# Three Springs Cemetry

**Butler Township, Hancock County, WV** 

William A. Ralston August 23, 1995

## HISTORY

OF

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The Three Springs Church.—The primitive Three Springs church was a hewed log structure. It was located on the land now in the possession of Bartly Campbell, about a mile and a half east of Holliday's Cove. The church was erected in about 1790. Services were held there until in the year 1812. Of the early history of the congregation no accurate information can be procured, except that of a call dated November 20, 1799, and is signed by Philip Jackson, James Proudfoot, Samuel Merchant, Samuel Marquiss, James Merchant, William Jackson, John Goodman Young, William Lee, John Coulter, John Wylie, William Ledlie and John Orr. This call was for Rev. Elisha McCurdy, who was among the first ministers in this church. The ground upon which the church was built was donated by the two James Campbells. There is also a graveyard at the place, near where the church stood, where many of the early settlers of the neighborhood are buried. In the year 1805 a great revival, known as the "falling down," took place. The following is taken from the Life of Macurdy,

On Subbath, the 13th of September, 1802, preparatory to the administration of the Lord's Supper at Three Springs, which was appointed to take place on the fourth Sabbath of September an unusually large number of people attended. In the morning Mr. Macurdy lectured on Malachi 3:1-5, "Behold, I will send my messenger," &c. In the afternoon, he preached from Joshua 24:15, "Choose you this day whom ye will serve." While reading the text, uncommon solemnity pervaded the assembly. The preacher himself felt awfully solemn. He read the text a second time. The point to which he directed his efforts, in the treatment of the subject, was to bring his hearers to a decision, by showing them that they were shut up to this necessity—that they must either choose to serve God, or they must choose not to serve him. This fearful alternative, he pressed upon them, with much earnestness and solemnity. the close of his remarks on this point, he stood silent in the tent, from which he had been addressing them. As he paused, the people, who had been scattered over a considerable space, gathered closely around the tent, as if in expectation of something further. Observing the inquiring expression, with which they gazed upon him, he resumed his discourse, and with solemn emphasis, said, "God and you must decide this question; and I now call upon you to give in your decision to God." Immediately the whole congregation rose to their feet, evincing very deep concern. Under these circumstances, he addressed them further, assuring them that God was a merciful God, and if there were any among them who had not chosen Him as their portion, they had still the opportunity to do so. And, again, he put the question, "Will you now give in your decision to serve the Lord your God?" This was the occasion of greatly increasing the anxiety which already existed, and many, unable to stand, fell back upon the benches, which were used as seats. In the midst of this intense excitement, he dismissed the congregation, and returned home. The people, themselves, after he had retired, appointed a meeting for prayer, to be held in the evening, which was attended upon with great interest. 'About lifty persons continued upon the ground, appeared unwilling to go away, and spent the most of the night in social worship.

On the Thursday following, which was observed as a fast, preparatory to the administration of the Lord's Supper, more than usual solemnity prevailed throughout the services. prayer-meeting was appointed, to be held in the evening, at the house of one of the elders. A number of persons proceeded thither directly from church. Mr. Macurdy followed towards evening. Before the commencement of the religious exercises, while walking near the house, and revolving in his mind what he should say to the people, he heard cries of distress, in a plat of wood-land which lay in the vicinity. Supposing them to be the cries of persons under concern about their souls, he asked one of the elders to go with him, that they might ascertain the fact. Upon their arrival at the place, they found two young women who had retired to the woods to pray, prostrate on the ground, in deep distress in relation to their eternal interests. "Their cries for merey were very affecting." After some conversation with them, they were taken to the house, where a large crowd of people were assembled for worship. There they were very powerfully affected and cried out, on account of the pungency of their convictions. This, however, did not interfere with the services of the evening. These proceeded without interruption, and so impreceptibly and rapidly did the hours pass away, in prayer and exhortation, that before the people were aware of it the morning light dawned upon them. The whole night was spent in religious exercises.

The next morning Mr. Macurdy, and the elder who was with him, proceeded toward the church, where a meeting of the ses-

sion had been appointed to converse with applicants for admission to the Lord's table. On their way they heard cries of distress in the woods, and going to the place whence they came, found a number of anxious persons engaged in prayer. Having reached the church, they spent the day conversing with inquirers after salvation. None as yet expressed a hope, and none, of course, were admitted to the communion of the church. A prayer-meeting was again held in the evening. The night was spent, as was the preceding one, in prayer and exhortation, the exercises being continued until day-light broke unexpectedly upon them, so intense and absorbing was the interest which they felt on the occasion.

The Rev. John Brice had been previously engaged to assist at the communion. On his way to the church, on Saturday morning, Mr. Macurdy fell in with him, and informed him of the state of things in the congregation. The effect on him was overwhelming. He seemed unable to endure it, and declared that he would return home, as he felt himself unfit to preach where the Lord was thus pouring out his spirit. Through the persuasion of Mr. Macurdy he proceeded to the church and preached. During the service great solemnity prevailed. Gracious influence was imparted, and many had their minds awakened to a concern for their salvation. At the close of the meeting, when the congregation was dismissed, a number were prostrate and unable to leave the ground. Two prayer meetings were appointed for the evening, at different places in the congregation. In these the greater part of the night was spent in social worship. Few, if any, slept, so powerful and exciting was the feeling which pervaded these meetings.

On Wednesday night, September 29, "far exceeded anything that had been before; many were prostrate, crying for mercy. About the break of day on Tuesday morning, there were six persons who gave evidence of obtaining hope in Jesus." exercises were continued until about eleven o'clock, when, with great difficulty, the people were prevailed upon to disperse. \* This was a very solemn season; the people were almost universally bowed down, some deeply affected and lying prostrate, their cries for mercy being enough to pierce the Heavens, while they appeared to be on the brink of despair. Some few obtained relief before day, who have since given evidence of serious and comfortable exercise. A goodly number who have been admitted to the table of the Lord since that time, have dated their first deep and abiding convictions from that season. It was a night to be held in everlasting remembrance, for which, it is hoped, many will praise God eternally. At this time some began to speak the language of Canaan with solemn, sweet screnity of mind, and in heavenly heart affecting accents."

In the year 1812 this society erected a stone church on the land now owned by John White, where the Three Springs graveyard is. This building was used for church purposes until in 1846, when a division occurred in the congregation, and a part of them went to Paris, Pa., and assisted in the erection of a church building there, and the remaining went to Holliday's Cove. The stone church was removed but a few years ago. The members that went to the Cove formed an organization and held their meetings in the Academy building for a number of years. The society erected a church in the Cove called

#### THE HOLLIDAY'S COVE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,

which was completed in 1860, the dimensions of which were 34x40. In its early days this church had its difficulties and struggles, as nearly all others have had. But the vine God plants he waters and prunes that it may be fruitful. The church edifice cost 83,198. Among the pastors are found the names of Thos. M. Newell, G. C. Crow, J. B. Stewart, — Billingsly, and the present pastor, J. B. Graham. Among the prominent and active members are the names of Thomas Orr, William Brown, William Withrow, G. G. Orr, James Adams and the Campbells.

William Withrow, G. G. Orr, James Adams and the Campbells. Revs. Campbell, Churchill and Brown were also ministers who supplied them with the Word of God in the old stone church.

Rev. John B. Graham was called in 1865, and has filled the pulpit until the present time. His pastorage there has been fruitful "in gathering them into the fold." He was installed by Dr. Stockton, who preached the sermon, and Rev. Pomeroy delivered the charge. He is well spoken of there as a minister and citizen.

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#### EARLY SETTLERS

- 1775 Philip Bell patented 1,000 acres, including a part of the Cove, and extending back to King's Creek. The land is now owned by many different families.
- 1776 Mr. John Holliday settled, in what used to be known as Helliday's Cove.
- 1779 Or 1780, Abraham Croxon settled on the farm later owned by Alexander Edie.
- 1780 James Allison settled.
- 1782 George Charman settled on the farm later ewned by his son Alfred.
- 1782 William Griffith settled in the Ceve on the farm later owned by Benjamin Griffith. He built a stone house in 1793, which is occupied as a dwalling. He kept government assumition in the building for the use of the settlers.
- 1783 |Semmel and Joseph Relation; with their father Joseph Relation; settled on King's Greek near where the old Relation mill stands.
- 1784 William Ledlie settled in the county and his conveyance of land was from Patrick Henry, governor of Virginia.
- 178h William Ledlie purchased a tract of land containing 719 acres from Abraham Edie, said tract later owned by three different parties, namely James M. Crawford, William S. Crawford and Thomas Anderson. It is located on King's Greek. The creek derived its name from one King who was the first settler on said stream. It was formerly known and called Indian creek, when in Youghlohgany County.
- 1785 William Logen settled on King's Greek.
- 1785 Jacob Nessly settled on Tomlinson's run, and owned all the land along the Ohio river for a mile back, and extending as far as opposite Wellsville, a distance of five miles. His first improvement was on the farm now owned by Jacob N. Brown. The fight between Andy Poe and Big Poot was on Nessly's land at the mouth of Tomlinson's run. Heasly built a block house on his land for protection against the Indians. The government's block house was built on his grounds, which was used as headquarters for the guards and spics who were engaged in watching the movements of the Indians. Isaac Mills, James Downing and George Folks, the latter of whom was captured and held as a captive by the Indians for a number of years and then made his escape, and with the above named two persons acted as spies. When Mr. Hessly made his settlement on the said tract, he improved it as fast as possible, at different places along the river, and planted orchards. A number of the fruit trees then planted by him, bear fruit nearly every season. He erected a distillery on his property in about the year 1803. The stone building used for his malthouse is still standing.
- 1785 Jacob Nessly, near Tomlinson's Run.
- 1785 William Chapman settled near New Comberland.
- 1788 Joseph Relaton settled in Butler District.
- 1790 George Stewart settled on the farm later owned by Franklin Stewart.
- 1790 Mr. Butler settled near King's Creek.
- 1790 Oliver Brown settled in the Coye and was driven out by Indians.

- 1792 John Eston settled on King's Creek.
- 1792 Or 1793, John Edie, a soldier of war of 1776, settled in now Butler District.

  He was engaged in making nearly all the surveys for the government that were made in this section of the country for a number of years.
- 179h John Cameron settled on the North fork of King's Creek.
- 1794 John Spivy settled on the farm later owned by his son, Micholas Spivy and about the same time came the Cochrans, Jesse Ellis, Thomas Philson, John Gratehouse, Robert Grafton, the Hamiltons, William Ryon, the Pattersons, who built the first grist mill in the county.
- 1795 John Wiley settled.
- 1795 William Hamilton settled and laid out Hamilton town.
- 1795 John Nealeroad settled.
- 1795 W. Rodgers settled.
- 1795 A man by the name of William Rodgers, settled in what is now known as Grant district, Hancock County, on the land presently known as the Allison property.
- 1797 John Harden settled on Harden's Run.
- 1797 James Campbell settled on King's Creek, three miles from its mouth.
- 1797 Robert Campbell settled not far from the mouth of King's Creek.
- 1797 Samuel Carpon settled on King's Creek.
- 1796 Alexander Morrow settled in what is now known as Butler District.
- 1798 Mr. Pittenger located here, settling on the road from Fairview to Liverpool.
- 1798 Peter Tarr settled. He was a partner in the old Brooks Furnace, located on King's Creek, (Lived in Wellsburg).
- 1798 Samuel Baxter settled in now Grant district.
- 1800 George Bexter, eld Mr. Corey and George Wilhelm migrated to the country.
- 1800 Samuel Williams settled in Hollidays Cove.
- 1800. Hugh Pugh settled on a four hundred agre tract where Farview is situated.
- 1800 James Allison settled on the farm later owned by Jonathan Allison, the grandson of James, on the road leading from Fairview to Liverpool.
- 1800 Samuel Allison settled on the Wellsburg road.
- 1800 James Denline settled.

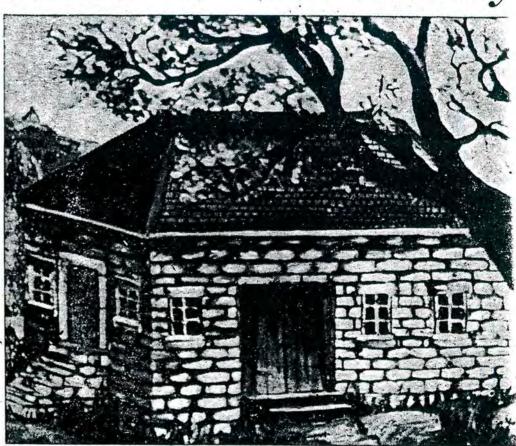
- 1000 Symmel Caruthers settled on the bead-waters of Tomlinson's run, and there erected among the first still-houses in what is now Hangock County. David Pugh also had a small still-house on the same run, from about 1804 to 1812.
- 1890 J. Bailey settled on the north branch of Tomlinson's run.
- 1800 James Goddard and Jacob Neicestanger settled near Fairview.
- 1801 Mm. Hawith settled.
- 1801 John Gallagher settled.
- 1500 John Johnson settled on the north branch of Tomlinson's Run. At this time there were a number of settlers leasted here.
- Page Page John Haff settled on the farm later erned by his son, William Buff.
- 1800 W. W. Evens settled on the farm later owned by Jeremiah C. Evans.
- 1808 Alexander Soots settled on the farm later owned by J. C. Scott.
- 1804 McCoys settled in 1804 near New Cumberland.
- 1806 Christian Braneman settled.
- 1806 William Butson settled near Hamilton town.
- 1808 Hoses Geer settled.
- 1809 Andrew Young settled.
- 1812 William Langfitt settled.
- 1813 Robert Glass settled one mile east of Fairview.
- 1818 William Muzy settled where Muzzy's will now stands.
- 1618 (Sphrain Brice settled in Baneceke )
- 1818 Jacob J. Tope settled in Hollidays Cove.
- 1819 R. Rodgers settled.
- 1619 John Cramford settled on the farm later emmed by W. L. Cramford.
- 1819 Reland Rogers settled.
- 182) William Mercer settled in what is now Grant district.
- Servel E. Marks settled on the farm later ommed by Alfred B. Marks.
- 1828 Samuel Burting settled.

Thomas Builay, John A. Johnson, John Lowe, David Work and Righard Fowler were early settless, whose dates of settlement are unknown.

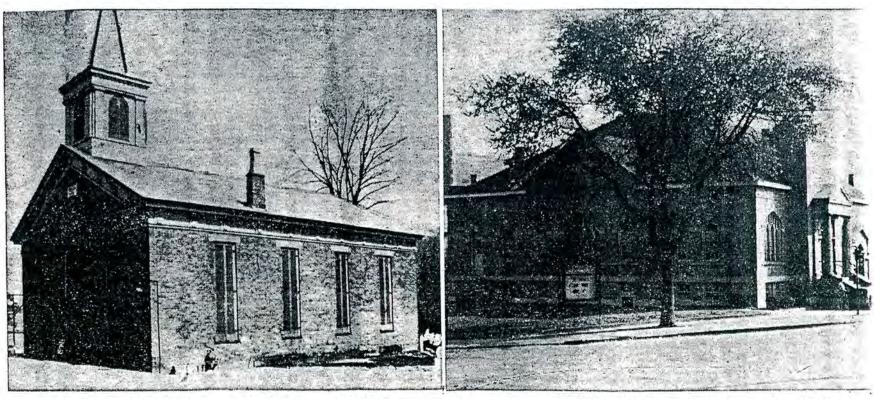
## 'resbyterians At Weirton To Mark 170th Anniversary



Log Cabin on Weirton Heights Served as First Church in 1790,



Second Church Was Constructed on Cove Hill Road in 1804



Third Church Erected on Main Street in 1860

Present Edifice Built on Main Street in 1910

## Congregation Sets Program For Oct. 30

By MAY NAZAR Herald-Star Staff Writer

WEIRTON - The congregation of Cove United Presbyterian Church will celebrate the 170th anniversary of the founding of the local church and the 100th anniversary of its location and its present site Sunday, Oct. 30.

Dr. John Strock of Parkersburg, joint representative in the West Virginia Synod of the Boards of Christian Education and National Missions of the United Presbyterial. Church in the U. S. A., will be the speaker. The Rev. G. Ousley Brown is pastor.

CHARLES CAMPBELL, a member of the fifth generation of the seven generations of the Campbellfamily who have served the church will be honored.

A display of relics belonging to pioneer families of the church will be exhibited.

Members of the 170th anniver the local church.
ary committee are Mrs. Frank D.
towman, chairman; Mrs. Robert

THE SECOND CHURCH was sary committe are Mrs. Frank D. Bowman, chairman, Mrs. Robert Rinehart, Mrs. J. Arlington Camp, build of stone in 1804 in what is bell, Mrs. Mary Ferguson, the Rev. now Three Springs Cemetery. Set-

cay School superintendent for some Building until 1860.

Stime Mr. Campbell is known for his work in collecting a history of the area and has done work in the field of education.

Erwin Hindman, a 55-year member, have attended the church since birth

AMONG ARTICLES in the display will be the Bible of the Rev.
John Brice, who delivered the dissistance in the old church in 1790.
The Rev. Mr. Brice is the greatgreat-great-grandfather of Mrs.
Bowman and Kenneth C. Campbell, both of whom attend the Cove bell, both of whom attend the Cove Weirton, Steel Co. mills caused

bell, both of whom attend the Cove Church.

The hame of the church, then Three Springs Church was first recorded by the Presbytery of Redstone. The first edifice, a log building, was built in 1790 on the farm of James Campbell on what is now Weirton Heights, Part bit the land donated by the pioneer, was a grant from Putrick Henry, then governor of Virginia, and a pottion was a Tomahawk Grant.

Mr. Campbell and his neighbors erected the church and the Rev.

Elisha McCurdy was installed as are the Rev. Franklin McHendry pastor in 1799. The Rev. Mr. Mc- and the Rev. Mr. Taylor McHend-Curdy, Known as one of the great ry, son of Mrs Adelaide McHendest evangelists of the area local ry and the late George McHendry, ly led the Great Levival of 1805, a and the Rev. Robert Marsh, son protestant movement which awent of Mrs. Mattha Marsh.

the country. The revival began in

bell, Mrs. Mary Ferguson, the Rev. now Three Springs Cemetery. SetMr. Brown, Alex McIntosh and
George H. Campbell.

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the area and has done work in the a congregational meeting in February, 1860, it was decided to erect the land for the first church. The present Mr. Campbell, along with Erwin Hindman, a 55-year members of the steephen in by principals of the Steubenville Female, Seminary until 1866. The Rev. John Graham was pastor in

erected the church and the Rev. church who entered the ministry

LOCATION: PLEASANT VAILEY Kings Creek, W. VA.

#### METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

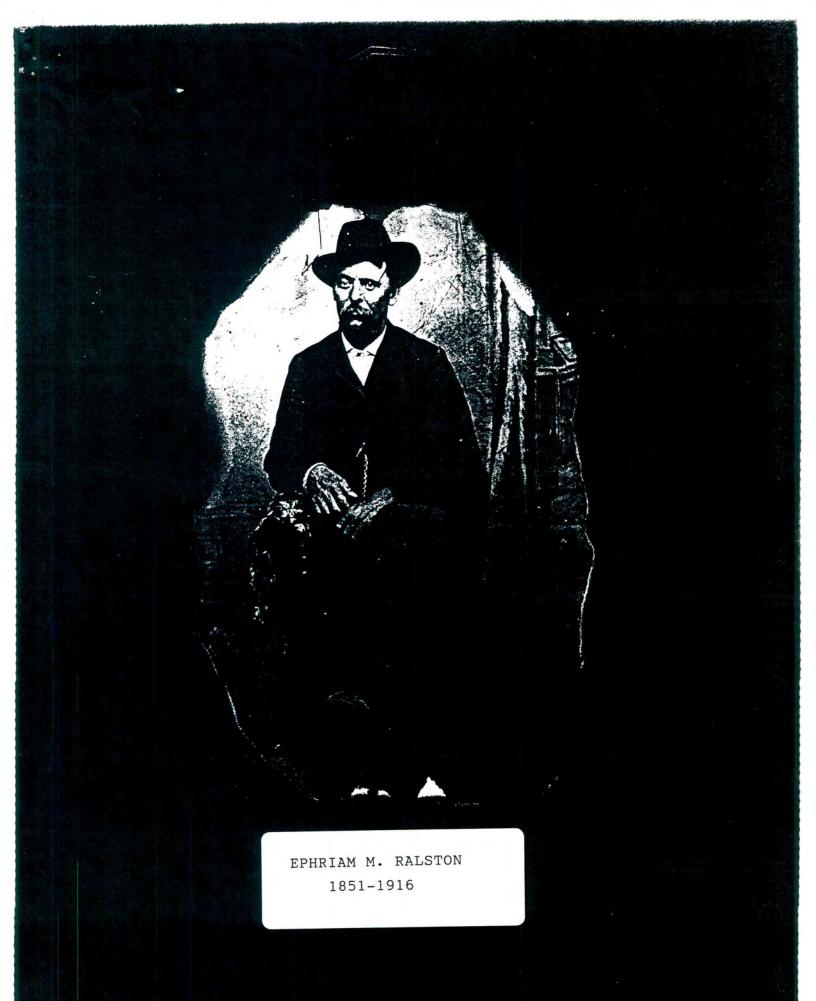
In 1830, a few names, among whom are the following: Eph raim Bride and wife, Archy Scott and wife, George Scott and wife, Thomas Mahan and wife, Sarah Moorehead and Martha! Ralston, organized, under Rev. Kent's directions, into a Methodist Episcopal society. For a number of years their services were conducted in private houses, and for the most part in A. Scott's and T. Mahan's residences. Not until 1848 did the congregation feel able to build an edifice to worship in. They erected a brick church that year, which was dedicated, as soon as completed, by Rev. Dorsey. In the year 1861, the building was destroyed by fire. From that time up to 1875, they held divine service in the Lick Run school house. The latter part of that year a new frame church was completed on King's creek, near the Ralston mills, at a cost of \$1,000. It was dedicated January 1, 1876, by Rev. James Miller, presiding elder of the Pittsburgh conference. The pulpit is filled by Rev. Stephenson at present.

Revs. Lock, Kent, Bradshaw, Dallis, Jackson, Warner, Hays, Long, Dorsey, Monroe, Loman, Barnhart, Stiffey, Baker, Hudson, Rich, Kesler, Pugh and Hudson have been ministers on

the circuit.

Its present membership is about twenty-five.

Sabbath School.—A small though live Sabbath school, under the superintendency of Reason Ralston, has been in good running order for some time.





William Logan

В.

D. February 18, 1865



Logan's Daughter



Margaret Brice Logan

B. March 15, 1815

D. February 28, 1881



Frances Ellen Logan Cameron B. About 1841

#### BURIED AT THREE SPRINGS CEMETERY



Sarah Logan, daughter of William Logan and Margaret Brice Logan.

Sarah was born in 1852 and died January 18, 1857. Death was

caused by receiving a burn from an oil burner.

#### BURIED AT THREE SPRINGS CEMETERY





John Logan

B. February 12, 1838

D. January 15, 1899 D. February 3. 1929

Nancy Ann Brown Logan

B. June 21, 1857

NUMBER OF INTERMENTS-----643

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Mrs. Caroline Lee--103 " 100 " ------1 Oliver Caldwell----99 Wylie, Esg.----99

EARLIEST INTERMENTS-----1811-----1815-----1817-----1820.

NO REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS GRAVES MARKED

WORLD WAR Veterans --- David H. Forester ---- 1

The Presbyterian Church was divided about the year 1812, part going to Paris, about four miles distant, and the other part to Holidays Cove, W. Va.--Two miles the other way. The first church was a log one and stood down at the lower end of the Cemetery, near one of the Springs. The Cemetery received its name from Three Springs that are located within the cemetery. The second church was a frame one and stood on top of the hill where the tool house now stands.

The Cemetery is kept in good condition especially the new part that Incorporated and kept by the Company. The  $\underline{\text{Old}}$  Part is kept by the County and is not nearly so nicely kept.

Records of this Cemetery were taken by
Miss Eva Johnston & Miss Elizabeth B. Weaver.

June 3rd, 1937.

Ralston, Ozias	31 MAY ,	1856	- 0	192569
Ralston, Lucy (wf Ozias)		1860		1963
Ralston, Ephriam McCready-		1851		191665
McCready, Mary J. Smith				
(wf Ephriam)	,	1854	,	193682
Wright, John F		1854	,	
Wright, Sadie E		1860	,	191959
Fisher, Eunice U. (mother)	,	1901	,	193231
Merchland, Rhoda		1862	Feb. 14,	193674
Poole, Benjamin H	,	1834	May 13,	191783
Logan, William	7	1844		191773
Poole, Abbie	Apr. 17,	1840		192888
Kelly, Peter A	,	1858	,	191759
Kelly, Cinderilla				
(wf Peter)	1	1861	~ 2	
Milton, John L				191719
Milton, Arthur L		1903		191815
Hindman, James R		1847		192780
Hindman, Mary V		1855	7	191661
Hetrick, Lydia		1886		192236
Wylie, D.M	Feb. 9,		Dec. 3,	190064
Wylie, Mary J		1842		192583
Wylie, Andrew	Feb. 24,			190064
Wylie, Amanda T. (wf Andrew)		1810		187363
Wylie, David Chalners	Nov. 11,			188134
Swearengan, D.W	7.	1848	1	191769
Swearengan, Lucy Orr		1010		1005 57
(wf D.W.)		1848		190557
Swearengan, Sarah E		1877 1881		190225 191130
Swearengan, Mary E		1877		191130
Hudson, David Roscoe Hudson, Mary Emma		1888	1	192049
Shakley, Mother		1866	,	192357
Patterson, James	,	1000		187676
Patterson, Jane McWha	,		Mar. 22,	10/05-70
(wf Jas)			Mar. 18,	189468
Orr, John D	June 28,	1851	Nov. 23,	
Orr, William B	Oct. 21,			188126
Orr, Samuel N	Dec. 4,		Feb. 5,	
Orr, Elizabeth (wf Sam'1)-	Mar. 10,		Mar. 25,	
Wylie, Henderson	July 12,		Sept. 30,	
Wylie, John K. (husband			_ CP C .	
Henderson)		1867		191245
Chambers, James		200	Mar. 11,	
Chambers, Emeline (wf Jas)			Jan. 15,	
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## Three Springs Cemetery (Hancock County, W. Va.)

(Between Paris Washington County & Holiday Cove, W.V.)
U.S. Route #22 (Steubenville Pike)

Chambers, W.M. (son Jas &					
E.M.)				Sept. 15.	187125
Chambers, Emma (dau Jas &		1			
E.M.)				Mar. 19,	187725
Lowary, Jane				Sept. 6,	
(Born County Down, Irelan	(bn	,		E	
Knox, Andrew		19.	1797	Oct. 13,	186871
(Born Danville, Ky)	· ·			555, 557	
Knox, Margaret (wf Andrew)				Mar. 1.	187572
	Anr	19	1832	Mar. 19,	
Kirkpatrick, Isabella	1.p		2000		20.2
	Feb	21.	1825	Jan. 2.	187247
Sheets, John	LCD.	21,	1023		185970
Sheets, Jane (wf John)		,			186376
Orr, Isabella (wf George) -					1878
Orr, Thomas (son George)		,			186821
Maxwell, John				Sept. 27,	
Maxwell, Rachel (wf John) -				Apr. 25,	
Brice, Ephraim					186939
Brice, Frances		,		Nov. 22,	
Logan, William					186582
	Mar	15	1851		188166
Oamerson, Francis E	TIGE.		1001		188745
Ralstan, Samuel		1			188180
Ralstan, Elizabeth		,		1107 207	1001
(wf Sam'1)		,		Oct. 2.	187525
Ralstan, Samuel (son S & E)		,			185825
Smith, Margaret Ralstan				E-G-1	13.5
(wf Sam'1)		,	1830		191282
Freshwater, David		,			187284
Freshwater, Ann (wf David)		,			186270
Wilcoxon, Greenbury		,			186476
Hulick, Gilbert (wf Catherine)		,			186850
Sanders, Benjamin		,		Sept. 29,	
Cochran, John		,			186051
Cochran, Margaret (wf John)		,			186154
Smith, Henery		,			185631
Smith, Henrietta (wf Thos)	Dec.	3,	1833	Apr. 15,	187744
Ralston, Francis		,	1842	. 7	192987
Ralston, Susannah		,	1847		192679
Keifer, John W			1858	,	
Keifer, Sallie (wf John W.)		,	1862	1	192361
Ewing, Elizabeth (mother)					
(wf Jas.)		,		Aug. 23,	188348

#### Three Springs Cemetery

Stansbury, H.R	7	1841	,	192584
Stansbury, Hannah (wf H.R.)		1826		191185
Barnell, Samuel Koble	,	1826	,	190478
(For over 30 years the Faithfu				
Light House Keeper at Brown's	Is1	and)		
Hooker Pichard			,	
Hooker, Ann (wf Richard) Feb.	1,	1840	Nov. 25,	191171
Ralston, Robert M	,	1847	,	192477
Hindman, Elizabeth Smith				
(wf G.H.)	,	1868	Apr. 7,	190436
Claypool, Phebe (dau R & N) Hooker	,		Apr. 7,	183523
Hooker, Tallman			Aug. 17,	189877
Hooker, Sarah Jane				
Hooker, Sarah Jane (wf Tallman)	,		Sept. 23,	185631
Hooker, Richard (In memory)	1	1000	Oct. 7,	183154
Stansbury, Joseph	,	1829		191485
Truax, Elizabeth Stansbury				
(wf)		1834		191585
Hooker, Margaret	,	1834	,	191581
Trushel, Zelma R		1890		191222
Freshwater, Emma J		1859		192465
Freshwater, George W		1853		191158
Freshwater, George W		1885	,	190621
Bilderback, Ernest F	,	1895	,	191520
Bilderback, Rhoda A	,	1889	- 1	192233
Bilderback, Andrew B	,	1840	,	191777
Bilderback, Amanda				
(wf Andrew B.)		1845		191873
Campbell, George	1	1851	,	193483
Campbell, Alice M	1	1853	į.	193481
Swearingen, Henry T		1854	,	190753
Swearingen, Isabella R.				
(wf Henry)	v.			191539
Freshwater, Riben		1836		192488
Freshwater, Sarah	,	1838		191476
Brice, Sarah	1		Aug. 5,	190284
Brice, Ephream	1		Mar. 28,	189465
Dearth, Reuben	1	1826	1	190781
Dearth, Hester AClegg				
(wf Reuben)	7	1830	1	191585
Ramsey, John	1	1855	1	192267
Ramsey, Elizabeth A.				
(wf Jno)		1856		193074
Ralston, James		1828	,	190577
Ralston, Sarah (wf Jas)	1	1833		

Shimen, Elizabeth J	May 12,	1842	May 14,	189654
Fay, Thomas		1891		190817
Roberts, Flora B. (mother)		1873		191138
Grimes, Oliver (father)		1873		190448
McPeek, Thomas T			,	191049
Tarr, Campbell J. (father)		1860		193575
Tarr, Mason		1852		192977
Brinton, Blanche M. Tarr	,	1002	,	1323-11
		1002		186075
(wf Geo)		1883		
Tarr, Wylie		1858		191961
Tarr, Emma M		1862		191957
Tarr, Jackson	June 11,			189579
Tarr, Mary M	Jan. 18,			190661
Tarr, Mary A	Apr. 25,			189371
Tarr, John C	Sept. 7,			193084
Tarr, Sarah H	Dec. 17,	1864		192369
McConnell, Mary	,		Apr. 10,	
Ralston, Jeremiah	,	1825	,	190277
Ralston, Jane	,	1830	29 JUNE,	191181
Ralston, Mary E	,	1861	,	192867
Lee, James McMillen	Sept. 29,		Apr. 20,	191661
Lee, Mary Orr (wf Jas		2523	101717	
McM)	July 14,	1858	Dec 24	193476
Patterson, Samuel	odly 11,	1877		189720
Lee, William M	,	1827		191285
Lee, Caroline Platterson-		1825	,	1928103
Hindman, Samuel				189983
	,	1010	,	103303
Smith, Elizabeth Gertrude		1076		1000 24
(wf A.R.)		1876		190024
Wylie, Rebecca	1			184127
Wylie, Unreadable Esq			/	99
Wylie, John Esq	1		Dec. 7,	184082
Wylie, Elizabeth			E 54 LA	Dian Dr.
(consort Jno Esq.)			July 11,	
Wylie, David			May 3,	185157
Wylie, Emma (unreadable)	,		,	
Wylie, Taylor (unreadable)	7.		7	
Wylie, Aseneth	7		Dec. 1,	184215
Wylie, Elizabeth				
(consort Wm)	i			30
Morrow, Nancy			14.	1839
Morrow, James	3.		Mar. 11,	
Hepron, Mary E	4	1844		192177
Hepron, John	Sept. 13,		Nov. 29,	
Hepron, John	2020. 13/	_000	Oct. 25,	
TOPLOIT, COINT			000. 20,	7070-74

Hepron, James		,		May 23	, 186361
Hepron, Mary					, 186361
Ogden, Samuel					, 184481
Ogden, Elizabeth					
(wf Samuel)				Apr. 29	, 183970
Smith, Samuel			1820		, 187546
Smith, Samuel S			1 22 4 1	Jan. 22	, 182225
Smith, Mary Ann					
(wf Thomas)		,		Sept. 1	, 185244
Smith, Susan (wf Geo Hill)				June 7	, 183127
Smith, Mary J. (unreadable)					,
Smith, Amos H		,		23	, 185026
Smith, Anngelina					, 184325
Smith, John		,			, 184529
Smith, William		,			, 186379
Smith, Elizabeth					
(wf William)		,		Mar. 19	, 186672
Morrow, Nancy					, 1839
Morrow, James					, 182550
Hepron, Mary E			1844		192177
Hepron, John	Sept.		1836	Nov. 29	188443
Hepron, John	a-L-	,			185894
Hepron, James					186360
Hepron, Mary					186361
Ogden, Samuel		,			184481
Ogden, Elizabeth (wf Samuel)		,			183970
Morehead, William		,			184279
Truax, William		,			186958
Traux, William, Sr		,			184067
Shipley, William		,			184521
Shipley, Down		,			
Shipley, Moses				Mar. 10,	184587
Ralston, Timothy		,			181723
Ralston, Mary (wf Jos)		,			186472
Pool, Benjamin		,		July 8,	185785
Pool, Elizabeth (wf Benj)-		,		Dec. 24,	184470
Pool, Mary		,		Sept. 4,	186467
Pool, Emily					187663
Pool, Rhodd	Dec.	12,	1802	Mar. 6,	188280
Orr, Carrie			1852	July 10,	187321
Orr, Bertie			1862		187917
Henderson, Elizabeth		,		Sept. 18,	183626
Swearengen, George		,			1855
Swearengen, Ruth (wf Geo) -					186384
Swearengen, Elizabeth					
(wf Geo)		,		Feb. 24,	186481

Turner, Maria A.						
(wf Thompson)		4		July	19,	183631
Turner, Jane (wf Alexander)		1		Feb.	18,	184776
Morrow, Nancy Corson Charles		,		Aug.	21,	181139
Glenn, Robert		,		Jan.	10,	185557
Kenney, William		,		Feb.	19,	186785
Kenney, Andrew				Nov.	20,	187373
Kenney, Margaret		1			-	
(wf Andrew)				Tan	12	184484
		1				184766
Brown, John		1				183745
Longstreath, Mary (wf Joel)		1				
Shipley, William E				rep.	21,	184521
Swearenger, Margaret						
(wf John)		1			,	66 185169
Swearenger, John				Oct	. 3,	185169
Swearenger, Martha L.						20.50
(consort Richard)		1		Apr	. 4,	184326
Morehead, William				Sept.	28,	184275
Truax, William		1		Feb	. 2,	186459
Truax, William, Sr				Dec.	15,	184067
Truax, Rebecca		,		Nov.	27,	187826
Truax, Thomas J		,				187623
Campbell, Maggie Traux		,				
(wf Hiram)				Jan.	23.	188226
Hays, Belinda			1818	Aug	14.	189981
Hays, William	ricit.		1010	Sent	19	188463
Hays, William				Cont.	15	183259
Hays, Samuel				Dept.	10,	184058
Hays, Agness (wf Samuel)		1		ren	12	1040-50
Hays, Lyddia (wf William) -		,		Apr.	131	1849
Hays, Sarah A. (2nd wf						1064 10
William)		1				186442
Hays, Andrew		7				186446
Morehead, Robert				Mar.	17,	183782
Morehead, Stone Down		,				2245 44
Bair, Sarah A. (wf David) -		,				186620
Van Norostrand, John	Oct.	28,	1832	Dec.	25,	185725
Van Norostrand, Letticia						
(wf Isaac)				Nov	. 9,	185378
Van Norostrand, Isacc	Jan.	26.	1797			185760
Pugh, Sarah (wf Gordon)		,				185133
Given, John L						185135
McGurn, Hannah				Sept	22.	185965
Pentecost, Margaret wf J)						187324
Pentecost, George W						188774
Pentecost, Nancy M. wf Geo W	1.1			TIVI.		1820
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Morrow, John	,		July 8,	187469
Hood, Nannie M	Mar. 20,	1849	Mar. 4,	192980
Lyons, Francis	,		Apr. 2,	183926
Sutton, Mary Emma	Sept. 19,	1861		188322
Sutton, John	July 12,			187925
Sutton, Andrew	,			184021
Sutton, Elizabeth (wf John)	,			1852
Beall, Cyrus	,		Aug. 19,	185524
Ball, Phillipunreadable	1			
Ball, Jane	,		Oct. 10,	1847
Tibby, William	4		July 7.	184554
Miller, Nancy (wf Jas	./		0447 17	2020 02
Campbell)			Sept. 23,	184344
Henderson, John	,		Dec. 8,	
Henderson, Andrew			Apr. 18,	
Henderson, Mary	Sent 15	1789	Feb. 17,	187586
Gable, J.E.A			Dec. 24,	
Orr, John	oune 1,	1030	Mar. 1,	181568
Orr, P.F.OStone unreadabl	0		Mar. I,	1013-00
Orr, John, Jr			Jan. 20,	187207
Orr, Thomas				
			Apr. 20,	
Snyder, Robert	*		Mar. 19,	
Snyder, Julia Ann	7		July ,	
Snyder, David	,			187659
Snyder, Catherine (wf David)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			187381
Moers, Henry	/	70 255 758		182449
Maxwell, William (A man of r				4
Many Years a Ruling Eld				
Maxwell, Samuel	ν.		Oct. 9,	186589
Maxwell, Sarah (consort			0.7	1005 50
Samuel)	1		Nov. 27,	182750
Murphy, Mary (consort				4040
William)	*		Oct. 28,	
Archer, Samuel			June 2,	
Archer, Mary			June 1,	
Ralston, Lucinda (wf Joseph)			Dec. 26,	
Campbell, Robert	, i			185567
Campbell, Margaret				184579
Campbell, Jane (wf Alexander	)		Dec. 13,	
Roberts, Samuel				73
Roberts, Margaret (wf Samuel	)		Aug. 22,	188429
Ralston, Scaled Off			1	
Roberts, Thomas E			Jan. 27,	
Morton, John	1		Oct. 6,	186170
Morton, Unreadable Stone	1			

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Colwell, Ann (wf Oliver)		1790	Sept. 22,	183444
Colwell, Oliver		1500	20	1000 00
Ralston, Isaac			May 12.	184931
Ralston, Joseph	,		Mar. 26, May 12, Mav 30,	184623
Ralston, William C			Jan	186126
Ralston, Joseph			July 18,	184655
Ralston, Jane Lee (wf Wm.)			May 15,	184575
	stan Ctanas	1	May 13,	1047 12
Ralston, Two unreadable Ral			T 7	1060
Brown, M. (wf John)	1		July 20,	1000
Brown, John				182840
Morton, Eliza (wf Thomas) -				185447
Morton, Thomas		335155	July 30,	187268
Hindman, Margaret Hagerty		1834	,	192692 186356
Hindman, James			May 5,	186356
Hindman, Rebecca (wf James)				187040
Stock, Margaret J	,	1852		190957
McGlumphy, Mrs. Jane	,		Jan. 20,	187040
Hindman, George			June 22,	187229
Garner, Thomas				184519
Garner, Lucy A. (wf Thos)		1847		191972
Young, Jane (wf Andrew)			Jan. 26,	
Young, Andrew			June 26,	
Watt, Caroline (wf James)			May 9,	
Colwell, Christini	,		Apr. 30,	
Brown, Martha (wf R. Heber)			Oct. 19,	
Swearinger, Thomas	·r		Mar. 19,	
	1			
Swearinger, Ann (wf Thos)	T (		Oct. 31,	
Standish, Sarah (wf William	L.)		Jan. 26,	186466
Smith, Henrietta (wf Thos)	1		2000	4000
(WI Thos)	Dec. 3,	1833		187744
Smith, Henry	,	and to		185131
Cochran, William	Aug. 28,	1794	Aug. 2,	
Cochran, Margaret (wf Wm)	1		July 5,	188082
Cochran, Martha (wf Wm)	,			185537
Graham, Thomas	1			187281
Graham, Honor (wf Thomas)			Mar. 29,	187383
Knox, Elizabeth	1		July 31,	189379
Knox, John	r		Feb. 27,	
McGourd, Robert		1808		190193
McGourd, Charlotte		1845		188540
Cochran, James			Sept. 27,	
Cable, Sarah J. (wf Wm)				185253
Cable, Curtis C	,	1856		191862
Adams, A.J		1848		192375
Adams, Emma J. (wf A.J.)		1854		192571
		1004		T7271T

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, 1889--
, 1832--
                                                 , 1928--39
Stewart, Rubie K.----
                                                 , 1906--74
Ralston, Joseph-----
                                                 , 1902--51
                                , 1851--
Ralston, Minerva (wf Jos) --
                                           Sept. 10, 1878--45
Hammond, Elizabeth (wf H) --
                                , 1862--
                                           , 1905--43
Denny, John B.----
                                                 , 1903--56
                                , 1847--
Denny, Louisa M.-----
Smith, Elizabeth Gertrude
     (wf A.R.) -----
                                           Aug. 30, 1886--47
Hindman, John----
                           Feb. 28, 1812--
                                           July 10, 1887--75
Hindman, Amelia E.
     (wf J)-----
                           Jan. 31, 1828--
                                           Feb. 2, 1893--65
                            , 1847--
                                                , 1925--78
Hindman, Greenberry W. ----
                                                 , 1930--86
                                , 1844--
Hindman, Martin V.----
                                , 1848--
                                           Oct. 29, 1889--41
Hindman, Mary (wf Martin) -
                                            , 1922--95
                                , 1827--
Ralston, Alexander-----
                                , 1834--
Ralston, Rachel (wf Alex) -
                                           Oct. 27, 1878--44
Whitson, James-----
                                           Sept. 2, 1884--47
                                            June 3, 1886--47
Whitson, Emeline (wf Jas) -
                                           Jan. 15, 1898--60
Logan, John-----
                          Feb. 12, 1838--
Logan, Nancy A. -----
                                           Feb. 3, 1929--72
                           June 21, 1857--
                                            , 1894--66
Hindman, John-----
                           , 1828--
Griffith, John-----
                                           July ,
                                                       --75
Griffith, Elizabeth
     (wf Jno)-----
                                , 1836--
                                                 , 1904--68
Griffith, William-----
                           Jan. , 1819--
                                           Dec. 11, 1903--85
Griffith, Michal (dau
    W & N) -----
                          Mar. 24, 1824--
                                           June 15, 1898--75
Griffith, Alexander----
                           Aug. 10, 1783--
                                            Jan. 9, 1872--89
Griffith, Nancy Ann
     (wf Alex) -----
                          Nov. 25, 1793--
                                           Jan. 13, 1875--82
                           Apr. 16, 1874--
Buchanan, Chauncy-----
                                           Dec. 29, 1909--35
                                           Dec. 11, 1883--11
Buchanan, Ensley Zane----
                           July 12, 1871--
                                            , 1914--65
Buchanan, Linda M. -----
                                , 1849--
                                                , 1920--79
                                 , 1841--
Johnson, William-----
                                 , 1856--
                                               , 1926--70
Johnson, Mary (wf Wm) -----
                            July 4, 1878-- Sept. 26, 1902--22
Johnson, Clifforda-----
                                , 1851--
Forester, -----
                                                , 1904--53
Forester, David H. (W. Va. Pvt. Col. C L 36 T D L
                                               , 1911-- --*
    Corps (Gar Marker) ---
                                 , 1856--
                                                 , 1914--58
Wright, Samuel-----
                           , 1850--
, 1880--
                                               , 1933--83
, 1922--42
Wright, Sarah (wf Saml) ---
Wright, Bertie----
McConnell, James M.----
                         Oct. 14, 1819-- Aug. 30, 1894--75
McConnell, Ruth Ann----- Oct. 19, 1823-- Mar. 30, 1894--71
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Campbell, Ella M. Hunter		1055		2021 76
(wf Robt.)		1855	~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~	1931/6
Campbell, Mary	Sept. 19,	1823	June 22,	185734
McWha, Drusilla	Sept. 25,	1822	May 9,	188765
Boal, Georgia McWha				133 42
(wf Jno)	Mar. 14,	1858	June 20,	188628
Van Baker, Elizabeth McWha				
(wf )			May 9,	188744
Schwinger, Jane Freshwater	July 12,	1848	Oct. 12,	188133
McConnell, Lucy A	,		Mar. 9,	1910
Campbell, Jane	,	1804	,	183228
Taylor, Reuben R		1828	Oct. 19,	191890
Hudson, John		i i		189564
Hudson, Mary	,		Sept. 23,	187555
Hudson, Elizabeth	,		Apr. 30,	1893 64
Hudson, Phebe			July 29,	189978
Brice, William Howard	July 24,	1870	Oct. 25,	
Brice, William	Mar. 18,			187348
Anderson, William	Nov. 22,			189458
Anderson, Keziah (wf Wm)	July 26,		Feb. 17,	
Hudson, Lavina (wf Thos)	oury 207	1010		188657
Ralston, Rezin	Oct 16	1816	July 9,	
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Ralston, Elinor (wf Rezin)	50000	1021	Oct. 9,	1899
Grizzeli, James D	Aug 2 ,	1021		188419
	Mars 0	1864	Mar. 8,	
Stephens, Edith Elizabeth-	May o,	1004	Mar. o,	
Crary, Ella Eugene Stephens	Man 25	1072	Morr 6	1002 20
(wf W.A.)	Mar. 25,			190229
Stephens, Alexander M	June 30,			190271
Stephens, Emeline	June 18,			190466
Campbell, Laura (wf H.A.) -		1867		189326
Campbell, Clara B	- 15'		10'	192164
Strawsbury, Elisha	June 17,	1833		190774
Jones, Dorcas (wf Wm)		2011	Dec. 27,	
Strausbury, Abraham	May 22,	1844		190763
Strausbury, Mollie E	,			188949
Strausbury, Mary Curry		3.5.7.6	May 27,	
Shipley, Samuel E	July 25,	1799	Oct. 14,	
Shipley, Amelia (wf Sam'l)	7		Nov. 11,	
Shipley, William H	July 25,			191492
Shipley, Caroline	Aug. 28,		Sept. 12,	
Hill, Almira J. (wf H.G.)-	,	1858		189840
Morrow, James W	1		Mar. 25,	187843
Morrow, Emma T	1		Apr. 24,	
Morrow, Belle	y .	1856	,	189034

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Morrow, Amanda			1849			191970
Morrow, George			1876			192347
Morrow, Walden			1870			192454
						188118
Shipley, Ella (wf W.D.)		,				
Cable, Silas	16-27					189755
Cable, Josephine	Sept.		1832	Feb		190876
Morris, Matthias		i	1880			190323
Morris, Mary C		.,	1842		,	189856
Cable, Elizabeth		,	1842		,	192684
Forsha, Hugh W					,	
Forsha, Mary E	Aug.	24.	1841	July	25.	189958
Miser, George G			1863	0 011		191249
Campbell, Hiram T			1854		,	192975
		1	1024		1	1020 10
Campbell, Kate Hammond			1050			1012 54
(wf Hiram)		1	1859			191354
Carens, Albert E		1				192479
Carens, Ada M						184519
Bales, Paul		,				187519
Bales, Anna (wf Paul)			1877			193558
Smith, James		,	1845		,	192580
Smith, Emily (wf Jas)			1849		,	192273
Patten, Hiram						184719
Patten, Mary C. (wf Hiram)			1845			192580
McKitrick, Lorna R			1902			192725
Hill, George D			1827			189265
Hill, Harriet			1829			190778
Brown, Mary Stevens			1862			191149
Brown, William	Mar.	22,	1816	Oct.	14,	190690
Brown, Mary (wf Wm)		1	0.756			1931
Campbell, S. Fred			1866			189226
Shane, Caroline			1833			191582
Wright, James		,	1820		,	189575
Wright, Margaret		,	1821			183817
Wright, Anne Myer (dau)			1861			190443
Morrow, Jerry				July		189922
Morrow, Mary		,	1831	cary		190675
Morrow, William			1817			188366
Covert, Rufus		,	101/	Ann		188866
	Turno	11	1024			
Covert, Susanna	June	11,	1824	NOV.		190783
Orr, George D		1				1881
Orr, Jane P. (wf Geo)		1	3 3 22			1911
Swearingen, George D			1863			188421
Swearingen, Name unreadable			1828		1	190678
Swearingen, Name unreadable		,	1823		1	190178
Purdy, James	Mar.	17,	1819	Dec.		190788

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, 1920--51
Purdy, James A.----
                                , 1869--
                                , 1859--
 Purdy, Margaret Knox-----
                                                , 1927--68
                                               , 1884--
 Brian, F.-----
                                , 1838--
Ewing, E.J.-----
                                               , 1927--89
                                , 1844--
 Ewing, Elizabeth (wf E.J.)
                                               , 1912--68
                                , 1842--
                                               , 1928--86
 Shipley, David H.----
                                               , 1907--67
                                , 1840--
 Shipley, Clara C. (wf D.H.)
 Campbell, Mary M.----
                          Mar. 4, 1813--
                                           Oct. 7, 1881--68
                         Aug. 26, 1811--
 Campbell, David-----
                                          Mar. 3, 1890--79
 Carothers, Thomas C. ----
                         May 30, 1828-- Feb. 15, 1899--71
                                , 1842--
                                                , 1916--74
Miller, Martha J.-----
Miller, W.S.----
                                , 1838--
                                               , 1926--88
                                               , 1892--81
                                , 1811--
 Inglebright, Sarah-----
                                          May 23, 1891--21
 Swearinger, Fanny (wf Geo)
                              , 1849--
                                          , 1903--54
 Swearinger, John Fillmore-
 Swearinger, Sarah-----
                               , 1850--
 Swearinger, Alexander----
                                          Aug. 11, 1866--23
                                          Sept. 9, 1879--23
 Swearinger, Lucy-----
Miller, Martha J.----
Miller, W.S.----
                                               , 1896--54
                              , 1842--
                              , 1838--
                                                , 1926--88
                              , 1877--
                                               , 1898--21
Miller, Blanche----
                            , 1887--
                                               , 1903--16
Lee, William-----
Cochran, Robert-----
                              , 1842--
, 1852--
                                               , 1904--62
Cochran, E.-----
                                               , --19
Crawford, John C.----
                                               , 1885--55
                              , 1830--
Crawford, Mary P.
     (wf Jno C.)-----
                                               , 1919--86
                               , 1833--
                                               , 1924--41
Crawford, J.C.-----
                               , 1883--
Crawford, James P.---- Sept. 20, 1859-- Mar. 10, 1905--46
Craig, Sarah-----
                         , 1838--
, 1871--
                                         , 1898--60
Craig, James B.----
                               , 1871--
                                               , 1903--32
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Recrods taken by Miss Eva Johnston & Miss Elizabeth B. Weaver.

June 3rd, 1937.

The first known ancestors of the Hulick family are Joseph and Elizabeth Little Phillis. The "Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County, Pennsylvania" states in a short sketch of the former that he was born in Ireland about 1744, and was married in that country to Elizabeth Little. He came to America in 1775 and settled near the village of Mc Donald, Pa. It further states he was a soldier in the Revolutionary war, and after its close settled on a part of the Hoagland and Crawford tract in Smith Twp., Washington Co., Pa, and on May 10,1776 received the first genuine land title issued in Smith Twp. A portion of this tract is still owned and farmed by a member of the Phillis family. The Biographical Record states that Joseph Phillis died in 1830 at an advanced age, his wife having "gone before"in 1827. However, this seems to be in error as recently I copied the following form their headstones in the cemetery at the top of the hill on East Pittsburgh Street in Burgettstown, Pa.

Joseph Phillis departed this life 18 April 1831 in the 80th year of

his age. (This would make the year of his birth 1751 or 1752)
Elizabeth Phillis departed this life 12th Dec. 1825 in the 63rd year of her age which would make the year of her birth 1762 or 1763

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth Phillis as shown in the B iographical Record, except the date of death for Jacob Phillis, and date of birth and death of Catherine.

1. John, died in Guernsey Co., Ohio, the father of 16 children

James, deceased in lumber regions of Pa.

Joseph, passed latter years of his life in Columbiana Co., Ohio.

Jacob born April 8,1792 in Smith Twp., Washington Co., Pa. He died in 1847. ( His headstone in the East Pittsburgh Street cemetery reads, "Jacob Phillis died March 7, 184 - last figure not clear--aged 53 years, 11 mos." This would make the date of his death March 7,1846. Married Ann Bruce, born July 13,1798; died Dec. 17,1871. (Her headstone next to his gives the date of her death as Dec. 16,1871.)

William, deceased in youth (There is a stone in the same cemetery erected to the memory of a William Phillis, but the inscription is

no longer legible.)

6. Thomas, passed entire life in Smith Twp.

7. Nancy, wife of David Alexander, a farmer of Smith Twp. 8. Elizabeth, married to Thomas Cherry of Mt. Pleasant Twp.

9. Jane, wife of Joseph Walker.

Catherine, born Dec. 3,1802; died July 31,1868. 10. Married Gilbert Hulick.

Catherine Phillis married Gilbert Hulick. The date of their marriage is not known, but since their first child, Frank was born an. 13,1834, it probably occurred one or two years prior to that date. We have no records and only very meager information of the Hulian family. No one knows when or from where the Hulicks came to Washington, o, where they lived, or whether there were other members of the family in we hington Co. at the time Gilbert married Catherine Phillis. Grandfather Franklin Hulick said his family was related to Beth Buchanan, a maiden lady wno spent her last days in Oakdale, Pa., and to the McNell family in washington Co. No one knows through which branch of the family these relationships existed. In a leaf-let issued by the Burgettstown, Pa. U. P. Church in connection with the celebration of its 100th anniversary it listed the names of some of the old families that had belonged to the church and among them was the " Hulick family". Since Catherine Phillis and her family were members of that church, it is likely that the Gilbert Hulick family belonged there also, and the references in the leaflet was to that family.

Gilbert Hulick passed from the scene under tragic circumstances. He had taken a loaded gun down off the wall to shoot a pig for butchering when it was accidentally discharged, the bullet hitting his youngest son, William Charles, who died as a result of the wound. Whether he was killed instantly or died later is not known. At his death Gilbert Hulick disappeared, and was never heard from again. Whether in his grief over the tragic accident he destroyed himself, or went to some unknown destination to escape from the scene of the tragedy is not known.

The family seems to have continued to live in the Burgettstown area for some time after their father's disappearance. The fact that Franklin married Mary Ann Thompson of Mt. Pleasant Twp., Washington Co. in 1858 would indicate that. However, the re cords indicate that all the sons were located in the vicinity of Wellsburg, W. Va. and New Alexandria, Ohio at various times.

Letters to Catherine From her sons Joseph and Henry are still in existance showing that she had a Burgettstown address as late as Oct. 5,1867. It is not known where she was at the time of her death 10 months later, and at the time of this writing, October 1963, her place of burial is unknown.

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Their children with dates of birth as recorded in ink, probably in the handwriting of Catherine Hulick, on a small piece of paper now in the possession of my sister, Mrs. Mary Lescallette.

1. Franklin, born Jan. 13,1834; died May 22,1910

Married July 1,1858 near Hickory, Pa., by Rev. J. R. Thompson

To Mary Ann Thompson born Nov. 22,1828; died Nov. 30,1904.

Both buried in Oakdale, Pa. cemetery; six children, all deceased.

2. Ann Hulick, born March 3,1836; died June 29,1913.

Married twice

(a) Daniel McCracken, died 1888. Both buried at Wash., Pa.

(b) Daniel Hoffman, died June 16, aged 82 years.

 Joseph Hulick, born Aug. 20,1837; died Married twice

(a) Elizabeth Marsh, still living at Jan. 29,1900 according to letter from her daughter, Rosa I. Lee to Mary Ann Hulick. Their children; Dates of birth and order of birth not known

1. Rosa I. lived at R D #2, Wellsburg, W.Va. in 1900; deceased.

Married Lee.

2. Thomas, lived on North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., deceased. Married Mary----deceased

Children

Hilda, married, no children, still living in Pitts-burgh district
Katherine, married, no children, still living in Pittsburgh district
Ross, married, one son, Ross, Jr., still living in Pittsburgh district
Ann or Anna, married, no children, still living in Pittsburgh district

3. John, deceased, lived in Pittsburgh district, one son

4. Mary, dedeased, no children; lived in Steubenville, Ohio. Married Ross McFeely

5. George, died Aug. 27,1936 at Florence, Pa. Married twice

(a) Mary; one son, Harry, now living in Pgh., district (b) Janet G. living at date of his death.

(b) Married Jennie Hindman Information on attached sheets 4. Henry Hulick, born Feb. 19,1840; died Nov. 5,1869.

Last information about him is contained in two letters written to his mother. The first written Oct. 22,1865 from New Alexandria, Ohio states he has sold out (Didn't say what) to Frank (probably his brother Frank, as he was living there at that time) and Lem Quillin, and had bought Geo. Dawson's farm for \$10,000, and was boarding with Quillins at two dollars per week, which he considered very reasonable. The second letter from the same place on Oct.26, 1867 contains no information about himself.

5. William Charles Hulick, born April 20,1842; died May 27,1851.

(Original sent to Ralph H. Hulick, Browns Mills, N. J., 10/30/63)

HOMAS H. RALSTON is a native of Brooke county, W. Va., where his ancestors were among the earliest residents along King's The first member of this wellknown family to locate in that vicinity was Joseph Ralston, who was born and married in Scotland. He came to America prior to the Revolution, and finally settled in Brooke county, W. Va., where he took up a vast tract of land on King's creek. Indians were numerous then, and wild beasts roamed through the forest, making pioneer life extremely dangerous. The family of

Joseph Ralston consisted of but two sons, Joseph and Samuel. They were frequently taken with the mother to Fort Pitt (where Pittsburgh now stands), while the father lived for months in his cabin in the wilderness, without a fire, lest the attention of the Indians should be attracted. Joseph Ralston and his wife passed their days on the farm, and in a good old age were laid to rest in Three Springs cemetery, Brooke county, W. Va. The land, which had then increased in value, was left to his two sons. Samuel (the younger son), was married to Martha Tucker, of Hanover township, who bore him four sons and eight daughters, all of whom

lived to marry and have children.

Joseph Ralston, eldest son of Joseph, was first married to Ann McCready, of Beaver county, who lived with her parents on Mill creek, now Hookstown, Penn. They were early settlers in that section, and of Irish descent. To this union were born ten sons and one daughter. The youngest child, named McCready, died unmarried at the age of twenty-eight years, and the only daughter was married to Daniel Wilson; the others were also The mother died and was buried in married. Three Springs cemetery. For his second choice Joseph Ralston selected Sarah Greer, a native of Carroll county, Ohio, living near Harlem Springs. She bore him seven children, of whom one died in infancy, and another never married. The father lived to be about seventy-two years of age, dying about 1835. The greater part of his life was passed in farming, and he built the first gristmill in that country. His property became very valuable, and the gristmill was owned and operated by his descendants of the two generations following. After a long and useful life, he was laid to rest in Three Springs cemetery, where his parents and wives were buried.

Joseph Ralston was the oldest of the eleven children born to Joseph and Ann (McCready) Ralston. He was born March 5, 1791, on the old homestead in Brooke county, W. Va. When a young man he learned the miller's trade in his father's mill, and finally took charge of the business, which he conducted for many years. In 1817 he married Lucinda P. Holmes, who was born March 7, 1795, east of the mountains. She was a daughter of Thomas and Nancy (McNeely) Holmes, both of whom were natives of County Donegal, Ireland. The McNeely family was an emineut one in Ireland, and the brothers of Nancy were all legislators there. Thomas Holmes was a shoemaker, and in about 1789 came to America, locating temporarily near New York City. He removed farther west and settled in Brooke county, W. Va., where he died at the age of ninety-six years. His wife died when over one hundred years old, in Guernsey county, Ohio, at the home of her son, Isaac Holmes.

The children of Joseph and Lucinda P. (Holmes) Ralston were born as follows: Isaac, was killed when a young man, by a horse; Mary A., is the wife of J. H. Harper, of Burgettstown, Penn.; Joseph, a miller, while taking a cargo of flour to New Orleans, contracted bilious fever in that city, died May 30, 1846; Thomas H., whose sketch follows; Eli, deceased at the age of two years; Caroline, Mrs. Miller Shane, of Burgettstown, Penn.; and William, a school teacher, died January 1, 1861, at the age of twenty-eight years. Mr. Ralston passed his life on the old place, and followed milling. He was a soldier in the war of 1812, and voted with the Democratic party. He and his wife were members of the Presbyterian Church at Three Springs, of which he was an elder for many years. În 1846, while on a trip to Buffalo, N. Y., with a cargo of flour, he was taken sick with bilious fever, and returning home, died July 18, 1846, followed by his wife December 26, of the same year. They were buried in Three Springs cemetery, which now contains four generations of this name, who were at one time by far the most

numerous family on King's creek.

Thomas H. Ralston was born July 19, 1826, in Hancock county, W. Va., on the ancestral acres. In early life he learned the cooper's trade, in which he became an expert. When his elder brother died, he took charge of his father's mill, in which business he continued many years. On April 26, 1859, he was married to Rebecca Graham, who was born January 17, 1833, in Hancock county, W. Va., a daughter of Thomas and Honor Graham. Their union has been blessed with the following children: Lucinda P. (Mrs. James Work, of Florence), William S. (a farmer of Hanover township), George G. (at home), Anna K. (Mrs. S. F. Campbell, of Hanover township), and Jessie M. (at home). Mr. Ralston conducted the old mill until April 10, 1873, when he came to Hanover township, Washington county, locating on the "Moses McLaughlin" place, where he has since resided. He is now following farming and stock raising, having made many improvements on the place, which are indicative of his progressive spirit. He owns several good farms, and is one of the leading men of Hanover township. He, his wife and children are members of the Frankfort Presbyterian Church.

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