

**CORRECTIONS AND
ADDITIONS TO THE
HOMECOMING '86
HISTORY OF
ELK RIVER VALLEY
(PELHAM VALLEY)**

**by Janelle Layne Coats
and
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- p. 4 Robert Brothers reports that he has found a Clovis point on his farm in Tarry Cove.
- p. 9 Betty Gilliam m. Horace Upton Henley. They have 2 children: Donna and David Roy Henley. Bobbie Gilliam m. Tom Gray. They have children, Shawn and Kellie Gray.
- p. 14 Ellis Clay m. Naomi Prowell.
- p. 16 Howard Givens and Melanie Crowell also have a daughter, Kay Givens Walls.
- p. 16 Florence Speegle had these siblings: Cleo Ladd, Alf Speegle, Jr., and 3 other children who died in infancy. Dillard Davidson m. Gladys Russell not Gladys Brinkley.
- p. 18 Wendell Nunley m. Judy McCormick. His brother, Wayne, married Carol Warner.
- p. 18 Dale and Ruth Nunley Harshman also have a son, Stacy.
- p. 18 Carolyn Nunley and Wallace "Shorty" Heitt's children are: Wallace, Jeff, and Malinda. Malinda was the first female deputy in Grundy County.
- p. 20 (Their children were Teresa m. Tim Cunningham and Gaye m. John Kelly) Eliminate bracket at the end of the sentence.
- p. 22 Loretta Hassebrock who m. 1. Leonard Layne 2. Billy Boyd Edwards.
- p. 23 eliminate Preston D. Layne b. 1835 m. 1. Martha Jane Thomas that falls between (C) & (D).
- p. 24 add Teddy Hill m. Debra Green. Their son is Calem Hill. Teddy is the son of Mary and James L. Hill.
- p. 24 Dorothy Mattox should be Dorothy Matlock.
- p. 24 Numbers 1f, 1g, & 1h should be in the same left margin as 1e. indicating that these people were brothers and sisters.
- p. 26 May Pearl King m. 1. Carlton Thomas 2. Paul Wilhelm - J. C. Thomas m. 1. Emma Jean Hawk 2. Betty Sue Sherrell.
- p. 31 (Bean Family) Arlene Partin Henley.
- p. 31 Meeks - Clouse Meeks's child, Ida, died early, but did not burn to death. Clouse Leonard "Little Blue" Meeks was the child who burned to death. Eliminate the name, George, in the list of Clouse Meeks's children.
- p. 32 Meeks - Their children were Ola Idella Meeks m. Jay Fults...
- p. 33 Sonny Meeks m. Mary Garner.
- p. 33 Novella m. 1. _____ 2. _____, Annie m. (1) Junior Henley, Lucy m. James Hill, George, and Kelly "Bug".
- p. 33 **Freddie Neal.**
- p. 34 Oliver-Bernie m. 1. Linda _____ 2. Linda _____ 3. Donna _____)
- p. 35 Heather Gallagher should be indented below Wanda Rogers and Mike Gallagher indicating she is their daughter. Chad Gallagher should be Derrick Gallagher.
- p. 35 Indent Angie Dickerson's name under Edward Lee Dickerson and Sheila Nunley indicating that Angie is their child.
- p. 36 (7) Lillie Grace Payne b. 1880 never married Add (8) Jim Payne b. 1882 m. Nora Nevills.
- p. 37 Linda Gail Rieder.
- p. 38 (4) Gracie Payne b. 1898 m. Fred Parks add 4e. their daughter, Tommie Mae Parks m. Paul Dugger.
- p. 39 6b. Hershel James Payne m. Louise Watts
- p. 40-41 **Stubblefield-Judy McArthur**
- p. 51 3. Wendell Gallagher should be shown as the brother of Jean Anne Gallagher.
- p. 52 Ethel Virginia Gallagher m. Jess Alton Gipson also had a daughter, Vickie who married Gary Crownover. They in turn had a daughter, Jessica Crownover.
- p. 53 Georgia Haynes Sr. m. Sharon Robison should be George Haynes, Sr.
- p. 56 Ova Eudora Kennerly (Eliminate the comma.)
- p. 56 No. 8. Clyde died of **flu**.
- p. 59 Ben Southern
- p. 60 _____ Ashburn and Thursa Phillips who taught music.
- p. 61 Dr. Upton Beall Bowden, Jr. general practitioner.
- p. 63 Brashear "Suckie" who died as a young child.
- p. 64 Eckward Green instead of Eckford.
- p. 66 Ruby Medley m. **Lannie Gilliam, Sr.**
- p. 66 John Euell "Bo" Medley and Mary Elizabeth "Cecil" Yarber also had a daughter, Helen, who married Ralph Meeks. Their children are Cynthia, Rhonda, and Richard. They have a grandson, Patrick Meeks.
- p. 69 under CaldwellChildren Ethel, Willie, Lillian, **Bess**, Gertrude, and Allie White.
- p. 69 Bradshaw The 1860 census shows 3 more children: Nancy C., James R. & Daniel S.
- p. 69 Mack & Gladys Clark.
- p. 70 Leonard Conry m. **Kattie Keel**
Lillard m. **Elah Brewster**
- p. 71 Elizabeth Gilliam Jackson wasn't ever an Ooten. John W. Jackson also had a son, J. C. Jackson.
- p. 71 ...the old Keel place once owned by Dick Keel...
- p. 71 Joanne m. ? Huggins and has one child, Willie Huggins.
- p. 72 John I. Sanders m. **Geneva Floyd....**
Raymond and Hazel have 3 children: Raymond, Jr., Peggy, & _____.
- p. 72 "Ford" Merrell's real name was William Noel Merrell.
- p. 72 Johnny Meeks and Dixie Dyer have 3 daughters, Regina, Shelly, & Denise.
Emmitt Sanders m. 1. Elizabeth Moore.

- p. 73 John Reginald Partin (not Ragland)
- p. 73 under Patterson Donald Terrell instead of Ferrell
- p. 73 John Elbert Patterson and Thursie Wilson had 2 children: Juanita Ruth & Charles Andrew.
- p. 75 Homer Smith m. 1st Irene Hindman
- p. 77 Later it was sold to Charles and Nellena Smith.
- p. 77 Jerlene (Jerry) Braseel Johnson
- p. 77 Irene Phipps m. Cheatom Oliver
- p. 78 Pascal and Juanita Myers have a daughter Deborah m. 1. _____ Webb 2. _____
Hershman. She has 2 children: Misty and David Webb.
- p. 80 Cordell Newsome is the son of Charles and Gladys Brown Newsome.
- p. 81 Carolyn Sue Johnson, daughter of Joyce Watson and Gene Johnson.
- p. 81 Flona Lee Brown **Burnett**
Cordell Gilliam
Barbara Gilliam Henley Willoughby
Jeff Sells
- p. 82 John Jones and Vennie Medley's children were: Billy (Corky), Dara, **Carol Faye**, Pete, and **Sue Ann Jones**.
- p. 83 James Monroe Cox m. Fannie Gladys Howland. Two of their children were Zelma m. H. E. Raines and James m. Lula May Gilliam.
- p. 83 Franklin (Frank) Cox's real name was Francis Marion Cox.
- p. 83 Henley - delete Alice, Paul, Louise, Clara Mae, and Raymond.
- p. 84 From the last line on Henley, delete: Ellen, Harrison, & Mary Jane. The line should read: Two of Sam Henley's children were Jess Henley (m. Jessie Caldwell) and Jonas or Jones Henley.
- p. 85 **Rutherford Co.**
- p. 85 Southerland - These are both black families and are probably descended from slaves...
- p. 90 cavalry
- p. 90 **Information for the preceding scenario... (12th paragraph)**
- p. 97 tenth line from the top- made to his wife, Louisa...
- p. 101 Huey Gipson family, Edd & Nannie (Rieder) Parks family...
- p. 103 Add to the list of pastors of Pelham Church of Christ- Gordon Matthews.
- p. 104 Leon Norris
- p. 105 Benches- in memory of Elbert & Elsie Payne Layne and in honor of L. H. & Gladys Burnett and family.
Bob Cox was Sunday School Superintendent after Glenn Bonner.
- p. 106 Miss Eula Brashear was a pianist for the Pelham Methodist Church.
- p. 108 Sunrise Service was held by Valley Home Methodists at Wonder Cave.
- p. 110 add the names, Nell Pearson & S. A. "Tom" Moore to the list of valley teachers.
- p. 117 Other bus drivers included Hagan Hamby, Bud Braseel, Pack Medley, Paul Gallagher, & Quentin Partin, Dave Payne & Bayo Nunley. **Ethel Winton** was a cook at Pelham School.
- p. 120 Picture on lower right - Clifton Medley and **Kenneth Mayes**. Picture 1 - Mildred Oliver.
- p. 125 is Providence School.
- p. 128 The Mason's Building was also occupied at one time by a store operated by Paul Gallagher and Janie Hines. David Cox also operated a restaurant there.
- p. 129 Providence Businesses - Alwhite Caldwell and Gertrude Caldwell instead of Alwhite Conry & Gertrude Gipson.
- p. 131 **Wyat Layne**
- p. 140 Pelham received electric lights about 1934....
- p. 143 Civil War Veterans of Pelham Valley (Incomplete List) delete Burnett, John Wilson and add Sanders, Jackson.
- p. 144 Pelham Valley Veterans WWII and Later: add the following: Argo, Arthur; Bonner, Richard D.; Burnett, John Wilson; White, Alton; White, Ralph; Hardy, Jerry; Raymond; Hardy, Joe; Phipps, Hubert Allen "Dick". Correct these: Davidson, Martin H.; Parks, Paul K.; Parson, William H.
- p. 148 Chapter members of the Ruritan Club should have included Clifton Medley, Luke Nunley, & Howard Givens.
Item 1 - Placing flags on veterans' graves.
Others who won the Outstanding Community Service Award were Carlton Burnett and Tony De Matteo.
Other members of the Ruritan included: J. L. Chance, Hugh Balzell, Raleigh Clark & Grover Partin.
- p. 153 under first picture should be Roger Smith and George Wilson.
- p. 153 under Swinford-who live at the Betty **Gunn** place...under Holt- John & **Lana** Holt.

OOLEY

The Ooley family, thought to be German in origin, came to this area from Arkansas. W. R. Ooley and his sister, Martha, are the earliest of the surname known to be here. Martha Ooley m. George W. Magouirk. They lived in Payne's Cove where she served as a midwife and sometimes the local doctor.

W. R. Ooley married Catherine Sanders who was a sister of Alzira "Aunt Zade" Sanders. Their children were Mary Elizabeth "Bethie" Ooley m. David W. Howard, Sr.; Evalyn Ooley m. Earle Chaddock and lived in Nebraska; Idell Ooley m. Henry Matyke (German); Rose Ooley m. Otto Imm.

After Catherine Sanders Ooley's death, W. R. Ooley m. Maggie Givins from Warren County. They had one son, Waymon Ooley, who married Faye _____. They moved to Arkansas. He later died in Little Rock.

The Ooleys originally lived where Esther Brashear now lives. The cemetery behind the house is the Ooley family plot. Catherine Sanders Ooley, among others, is buried there.

HOWARD

John Gilliland Howard m. Sarah Lucinda Neville (daughter of Poxei Neville). They had 3 sons: David W. Howard, Sr. m. Mary Elizabeth Ooley; Johnny Howard -never married; & George Howard- died young. This family lived in Coffee County, but after his marriage, David W. Howard moved to Pelham.

David Howard went into the mercantile business in Pelham in 1900. Hitching posts for the clientele were located at the rear of the store. Dave Howard and Pete Gilliam were said to have owned the first two Ford cars in Pelham. They bought them from a dentist, Edd Finney, in Tracy City in 1916.

David W. Howard, Sr. and Wife Mary Elizabeth Ooley, had 3 children: David Howard, Jr. who was a school teacher in Clarksville, TN, and married Ollie Collier; Rose Howard m. Glenn Bonner; Lucy Howard, also a school teacher, who married Arley Hamby.

Rose Howard and Glenn Bonner's children were Glenn William Bonner, Joyce Bonner, & Bruce Earl Bonner.

BURROWS' COVE CEMETERIES

Bethel Cemetery near Bethel Church

Sartain Cemetery-behind Bethel Church

Campbell Cemetery -near Luke Nunley's across the road and nearby Eddie Dickerson's

Evans-Scissom -near Joe Boyd Meeks's house- In Carl Edwin Bonner's yard

Graveyard Hollow - at the head of Burrows' Cove

Winton Cemetery - on the farm of Clercy Hamby

Some of Chris Note's relatives were buried in the head of Burrows' Cove at the top of the mountain.

There is an old cemetery at the head of Hawk Hollow.

In a field near Elk River behind the old Alvin Campbell place is a cemetery with no carved stones. Burnetts are said to be buried there.

Pull-Tight Cemetery has one stone, a Scissom.

Sanders Schoolhouse Cemetery-on top of the mountain between Burrows' Cove and Coalmont - accessible only from Coalmont.

There is a slave graveyard located in Orchard Hollow in the head of Payne's Cove.

MEEKS - George Meeks who married Ozella Magouirk was the son of Kitt & Elijah Meeks. His descendents lived in Layne's Cove.

STEVENS

Ab and Belle Stephens (Stevens) lived around the mountain in Bell's Cove about where Pat & Allie Partin later built their house. The only other family members remembered were a daughter, Docia and a grandson, Foster. Foster m. Ethel Crow from Monteagle. They lived in several houses around the cove area. One being a house situated where the Wayne Shelton family now lives. Foster and Ethel's children were: Henry Taylor, Carl Prentice "Blue", Pauline, Frank Evans "Mose", Edgar Foster "Toopie". Golden and Dola Galligan once lived on the place where Foster Stevens lived. Ab Stevens was a brother to Taylor Stevens, father of Warren Stevens Partin. Taylor Stevens m. _____ Bennett.

HENLEY

A correction of the article on the John P. Henley family on p. 84.

John P. Henley m. 1 Caroline Hargis 2. Margaret Bell. The children by his first wife were: Rebecca m. Robert L. Sherrill who in turn had John P. Sherrill m. Mabel Letress Conry (Their children were: Alfred, Annie Bell, & Hershel Sherrill), (B) Maude m. Henry Echols and moved to Oklahoma, (C) Luvina m. Carter Partin (see Partin). (D) Minnie m. James "Jim" Jackson (see Jackson). John P. Henley's children by Margaret Bell: (A) James "Jim" Henley m. Louise Caldwell (see Caldwell). (B) Samuel Orville m. 1. Jane Caldwell 2. Myrtle Hinton. (C) Rachel m. Christopher Columbus Partin (see Partin). (D) Robert m. Lillian Caldwell (see Laxson), (E) Daisy m. Leon Conry (see Conry). Jesse m. Jessie Caldwell (see Caldwell & Laxson).

It is generally believed that the old log house in Bell's Cove where Leon and Daisy Henley Conry once lived belonged to the John P. Henley family. John P. and family moved across the line into Franklin County. The area, however, is still considered to be in the Providence Community. The Henleys were a vital part of community life, and most of them married Providence residents. John P. Henley's son, Robert, and wife Lillian Caldwell Henley later lived in the old Henley home and their children, Gladys and Douglas Caldwell Henley grew up there. John P. and wife, Margaret, were buried on a plot near their home in Franklin Co.

Myrtle Hinton and Samuel O. Henley had 8 children: Aubrey; Emma Guinn; Fayna; S. O., Jr.; Leslie; Nell Verna; Geneva; and Mary Jane Walker.

SMITH

Smith Hollow was named for Billy Smith. He and his son, Richard (Dick) Smith, lived in the hollow along with Farris Rust.

PARTIN

The Partins were early settlers in the Roark's Cove and Alto areas of Franklin County, TN.

John (Jack) Partin m. Mary Ann Morris. Their children were: Tennessee, Christopher "Red" Columbus, Joe, Carter, Delila, and Amanda, & Tennessee m. "Big Mouth" John Henley. Their family members moved to Palmer to work in the mines. Christopher "Red" Columbus m. 1. Jane Gilliam from near Sewanee 2. Rachel Henley. Columbus and his first wife

had: Johnny B., Hattie, and Bessie. By his second wife he had Orville "Pat", Bryan, Esta, and Clara Maude.

Johnny B. Partin m. Warren (Warine) Stephens (Stevens). Their children were: Grover m. Margaret Mae Patterson (no children). Taylor - never married. Ethel m. Kelly Crownover. Ethel and Kelly's children were Johnny m. Lois Waller. (They in turn had Lynn, Cheryl, and Karen.) Bill m. Shirley Henley of Sherwood. (Their child was Bobbie Jean. Bobbie Jean m. Bobby Jo Stevens of Franklin Co. and had a child, Stephanie Warren.) Katherine m. Gary Delton. Tommie-not presently married.

Hattie Partin b. 1891 d. 1957 m. Wm. T. "Bill" Hill b. 1899 d. 1951. Their children were Lucille m. 1. Hughey Gipson 2. Ulysses Brown. Lucille and children live in Oak Grove. Her children are Huetta m. Gene Minor, Yvonne m. Richard Solomon, Naomi m. _____ Armacher. (B) Edith Hill m. 1. Abe Layne, Jr. 2. Robert Shirley.

Her children were all by her first marriage. They were: Sherman m. Patricia Dickerson (Their children & Sharon & Gary). Virginia m. 1. _____ Tudor 2. _____ Zimsek. Teresa m. 1. Charles West 2. Jimmy Hannah. (C) Osler Hill m. 1. Alucia Hill 2. Rita Oakley. His children were by his first marriage. They were Clayton, Joan, Morton, & Randall. (D) Faminda Hill m. Fred Hassebrock. Their children were Freddie Wayne m. Kathy Thomas. They have two children: Amy and _____. Loretta m. 1. Leonard Layne 2. Billy Boyd Edwards. Her children are Greg Layne and Billy Wade Edwards. (E) Margaret Hill m. 1. Alfred Campbell 2. Jack Jordan 3. _____ McGee. (F) Joe Hill- never married. (G) Mary Lee Hill m. Alton Johnson. Their children are Ernie, Michael, and Tommy.

Bessie Partin m. Will Trussell. Their children were Bernice, Gladys, and Martha. Martha m. Sam Reid. Their son, Billy Gene Reid was sheriff of Grundy County. Bessie and Will Trussell's family moved to Tracy City.

Orville "Pat" Partin m. Allie Goodman. Their children were Paul, Alice, Louise, Raymond (died in WW II), Clara Mae, Jean, & _____.

Bryan Partin m. Emma Bramblett. Their children were: Barbara m. 1. Roy Landrum 2. Junior Malone. She had one child, Joanna Landrum. Sybil m. 1. David Beene 2. Kenneth Kilgore 3. Junior Henley. She has one son, Nash Beene. Quentin Partin m. Wanda Sue Killian. Their children were: Terry Michael, Susan Renee, and Cynthia Kaye.

Esther (Esta) Partin m. James Thomas Jackson. Their children were Rachel Patricia and James Thomas II. This family lives in Virginia near Washington, D.C. Dr. Jackson (Sr.) was at one time the personal physician of Arthur Godfrey.

Clara Maude m. Glenn Sitz of Tracy City. Their children were: Nancy who is now a practicing pediatrician at Vanderbilt. Glenda m. a minister and lives in Nashville.

Red Columbus and his wife, Jane, lived in an old house that stood where Margaret and Grover Partin's home now stands. His children were born there. In later years after Jane's death, he married Rachel Henley. The old Bell place was for sale. Since Harris Bell had died, his property was sold and divided among the heirs. It was bought by Trussells-later by Bill Bennett. Columbus and Rachel pooled their respective resources and bought the property. Bryan Partin's family now owns the property.

Johnny B. and Warren moved to Akron, Ohio, and worked until they had enough money to buy the place adjoining his father. Johnny Crownover, a grandson, now lives at that homeplace.

Joe Partin m. _____. Belle m. Stonewall "Tony" Jackson, son of Jim Jackson. They had 3 children: Audie m. _____, Winnie m. Frank Henley, son of Sam O. and Janie Caldwell Henley of Providence. Winnie and Frank have a daughter, Jessie, who is superintendent of schools in Franklin County. Woodrow was a school teacher in Coffee Co. There are other children, but they lived away from this area.

Carter m. Luvina Henley (sister of Rachel). They lived near Pelham. Their children were: Robert-moved away. Margaret m. _____ Austen in Florida. Carolyn m. _____ Brown. Eliza m. _____ and lives in Florida.

Amanda m. _____ "Bud" Coker and moved to Texas.

Delilah m. _____ Waggoner.

Jack Partin had other children, but we do not have their names or information about them.

John Partin and brother, "Black" Columbus, settled in the Providence community. 1. John m. Nancy Patterson 2. Betty Laxson Clements (see Patterson & Laxson). John & "Black" Columbus were the sons of Marlon Partin, brother of John (Jack) Partin.

"Black" Columbus m. Ella Gilliam in Franklin Co. Both mother and child died in child birth. "Uncle Clum" as he was affectionately known lived a while with the Dellie Gilliam family. Later Buford Partin, a nephew, built him a small house in Cross Roads.

The Partin Cemetery is in Roark's Cove in Franklin Co.

PARTIN'S CAVE

The cave near the house where C. C. and Rachel Henley Partin lived is now known as Partin Cave. The cave has always been a place of interest for young people who used to crawl back in the cave.

The boys would go ahead and turn out the light to scare the girls. Such screaming they did, and the old bats clinging to the walls would fly and make squeaky noises.

It was also a place for fish fries, barbecues, and Sunday School cookouts as well as political get togethers. The fresh cold water from the cave furnished water for the nearby home and livestock.

TAYLOR PARTIN'S STORIES

Taylor Partin likes to repeat the tales of daring that his grandfather, "Red" Columbus Partin, used to tell.

When he ("Red" Columbus) was a young man, the dogs treed a bear one night. He ran outside to see what was wrong with the dogs and found the bear trying to get up a tree. He decided to help the dogs so he began pulling at the bear. He pulled out enough hair to make erasers for the Roark's Cove School.

In another instance, grandpa let the dogs sleep in the house. On cold nights, they got in the bed with him. In the middle of the night, the dogs began fighting. He got up to put them out. In the struggle, the slobber (saliva) got into a sore on his hand. The next day he discovered one of the animals was rabid. He went all the way to Bell Buckle to a lady with a madstone. She put it on the sore, and it stuck for 12 hours. (A madstone was really a porous bone taken from the head of a white deer, but very few people had them.)

There were two ducks on the pond in the field where Johnny B. Partin lived. A rail fence crossed the pond. He eased along the rail fence trying to get the ducks lined up where one shot would get both. He slipped on the fence and killed one duck. The other rose as it flew over his head, "Red" caught it by the neck, thereby, getting both ducks with one shot.

Young people today are missing the thrill and excitement of heroic tales told by great story tellers.

Partin & Henley information gathered by Jewel Patterson Partin Jacobs.

JOSEPH GALLAGHER

Joseph Gallagher was born 19 Nov. 1887, in Pelham, TN, to Thomas and Mary Clay Gallagher. His brothers were Dominic, John, and Burke Gallagher; his sisters: Janie Gallagher and Ethel Gallagher Clark. Mr. Joe, as he was affectionately known, attended Pelham School, Decherd High School, the University of the South, and Middle Tennessee State College at Murfreesboro, TN. He taught school for 48 years at the following places: Elk Head, Payne's Cove, Campground, Providence, Valley Home, Pelham, Alto, & Thompson Hall. He was Grundy County's first teacher to use oil on the wood floors of the school. He said he loved every minute of his teaching career.

Joe Gallagher married Aubrey Patton 8 Feb. 1920, at Hundred Oaks Castle in Winchester, TN. He was a veteran of World War I. Mr. Joe died 18 Aug. 1979.

By Tine Gallagher Smith

WILSON

Malinda Tate m. Benjamin Wilson of Wartrace, TN, and began the Wilson line of Pelham Valley. Their children were: 1. Dave Wilson m. Zora Bell Brooks 2. Jim Wilson never married. He bled to death following a train accident and was the first person buried at the Pelham Church of Christ Cemetery. 3. Callie Wilson m. Andy Willis. They had no children. 4. Sally Wilson m. Ed Gunn, brother of Alex Gunn. She and her husband lived at Viola, TN. They had 3 daughters, all teachers. 5. Frank Wilson, Sr. m. Nora Patton. This family is included in the Patton chart.

David Wilson, Sr. of Pelham, TN m. Zora Bell Brooks of Fairfield, TN. Their children were:

1. Benjamin Franklin Wilson m. Tressie Carden
 - A. David Carden Wilson m. Margaret _____
 - a. David Wilson, Jr.
 - b. Margaret Ann Wilson
 - B. James Pascal Wilson m. Barbara Jean English
 - a. James Wilson, Jr.
 - b. Barbara Jean Wilson
 - C. Wayne Kenneth Wilson m. Narcia Brazile
(No children)
 - D. Dale Wilson m. Margaret Murtal
 - a. Margaret Wilson
 - b. Betty Wilson
 - c. Bennie Dale Wilson
 - E. Cleora Wilson m. Benton Gallagher
 - a. Tressie Jo Gallagher m. Joey Magouirk
 1. Scotty Magouirk
 2. Shannon Magouirk
 3. Shelley Magouirk
 - b. Benton Robert Gallagher m. Sheila Meeks
 - c. Jerry Dale Gallagher m. Karen Barnes (see Patton)
 - d. James Kenneth Gallagher m. Carol Myers (see Patton)
2. Mattie Bell Wilson m. James Lawrence Partin
 - A. Ora Mae Partin m 1. Robert Harrington 2. Joe Parton
 - a. Janice Harrington
 - b. Pam Harrington
 - c. ?
 - d. Joey Parton
3. Ora Wilson m. Mark Pearson
 - A. Zora Pearson m. Wesley Raines
 - a. John Raines
 - b. (2 other children)

4. Rebecca Wilson m. Warren Andrew Jackson
 - A. Joyce Jackson - died young
 - B. Hellen Jackson m. William Lappin
 - a. Betty Lappin
 - b. Benny Lappin
 - c. Cindy Lappin
 - C. Paul Jackson m. Ida Sherrill
 - a. Tom Jackson
 - b. Sue Jackson
 - c. Peggy Jackson
5. Exie Wilson - never married
6. David Wilson m. Ruth Stokes of Mo.
 - A. David Allen "Bud" Wilson m. Nell Ruth Samples
 1. James Allen Wilson (twin)
 2. twin - died
 3. Susan Wilson
 - B. James Robert Wilson m. Theona Rogers
 1. James Terry Wilson m. Lisa Brown
 - C. Zora Marilyn Wilson m. Eddie Payne
 1. David Charles Payne m. Deanna Jackson
 - a. David Keith Payne
 - b. Kasandria Payne
 2. Jacqueline Celeste Payne m. James Burch
 3. Constance Cornelia Payne m. Keith Morris
 - a. David Allen Morris
 - D. Janet Ruth Wilson m. Charlie Carter
 1. Joe Wilson Carter
 2. Janet Lynnette Carter
 3. Darrel Carter - (Charlie's son)

ELKINES-ELKINS-ROGERS-REAVES

By Henrietta Bowden Ray

On the northeastern edge of Grundy County, Pelham, Tennessee, adjoining Coffee County is the beautiful and fertile cove known as TYREE COVE. Among the first settlers of this cove that is watered by mountain springs and surrounded by the Cumberland Plateau was the family of

*1. Wryce York Elkins (Elkines) (son of Gabriel Murphy Elkins and Mary Ann Vandergriff) who had four brothers and sisters:

2. Nan Elkins m. John Prater
 - A. Jim Prater m. Margaret St. John
 - B. Enoch Prater m. Ida Wornley
 - C. Mary Prater m. Elton Scott
 - D. Ethel Prater m. Gilbert Wornley
 - E. Ida Lee Prater m. Andrew Prater
 - F. Maude Prater m. Will Cass
 - G. Beulah Prater m. Cecil Lowe
 - H. John Murphry Prater
3. Catherin Elkins m. Wyatt Winton
4. Stonewall Jackson "Jack" Elkins m. Cornelia Smith
 - A. Edith Elkins -
 - B. Nan Elkins - died young
 - C. Emmett Elkins m. Ora Warren
5. Jim Elkins m. Samatha Brawley
 - *1. Wryce York Elkins m. Martha Jane Rogers (daughter of Elisha Rogers and Mary Ann Fults).
Brothers and Sisters of Martha Jane Rogers Elkins:
 - A. Eugene Rogers m. Mattie Baird
 - a. Lemmie Rogers
 - b. Lula Mae Rogers m. Oscar Andres
 - c. Pauline Rogers m. Raymond Williams
 - d. Leola Rogers m.
 - e. Irene Rogers m.
 - f. Rilla Etta Rogers
 - g. Howard (twin) Rogers
 - h. Luther (twin) Rogers

2. Jessie Rogers m. Florence _____
 - A. Glenn Rogers
 - B. Gordon Rogers
 - C. Richard Rogers
 - D. Lucille Rogers m. William Ramsey
3. George Rogers m. Anna _____
4. John Rogers m. Martha Brawley
 - A. Prudence Rogers m. Edgar Phillips
 - B. Betty Rogers m. _____ Banks
 - C. Thurman Rogers
 - D. John Rogers
5. Tom Rogers m. No. 1 _____ Bryant
 - A. Remus Rogers m. Sally _____
 - B. Marvin Rogers m. _____ Moffett
 - C. Horace Rogers m. Viney Collines
 - D. Mae Rogers m. Hugh Braden
 Tom Rogers m. No. 2 Petway Bryant
 - A. Burt Rogers m. Louise _____
 - B. Roy Rogers m. _____ Moffett
 - C. Oscar Rogers
 - D. Clyde Rogers
 - E. Myrtle Rogers m. _____ Hadden
 - F. Maggie Rogers m. Grady Bradshaw

Sisters of Martha Jane Rogers Elkins:

1. Rilla Rogers m. Harvey Banks
 - A. Zella Banks
 - B. Orene Banks
 - C. Zeb Banks
 - D. Jessie Banks
2. Ida Rogers m. Fred Rundle
3. Nannie Rogers m. Henry Dunn
4. Betty Rogers m. Harrison Lusk
 - A. Hubert Lusk
 - a. Edwin Lusk
 - b. Muriel Lusk
 - B. Otis Lusk
 - C. Lou Lusk
 - D. Vera Lusk
5. Bell Rogers

Children of Jane Rogers and Wryas York Elkins (Elkins).

1. Mary Ellen Elkins m. John Cheatham Reaves b. May 13, 1881 - d. Aug. 1953)
 - A. Lewis Murphy Reaves m. Ruby Marcrom
 - B. Wryas Reaves m. Edna _____
 - C. Roger Elkins Reaves m. Fannie Formicola
 - D. Mildred Pauline Reaves m. Charles Upton Bowden
 - a. Upton Beal Bowden III m. Wanda Kahlenbeck.
 1. Upton Beal Bowden IV
 - b. John Wayne Bowden m. Arvilene Roberts
 1. John Wayne Bowden, Jr.
 2. Amy Carol Bowden
 3. Beth Ann Bowden
 - c. Margaret Anne Bowden m. Rodney Kenneth Thomas
 1. Kenneth Tyson Thomas
 2. Anna Carol Thomas
 3. Lauren Lynette Thomas
 - E. James Carl Reaves m. Janette Campbell
 - a. Gay Lynn Reaves m. Danny Zanon
 - b. Susan Reaves m. Dave Trinka
 - c. Janet Reaves m. Ken Drogorub
 - F. Ralph Layne Reaves m. Willie T. Cunningham
 - a. Ronald Reaves
 - b. Richard Reaves

- G. Ina Mae Reaves m. Hix Ramsey
 - a. Jane Ramsey (twin) m. Johnny Russ
 - 1. Joel Russ
 - 2. James Russ
 - b. Janice Ramsey (twin) m. David Bartlett
 - 1. Scott Bartlett
 - 2. Matthew Bartlett
 - c. Hix Ramsey m. Sheila Duke
 - 1. Bradley Ramsey
 - 2. Nicholas Ramsey
- H. Martha Evelyn Reaves - died in infancy
- I. Kenneth Truman Reaves m. Joyce Tolbert
 - a. Greg Reaves m. (1.) Anita _____
 - 1. Lynn Reaves
 - a. Greg Reaves m. (2) Lori _____
 - b. Lisa Reaves m. Christopher Roddy
 - 1. Lauren Roddy
- 2. Flora Elkins m. Stonewall Pendleton
 - A. Juanita Pendleton
 - B. Odell Pendleton
 - C. Robert Pendleton
 - D. Dale Pendleton
 - E. Naida Pendleton
- 3. Horace Elkins m. Honorine Charles
 - A. Horace Charles Elkins, D.D.S. m. Patricia _____
 - a. Deborah Elkins
 - b. Daphanie Elkins
 - c. Charles Elkins
 - d. Doyle Elkins
 - e. Bryan Elkins
 - B. Hilly Elkins m. Wayne Tarter
 - a. Donald Tarter
 - b. Steve Tarter
 - c. Joy Ellen Tarter
 - C. Jo Ellen Elkins m. Howard Busby
 - a. Betsy Jo Busby
 - b. Howard Busby, Jr.
 - D. Robert S. Elkins, D.D.S. m. Faye Kennedy
 - a. Robert Elkins
 - b. Mary Ellen Elkins
 - c. Elizabeth Elkins
 - E. Charlie Elkins m. 1. Pearl Frazier
 - a. Jane Elkins m. Bill Oakley
 - 1. Ann Oakley
 - 2. Cathy Oakley
 - 3. Randy Oakley
 - 4. William Oakley
 - b. Frank Elkins
 - c. Wryas Elkins m. June _____
 - 1. Steve Elkins
 - 2. Linda Elkins
 - 3. Nora Elkins
 - E. Charlie Elkins m. 2. Ardene Thurman
 - a. Katherine Elkins m. _____ Austin
 - b. Eleanor Elkins m. Charles Roper
 - c. Jimmy Elkins
 - d. Jerry Wayne Elkins
- 4. Sudie Elkins m. Herbie Thomas Marcrom
 - A. Martha Ruth Marcrom
 - B. Herbie Willard Marcrom m. Faye Comer
 - a. Edith Marcrom m. Tony Lancaster
 - 1. Gretchen Lancaster
 - 2. Will Lancaster
 - b. Sarah Marcrom
 - c. Martha Jane Marcrom

REAVES

- Francis Marion Reaves m. 1. _____
2. Rebecca Grooms
By 1st marriage -
Will Reaves
Laura Reaves
Isham Reaves
By 2nd marriage -
Cheatam Reaves m. Mary Ellen Elkins
Anna Reaves
George Reaves
Neil Reaves
William Reaves
James Reaves

RAMSEY

William Ramsey b. 3 Apr. 1823 d. 21 Aug. 1915 probably married _____ Willis. This couple is thought to have lived on Ramsey Lane. (the road which is off 41 Highway between Carl David Myers's and Dale Bryan's residences). William and his wife are buried at the Pelham Church of Christ Cemetery. William had these siblings: 1. David, who fought in the Civil War. 2. George Ramsey 3. Andrew Jackson Ramsey 4. Martha Ramsey who married John Macon. They were the parents of Uncle Dave Macon the Grand Ole Opry star.

William Ramsey's brothers and sisters resided in Warren County. The Ramseys are said to have arrived in Warren County between 1800 and 1805.

Information from Horace Ramsey.

MARCROM

- John Wiley Marcrom m. Ruth McGregor. Their children:
A. Lee Marcrom m. Orvil Kilgore
B. Lizzie Marcrom m. George Nobles
C. Herbie Thomas Marcrom m. Sudie Edith Elkins
D. Lillie Marcrom m. Polk Smith
E. Wiley Marcrom m. Lori Good
F. Emma Marcrom m. Joe Pearson (Parks)
G. Bell Marcrom m. Tom Rogers
H. Naomi Marcrom m. Lecil Nash
I. Gordon Marcrom m. Orvil Kilgore who also married Lee Marcrom
J. & K. - 2 infants who died of whooping cough

Information from Martha Jane Marcrom.

THE EDD CONRY FAMILY

EDD CONRY was the 10th child in the Dan Conry & Frances Keeling-Conry Family. Edd Conry, was a prominent farmer in the area and always lived only a few miles from his fathers home place. He married Octavia Henson of Pelham and they had four (4) children and six (6) grandchildren.

Edd's farm was near Big Spring in Payne's Cove.

Billy Henson Conry, Edd's only son, served in W.W. II and later became an airplane engineer. Two of Edd's daughters became school teachers, and they taught school in Coffee and Grundy counties.

A grandson, Billy Abbott Carden also served in W.W. II.

Edd's family were all devout Methodists and always participated in church activities at the Methodist Episcopal Church in Pelham.

EDD CONRY b. DEC. 16, 1872

Edd Conry m. Octavia Adaline Henson

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| 1. Gladys Alma Conry | 10-28-1897 |
| 2. Marjorie Conry | 7-31-1901 |
| 3. Edna Conry | 9-8-1907 |
| 4. Billy Henson Conry | 9-6-1917 |

1. Gladys Conry m. Lynn Abbott Carden

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| A. Billy Abbott Carden | 6-4-1925 |
| B. Sarah Inez Carden | 5-6-1926 |

- A. Billy Abbott Carden m. Florence Nailor
 - a. Donald Abbott Carden 12-24-1950
 - b. Alice Kay Carden 5-2-1955
 - b. Caroly Jean Carden 12-6-1926
 - B. Sarah Inez Carden m. Lewis Winton
 - a. Patricia Adalyn 12-5-1945
 - b. Vetron Kay 12-20-1948
 - c. Karen Ann 3-22-1950
 - d. Steven Paul 10-30-1954
 - a. Patricia Adalyn Winton m. Carl Wayne Goodman
 - b. Vetron Winton m. Mark Sanders Mochow
2. Marjorie Conry m. Harvey Burnett (3-5-1899 died 3-20-1934)
- A. Nell Ruth 10-8-1922
 - B. Edna Aileen 12-14-1925
- A. Nell Ruth Burnett m. James W. R. White
- a. James Timothy White 12-2-1940
 - b. Jo Marilyn White 5-15-1946
 - c. Gerald Harvey White 5-21-1947
- a. Timothy "Tim" White m. Mary Bandy
- (a) James Andrew White 7-20-1966
 - (b) Timothy Scott White 3-10-1969
 - (c) Mary Ellen White 4-2-1971
- b. Jo Marilyn White m. Steven Koslow (3-18-1944)
- B. Edna Aileen Burnett m. Charles Lester Sartin
- a. Charles Burnett 8-22-1946
 - b. Marsha Gayle 9-28-1950
 - c. Rita Dian 7-24-1956
 - d. Philip Timothy 10-13-1959
- a. Charles Burnett Sartin m. Brenda Kay Fugitt
- (a.) Amy Teresa 12-5-1969
- b. Marsha Gayle Sartin m. Gerald William Herndon (8-11-1971)
3. Edna Conry never married
4. Billy Henson Conry m. Margie Bovee
- A. William Michael 7-6-1946 (died 1964)
 - B. Mary Theresa 12-16-1947

Above information taken from "Descendants of Dan Conry" by Marjorie Burnett.

CONRY/GOODMAN

James (Jim) Conry was eldest son of Dan Conry and Frances Keeling. He was born 12 Jan. 1856, was a miner during his early years, but bought his father's homeplace, and became a farmer.

James Conry was married 3 times: 1. Virginia Pearson 2. Margaret Hargis 3. Dellia Lassater.

His children were:

1. Minnie Frances Conry m. John Bain and moved to Oklahoma.
2. Elizabeth Myrtle Conry m. Willie Goodman
3. Margaret "Mag" Conry m. Eugene Gordon
4. Jennie Conry d. 1891
5. Michael Emmitt Conry m. Alwhite Caldwell
6. Sarah Elizabeth "Betty" Conry m. Alex Gunn (see Gunn)
7. Jessie M. Conry m. Ernest Willis
8. Campbell Conry m. Lorene Wilson
9. James Buford Conry m. Louise Metcalf Patton
10. Mary Isabel Conry d. 1918

Elizabeth Myrtle Conry m. Willie Goodman and had:

1. Florence m. Wade Wilson and had Billy Wade Wilson who m. Bobbie Southerland and Patsy Ruth Wilson who m. Robert Cannon.
2. Loretta Goodman m. Fearlon Drake
3. Hazel Goodman m. Raymond Sanders
4. Clifford m. Hazel Shetters. They had Neil Goodman, Emmett Goodman who m. Katherine Warren, Joan Goodman who m. Bobby Gunthry, and Reedy Goodman.

5. Jamie Goodman m. Velma Gipson. They had Judy Goodman who m. Ralph Sanders, Kay Goodman m. Jacky Payne, and James Parker "Butch" Goodman who m. Linda Dykes.
6. Doris Goodman m. Woodrow Gilliam (see Gilliam)
7. Ward Goodman m. Frances Mooney. Their children were: Barbara Jo Goodman m. Mitchell Quick, Ronald Ward Goodman, Larry Goodman m. Linda Davis, and Frieda m. Jackie Sherrill.

Mike Emmitt Conry m. Alwhite Caldwell. Their children:

1. Genevive Conry m. Ralph Goodman and had a son, Jimmy, who married Peggy Mayes.
2. Mike Emmitt Conry, Jr. m. Bessie Long

Campbell Conry m. Lorene Wilson and had a daughter, Geraldine Conry who married William Lentz.

James Buford Conry m. Louise Metcalf Patton. Their children were:

1. James Buford Conry, Jr. m. 1. Brenda Baker 2. Rebecca Hoback Gunn.
2. Charles E. Conry m. 1. Carolyn Meeks 2. Linda Clifton-Charles and Carolyn's daughter is Candy Conry.

Charles and Linda have a son, Cam.

3. Margaret Jane "Peggy" Conry m. Norman Hill. Their Children are Katherine Marie Hill and James Norman Hill.

From "The Descendants of Dan Conry" by Marjorie Burnett.

HAYNES/COX

Horatio Prentis Haynes m. Texann C. Patton. Their children were:

1. George Lewis Haynes m. Lula Parmley
2. James Haynes m. Joanna Cox
3. Horatio Prentis Haynes m. Dora Idella Hamby (see Patton family)

James Haynes m. Joanna Cox and had these children:

- A. James Buford Haynes m. Lula Rollins (no children)
- B. Elsie Haynes m. Emmitt White. Their children were:
 1. Charles Emmitt "Jack" White m. Janice Burnett (see Patton family history)
 2. Betty White m. Bruce Sloan (see Patton history)

Joanna Cox, wife of James Haynes, was the daughter of Jim Cox & _____ Boggs. Her siblings were: Lem Douglass Cox, Cleveland Bates Cox, Sarah Lee Cox, Della Frances Cox, Jessie Gertrude Cox m. Burk Gallagher, and Annie Logan Cox m. Tom Barnes (see Barnes family).

Joanna Cox Haynes was a first cousin of Bob Cox of the Valley Home Community.
Information given by Jack White & Emmitt White.

GALLAGHER

By Joy Gallagher

The first Gallagher to live in Pelham Valley was Michael, who was an Irish immigrant and who worked on the railroad tunnel built through the mountain near Cowan around 1850. His wife was Jane _____ from Battle Creek Community in Marion County, TN. They had only one son, Thomas, from whom the rest of the Pelham Gallaghers descended. The following is the Gallagher lineage:

(I) Michael Gallagher b. ca. 1820 d. ca. 1884

M. Jane _____ b. 1827 d. 1874

(A) Thomas b. 1846 d. 1897 m. Mary

Clay b. 1849 d. 1939

(1) Michael b. 1872 d. 1872

(2) John b. 1874 d. 1948 m. Salina Beele Patton

(3) Thomas Burke b. 1876 d. 1958 m. Jessie Gertrude Cox

(4) James A.

(5) Domnic b. 1878 d. 1954 m. Lena Knies

(6) Lizy Jane b. 1881 d. 1903 never married

(7) Joe Edmon b. 1887 d. 1979 m. Aubrey Patton

(8) Mary Ethel b. 1889 d. 1973 m. Martin Clark

