUNION OF THE ESKRIDGE FAMILY ASSOCIATION
HELD AT STRATFORD HALL PLANTATION, STRATFORD, VA.
JULY 20TH, 1992

OPENING OBSERVANCES - The meeting was brought to order by our president, Thomas W. Steptoe, Jr., Charles Town, W. Va. Fifty six friends and relations were in attendance.

INVOCATION - Was delivered by Rev. Albert Lee, a retired Episcopal minister from Westmoreland County, Va.

REPORTS - Minutes from 1990 were approved unanimously. The Treasurer's Report was given by Coz. Harry Eskridge, Charlotte, N.C. Coz. Cyndee Eskridge, Charlotte, N.C. gave the Membership Report. Coz. Tom Steptoe conducted a Memorial Service for those who had passed away recently. Special recognition was given to our friend and benefactor, Coz. Ira Eskridge, Olympia, WA who passed away April 16, 1990. Flower Report given by Coz. Tom. A contribution of $50 to the Cople Parish Building Fund in honor of Coz. Ira Eskridge was appoved. Genealogy Report Coz. Elizabeth Coiner, Washington, D.C. brought material to add to the archives.

NEW BUSINESS - British Research Project Coz. Harry Eskridge reported on the status of the project and the selection of John Titford as our genealogist. The membership approved a donation of $50 to the Chesapeake Bay Foundation and $25 to the Westmoreland County Museum. Letters from Sue Sexias and Tom Rice thanked us for making them honorary members. Coz. Tom reported on efforts to get the British Ambassador to join us for a meeting. Scott Brown, AP reporter from Richmond, was in attendance working on an article about family reunions.

PROGRAM - Our scheduled speaker, Mr. Thomas Maroon, Director of the Chesapeake Bay Foundation, had to cancel at the last minute because of a back injury. Mr. Maroon sent materials for our use. Coz. Tom presented the information admirably.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS - The following officers were elected for 2 year terms:

President	Thomas W. Steptoe Jr.	Charles Town, W. Va.
VP	Dr. Philip Steptoe	Chevy Chase, Md.
VP Ecology	Lucy Negus	Richmond, VA.
Treasurer	Harry Eskridge	Charlotte, N.C.
Secretary	Cyndee Eskridge	Charlotte, N.C.
Historian	Patricia Ridgely	Falls Church, VA.

The meeting was adjourned for lunch at Stratford Dining Hall and it was delicious!! Tours of Sandy Point, Yeocomico Church, Stratford Hall and the Westmoreland County Museum followed.

Respectfully submitted,
Cyndee Eskridge
Cyndee Eskridge, Secretary
The Eskridge Family Association

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ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED

John Price 1811 = Elizabeth Eskridge

Maryland Hall of Records, Dorchester Deeds 8:26
James Bound and Anne his wife of Somersett Co.
Made 9 August 1721

(26)

This Indenture made the Ninth Day of August Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and Twenty one Between James Bound and Anne his Wife both of Somersett County in the province aforesaid of the one part and John Rider of Dorchester County in the province aforesaid of the other part **Witnesseth** that the Said James Bound and Ann his Wife as well for and in Consideration of the Sum of fifteen pounds Current money and Two Thousand pounds of Tobacco to them in hand paid by the Said John Rider on or before the Ensealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof they the Said James Bound and Anne his Wife Do hereby acknowledge and thereof and therefrom Do acquitt Exeeute and Discharge the Said John Rider his heirs and Admr:s and Every of them by these presents And for Divers other good Causes and Considerations them thereto moveing **have** granted bargained Sold Transferred Aliened Enfeoffed released and Confirmed, And by these presents Do grant bargain Sell Transfer alien Enfeoff release and Confirm unto John Rider all that Tract or parcell of Land Called and knowen by the name of **Cuba** Situate Lying and being on the East Side Chessapeak Bay at the head of Nanticock River in Dorchester County **Beginning** at a marked Hickory Standing on a Small high Sandy Island In a Marsh Commonly Called Marsh=a=hope and near the East Side of the Sd marsh by a path that passeth from ye main to a Long Large Island in the Said Marsh the Lower End of which Said Long Island bears from the Said Marked Hickory West, Which Said Marked Hickory being the Originall bounder of the Said Land called Cuba thence and from the Said Marked Hickory West one hundred and fourty perches, then North one hundred and Sixty perches, then North and by East one hundred and Sixty perches, then East fourty perches then South and by West one hundred and Sixty perches Then South one hundred Sixty perches, Then East one hundred and Twenty perches, Then North and by East three hundred & fourteen perches, Then South Twenty Seven Degrees East Two hundred and ninty perches Then South and by West one hundred and five perches then South West Sixty perches, Then West and by South Twenty perches Then North West fourty perches Then Northwest and by North Seventy perches Then by a strait Line to the first Marked Hickory Containing and now Laid out according to Certificate of Survey for **Three hundred and fifty acres** more or Less Together with all and all manner of housses out houses Orchards Gardens Trees Woods Under woods Ways Waters Water Courses profits Commodities Advantages Enrollements Hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto beLonging or appertaining and also all the Estate Right Title Interest property Claim and Demand whatsoever which they the Said James Bound and Anne his Wife Now have or ought to have or may or can Claim of in unto or out of, the Said Tract or parcell of Land and Every or any part yr:off **To have and To hold** the Said Tracts of parcell of Land and premisses with their and Every of their appurtenances And Every part and parcell yr:of unto the Said John Rider his heirs and assignes for Evermore, To the only proper use benefitt and behoofe

of the Said John Rider his heirs and assignes for Evermore To be holden of the Chief Lord or Lords of the Fee or fees of the premisses by and Under the Rents and Services therefore Due and of right accustomed, and the Said James Bound and Anne his Wife Do by these presents for themselves their heirs Ex:s and Adm:rs and for Every of them Covenant promise and Grant To and with the Said John Rider his heirs and assigns In Manner and form following (**That is to say**) that he the Said James Bound and Anne his Wife and their Heirs the premises afores:d with the appurtenances and Every part and parcell yr:of unto the Said John Rider and his heirs and assignes against him the Said James Bound and Anne his Wife and their heirs and all and Every other person and persons whatsoever Lawfully Claiming or To Claim in by from or under them or any other person or persons whatsoever shall and will for Ever hereafter Warrant and Defend **and** also that he the Said James Bound and Anne his Wife have not Done Committed or Suffered any act matter or thing Whatsoever whereby or wherewith they have Charged Impeached or Incumbred the Said Tract or parcell of Land and premises or any part yr:of in Title Charge Estate or otherwise howsoever and that it shall and may be Lawfull to and for the Said John Rider his heirs and assignes for and notwithstanding any act matter or Thing by them Done Suffered to the Contrary Quietly and Peaceably to have hold Use occupy possess and Enjoy the Said Tract or parcell of Land and premisses with the appurtenances without any the Lawfull Lett Suit Trouble Eviction Ejection molestation or Denyall of him the Said James Bound or Ann his Wife their Ex:s or admr:s or any other person or persons whatsoever Lawfully claiming or to Claime In by from or under him them or any other person or persons whatsoever **and** that further he the Said James Bound and Anne his Wife their heirs Ex:s and Admr:s Shall and will att any Time hereafter att the request Cost and Charges in

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The Law of the Said John Rider his heirs or assignes make doe ac - knowledge Levy Execute and Suffer or Cause to be made Done acknowledged Levied Executed or Suffered all and Every such further and other Lawfull and reasonable act and Acts thing and Things Devices and Conveyances and assurances in the Law Whatsoever for the further assuring truly leasing (?) Selling and Conveying of the Land and premisses with the appurtenances unto and upon the Said Rider his heirs and assignes for Ever Be the Same by matter of Record or not of Record or by the Said John Rider his heirs and assignes or his or their Counsel Learned in the Law shall be reasonably advised Devised or required so aliend or Such further assurances or Conveyances Contain no further or other Warranty than is here made Expressed and Conveyed over by these presents, And so as the Party or partys so to be required to make and Execute Such further assurances and Conveyances be not Compelled or hereby Compellable to Travel above the Space of Thirty Miles from his her or their respective Dwellings or places of Aboad att the Time of request for

the makeing Doeing or Executing yr:of **In Wittness** whereof the parties first above named to these presents Interchangeably their hands and Sealls have set the Day and year just above Written

---------- James Bound (seall) Ann Bound (seall)

Signed Sealed and Delivered } John Cullen
In the presents of Us ------} Henry Tanner

Transcribed by Ruth Bownds Kershner, 26 September 1990

The Boundless Bounds Family



by

Ruth T. Dryden

1- JOHN BOUNDS

John Bounds came to Somerset County Maryland from Northumberland County Virginia, across Chesapeake Bay where he had held land from January 1669 through July 1671. No proof has been found as to his parentage. The name Bounds is English. Earlier Bounds found in Virginia records were John Bownd, age 20, who in 1634 set sail from London for Barbados aboard the ship Hopewell. An Elianor Bound was named as a headright for George Burcher of James City Virginia. On 9 January 1669/70 James Pope of North- umberland County Virginia sold 500 acres of land to John Bound. On the 17 of January 1669/70 James Pope appointed Samuel Bayley, attorney, to convey land to John Bounds ~~1100~~ 300 acres. In 1671 John Bounds assigned his bill of sale from James Pope to Onerípherus Bennett. On 18 June 1671 Ann Bound "with the consent of my loving husband John Bound, carpenter" appointed Samuel Bayley, attorney, to acknowledge "my right and interest in a parcel of land sold by my aforesaid husband to Onerípherus Bennett." John and Ann Bound were unquestionably the same John and Ann who migrated to Somerset County Maryland. The records are not consistent since the name Bounds was variously spelled as Bound, Bownd, Bounds,Bonds and Bownds.

John and Ann settled along the Nanticoke River in the northern section of Somerset County that is now Wicomico County. He patented land on both sides of the river thereby owning land in both Somerset and Dorchester Counties. On 29 November 1672 he filed his livestock mark. (Somerset Court Proceedings LIV p.761) John Bound,planter filed a claim of "headrights" in Somerset County on 12 November 1672 for himself, wife Ann, and son William. He received fifty acres of land for each member of the family which he patented on 1 August 1673 and called YEARSLAND. This original patent was described as being near the Nanticoke River, on the northeast side of Wetipquin Creek beginning at a marked pine at the corner of land formerly surveyed for Samuel Jackson, a total of 150 acres. In 1672 he also purchased a warrant issued to Francis Hutchins for 300 acres which was resurveyed and patented to him as LEMSTER. This land was described as being on the Nanticoke on the northwest branch. A bond and deed made on 12 May 1685 recorded 5 August 1685 Dorchester Deeds 4:139, John Bound carpenter and Mabell his wife who are indebted to John Dyer of Virginia for 40,000 pounds of tobacco will grant Dyer 300 acres. Further records of Dorchester County show that John Bounds also surveyed and took up a tract of land called FULLAM. Depositions of 1734 and 1735 indicated that FULLAM was possessed by John Rider. On 14 January 1673 John Bound, planter, purchased 100 acres of RUNCELL in the manor of Nanticoke on the north side of "Typkewant" (Wetipquin) Creek, from Samuel and Ann Jackson, which he deeded as a gift on 18 August 1696 to his son John Jr. On 15 March 1687 a certificate of survey was issued to John Bound for 300 acres of PEMBRIDGE "on the southern side of the Nanticoke River, South side of a creek issuing out of said river called Deep Creek lying between land

of Lawrence Young and William Collier. The patent was issued 4 Feb 1688.

The Rent Rolls of 1723 show this in possession and claim of William Bound. The debt books of 1686 show John also had land called ANYTHING. On 18 August 1696 John executed some deeds of gift, bestowing his real estate to his four children, William, John Jr., James and Ann Young. These deeds were probably made so that he could convey inheritances directly, free from any claim of dower rights by his second wife Mabell.

Somerset County deed book IKL records that Ann Bound, alias Hiam wife of John Bound died and was buried at his plantation at Tipiqueen on the 7th day of August 1677.

John married second a Mabel by 1685 when the deed conveying the tract LEMSTER to John Dyer of Virginia was signed by John and wife Mabell. Her maiden name has not been discovered.

The Somerset County judicial record AW:109 dated 11 June 1689 had something to say about her.

"The petition of Mabell Bounds desireing that a fyne of five hundred pounds of tobacco, laid on her might be remitted, but the said Mabell Bounds haveing juridically comitted some misdem: and Co. in court, sitting ordered that the sheriff take her into his custody and further ordered that the said Mabell Bounds be fyned five hundred pounds of tobacco for her insolency in court, but upon motion made to this court by her husband John Bounds, as well for her R---asem. as for the remitance of her fyne it was then said and there ordered as also concluded and ageed to, and with the said John Bounds that provided he would make or cause to be made a new Ducking Stoole, the same to be strong and substantial and that at his owne cost and charges, and that he keep the said Ducking Stoole in good repair during the space of six years from the date hereof and the said Ducking Stoole to be put up neare the Court House where the old Ducking stoole now stands. That upon that consideration his wife Mabell Bounds should be released as also her fyne remitted as prayed. Came the afforesd John Bounds and in open Court did oblidge himself in the penalty of three thousand pounds of tobacco to this Worshipfull Court for to perform all the clauses and articles above recited and that further he would have the said Ducking Stoole up firme and substantiall by the second Tuesday in August."

According to the book "Old Somerset on the Eastern Shore of Maryland" by Clayton Torrence, in the year 1692 John Bound along with Robert Collier, William Piper and James Weatherly, was appointed to "assist ye justices in laying out and dividing ye county into parishes" for the establishment of the Church of England in Somerset County. John Bounds of Nanticoke was chosen as vestryman for Stepney Parish. The first Stepney Parish church was built in 1698 and replaced in 1735 by the Green Hill Church, officially Saint Bartholomew's which still stands on the bank of the Nanticoke River. The records of this parish contain many entries of the births, deaths, and marriages of the Bounds family.

John Bounds wrote his will on 4 October 1700 and it was probated on 6 December 1700. His name was misspelled as Bond. He signed this will with an elaborate monogram that looks like "I.B." In this will he gave PEMBRIDGE to son William. To sons William, John, James and daughter Ann Young and their heirs, land on the north side of Wetipqueen Creek called YEARSLAND BRANCH, already given them by deed of gift. To son John and heirs, he gave his dwelling plantation. John Jr. to be executor of the will. To son James and heirs, land lying at the head of that of William's and John's aforesaid. No wife is mentioned in this will so it is assumed that Mabel died before the will was written.
Children by his first wife Ann Hiam were -

2:1- William Bounds born before 1672 in Virginia
2:2- John Bounds Jr. born 1672/7 in Maryland
2:3- James Bounds born 1675 in Maryland
2:4- Ann Bounds born possibly born in Virginia before 1670

2:1- William Bounds son of John -1

William was a planter. He lived on Wetipquin Creek in Somerset County Maryland (now Wicomico County) when his father John made his will in 1700. His father John devised to William "land on the west side of Yearsland Creek where he now lives and the tract PEMBRIDGE which had been in William's possession and claim since 1688, on Deep Creek at the head of the Nanticoke River. His father entered an ear mark (brand for cattle) for his son William. (deed book IKL F.15) William Bound was special attorney for George Trotter on 29 May 1703. George Trotter was the incumbent minister of Stepney Parish who bought 350 acres on the north side of Wetipquin Creek, CARTERS LODGE from William Stevens. On his behalf, William Bound made this tract over to ye ministers of Stepney Parish forever. (Somerset Deeds Old 13:710)

William died intestate by 18 September 1713 when an inventory of his estate was filed. It was signed by his brother John Bounds and his daughter Ann Bound. His sons were minors at this time. William married a Mary. I have not found her maiden name. She married secondly John Bacon. On 22 October 1714 John and Mary Bacon were listed as administrators of William Bound's estate. An additional inventory in 1718 was signed by Ann Winsor, now married daughter of William Bound. The will of John Bacon was filed in Dorchester County MD in 1738 and no wife was indicated so Mary probably died before then. In 1734 William Bound's tract PEMBRIDGE was possessed by his son Joseph Bounds.

On 16 December 1741 Ann Rogers made a deposition in which she mentioned her father William Bounds deceased. She was age 42 years. On 2 February 1741/2 Joseph Bounds, age 37 years, made a deposition in regard to the same land tracts. Three of his children are known, however, he possibly had other daughters including Sarah who married John Collins son of John, who

received part of the distribution in the accounts, and also a daughter Eliza Collier. In 1724 James Bounds with wife Ann deeded land to his "cozen" John Collins for love and affection. On 2 May 1731 Jonathan and Frances Bounds deeded to John Collins, turner, YEARSLAND on the south side of the Nanticoke River. In 1739 John Collins with wife Sarah sold the tracts to Levin Dashiell, bought of Jonathan Bounds. The rent rolls of 1724 Nanticoke 100, listed Joseph Bounds as living with John Collins. Children born Somerset County (now Wicomico County) included -
3:1- Ann Bounds, born c1699
3:2- Joseph Bounds, born c1704
3:3- Jacob Bounds, born c1710
dau- Eliza Bounds, married a Collier by 1718
dau- Sarah Bounds, married John Collins.

2:2- John Bounds Jr. son of John -1

John Jr. planter lived in Dorchester County Maryland. He patented there in 1713 BOUNDS SQUARE for 100 acres and in 1714 a tract called CUBA of 350 acres. On 10 December 1720 he executed a deed in Dorchester County "for love and goodwill, to my son John Bownd begotten of my wife Rebecca, and to the male heirs of his body, the tract I live on, with ye said plantation called BOUNDS SQUARE. At the expiration of his life, then to his next male heir. Failing such, to ye next younger brother or then to my eldest son James: to be entailed from heir to heir of my son."(said tract called BOUNDS SQUARE on the north side of Nanticoke River, on the south side of Bridge Branch)." Testators: Tho. Hickman, Christopher Nutter, William Clifton. John Jr. died by 14 March 1721 when accounts were filed by Rebecca Bounds, administratrix of John Bounds, late of Dorchester County. Apraisement of the estate of John dated August 1721/2 was signed by the nearest of kin to the deceased, William Clifton and John Bounds. Rebecca Bounds gave oath.

I have not found the maiden name of his wife Rebecca. She married secondly Charles Hopkins son of Robert, as proved by testator proceedings Box 30, folder 1, summons 11 September 1723 when Charles Hopkins and wife Rebecca, lately called Rebecca Bounds administratrix of John Bounds, late of Dorchester County answered a complaint of William Ennalls.

The deed of John Bound Sr. indicated that BOUNDS SQUARE was to go first to John Jr. and then to his next younger brother. I believe this next younger brother was George Bounds to whom was assigned 50 acres of MAIDENS BLUSH in Dorchester County in 1731 and was listed on the rent rolls of 1735 as possessing NEW YEARS GIFT.
Children born Dorchester County Maryland were -

34- James Bounds born c.1696
35- John Bounds born c1701
36- George Bounds b.c1708
37- Sarah Bounds

November 1794 leaving sons Joshua Gibbons and daughters Betsy Gibbons & Sally Gibbons. Ann must have died before this as his daughter Betsy who married Simon Kollock Jr. was executor.
dau- Elizabeth Bounds

3:4- James Bounds son of John Jr.-2:2

James was born in Dorchester County Maryland by 1696. James Bounds was mentioned as the eldest son in the deed of gift which conveyed John Bound's plantation, BOUNDS SQUARE, to his second son, also John, 10 December 1720. As heir to the remaining property, James made a bond to his brother John on 13 January 1725/6 with the intention of not claiming BOUNDS SQUARE. James made another bond on 2 February 1725/6, after selling his father's home place on RUNCELL and YEARSLAND, to keep the purchaser, Joseph McClester, in quies and peaceable possession quiet from a certain Rebecca formerly the widow of John Bound late of Somerset County deceased, the now wife of Charles Hopkins, free from any claim of right of Dower or thirds (she was his mother.)

BOUNDS LOTT, 50 acres was assigned to James Bound on 22 January 1730 by Henry Ennalls and patented in 1737. James Bound Sr. of Dorchester sold his BOUNDS LOTT on 6 October 1741, 50 acres described as being about one mile from the wading place at the head of the Nanticoke River near unto Samuel Griffith's land. (This is not the same BOUNDS LOTT mentioned in Somerset County.) In 1734/4 he was constable for Nanticoke 100.

James married Ann Dicks (Dykes?) by 1721 and after disposing of his land he left the Eastern Shore of Maryland and moved west to the Shendandoah Valley of Virginia. By 1744 he was in Frederick County Virginia where he was a very closely associated with George Bound and wife Mary Claywell from Somerset County. In 1754 James Bound was constable of Bedford County Virginia, where Jane, his daughter, was married in 1753 to John Cole. In Anson County North Carolina from 1761, James Bound Sr. swapped land with his sons James Jr., Jesse and John Bownds, his son-in-law John Cole and Stephen Cole, and their uncle Mark Cole. James Bound Sr. died by 1775 and was buried on his own plantation there. Two of his granddaughters were Ann Dick Bownd and Ann Dykes Cole (Dickie). Much of the information on this family was furnished by Ruth Bownds Kershner of Austin Texas.
Children were -

4:5- John Bounds born 1730-1740
4:6- James Bounds Jr. born c1720
4:7- Jesse Bounds born c1730-35
4:8- Major Bounds (Mager,Marguery) born 1740
4:9- Jane Bounds born 10 October 1738
4:10- Nellie Bounds (Elener Bownds)

3:5- John Bounds III son of John Jr.-2:2

John III was born c1700 in Dorcester County Maryland where he was a planter. A transaction in 1725/6 was the bond James Bounds made to John about the 1720 deed of gift made to that

Anson County North Carolina. He was a planter and signed the "Regulators" petition in 1769. He was a large land owner and was on the 1800 census of Richmond County North Carolina over age 45 with a female over 45. In 1803 he sold land he patented in 1774. He died after 1810 near Rockingham in Richmond County. Many of the conjectures about this James Bounds are now found to be in error. Some date from Rev. Charles Bounds' 1926 booklet. For proofs, he had family recollections, the 1790 census, and some indexes to Revolutionary records, but no research facilities. His invaluable family data after 1800 is more reliable.
Children were -

5:8- Stephen Bounds born 1745/8 59
5:9- Jesse Bounds born c1752
5:10-William Bounds born c1765
5:11-George Bounds born c1750
5:12-John Bounds born 25 January 1774 Anson County NC
son- Joseph Bounds died young
son- Benjamin Bounds died young
dau- Rebecca Bounds married Arch Strickland
dau- Nicey Bounds married Harmon Lassiter 27 October 1796 Richmond County NC
dau- Jennie Bounds born 1747 died ~~1950~~ 1850 at age 103, married Andrew Moorman.
dau- Elizabeth Bounds married Mathias
dau- Nancy (Cole) Bounds
dau- Mary (Crowson) Bounds

4:7- Jesse Bownds son of James-3:4

Jesse was born c1730/5 in Maryland of Virginia. His parents, James and Ann Bounds, went across Chesapeake Bay and up the Potomac River to the Shenandoah Valley where they left records between 1745 and 1751. Then to the Blackwater River area and on to Anson County North Carolina where Jesse and wife Ann Bownds (called Nancy) bought and sold land, involving John Cole and wife Jane Bounds Cole, and John's uncle Mark Cole, and James Bounds, James Bounds Jr. and John Bounds, his father and brothers. The rest of the family stayed on, but Jesse returned to Virginia in 1767, leaving the Piedmont for the Great Valley of Virginia by 1778, and moving down the Holston where he claimed land in Washington and Greene Counties, North Carolina. These counties became Tennessee in 1796, and Jesse Bownds' last home was on the eastern edge of Knoxville, where he died in 1804. By this time, most of his children had married and gone. His nuncupative will dated 21 May 1804 Knox County TN mentioned his wife Ann and son Thomas who was to run the plantation. After his wife's death, slaves were to go to Thomas and to daughters Nancy Clark, Elizabeth Terry and Nelly Tradaway.

Jesse Bownds's sons are identified by deeds each made in 1813, giving his place of residence. Francis, the youngest son, bought their undivided interests in Jesse's plantation, probably after the death of their mother Ann.

Their children included -

5:13- Thomas Bounds born c1765/70
5:14- John Bounds born c1756
5:15- Joseph Bounds born c1758
5:16- James Bounds born 1763
5:17- Jesse Bounds born 1767
5:18- Francis Bird Bounds born 1775
dau- Elizabeth Bounds married John Terry by 1797 who died White County Tennessee in 1834
dau- Nancy Ann Bounds born after 1770 married Isaac Clark 6 August 1794, Knox Co. TN.
dau- Eleanor Bounds (Nelly) married Aaron Treadway by 1797
5:23- Obediah Bounds born 1765/69

4:8- Major Bounds daughter of James Bounds-3:4

Major (Mager, Marguery) was born 1740 in Maryland. She married in 1756 Peter VanBebber Jr. son of Peter and Ann VanBebber of Batimore, Cecil County Maryland. They lived in the Blackwater-Pigg River areas, variously under Lunenburg, Halifax, Pittsylvania and Bedford Counties of Virginia, until 1770 when they went across the Blue Ridge to the mouth of the Greenbrier River, then in Botetourt County.

Peter and his brothers Isaac VanBebber and John VanBebber and some of their sons were in the Battle of Point Pleasant, "the opening battle of the Revolution."

Peter VanBebber, born 1728, died 10 October 1796 and Mager and Olive, her youngest daughter, born 1783, lived with Peter VanBebber Jr. until after Olive's marriage to Nathan Boone in 1799. Mager is said to have lived with a son in Kentucky about 1817, but she spent her last years at the home of Olive Boone and Nathan Boone. So did Daniel Boone and his wife, and the widowed Hannah Allison Cole took her children (Nellie Bownds' grandchildren) there for shelter during Indian troubles. Letters speak of Majer's good health in 1834 in St. Charles County Missouri and she is said to have died at Nathan Boone's in Green County MO in 1844 at the age of 104.

Several girls were named for Mager. Her niece Majer, daughter of her husband's brother, John VanBebber, married Andrew Donnelly Jr. Her son Tice VanBebber's (Matthias) daughter, Majer Bounds VanBebber, married Noah Davis. Major a rare name for a women is also found among family groups in early Dorchester County Maryland as well as Somerset County.
Their children born in Virginia were-

son- Peter VanBebber born 5 August 1757 Halifax Co. VA, died 8 October 1838 in Ripley County Indiana, married Sarah Yoakum 22 July 1785.
son- John Jesse VanBebber born 8 August 1759 Halifax Co. VA, died 10 April 1852 Mason County West Virginia, married Rachel Greenlee 9 July 1799 in Mason Co.
dau- Sophronia VanBebber (Verona)born 1764 Halifax Co. VA, died

27 March 1824 in Gallia Co. Ohio married George Dixon 20 October 1782 in Greenbrier Co. VA. Went to Warren Co. Indiana.

son- James VanBebber born 8 May 1766 Halifax Co.VA, died Calloway County Missouri, married Jean Irvine 13 April 1796 in Kanawha County VA

dau- Ellinor VanBebber married Peter VanBebber on 29 June 1781 in Greenbrier Co. Va. (her first cousin) went to ~~Caliborune~~ Claiborne County TN

dau- Nancy VanBebber

son- Matthias VanBebber (Tice)born 24 November 1774 Greenbrier County VA, died 9 March 1829 Nicholas County VA. He married first Margaret Robinson Gardner 15 April 1797 in Kanawha County VA. Married second Margaret Hutchinson.

son- Jacob VanBebber born 1775 Greenbrier Co.VA, died 1839 Greenup County Kentucky, married Sarah Miller in 1795 in Kanawha County VA

son- Joseph VanBebber born 1776 Greenbrier Co.VA, died September 1796 Point Pleasant, Mason Co. VA

dau- Olive VanBebber born 13 January 1783 Kanawha Co. VA.,died 12 November 1858 in Ash Grove, Green County Missouri, married 26 September 1799 Major Nathan Boone born 2 March 1781 Fayette County KY, died 16 October 1856 son of Daniel Boone. He was commissioned in the War of 1812. Children were, James Boone born 3 July 1800, Delinda Boone, Jemima Boone, Susan Boone, Nancy Boone, Olive Boone, Benjamin Howard Boone, John Coburn Boone, Levica Boone, Melcina Boone, Mary Boone born 22 January 1822, Sarah Boone, Mahala Boone, Mela Boone.

4:9- Jane Bounds daughter of James-3:4

Jane was born on 10 October 1738 in Maryland. She married on 22 September 1753 in Bedford County Virginia, John Cole born 9 November 1728 son of Stephen Cole and Martha Hunter Cole of Chester County Pennsylvania. He was born 9 November 1728 and died c1802 when his will w as recorded in Richmond County. John named twin granddaughters Martha and Nancy Cole in that will.

John learned to be a shoemaker after which he moved to Bedford County where he married. They moved again, to Richmond County North Carolina settling on Downing Creek at "Blues ~~Ridge~~" Bridge They opened a hotel for travelers.
Children born in Richmond County North Carolina were-

son- James Cole born 5 September 1755 Married Hannah Sweeney. Served in the Revolutionary War.

dau- Martha Cole (Pretty Patty) born 1758. Married John Wall

son- Stephen Cole born 16 May 1760, married Nancy Terry daughter of William Terry. Son William Terry Cole married Judith Leak.

son- John Cole born 1762. Married Elizabeth Covington

dau- Nancy Cole born 1764. Married John Sneed

524- William Cole born 1767. Married 1790 Martha Bounds daughter

Lovelady born 1806 in Jackson County TN son of Thomas and Jane Ware Lovelady. They were in Jackson County MO in 1838 and moved in 1847 to Oregon. They were in Benton County Oregon in 1880.

dau- Nancy Bounds married Jesse Lovelady by 1832, who died by 1833

dau- Margaret Bounds married Thomas Stone by 1831

dau- Martha Bounds married James Ward by 1832. Went west to Virgo County Indiana by 1835

dau- Amanda Bounds married David Nicholas by 1836

dau- Elizabeth Bounds born 1813 single person. Went to Polk County Oregon with her nephew John Armstrong Bounds.

5:14- John Bounds son of Jesse-4:7

John was born c1756 in Virginia. He was a captain in the Militia in Washington County, North Carolina (now Tennessee) with brothers James and Joseph. He received payment for Revolutionary services which he exchanged for land in Burke County (later Buncombe County) NC. He was a farmer most of his life. The 1790 census of Burke County NC shows one male over 16, three males under 16, two females in his household. He settled in Anderson County TN where he served on the jury on 13 April 1813. The 1814 tax lists John Bounds, Jr. and William Bounds believed to be the sons of this John. A Jesse Bounds was also listed in the court minutes on 12 October 1818.

[The will of George Wilson of 9 April 1779 of Anson County NC named Misaniah Wilson ~~as~~ his wife ~~of~~ and John Bounds executors] In the 1830 census of St. Francois County MO there is a John Bounds age 70/80 where he migrated with his sons. His son James who claimed bounty land for their 1812 service with Tennessee Militia under Capt. Lunceford Oliver who also served on the jury in Anderson County with John. The 1840 Census shows him in Wayne County MO age 80/90.

John 4:5 was in Anson Co.

Children included -

6:36- John Bounds Jr. born c1790 North Carolina.

6:37- William Bounds born c1795 in Tennessee

6:40- James Bounds an adult in 1813

son- Isaac M. Bounds born 1797 Tennessee. Married 25 November 1827 in Madison County MO, Isabel Morrison born c1797 in KY. 1850 census, Wayne Co. MO, with Thomas W. Humphrey age 10 and Pemelia Humphrey age 8 in his household #290. He was a farmer. The 1860 census he is in Wayne County, St. Francois Township with Nancy Walker age 87 born in KY and Jesse Bounds age 17 son of brother John.

6:39- Jesse Bounds born c1791

5:15- Joseph Bounds son of Jesse-4:7

Joseph was born c1758 in North Carolina and served with his brothers James and John in a Revolutionary action by the Washington County Militia. He was probably married about 1784

and his wife is believed to be Mary Bird who probably died before the family moved to Wayne County MS in 1819, daughter of Francis Bird.

Always in the forefront of pioneer settlers, Joseph was several times a resident when new counties were formed. At the time when the three brothers traded in their specie certificates for land near present Asheville NC, it was in Burke County and they were listed in the 1790 census, but their land and court records are found in Buncombe County N.C. 1792-1805. Returning to join their father, Jesse Bownds, whose records are similarly in Washington, Green and Knox Counties (formerly NC but now eastern Tennessee,) they soon moved west. Joseph acquired land in Robertson County and also just across the state line in Christian County (now Trigg County) Kentucky by 1801. Joseph Bounds was in the first (1810) census with six sons and one daughter. As each son came of age, he was added to the tax list, and four of them were married in Kentucky. In May 1803 Joseph was a witness to Wadlington deeds in Hopkinsville, Christian County KY.

Leaving son Joseph Jr. in Kentucky, the rest set off for Mississippi Territory, Joseph stating in his 1818 deed of sale that he was now of Wayne County MS. They quickly found themselves living in Marengo County Alabama, without moving an inch. Then as western Tennessee began opening up in the 1802's, the older sons organized a wagon train to the Memphis area. Again the boundary between the states was unsettled, and the youngest son, Thomas had Tennessee land that actually was all south of the line in Mississippi. With Thomas, Joseph was named to his oldest son Jesse's road crew in 1827. He was not listed as the head of the household in the first (1830) census of Fayette County TN, but was probably the male 70-80 in Jesse's household. There was no female of like age, so his wife had died by then, and possibly before the move to Mississippi Territory. Known children were -

6:42- Jesse Bounds born 1785 in North Carolina
6:54- Joseph Bounds born 1789 TN
6:51- Sterling Bounds born 1792
6:50- Obediah Bounds born 1793, married in Marengo County Alabama on 8 November 1820, Rosamond Bounds of William (5:10).
6:31- Francis Bird Bounds born 1796
6:22- Thomas Bounds born 4 November 1801
dau- (qv) Elizabeth Bounds born 1798 married Marengo County AL, on 13 December 1822 Robert Coleman

5:16- James Bounds son of Jesse-4:7

James was born c1763 in North Carolina. He was in Burke County in 1790 where he redeemed his Revolutionary pay certificates with land in Ivy Creek. In the 1790 Census he had two females. The 1800 census of Buncombe County North Carolina which was once part of Burke County he was listed with a daughter 10-16, and one under 10, two sons under 10. James and wife ages

23 July 1827
dau- Zipporah Bounds born c1813 died by 18 November 1846, single person

6:22- Thomas Bownds son of Joseph-5:15

Thomas was born on 4 November 1801 in Christian County Kentucky. He was the youngest son of Joseph Bownds. His mother is thought to have been Mary Bird, a daughter of Francis Bird, a great and good friend of his grandfather Jesse Bownds. In 1818, the family moved to Mississippi Territory, now Marengo County Alabama where Thomas witnessed one of his father's legal documents in 1823. They sold their land grants in 1826, to take up land in Western Tennessee, in Fayette and Shelby Counties near Memphis.

Thomas and his father Joseph were listed as hands on the road crew of Jesse Bownds, the oldest son, in April 1827. As a landowner, Thomas was in the 1830 census. The young family with him seems to have been his brother Obadiah, not yet a land owner.

Thomas married first in Fayette County , about 1833, Sarah Allen born 21 March 1913, daughter of John Allen and Sarah Craig. They had daughter Francis Bownds and son Thomas J. Bownds. After Sarah's death, he married, second, on 9 December 1841 Margaret Price Floyd widow of Samuel Floyd, adding to his family her young daughter, Mary M. Floyd born 22 September 1837 who married Dr. James W. StJohn in 1857 and lived in Limestone County Texas in 1887. Margaret was the daughter of John Price (1891-1847), son of Matthew Price (1764-1842) and Elizabeth Eskridge (1786-1867). John Price married in Williamson County Tennessee on 30 September 1811 Betsy Coffey, daughter of John Coffey. They were listed in the 1850 census of Fayette County TN.

Thomas sold 800 acres in Fayette County in 1850 and 1851. Then he and assorted relatives bought public land across the Mississippi River, in Jackson County in 1852 and Independence County Arkansas in 1853. His records show that he raised stock and farmed and did some trading, supplying such necessities as bacon, beef, pork, plug tobacco, corn, "Flower," salt, and whiskey. Sometimes he was paid in days's work at 75 cents per day.

They were on the 1870 census of Independence County Arkansas, Christian Township, Oil Trough post office. Thomas died on 22 November 1874 in Independence County Arkansas. Margaret was listed with her children in the 1880 census of Independence with her brother James Price age 41 in the houshold. Margaret Price Floyd Bownds' younger brother Matthew R. Price married Francis Bownds daughter of this Thomas and Sarah. Later his widow Margaret went to Texas with her youngest son L. D. Bownds who brought several members of this extended family. All the data on this family was furnished by his great granddaughter Ruth Bownds Kershner of Austin Texas.
Children by his first wife Sarah Allen were-

7:89- Francis G. Bownds born 12 May 1834 in Tennessee
son- Thomas J. Bownds born 22 January 1836, He practiced

medicine 1860 in Arkansas and was killed in the Battle of Corinth during the Civil War in 1864. He was a private in the 5th Arkansas Infantry. He died a single person.

dau- Mary Bownds born c1838 (per 1850 census)

Children by 2nd wife Margaret Price Floyd were-

son- Thaddeus S. Bownds born 11 December 1842 died single person 25 June 1864 in the Civil War. Served in Co.C 8th Arkansas Infantry as a Private.

dau- Albina S. Bownds born 16 May 1844 Fayette Co. TN, married 10 January 1866 in Independence County Arkansas, William R. Cook son of John Cook and Ann Anderson. She died 7 February 1871. After her death William R. Cook married second Isabel Sisco and lived in White County Arkansas.

dau- Matamoras Bownds (Ann) born 19 April 1846 died single person 18 May 1871 Independence Arkansas.

7:87- Marquis Lafayette Bownds (Marcus) born 26 February 1848 TN.

infant- born dead 10 October 1853

son- Milton Fairchild Bownds born 1 January 1855 died 12 October 1855

7:54- Ludovico Dormer Bownds (L.D.) born 10 June 1857 in Arkansas

7:88- John Price Bownds born 17 October 1850

6:23- John Bownds son of James-5:7

John was born on 8 August 1802 in Rockingham County South Carolina. He married 11 December 1824 in Hinds County Mississippi Mary Saphronia Cooley daughter of William Cooley (525). She was born on 24 August 1808 in Darlington South Carolina and died in 1869 in Burleson County Texas.

John was ordained as a Baptist Minister in the Palestine Baptist Church in Hinds County on the second Lord's Day in November 1827. He was a charter member. In the early 1840's John switched over to the Stone-Campbell Restoration Movement, Christian Churches (Church of Christ). Some people called them Reformed Baptists and some Campbellite Baptists in those days. John was the first pastor of Shady Grove Baptist Church founded about 1845. He brought his family to Lavaca County Texas about 1852 where several of his children were married. By 1860 he was in Hill County Texas, then bought land nearby in Burleson County in 1867. He deeded some of this land to his children in 1869.

John died in 1870 in Burleson County Texas and was buried with his wife in the Mesquite Cemetery in Lee County. The data on this family is from the John Bownds Bible and Joseph Ervin Waters of Temple Texas.

Children born in Mississippi were -

dau- Elizabeth Bownds born 7 October 1824 in Hinds Co. Died September 1826

dau- Nancy Bownds born 29 July 1826 Hinds Co. Married 12 January 1844 John Barnes. Sons were Luther Barnes, Theodore Barnes and William Barnes.

7:60- Berry Bownds born 11 October 1828 Hinds County

7:61- James Bownds born 7 February 1831 Hinds Co.

dau- Martha Bownds born 15 June 1832 Hinds Co. Married 15 April 1852 Henry Bosworth (Gus). Children were, William

7:54- Ludovico D. Bownds son of Thomas Bownds-6:22

Ludovico (called L.D.) was born on 10 June 1857 in Independence County Arkansas and died Bandera County Texas 6 April 1932. The youngest son of Thomas Bownds, at 17 he was left the man of the family when his father died in 1874. L.D. married first, on 13 January 1878, Mary Jane Bumpass born c1855, daughter of Dr. Gabriel Bumpass and Elizabeth J. Bumpass. Mary Jane Bumpass Bownds died 22 January 1879, two days after the birth of a still-born child. L.D. married second, on 30 November 1880 Susan America Theodosia Cleveland born 10 January 1861, daughter of Joseph Cleveland and Maude Elizabeth Butcher. Susan who always signed her name "S. A. T. Bownds," was a school teacher, and L. D. was head of the local school board. She died 22 June 1896 in Bandera County Texas after the birth of her seventh child, and her head stone in Jones Cemetery reads "S. A. T. Bownds." L.D. married third on 15 July 1897 a widow, Sallie Lou Sims Cullins, who died 19 February 1916. L. D. married fourth on 4 October 1916 her sister, Mary Jane Sims from Arkansas. After L. D.'s death, Mary Sims Bownds married a Gilliam, and died 29 December 1968.

In 1885, L.D. and S. A. T. Bownds moved to Texas, bringing their extended families --his mother, Margaret Price Bownds; their own two eldest children Julia and John Thomas Bownds(J.T.); two orphans, Essie and Marcus Bownds children of L. D.'s brother Marquis Lafayette Bownds (7:87); Margaret Delapp, an orphan child of a neighbor: Margaret Price Bownds' youngest brother, "Uncle Jim" James Mathley Price (1828-1900), and possibly his daughter Harriette Elizabeth Price born 25 November 1869.

L. D. was a stock farmer and had interests in local businesses, both in Arkansas and Texas. They settled on a ranch near Utopia on the beautiful Sabinal River, where the county line ran between their front gate in Uvalde County and their house in Bandera County. Much of this extensive ranch land is still in the family. They were charter members of the Utopia Baptist Church, which celebrated its centennial in 1986.
Children by his wife, S. A. T. Cleveland, were -

8:114- Julia Bownds born 7 January 1882 in Arkansas.
8:168- John Thomas Bownds born 13 August 1883 in Arkansas
son- Oscar Cleveland Bownds born 1 March 1886, Bandera County TX, died 18 October 1888.
8:76- Marlin Deric Bownds born 16 May 1888 Bandera County TX
8:169- Maude Elizabeth Bownds born 3 December 1890 TX
8:170- Effie Pearl Bownds born 6 December 1893 TX
son- Infant born and died 8 May 1896

Children by third wife Sallie Lou Sims Cullins were -

son- Infant born dead 20 August 1898
dau- Willie Sims Bownds born 15 May 1906, married 6 May 1929 John Davis. One daughter, Willie Davis born c1936
son- Ludovico D. Jr. born 20 January 1908, died 17 June 1908.

Children by his fourth wife Mary Jane Sims were-

son- Robert Clark Bownds born 5 November 1917 who married 20 June 1932 Pauline Courtis (Polly) of Marblehead Mass. He was a career Naval officer, Robert retired and built a home on the old L. D. Bownds' place near Utopia Texas. They have no children.

son- Lloyd Dov Bownds born 11 January 1919. He married twice. He had two children by his first wife. Lloyd is a doctor. His second wife was Robbie Morris Caudle a widow with two children, Kerry Tyrone Caudle and Cheryl Kay Caudle. They were married on 18 May 1962 and had no children. She was accidently killed in a struggle over a gun in Corpus Christi Texas on 1 March 1971 where the courts declared him innocent of any charges. He lives in Corpus Christi TX.

7:55- Jesse Bounds son of William-6:5

Jesse was born in 27 October 1816 in Alabama and died on 26 May 1893 in Meridian, Lauderdale County MS. He married Mary Anne Lyle born 3 June 1822 in Tuscaloosa County Alabama, died on 6 March 1900 in Meridian MS, daughter of David Lyle and Elizabeth Small.

They lived in Kemper County Mississippi where he was a merchant who ran a general store in Meridian MS and a planter. They were listed in the 1850 census of Kemper County and in the 1860 census he was a farmer, household #884. In 1880 he was listed in household 68 with grandaughter Clara A. Bounds age 14 and John Rogers grandson age 7. They are both buried in the Rose Hill Cemetery in Meridian. They were of the Baptist faith and joined the West Kemper Church in October 1852 where he served as a Deacon. They moved to Meridian MS in his later years where he was part of the firm of Quarles, Rogers and Bounds. Data on him is from Mrs. John R. Bounds of Macon Mississippi.
Children per census were -

son- Edmund Bounds born 1843 MS
dau- Mary Bounds born c186- MS. Married Billy Rogers after the death of her sister Indiana.
son- James Bounds born 1849 Alabama
8:84- William Dudley Bounds born 9 March 1847 MS.
son- George Bounds born c1841
8:85- John S. Bounds born c1843
son- Silvanius Bounds born 31 October 1844, died 30 June 1864 in Moscow, MS.
dau- Sarah Louise Bounds (Sally) born 7 May 1849, died 21 August 1861 in Moscow, MS.
dau- Indiana Bounds born 1851 died 20 July 1873. Married Billy Rogers.
dau- Baby Bounds born 11 December 1853, died 4 May 1854.
son- Rufus H. Bounds born 9 March 1855, died 10 July 1890.
8:158-Jesse Lyle Bounds born 14 June 1857
son- Joseph Bounds born 20 June 1859, died 6 August 1861, West

1892
son- Orion Bounds born c1870
dau- Virginia L. Bounds (Jennie) born 23 June 1874, died 25 November 1911, single person.
9:116-George Clifton Bounds born 3 April 1876

8:76- Marlin Deric Bownds son of L.D.-7:54

Marlin was born on 16 May 1888 in Bandera County Texas, died 16 January 1940 El Paso TX, buried in the Marfa TX cemetery. He was a student at Baylor University and the University of Texas before moving to west Texas. He married on 15 June 1913 in Titus County TX, Lois L. Johnson born 28 August 1891 in Titus County and died on 14 November 1979 in Brewster County TX, daughter of Isaiah Timothy Johnson and Lavinia Elizabeth Hall Johnson. Marlin (called M.D) told of shooting enough squirrels to keep the family supplied, before he was old enough to go to school. His mother had been a school teacher, but he didn't attend school until he was eight years old and could saddle his own horse to get there.

Lois Johnson began her career as a teacher at 17, before she went to Baylor University and the University of Texas. M.D. attended the same universities, but earlier. After a year working at a bank in Sabinal, TX, he moved to a bank at Marfa, in the ranching county of the Big Bend of TX, where Lois came to teach high school. Their new home was barely finished at the outbreak of World War I. His army service was largely on the nearby Mexican border, threatened by Pancho Villa's revolutionists.

After the close of the war, Capt. Bownds resigned his commission in the 15th Cavalry, and they returned from Fort Bliss, at El Paso. They then surrounded their big house with trees and flowers and a white picket fence. A windmill and well were in the back yard, and sometimes a cow or horse in the back lot. At the time of his early death from appendicitis, he was president of the Marfa National Bank.
Children born in Presido County Texas are -

9:175- Lavinia Ruth Bownds (called Ruth) born 22 March 1914.
9:176- Marlin Deric Bownds Jr. born 24 September 1917

8:77- Sarah Cathrine Perry daughter of Amy Bounds-7:18

Sarah was born on 27 November 1865 in Knoxville Tennessee. She married Thomas Alexander Tucker son of David Tucker and Rhoda Whitlock Tucker on 14 February 1883 in Green County Illinois. Thomas was born on 12 August 1859 in Rockbridge IL and died on 22 December 1946 in Jerseyville Illinois. Sarah Perry died on 27 September 1934 in Jerseyville.
Children born in Illinois were-

son- Ornan Tucker born 8 February 1887, died 1887
dau- Celea Blanch Tucker born 17 April 1887 died 1917. Married

8:165- Stephen R. Bounds son of George-7:75

Stephen was born in February 1866 in Mississippi. He married 22 September 1887 in Perry County MS, Mary J. Sumrall born February 1863. They lived in Marion County in the 1900 census. Lamar County was taken out of Marion and they were listed in Lamar County in 1910.
Children born in Mississippi were -

son- Henry A. Bounds born August 1888 who married 6 May 1906 Ada Stevenson born 1890. They and had sons, Acy Bounds born 1908 and Vergal Bounds born 1910 in Lamar county MS.
son- Elmo J. Bounds born May 1890
dau- Amanda M. Bounds born June 1892
son- George Frederick born April 1894
son- John O. Bounds born January 1898
dau- Maybell Bounds born March 1899
dau- Ida Bounds born 1904
son- Adolph Bounds born 1908

8:166- John Bounds son of George-7:75

John was born in June 1871 in Mississippi. He married Margaret born December 1879. In 1900 they were living in Marion County MS and in 1910 listed in Lamar County.
Children born in Mississippi were -

dau- Isabella Bounds born December 1898
dau- Cordelia Bounds born February 1900
son- Rufus Bounds born 1902
son- Edward Bounds born 1904
son- Willard Bounds born 1906
dau- Bertha Bounds born 1908

8:167- James A. Bounds son of George-7:75

James was born March 1875 in Mississippi. He married 5 March 1896 in Marion County MS, Rose Burkhalter (Rosey) born March 1880. They were living in Marion County MS in 1900 and in Lamar County MS in 1910.
Children born in Mississippi were -

son- George Franklin Bounds born 22 January 1896
dau- Hattie O. Bounds born November 1898
dau- Maggie Bounds born 1901
dau- Cassie Bounds born 1904
dau- Aggie Bounds born 1907
son- Unnamed born 1910

8:168- John Thomas Bownds son of L. D.-7:54

John was born on 13 August 1883 in Independence County

Arkansas, died 1 August 1952 in Uvalde County Texas. John married 16 December 1915 in Utopia TX by A. J. Price, pastor of the Utopia Baptist Church, Matybel Patton born 19 August 1889 in Throckmorton County TX, died 16 April 1963 in Uvalde. She was the youngest child of James M. Patton and wife Mary Elizabeth Steele Bowles.
Children born in Texas were -

9:181- Mary Margaret Bownds born 26 November 1916 Utopia
9:182- Betty Sue Bownds born 21 June 1920 Utopia
9:183- John Harold Bownds born 7 June 1926 Utopia

8:169- Maude Elizabeth Bownds daughter of L.D.-7:54

Maude Elizabeth was born 3 December 1890 in Bandera County Texas and died 13 April 1973. She married first in September 1908 James Edison White born 1886, died 1909. She married second 2 August 1913 Joseph Rufus Patton, born 19 May 1879 Throckmorton TX, died 6 September 1926 son of James M. Patton and A. J. James.
Maude married third c1940 William H. Fisher who died the same year. She resumed the Patton name.
Children born in Texas were -

9:177- Jack Randle Patton born 14 July 1914 Utopia
9:178- Robert Bownds Patton born 29 August 1916 Utopia
9:179- Joe Glenn Patton born 3 March 1918 Bandera County
9:180- Thomas David Patton born 22 June 1923

8:170- Effie Pearl Bownds daughter of L.D.-7:54

Effie was born 6 December 1892 in Texas, died 29 December 1973. She married 21 June 1916 Jack Rainey. They lived in El Paso Texas.
Children born in Texas were-

dau- Mildred Rainey, died unmarried
son- Jack Bownds Rainey, not married
son- James Rainey
son- Thomas Marlin Rainey

8:171- James Ripley Hariel son of Martha Bounds Harriel-7:106

James (called Babe Harrell) was born 23 November 1858 in MS, died 31 May 1942 in Hancock County. He married on 13 July 1882 Lourainne Victoria Jarrell born 18 April 1863, died 30 March 1935. They are both buried in the Crane Creek Baptist Church Cemetery in Hancock County MS.
Children born in Hancock County MS were -

son- James Monroe Harriel born in August 1883, married Inettie and had three children.

son- Harold Brunson
son- Frank Brunson
dau- Gennie Brunson
dau- Carrie Brunson

9:173- Jessie Lee Polin Bounds son of Gilliam-8:118

Jessie was born 31 August 1885 in Lumberton, Pearl River County Mississippi, died in 1949. He married 20 October 1910 in Forrest County MS, Lillian Amanda Davis.
CHildren born in Mississippi were -

dau- Hoyt Leonell Bounds born 11 June 1912 who married Clinton Barth Smith and had children Wendall Davis Smith born 17 June 1935, Kerby Smith born 7 March 1942, Judith Leonell Smith born 30 January 1944, Patsy Ann Smith born 21 January 1947.
dau- Hilda Lelaine Bounds born 30 January 1914, married Ben Hornsby. Children were Bennie Hornsby born 20 September 1941 and John Paul Hornsby born 15 January 1946.
son- Houston Davis Bounds, married Evelyn Freeman and had children Virginia Ann Bounds, Linda Elaine Bounds and Nancy Fay Bounds.
son- Hilton Culpepper Bounds born 22 August 1921, married Walline Robinson. Children were Mikell Hilton Bounds, Paulette Bounds and Mark Houston bounds.
son- Hall Preston Bounds born 4 April 1926, married Emma Wall.

9:174- Lillie Corine Bounds daughter of Gilliam-8:118

Lillie was born 6 September 1892 in Lumberton, Pearl River County Mississippi. She married Guy Fletcher Davis.
Children born in Mississippi were -

son- A. C. Davis born 22 September 1911 who married Thelma Ladner Lee and had children Patricia Ann Davis born 23 August 1939 and Daniel Porter Davis born 16 September 1946.
dau- Ivy Maggie Davis born 9 April 1913 who married Edgar Elmo Seals and had children Clinton Edgar Seals born 1 September 1934, Iris Lorraine Seals born 28 January 1936, Geraline Seals born 28 June 1937, Shelton R. Seals born 26 June 1940 and Joe Rankin Seals born 14 November 1941.

9:175- Lavinia Ruth Bownds daughter of Marlin-8:76

Lavinia (called Ruth) was born 22 March 1914 in Presido County Texas. She married on 2 September 1935, Stuart Guerrant Kershner born 2 November 1907 in Ponotoc County Oklahoma, eldest son of John Stuart Kershner and Virginia Lillian Guerrant from West Virginia.

Ruth graduated from the University of Texas in journalism and has worked in writing, newspaper editing and public

relations. Stuart, a graduate of Marshall University in West Va, later the University of Texas in mechanical engineering, has now retired as an executive with the Texas Pipe Line Company and with Kinzbach Engineering in Houston Texas.

Ruth furnished most of the information on this family line as well as a number of other lines. She also is my advisory editor on this book. They now live in Austin Texas.
Children are -

10:93- Stuart Deric Kershner born 18 May 1937, Houston, Harris County Texas.
10:94- Susan Lavinia Kershner born 4 September 1942, Houston TX
10:95- Thomas Walter Kershner born 1 October 1944 Tulsa Oklahoma
10:96- Ann Virginia Kershner born 9 May 1947 Houston TX

9:176- Marlin Deric Bownds Jr. son of Marlin-8:76

Marlin was born 24 September 1917 ~~San Antonio, Bexar~~ Marfa, Presidio County Texas. He married on 20 June 1939 at San Antonio Texas, Helen Mechemehl born 20 January 1919 only child of Herbert Machemehl and Ollie Burns of Bellville Texas. He was a comptroller in Austin Texas.
One son born in San Antonio, Bexar County Texas is-

10:97- Marlin Deric Bownds III, born 16 May 1942

9:177- Jack Randall Patton son of Maude-8:169

Jack was born 14 July 1914 in Utopia Texas, died 2 January 1984. He married 29 October 1937 Vera McCaslin born 28 October 1912 daughter of Samuel G. McCaslin and Jody Virginia McKeehan of Sabinal Texas.
Children born in Texas were -

son- Joe Ray Patton born 6 october 1938 in Sabinal TX, married 11 June 1960 Natalie Faye Campbell daughter of Wesley N. Campbell and Lillie Williams of Uvalde TX. Their children were; Jody Faye Patton born 13 June 1961 who married 11 June 1983 Gary Schwarzlose and had children Garlyn Rene Schwarzlose born 1 March 1985 Leland MS and Zane Ryan Schwarzlose born 15 April 1987; Kathey Ray Patton born 25 June 1964.
son- Samuel Thomas Patton born 10 June 1943 Utopia TX. Married 16 August 1963 Deanne Sue Delmar (divorced in 198?) He married second 9 June 1984 Rebecca Lynn Aven. Children by Deanne were Samuel Thomas Patton Jr. born 29 July 1966 Phoenix AZ, Jennilea Patton born 11 July 1967 and Orry Raymond Patton born 18 August 1969 Phoenix AZ.
son- John Harold Patton born 17 March 1944 Utopia TX, died 9 November 1975. He married 24 December 1968 Judith Amy St.John and had children Nancy Lynn Patton born 12 December 1963 Syracuse NY (adopted), Tiffany Michelle patton born