The Strother Family
and their
Campbell-Cummings Connections

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The prayer of the author is, that the many imperfections found in this book, may be covered with the mantle of sweet charity. Trusting that a younger hand may revise, correct, enlarge, and complete this family record, representing a name so noble and a race so true. If this meager record stimulates even one of its readers to deeds of more exalted usefulness, then the efforts put forth have not been in vain. May the noble name of our ancestors be honored by their descendants.

THE AUTHOR.
Abstract
Strother Coat-of-Arms

A grey-hound and three eagles, displayed on a metal shield. The mottos are:

1. Faithful unto Death.
2. Hawks seek booty, we seek glory. (In Latin.)

The Strother family coat-of-arms, which the English valued highly, were brought over the sea and carefully preserved in the Manor House, below Fredericksburg, Virginia.
The Strother Family.

There has been much discussion and difference of opinion as to derivation of the name of Strother. Some of the descendants claim that the family was originally Scotch, and spelt the name “MacStrother”; others said that it was “Anstrother”; that the branch of the family who came to America dropped the An. Judge Strother, of Giles County, while in England a number of years ago, visited the burying ground of the family in the Isle of Thanet, Kent County, England, and saw the name in its various transitions, from its original form of Straather, to its present orthography. However, it has long had its presence in England, for Chaucer has a tale of two Strother brothers, the orthography being the same as now. General David Hunter Strother, in his genealogical notes, says: “The coat of arms and family pedigree brought over from England were lost in the burning of the old manor house in Virginia 125 years ago or more, and the war of independence coming on soon afterward, the Strothers took part with the colonies, and since that date none of the family seem to have taken the trouble to revive the traditions or recover the records which showed the connection between the ancient English house and its descendants in America. As seven generations have come and gone since the emigration, we have not yet been able to obtain any precise data on that point, but depend only on vague traditions, which were preserved in my
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father’s family, to assure us that our ancestor was Northumbrian, and came directly from the stock described in my “English Notes.” There are three distinct escutcheons pertaining to the Strothers. The one borne by the main Northumbrian stocks, the same which is found in “Burke’s Landed Gentry,” is the one which I have been assured is the same brought over by our ancestor at Fredericksburg, Va. There was also, in my father’s house, a number of quaint old ballads sung, to amuse my childhood, which I have never heard anywhere else, and which I have since ascertained are peculiar to Northumberland, and are sung there to this day. Moreover, I had a double-cased silver watch (stolen from me 15 years ago), which had come down to my father from his great ancestor at Fredericksburg, on the inner case of which was engraved the same heraldric device, which I have since seen in the Herald’s office at London, pertaining to the Strother family of Northumberland.

This family is an ancient one, and is of Scandinavian origin. The name exists in Sweden and Denmark at the present time. Whatever its remote derivation, the name in its present form has existed several hundred years. It was carried by the Danish rovers, and planted in the country of Northumberland, England, some time in the tenth century. In this country the name and family have been conspicuous for centuries. His inter marriages have been with some of the most influential and prominent families in Northern England. Alan del Strother, Lord of Lyham, was High Sheriff of Northumberland from 1354 to 1357, and “warden of the border.” His son, Alan del Strother, was also High Sheriff and warden of the castle and shire of Rosburgh, and he in turn was succeeded by his son Henry. In 1440 William del Strother, a grandson of Lord Lyham, married a daughter of Robert Wallington, and lived at Castle Strother in Glendale.
1. William Strother, first of the name, and founder of the family, emigrated from Northumberland, England. Date and particulars of emigration are unknown. Reaching Virginia, he settled in Cittenborne parish on the Rappahannock river, near the present Port Conway, then in the Rappahannock, later in Richmond, and now in King George Co. His name appears the first time, when on July 12, 1673, he came into a court of old Rappahannock Co., to designate the mark of his cattle. Rappahannock was at this period a frontier county, and the settlers unprotected and scattered. Much suffering was experienced from attacks by ye Barbarous Indiannya. Among his neighbors were Capt. Anthony Savage, and the latter's son-in-law, Francis Thornton. His will, dated Dec. 30, 1700, was probated in Richmond Co., Nov. 4, 1702; names wife Dorothy; devised one-half the land he lived on, with the "man¬sion," to his eldest son William 2 after death of his wife; the other half to son James 2; the rest of his lands to sons Robert 2 and Benjamin 2, after providing for the education of his son Joseph 2, and with a special bequest to grandson "Will" Strother 3. It is provided that "All the rest and residue of my personal estate goods and chattels, with all the crop of corn and tobacco and servants, I give and bequeath to my loving wife Dorothy Strother, during the time of her widow¬hood; but if my s'd wife shall otherwise dispose of herself, as to marry again, my will is that of my son James 2, do order an account to be taken of my s'd personal estate and that it may be equally divided between her and my sons James 2, Jeremy 2, Robert 2, Benjamin 2, and Joseph 2, ex'ors—wife and son James 2, wits.—James Phillips, Edward Langdree, William Smith. His wife was Dorothy ——. She was living in 1746, in which year she witnessed the will of their son James 2.
Issue:

II. (1) William Strother 2, m. Margaret Thornton, d. 1727.

(2) James 2, d. s. p. in 1716, in which year his will was prob. in Richmond Co.; devises property to bro. Joseph 2, his mother being one of the witnesses to the will.

III. (3) Jeremiah 2, m. Eleanor ______, d. 1741.

(4) Robert 2, m. Elizabeth Berry, dau. of a clergyman; lived in King George Co., where he d. in 1735, his will being prob. Nov. 4; wife Elizabeth ex'trx, with Joseph Berry security.

Issue:

1. Elizabeth Strother 3, m. twice, but d. childless.

II. Enoch 3, m. Mary Key, and d. prior to June 4, 1772, when she administered his estate; after his death, in consequence of the annoyance of the British, she removed to Clarke, and thence to Hanover Co., where descendants now reside.

III. John 3.

IV. Robert 3.

(5) Benjamin 2, m. Mary, dau. of Adam Woffendall; lived in King George, where he d. in 1752, his will being prob. May 5; was a justice in Richmond, and continued as such in King George, in which county he was vestryman, sheriff and large landed proprietor.

In his will he names issue:

II. George 3, m. Mrs. Tabitha (Payne), widow of Will. Wolfe. All; lived in King George; will dated Nov. 13, and prob. Dec. 13, 1811, names wife Tabitha and sons:

1. John Strother 4
2. George 4

III. Benjamin 3, m. Anne — —. In 1754 Mary Strother gave to her son Benjamin 3, of Hanover Parish, the land given by her father. July 20, 1758, Benj. Strother 3, and Ann 3, his wife, of same parish, execute a deed. In 1759 he was fined for not keeping a road in order in Port Royal.

IV. John 3

V. Samuel 3

VI. Francis 3

(6) Joseph 2, m. Margaret, dau. of Grace and Berry; was a justice in Richmond, and continued as such in King George, where he was also a vestryman and sheriff; owned and lived on a part of his father's old home place near Port Conway. His will was prob. Aug. 7, 1766, in which he names his children:

1. Mary 3, m. Wm. Wren.
2. Margaret 3, m. — — Clannahan.
3. Dorothy 3, m. — — Walker.
4. Thomas 3, m. — — — — — —; lived in Stafford Co.
5. Nicholas 3, m. — — — — — —; d. 1779.
VI. Joseph 3, m. —— Berry; d. in King George, 1762. As “Capt. Joseph Strother” he was granted, May 28, 1748, lands lying partly in King George and partly in Westmoreland county. In will names wife and bro.-in-law, Benj. Berry, ex’ors; and only dau. Elizabeth Nicholas 4, d. unm., and left legacies to his nephews, Nicholas Wren 4, Wm. Clannahan 4, and Joseph Walker 4.

II. William Strother 2 (William 1) was born probably 1665-75. He was a planter, and lived at the original seat of his father, now in King George Co. On Dec. 20, 1718, there was patented to Wm. Cocke, Chicheley Corbin Thacker, Francis Thornton, Jr., and Wm. Strother 2, 6,000 acres of land in St. Mary’s Parish, Essex county (now Spottsylvania), beginning on a great swamp called Massaponax, about three miles from the Falls of the Rappahannock. He was a vestryman of Hanover Parish, and Sheriff of King George Co. He married Margaret, b. April 2, 1678, dau. of Francis Thornton (son of the first Wm. Thornton, of Gloucester Co.), and his wife Alice, dau. of Capt. Anthony Savage, of Gloucester county. In 1722 he gave to his son “Will” Strother 3, Jr., the land devised him by his father, except what had been sold to John Strother. On Aug. 1, 1727, Margaret Strother, widow, conveyed to her son William 3, 300 acres of land given by her grandfather Anthony Savage to her father Francis Thornton and wife Alice, on the Rappahannock river, except one-half acre for burying ground, including the graves therein. On the same day, she gave by deed to her son Francis 3, of Hanover Co., certain slaves with reversion to her grandson William Strother 4. On July 26, 1726, his will was admitted to probate,
and his widow qualified as ex'trx, but the first Will Book (1720-1744) of King George Co., containing it was lost during the late war.

Issue, Order Conjectural:

IV. (1) William Strother 3, m. Margaret Watts.

V. (2) Francis 3, of St. Mark’s, m. Susannah Dabney.

VI. (3) Anthony 3, b. Aug. 1, 1710; m. Aug. 25, 1733, (1) Behethland Stark or Stoke, b. Dec. 21, 1716, (2) wife Mary James. He bears the name of his ancestor, Capt. Anthony Savage.

(4) Benjamin 3, of Stafford, m. Mary (Mason), widow of George Fitzhugh. On Jan. 8, 1723-4, “Margaret Strother, wife of Wm. Strother 3, Jr., gave a power of attorney to “loving brother” Benjamin Strother 3, to convey dower. This was Margaret Watts, wife of William 3, and the power of attorney fixes definitely the fact that Benjamin 3 was son of William Strother. On July 14, 1741, he received a grant of 419 acres of land in Stafford Co. In 1756 Thomas Hurt executes a conveyance to him; and in 1760 he makes a deed of certain slaves to his daughter Anne. He was a vestryman of old Acquia Church in 1756. In 1790 John James, his admr., asked for commissioners to settle his accounts.

Issue:

I. Mary Strother 4, m. Col. Wm. Bro-naugh, of London.

II. Alice 4, m. Dec. 16, 1756, Robert Washington, b. June 25, 1729, son of Townsent and Elizabeth (Land)
III. —— 4, m. Henry Tyler, who was clerk of Stafford Co., 1764, whose son, Thomas G. Strother, Tyler 5, succeeded him.

IV. Anne 4, m. John James, and had a large family. The third son, Hon. Benj. James 5, of Stafford, m. Jean Stobo, of Charleston, S. C., and had Susan 6, b. May 9, 1804, who married John Garlington, of Laurens Co., S. C.

III. Jeremiah Strother 2 (William 1) was a freeholder in Westmoreland Co., as early as 1763, as appears by a purchase from J. W. Smith, and subsequently a planter in King George Co., where he resided until probably as late as 1736, when he moved to Orange county (now Culpeper). Here he died in 1741. His will, dated June 7, 1740, was prob. March 26, 1741, and recorded in Orange Co. Will Book No. 1, p. 141, devised all property to wife Eleazer (sic) for life, or widowhood, and after her marriage or death to son Christopher 3, special legacies to sons James 3, William 3, Francis 3, Jeremiah 3, and Lawrence 3, and daunts. Catharine 3, and Elizabeth 3; ex'ors—sons James 3, and Wm. 3, wits.—John Catlett, Francis Slaughter, Wm. Lightfoot. His wife was Eleanor ———, who survived him.

Issue:

VII. (1) James Strother 3, m. Margaret French.
(2) William 3, m. Mildred, dau. of Charles Taliaferro, in Spottsylvania county, in 1729, and d. in Westmoreland in 1749, date of will. He is probably the grantee in a patent June 20, 1749, for 193 acres of land in Westmoreland Co. Names:

i. Son William 4, who m. Winifred

II. Charles Strother 4, who d. at Charleston, S. C., in 1773, and was buried in St. Michael’s Churchyard, leaving sons George 5, and William 5; is thought to be a son of William 3. George Strother 5, was a Lieutenant in Marion’s Brigade, 1781. Both he and William settled in the old Cheraw District, Chesterfield county, S. C.

(3) Francis 3.
(4) Catherine 3.
(5) Elizabeth 3.
(6) Lawrence 3, m. Elizabeth — — —. In 1742 lived in Orange county.

(7) Jeremiah 3, m. Catherine Kennely; lived in Culpeper Co.; removed to S. C. and settled on Saluda river. One son, John F. Strother 4, returned to Va., and m. Anne 5, dau. of Capt. John Strother 4, and had a son George Strother 5, who removed to Trimble Co., Ky., and was long a minister.

(8) Christopher 3, m. Ann — — —. In 1746, as of Caroline Co., he executed a conveyance of 350 acres in Culpeper; and Oct., 1749, as of Fairfax Co., he conveyed to Capt. Benjamin Strother “the lands in King George in Hanover Parish, the land
given him by his father, Jeremiah Strother." About 1750 he removed to Edgecombe Co., N. C., but on the formation of Franklin was thrown in that Co. One dau. Ann Strother 4, m. Garrett Goodloe, son of Rev. Henry Goodloe, of Caroline Co., Va., and had a son, James Kemp Goodloe 5, who m. Mary Reaves Jones (dau. of Daniel Jones, son of the first Edward, early prominent in Granville Co., N. C.), and had Col. Daniel R. Goodloe 6, now of Washington, D. C.

IV. William Strother 3 (William 2, William 1) was born about 1700. After the destruction of the old mansion house of his grandfather, the first William Strother 1, he sold his estate near Port Conway, and purchased on the river opposite Fredericksburg, in 1727. The latter place was sold by his widow and executed Nov. 3, 1738, to Augustine Washington, father of General Geo. Washington. On May 26, 1727, he received a grant for 266 acres in King George Co., and Sept. 12, 1731, as "Captain" William Strother, 372 acres in Prince William Co. He was sheriff and justice of King George Co., and vestryman of the parish. He married Margaret Watts, who, on his death, married (2) John Grant. In March, 1737, she asked for a reapportionment of the estate of her late husband, and Hancock Lee, Abram Kenyon, and John Grant were appointed to make it, and to set aside to her one-seventh of the estate. On Nov. 3, 1738, Anthony Strother 3, qualified as "guardian of Elizabeth 4, Agatha 4, Margaret 4, Ann 4, and Jane 4, five of the children of William Strother 3, dec'd," and gave bond to pay five-sevenths of the debts of said William. This indicates six children instead of thirteen, as he is generally reputed to have had. He died in 1732, and in his will directs sale of his lands in King George and Prince William Cos., and names his wife as ex'trx.
Issue:

(1) Elizabeth Strother 4, m. Nov. 9, 1738, John Frogg, of Prince William Co., who subsequently moved to the Valley of Virginia, and lived near the families of his wife’s sisters. A son, John Frogg, Jr., 5, m. Agatha Lewis 5, his first cousin, and was killed at the battle of Point Pleasant.

(2) Agatha 4, m. John Madison (a near relative of President Madison), first clerk of Augusta Co., 1745; member of the vestry, and also of the Va. House of Burgesses, and House of Delegates. He d. in Botetourt Co., March, 1784.

Issue:

I. William Strother Madison 5, of Botetourt, m. Elizabeth Preston.

II. Geo. Thomas 5, m. Susannah Henry, sister of Hon. Patrick Henry, was a lawyer in Botetourt.

III. Roland 5, m. Anne, dau. of Gen. Andrew Lewis, “the Hero of the Point” (son of John Lewis, “the founder”); and removed to Ky.

IV. James 5, b. Aug. 27, 1749, near Port Republic, then in Augusta, now in Rockingham Co.; was an ardent patriot in the Revolutionary war, and first Resident-Bishop (1785) of the Episcopal Church in Va.; m., 1779, Sarah Tate, of Williamsburg, and had children:
   I. James Catesby Madison 6,
   II. Susan 6, m. R. G. Scott, of Richmond, Va.

V. George 5, m. Jane, dau. of Major Francis Smith.
VI. Margaret 5, m. Judge William, son of Judge Samuel McDowell, of Ky., and had, among other children, Agatha 6, who m. Hon. James G. Birney, first Abolition candidate for President.

(3) Margaret 4, b. in King George county, m. (1) April 26, 1744, George Morton, who d. in a short time; (2) Oct. 16, 1749, Gabriel Jones, "The Lawyer," b. near Williamsburg, May 17, 1724, son of John and Elizabeth Jones; prepared for the bar at London; in 1745 admitted as an attorney in Augusta Co., and April 14, 1746, elected deputy attorney for the county, "as a fit person to transact his Majesty's affairs." He and his brother-in-law, Thomas Lewis, represented Rockingham Co. in the Va. Convention of 1788. He d. near Port Republic, Oct., 1796, and his wife d. near same place in 1822, in her 97th year.

Issue:

I. Margaret Jones 5, m. Col. John Harvie, lawyer, of Albemarle, signer of the Articles of Confederation; seven children, of whom a dau. Gabriella J. 6, m. (1) Col. Thomas Mann Randolph, and (2) Dr. John Broken-borough, who erected the "Jefferson Davis House" at Richmond.

II. Elizabeth 5, was 3d wife of John Lewis (son of Fielding Lewis and Catharine Washington), who moved to Ky.

III. ------- 5, m. John Hawkins.

Sixteen
IV. Strother 5, b. Mar. 21, 1756, was a captain in the Revolutionary war; m. Fanny, dau. of Francis Thornton, of "Fall Hill," and his wife Anne, dau. of Rev. John Thompson, and had an only child, William Strother Jones 6, who m. Anna Maria, dau. of Chas. and Lucy (Pickett) Marshall.

(4) Anne 4, m. May 17, 1744, Francis Tyler; resided in Culpeper and later in Augusta Co.

(5) Jane 4, m. Jan. 26, 1749, Thomas Lewis, b. in Donegal, Ireland, Apr. 27, 1718, the eldest of the distinguished sons of Col. John Lewis, "the founder," and his wife Margaret Lynn. He was a man of cultivated mind, great spirit and enterprise, and rendered many important services to his country. He lived and died near Port Republic.

Issue:

I. Thomas Lewis 5, d. 1788.

II. Margaret Ann 5, m. (1) — — McClenahan; (2) Wm. Bowyer.

III. Agatha 5, m. (1) Capt. John Frogg 5, her first cousin; (2) John Stuart.

IV. Jane 5, m. Thomas Hughes.

V. Andrew 5, d. unm.

VI. Thomas 5, d. unm.

VII. Mary 5, m. John McElhany.

VIII. Elizabeth 5, m. Thomas Meriwether Gilmer, of Rockingham Co., Va.; removed to Ga.; parents of George R. Gilmer 6, M. C. and Gov. of Ga., and author of "The Georgians."

Seventeen
IX. Anne 5, m. (1) — Conthat; (2) — French, of Ky.
X. Frances 5, m. Layton Yancey.
XI. Charles 5, m. — Yancey.
XII. Sophia 5, m. John Carthere, removed to Mo.
XIII. Wm. Benjamin 5, m. M. Hite.

(6) —— 4.

V. Francis Strother 3 (William 2, William 1) was born probably in Richmond, now King George Co. On Aug. 1, 1827, Margaret Strother gave by deed to her son Francis Strother 3, of Hanover Co., certain slaves with reversion to her grandson William Strother 4. On Jan. 22, 1745, Wm. Coleman conveyed to Francis Strother, of St. Martins’ parish, Hanover Co., 583¼ acres in St. Mark’s parish, Orange Co., near the county seat of the present Rappahannock county. Here he removed and settled close by his son John 4, and probably here he died. He married Susannah Dabney, of Hanover family of that name, probably in that Co., where it is known his son John 4, was born. His will dated April 17, 1751, is probated in Culpeper county, and is recorded in Will Book “A,” p. 57. He died in 1752. Names wife Susannah, who is made ex’trx; sons John 4, George 4, Anthony 4, Robert 4, Francis 4 (the three latter under sixteen years), and dauts. Mary 4, Behethland 4, Elizabeth 4 and Susanna 4; wits.—J. Lewis, John Strother, Thomas Baker. He was a planter, and in his will refers to himself as “of St. Mark’s parish, in the county of Culpeper.”

Issue, Order Conjectural:

VIII. (1) John Dabney Strother 4, b. 1721, in Hanover Co., m. Mary Willis Wade.
IX. (2) William 4, m. Sarah (Bayly) Pannill.
   I. Win. Dabney Strother.
   II. Elizabeth.
   III. Francis Banks Strother.

Issue:

X. (3) Elizabeth 4, m. James Gaines.

(4) Mary 4, m.

(5) Behethland 4, m. Oliver Wallis.

(6) Susannah 4, m. Thos. Gaines, son of Henry and Isabella (Pendleton) Gaines.

Issue:

I. Phillip Gaines 5, m. ——— McGavok.

II. Jas. Strother 5, m. Judith Easley, and had, among other children, John Strother Gaines 6, who m. Letitia D. Moore, and had Amanda M. Gaines, who m. Charles A. Rice, and who are parents of Susan L. Rice 8, who m. John B. Clotworthy, and reside at Hillman, Ga. She is the historian of the Gaines family, and expects to publish a Genealogy of that family, with its intermarriages.

III. Richard Thomas 5.

IV. Elizabeth Strother 5.

V. Susan 5.

VI. Henry Pendleton 5.

VII. Francis 5, m. ——— Cardwell.

VIII. George W. 5, m. ——— Joyce, of N. C.

IX. Francis Thornton 5.

(7) Anthony 4, m. Frances Eastham; removed from Culpeper to Hardy Co.
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<td>Phillip 5, a Methodist minister. Descendants are in Carter Co., Ky.</td>
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<td>George 4, m. Mary Kennedy; d. in 1767 in Culpeper Co.</td>
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<td>John Strother 5, who was in the Creek war; never married.</td>
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<td>Margaret 5, m. Col. George Hancock, of Botetourt Co., Va.; was M. C. from Va., 1793-1797. One dau. Caroline Hancock 6, m. Major Win. Preston, of Ky., and their dau. Henrietta Preston 7, m. Gen. Albert Sidney Johnston, the parents of Col. William Preston Johnston 8, of New Orleans, La.</td>
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<td>Francis 4, Jr., m. Anne Graves; lived in Culpeper Co., where he died. He was Lt. of Militia in that county in 1756, and was of much service to his country in the French and Indian war. His will, dated Aug. 2, was admitted to probate Oct. 20, 1777, and is recorded in Will Book &quot;B,&quot; p. 238. Names wife Anne, sons John 5, Francis Strother 5, Samuel 5, George 5, ex'ors, bro. John Strother 4, and friends James and William Pendleton; wits.—Bushrode Doggett, Henry and William Pendleton.</td>
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I. Francis Strother 5, removed to Ga., with his uncle, Col. John Graves; his son, Charles R. Strother 6, was a lawyer, and in Ga. Secession Convention, 1861.

II. John 5, a seaman, d. in England.

III. Samuel 5, and

IV. George 5, both d. young.

(10) Robert 5, m. Elizabeth ———. In 1771 he executed a deed to Charles Browning to land in Culpeper.

VI. Anthony Strother 3 (William 2, William 1) was b. Aug. 1, 1710, and d. Dec. 10, 1765. He was a merchant in Fredericksburg. In 1751 Gov. Dinwiddie, who had appointed James Patton, Joshua Fry, and Lunsford Lomax, commissioners to treat with the Indians, wrote Col. Patton to proceed immediately to Fredericksburg “and there receive from Mr. Strother the goods sent as a present by his Majesty to the Indians.” He lived across the river from the town, and the Fredericksburg ferry was on his land. On Jan. 27, 1734, he received a grant for 600 acres in Spottsylvania Co., on “Goard Vine Fork.” In 1739 William Thornton conveyed to Anthony Strother and Behethland his wife, 250 A. below the Falls of the Rappahannock in King George Co. His will, prob. Oct., 1766, directs his property to be kept together as a whole for ten years, and then sold and the proceeds equally divided between his widow and children. He married (1) Aug. 25, 1733, Behethland Starke, b. Dec. 27, 1716, who d. after Dec. 2, 1753; (2) in 1754, Mary James, b. Dec. 28, 1736. His widow Mary, m. (2) Col. Henry Smith (bro. of Daniel Smith, U. S. Sen. from Tenn., and also of Enoch Smith, great-grandfather of James Milton Bourne, Louisville, Ky.), and removed to Russell Co., Va.
Issue by First Wife:


(2) Anthony 4, b. May 10, 1736; m. Kenyon, dau. of Abram Kenyon; was both sheriff and justice of King George, and lived at the old home of his father.

Issue:

I. George Strother 5, who inherited the family seat.

II. Anthony 5, m. Newton, and removed to the Valley.

III. John 5, m. Price.


(4) Margaret 4, b. Sept. 23, 1740; d. Feb. 4, 1741.

(5) John 4, b. Feb. 11, 1742.


(8) William (2) 4, b. April 30, 1746.


(10) Benjamin 4, b. June 25, 1750; d. 1805; in 1776 entered the Va. navy, served three years; later he entered the land service and there remained until the end of the war; m. Kittie Price. He settled in Berkeley, now Jefferson Co., and built "Park Forest," near Charlestown. His daughters were Mrs. Benjamin Pendleton 5, Mrs. J. M. Crane 5, Mrs. Cato Moore 5, Mrs. Richard Duffield 5. His son John Strother 5, b. Nov. 18, 1782, entered the U. S. army and served 1813-15; m. Sept.

Issue by Second Wife:
(12) James Starke 4, b. Nov. 19, 1755; was in the Revolutionary war; m. Elizabeth Battle Morton; lived in Fauquier; and about 1807 removed to Russell Co., Va., leaving descendants. Died Oct. 31, 1819. His wife died Apr. 27, 1844.

Issue: I. Nancy, m. Mr. Thomas Witten. They lived in Tazewell Co., Va.

Issue: a. Julia Ann Witten, d. 1889; m. Mr. Lexton; lived in Mytheville, Va.
b. Zacary Witten, m. and moved to Texas, had a large family.
c. James Witten, m. Miss Fanny Roberts; no children.
d. Thomas, who became a doctor.
e. Elizabeth, m. Mr. Bottemer, Methodist.
f. Margaret, called Peggy, unm.
g. John, never married.

II. Jane, m. Mr. Ewell.

Issue by First Marriage:

Mary,
Sarah,
David,
Robt., m. Miss Fannie James

Issue:

Mabel,
Robertta,
Twins
James,
John, m. and lives in Leadville, Colo.

Issue:

Fannie.

b. Susan, m. Mr. Hurt.
c. Ann, m. Mr. Hurt.

III. Elizabeth, dau. of Elizabeth and Jas. Strother, m. Mr. Vermillion, and moved to Ill., 1833, d. in Sept., 1834.

Issue:

a. James.
b. Margaret.
c. Harry.
d. William, m. Kate Parcell.
e. Wilson, unm., lives in Rockport, Tex.
f. Mary, m. Mr. Bringle, Payne Co., Okla.

IV. James Payne, b. Nov. 6, 1790, m. Eliza E. Cummings, Nov. 22, 1827.

Issue:


Issue: (1) Campbell Cummings Moore, b. Aug., 1857, d. in infancy.

Twenty-four
Issue:

(2) Nannie Campbell Moore, b. July 16, 1858, m. Mr. Thos. Beane, of Ga., who d. Apr. 7, 1907.

Joseph and Marion Moore.


Issue:

Jack, b. Aug. 27, 1892.


(5) Mary C. Moore, d. June 18, 1888.


Issue:

(1) Robert, d.

(2) Trigg, d.

(3) James H. Strother, m. Lella Rountree, of Sherman, Texas.

Issue:

I. Anna Louise Strother.

c. Margaret Smith Strother, b. Sept. 19, 1832; dau. of Eliza and James Payne Strother, m. Mr. James G. Brown, Sept. 27, 1860; her husband, James G. Brown, d. July 1, 1880, in New Orleans.

Twenty-five

Issue:

I. Duncan Allen Brown, b. Aug. 25, 1892.

II. Next baby died in infancy.

III. Margaret.

IV. Bulah.

(2) Addie Hutchinson Brown, d. in infancy.

(3) Jack Moore Brown.

(4) Margaret Strother Brown, lives in Sherman, Texas.

(5) William Lawton, d. in infancy.


Twenty-six
I. Wm. Hutchinson Robinson, b. at Whitehall, May 13, 1885; m. Mary Belle Flournoy, of Shreveport; he is a cotton planter on Red River.

II. Adelina Strother R., b. June 21, 1887, m. Dr. Fred Ratzbury, Dec. 21, 1912. Live in Shreveport, 1080 Dalzell Street.

Issue:
1. Harriet B. R.

III. Harriet Bludworth R., b. Feb. 6, 1889.

IV. Margaret Hutchinson R., b. Aug. 6, 1890, d. Aug. 9, 1890.


(2) James Strother Hutchinson, b. Mar. 22, 1861, m. Miss Minnie Long, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. James Long, of Potosi, Mo.; m. by Dr. John Mathews, of Methodist Church, of St. Louis, Aug. 25, 1891. James S. Hutchinson d. in Shreveport, La., Sept. 12, 1899, at eleven o'clock in the morning.

(3) Margaret Brown Hutchinson, b. Aug. 7, 1862, lives at Caspiana.


Issue:
I. Campbell Cummings II., b. Feb. 6, 1907.

II. Elizabeth Matilda II., b. May 17, 1909.

(5) William Joseph Hutchinson, b. Nov. 6, 1865, m. Helen Ector, Jan. 3, 1895.
Issue:  
I. Helen Marion, b. Oct. 18, 1899.  

Issue:  
I. Helena Strother Hutchinson, b. Nov. 21, 1896.  
(7) Trigg S. Hutchinson, b. Feb. 14, 1869, m. Nina Leavy, June 24, 1903.  

Issue:  
I. Charles Moore, Jr., b. June 10, 1908.  
II. Ida Eleanor II., b. Dec. 8, 1912.  
(9) Leigh Chalmers Hutchinson, b. Dec. 18, 1877, m. Dec. 21, 1895, Elizabeth Norris, sister of his brother’s wife.  

Issue:  
I. Baby girl, b. and d. 1910.  
II. Margaret Strother, b. in Shreveport, Jan. 9, 1912.  
  g. Eliza Nancy Dudley Strother, b. Nov. 10, 1839, unm.  
  h. William Trigg Strother, b. June 9, 1842, d. unm.  
(13) Mary 4, b. June 2, 1757, m. Benjamin Nicklin, of Fauquier.  
(14) George 4, b. Sept. 1, 1760, d. Dec. 6, 1769.  
(15) Bettey (2) 4, b. July 20, 1763.  

VII. James Strother 3 (Jeremiah 2, William 1) lived in King George county; in 1733 was deputy under Benjamin Strother 2, sheriff; in 1741 was sheriff and justice; in 1742 was appointed collector, and in 1747 Twenty-eight
inspector at Falmouth (then in King George Co.), later he removed to Culpeper, where he d. intestate in 1761, leaving a large personal estate, divided between his children by William Green and Nathaniel Pendleton, his real property passing to his eldest son Francis Strother 4. He m. Margaret, dau. of Daniel French (d. 1736), of King George Co., and Margaret his wife, who was dau. of John Pratt and Margaret his wife of King George. Daniel French belonged to the prominent family of that name of Roscommon Co., Ireland.

Issue:

XI. (1) French Strother 4, m. Lucy Coleman.

(2) James 4, d. unm. in 1764; will prob. in Stafford Co., property given to brother French 4, and sister Mary Gray 4, exec. George Gray.

(3) Mary 4, m. George Gray, and lived in Stafford Co.

Issue:

I. George Gray 5, m. Mildred, dau. of Rev. John Thompson, and in 1800 removed to Louisville, Ky.; was in Revolutionary.

Issue:


b. James Strother 6.

c. French Strother 6.

d. Minor 6.

e. Angerson 6,


All lived in Ky. George, James and French were all army officers.

II. Daniel 5, m. Mary 5, dau. of Col. French Strother 4; she was his first cousin.
VIII. John Dabney Strother 4, of "Wadefield," (Francis 3, William 2, William 1), was born in Hanover Co., in 1721; m. Mary Wade, and shortly afterwards removed to Culpeper Co. He located near the present little Washington, where he d. April, 1770. A lineal descendant is now in possession of his settle. He was a captain in the French and Indian war, 1756-7.

Issue: (1) Joseph Strother 5, m. Ann Stewart, and in 1800 removed to Jefferson Co., Ky. A son, Benjamin 6, d. s. p. at Warm Springs, Va.; was in U. S. army, 1798-97. A son, William 6, had a dau. Harriett 7, who m. Horace Stringfellow.

(2) Susannah 5, m. John Lawler.

(3) Mary 5, m. Charles Browning.

(4) Sarah 5, m. William Hughes.

(5) Lucy 5, m. Francis Covington.

(6) Mildred 5, m. William Covington.

(7) Anne 5, m. John F. Strother. For record see Jeremiah 3, son of III. Jeremiah 2.

(8) Elizabeth 5, m. Capt. John Browning, of the Continental Line, son of Frank Browning. D. P. Browning, of Lewisburg, Ky., is a descendant.

(9) John 5, m. Helen Piper. He inherited "Wadefield," and d. in 1818. Among his children, a dau., Nancy Strother 6, b. Nov. 20, 1781, m. June 1799, William Pendleton, whose son, Albert G. Pendleton, m. Elvira Chapman, the parents of the wife of Judge Philip William Strother 7. William Pendleton was the son of Capt. James Pendleton and Margaret Bowie, son of James Pendleton and Susan Clayton, son of Henry Pendleton and Mary Taylor (dau. of the first James Taylor), son of Philip Pendleton and Isabella Hurt.
IX. William Strother I (Francis 3, William 2, William 1) was b. probably in Hanover Co., about 1725. From the failure of Francis Strother 3, of St. Mark’s, to mention him by name in his will, no doubt has been expressed as to his being a son. But apart from this failure, the cause for which does not appear, there can hardly be a reasonable doubt on the point. On Aug. 1, 1727, Margaret (Thornton) Strother gave by deed to her son Francis Strother 3, of Hanover Co., certain slaves with reversion to her grandson William Strother 4. The connection here would clearly indicate that William was the son of Francis, rather than of anyone else, a conclusion further strengthened by the fact that none of her other sons, so far as can be discovered from record and other sources, had a son named William, of his age. In 1749, there was a grant of 400 acres in Orange Co., forks of Rush river, adjoining Francis 3, and John Strother 4, to William Strother 4, son of Francis 3, which grant was subsequently sold by William 4, to John Strother 4. Rev. George Strother 5, of Trimble Co., Ky., b. in Culpeper Co., Va. (son of John F. Strother 4, and Anne 5, dau. of Capt. John Strother 4), was consequently a great nephew of this William 4, living in the same region must have known him. The former has left a record in which he places William 4, as son of Francis 3, of St. Mark’s, and brother of his grandfather John 4, who he says was b. in Hanover Co. As will be seen below, the names of the children all show evidence of descent from a DABNEY intermarriage—such as “Susannah” (name of the wife of Francis, of St. Mark’s, and also of his dau.), and William “Dabney” Strother. He was a large landed proprietor in Culpeper and Orange. He m. prior to Feb. 20, 1752, (1) Mrs. Sarah (Bayly) Pannill, widow of Wm. Pannill. She was originally of Urbana, in Middlesex Co., Va. On Oct. 25, 1759, he as ‘‘of the county of Orange, planter, and Sarah his wife, late widow and relift
of William Pannill, late of the county of Culpeper, convey to her sons, William and David Pannill, 400 acres in Orange. His wife d. 1774, and her will, dated Aug. 23, 1774, was prob. Dec. 22, 1774, in Will Book No. 2, p. 489, Orange Co. records, legacies to grandson William, son of David Pannill, to grand-dau. Sarah Bailie (sic) Morton Pannill, dau. of William Pannill, to grandson Gerard Banks, son of dau. of Frances Banks, to grand-dau. Sarah Bailie Hawkins, to Sarah Pannolds (relationship not stated), dau. of Tabitha Pannolds, to first child that may be born to son Joseph Pannill; and balance of estate to be divided equally between son William Dabney Strother, and dau. Frances Banks, Susanna Hawkins and Sarah Strother. He m. (3) Anne Kavenah (sic), bond dated June 9, 1775 (Orange records). Late in life he removed to Woodford Co., Ky., where he d., 1808.

Issue:

(1) Susannah Strother 5, m. Capt. Moses Hawkins, of the 14th Va. Regt., who was killed Oct. 4, 1777, in the Revolutionary war. His children received a land warrant for his services. They lived in Woodford Co., Ky., and are:


II. William Strother 6, m. Katherine Keith.

III. Moses 6, m. Castleman.

IV. m. ——— ——— dau.

(2) William Dabney 5, thought to have been killed at the battle of Guildford C. H., in the war of the revolution.

(3) Sarah 5, b. Dec. 11, 1760, m. Richard Taylor, son of Zachary Taylor and Elizabeth Lee, son of James Taylor (II) and Martha Thompson, son of James Taylor, immi-
grant, and first wife, ———. He was a Lt. Col. in the 2d Va. Regt. in the Revolution.

Issue:

I. Hancock Taylor 6, m. (1) Elizabeth Hord; (2) Annah Lewis.

II. Zachary 6, b. Nov. 24, 1783, m. Margaret Smith; was twelfth President of the U. S.

III. George 6.

IV. William Dabney 6.

V. Richard 6.

VI. Joseph Pannill 6, m. Evangeline McClean.

VII. Elizabeth Lee 6, m. John Gibson Taylor.

VIII. Sarah 6, m. French Strother Gray 6, son of Col. George Gray 6, son of George Gray and Mary 3, dau. of (VII) James Strother 3.

IX. Emily 6, m. John S. Allison.

X. Elizabeth Strother 4 (Francis 3, William 2, William 1), m. James Gaines, son of Henry Gaines and his wife Isabella Pendleton, in Culpeper county, probably about 1765-1775. James Gaines was b. in Culpeper county in 1742, and after marriage removed to N. C. "Capt. James Gaines was an officer of the Revolutionary war, during a part of which he served with distinction, at the head of a company of volunteers. He was the nephew of Edmund Pendleton, who was for many years presiding judge of the Court of Appeals in Virginia. James Gaines was a man of great intelligence, consider-talent, and high character." He was in the battle of Eutaw Springs and other engagements. He was a member of the N. C. Convention which ratified the Constitution of the United States. Some time after this he removed to Tennessee, and d. at Kingsport in 1830.

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Issue, Order Conjectural:

(1) Edmund Pendleton Gaines, b. in Culpeper Co., Va., March 20, 1777; d. in New Orleans, La., June 6, 1849; m. (1) Frances Toulmin, dau. of Judge Harry Toulmin, first Territorial Judge in the Alabama portion of the Mississippi Territory; (2) Barbara Blount, dau. of Gov. Wm. Blount, of Tenn.; a son, E. P. Gaines 6, Jr., now resides in Washington, D. C.; and (3) Mrs. Myra (Clark) Whitney, dau. of Daniel Clark. He entered the U. S. army as an ensign Jan. 10, 1799, became successively brigadier and major general, remaining continuously in the army until his death.

(2) George Strother 5, b. in Stokes Co., N. C., 1784; d. in Ala., 1873; m. Ann Gaines; was an early and influential settler in Alabama (then Miss. Territory).

(3) Frances 5, m. Charles Lynn.

(4) James 5, m. Fannie Rodgers.


(6) Patsy 5, m. —— Everett.

(7) Nancy 5, m. —— Asher.

(8) Lucy 5, m. —— David Childress.

(9) Elizabeth 5, m. Samuel Moore.

(10) Susanna 5, d. unm.

(11) Sarah 5, d. unm.
Issue:


II. Francis Strother 6, b. 1800, in Stokes Co., N. C., removed to Ala., resided at Demopolis, was a highly honored and valued citizen and lawyer of prominence; m. Sarah Serena Glover, dau. of Allen Glover (the Glovers are from Goose Creek parish, S. C.), and had, among other children, Mary A. Lyon 7, who m. William Henry Ross, a prominent citizen of Mobile, Ala., son of Jack Ferrill Ross (first Treasurer of Ala.) and Anne Amelia Fisher, dau. of Col. George Fisher above. He was the son of John Ross and wife Temperance Ferrill, of Franklin county, N. C. A dau. Amelia L. Ross 8, m. James L. Abbott, and now resides at Little Rock, Ark.

III. William 6.

IV. Kittie 6.

V. Elizabeth 6, m. ——— Martin.

VI. Sallie 6, m. Flippin.

VII. Nancy 6.
XI. French Strother 4 (James 3, Jeremiah 2, William 1) was b. 1731— in King George Co. He lived on a handsome estate of 1,700 acres, lying on Mountain Run, on the Fredericksburg road between Culpeper and Stevensburg. He was a vestryman and warden of St. Mark’s parish. He represented Culpeper Co. for more than a quarter of a century in the General Assembly, before, during and after the Revolution, was a member of the Va. Conventions of 1776 and 1788, opposing in the latter, with Patrick Henry, George Mason and others, the adoption of the Constitution of the United States. He was county lieutenant, and also presiding justice of the County Court of Culpeper. For his boldness and aggressiveness during the Revolutionary struggle has been denominated by Grigsby as “The Fearless.” He was in every way a useful and public-spirited citizen. The General Assembly at various times imposed upon him public duties, as that of trustee of the town of Stevensburg, trustee of an academy to be established in the old gun factory at Fredericksburg, commissioner to settle certain trustees’ accounts, commissioner of a road from Chester’s gap in Culpeper to Richmond, etc. He d. intestate in Aug., 1806 and is buried at Fredericksburg. His wife was Lucy, dau. of Robert Coleman (d. 1793), formerly of Caroline Co. She was connected with the Claytons, Fosters and Stevens.

Issue:  
(1) Margaret French Strother 5, m. Capt. Phil. Slaughter, of the Revolution; b. 1758, d. 1849, and had many distinguished descendants.

(2) Gilley 5, m. Col. John Evans, Commander French Chadwick 7, of the U. S. navy, is a grandson.

(3) Lucy 5, d. unm.

(4) Elizabeth 5, m. Ninrod Evans, d. s. p.

(5) Mary 5, m. Daniel Gray 5, her first cousin.
Daniel French 5, m. Fannie, dau. of Judge John Thompson, of Louisville, Ky., son of Rev. John Thompson, and wife, the widow of Gov. Spottswood; lived and d. at Louisville.

George French 5, m. (1) Sarah Green Williams, dau. of Gen. James Williams, of "Soldier's Rest," Orange Co., and wife Eleanor, dau. of Moses Green, youngest son of Robert Green, the immigrant, Gen. James Williams was the son of the second William Williams and Lucy, the dau. of Philip Clayton, of Catalpa, who was himself the grandson of the first Philip Pendleton. He was a lawyer, member of the Va. Assembly, and in Congress, 1817-20, when he resigned to become Receiver of Public Moneys at St. Louis, where he died in 1840. He m. (2) Theodosia, dau. of John Hunt, of Lexington, Ky., by whom he had only one child.

Issue:  
1. James French Strother 6, b. at Culpeper C. H., Sept. 4, 1811, d. Sept. 20, 1860; m. Nov. 2, 1832, Elizabeth Roberts, dau. of John Roberts, of Culpeper, who was commissioned major in Revolutionary war, March 5, 1779. He was a member of the Va. Assembly and in Congress 1851-53. He was a lawyer, a citizen of character, and universally esteemed. His widow is still alive, over eighty years of age.

Issue:  
  b. John Roberts 7, m. Payne.

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c. James French 7, m. — — Botts.
d. William 7, d. s. p.
e. Judge Philip Williams 7, distinguished lawyer of Pear-
isburg, Va., m. Naunie Strother, dau. of Col. A. G. Pen-
dleton.
f. Sallie Williams 7.
g. John Hunt 7.
h. W. Johnson 7, m. — — Shackleford.
i. Lewis Harvie 7.
j. Charles 7, d. s. p.

II. Sally Strother, dau. of Geo. French Strother and Theodosia Hunt, was distinguished in society. Went to
Europe and married a Prussian, Baron De Pahmenburg, 1859. Died in France, 1885, without children, and leaving $1,000,000 to her Ken-
tucky relatives.
Campbells.

Dugal Campbell was b. in Inverurie, Aberdeen Co., Scotland, Father of Ducan Campbell, who went from Scotland to Ireland in the latter part of the reign of Queen Elizabeth, having bought a lease of forthfield land from one of the officers. One of his sons, Patrick Campbell, bought the lease and estate in comander, and acquired the estate in "fee simple." Patrick's son Hugh Campbell m. Mary McCoy. Their son John Campbell m. Grace (Grepel) Hay; she lived to be 93 years old. They had issue:

David Campbell, b. Mar. 8, 1706, in Ireland, seven miles from Londonberry, which was then called Drumbaden.

David Campbell emigrated to Philadelphia, Pa., 1726, m. Miss Ann Hamilton, dau. of Andrew Hamilton, Jan., 1735. They lived in Augusta Co. In 1771, they moved to Holston to live, which was later called Washington county. David d. Oct. 19, 1790, aged 84 years. They had issue:

Robert Campbell, m. Rebecca McDonald, Nov. 29, 1785.


David, the oldest son of Robert Campbell and Rebecca McDonald, m. Miss Sarah H. Greenway in Aug., 1818. David served in Mexican war.

Issue: 1. Catherine, never m., lives with sister in Knoxville, Tenn.
3. Edward (twin), d. young.
4. Mary, m. Dr. John Paxton, who d. when his children were young.

Issue: Catherine.
Mary.
Robert; all live in Knoxville, Tenn.
John, d. young.
David, d. young.

Mary Rebecca, the oldest dau. of Robert and Rebecca Campbell, was b. Oct. 5, 1786, m. Mar. 15, 1804, Robert Edmondson Cummings, son of Milly Carter and Rev. Charles Cummings, whose father John Cummings, lived in Donegal Co., Ireland.

Issue:
11. Elizabeth Campbell, b. Nov. 4, 1807. (Mrs. J. P. Strother.)
IV. James Lawrence, b. July 7, 1813, d. Feb. 28, 1854, unm.

V. Mary Amelia, b. Dec. 2, 1815, d. July 2, 1849, Mrs. Trigg.

VI. David Hamilton, b. Apr. 7, 1818, m. Anna Amelia Prestor.

VII. Adeline Rebecca, b. Apr. 2, 1820, d. May 22, 1821.

VIII. Edward McDonald, b. May 16, 1822, d. young.

IX. Sarah Jane, b. Dec. 23, 1824, d. Aug. 6, 1846.

X. John Campbell, b. July 6, 1827, m. Mrs. Logan.

XI. Mary Rebecca Campbell, d. Oct. 15, 1859, aged 53 years. She was baptized by Rev. Holland Weeks in 1820. He died July 24, 1843.

Elizabeth Campbell, m. James Payne Strother Nov. 22, 1827, son of Elizabeth Battle Morton Strother and James Strother.


2. Robert Cummings, m. Eliza Baker

3. James Anthony, d. soon after he graduated at Law.


5. Elizabeth Virginia, m. T. S. Graham.

6. Adeline McDonald, m. W. J. Hutchinson.


8. William Trigg, never married.

9. Mary Campbell Strother, m. Aug. 12, 1851, John Peay Moor, of New Orleans.


II. Nannie Campbell, b. July, 1858.

III. Eliza (Lila) Strother, b. Jan., 1860.


Nannie C. Moore, m. Mr. Thomas Beane, Feb., 1884.
Robert Campbell Cummings, son of Mary Rebecca and Robert E. Cummings, m. Sallie Pickett, dau. of Mrs. Pauline Pickett, of Bossier parish, La. His wife d. six months after their marriage. He d. July 21, 1892.

Mary Amelia, dau. of Mary R. and Robert E. Cummings, m. Dr. Wm. K. Trigg, Jan. 6, 1836.

Issue: 1. Son (-----), d. yng.


2. Ellen Preston, b. Aug. 17, 1852, d. yng.
5. Sallie.
6. David Hunter, b. 1868.

Robert Carter, son of Ann Amelia and Col. David H. Cummings, served in Mexican war; m. Lydia Cavett.

Issue: 1. Preston, d. yng.
2. Hazel.
3. Mary.
4. Mattie Strother.
5. David.

John Campbell Cummings, son of Mary Rebecca and Robert E. Cummings, m. Mrs. Vie. Logan, of Shreveport, La. Mrs. Cummings is a widow.
Issue:

1. L. -, dau.
2. II. Dr. John C. Cummings, was Homeopathic Physician in St. Louis.

Issue:

1. William, m., lives in Mexico.
2. John Campbell, m. Miss Mary Lynn, lives in St. Louis.
3. Mary.
5. Emmett.
6. Ruth Rozelle.

Betsy, dau. of Robt. and Rebecca Campbell, m. Alexander Sneed, of Ky., whose father was John Sneed, a Revolutionary Veteran, who died Jan., 1856.

DEATH OF A REVOLUTIONARY VETERAN.

Passing away—they are passing away. Soon, very soon, the announcement that another Revolutionary soldier is gone, will be seen no more in the newspapers of the day— for but a small number of those patriot veterans now remain “in the land of the living,” and in a few more years, they will all be gone, leaving the rich heritage for which they fought, bled and suffered through long years of adversity, and discouragement, to the awe and patriotism of their descendants.

Mr. John Sneed died at the residence of his son Alexander Sneed, Esq., near Danville, Ky., Jan., 1856.

He was b. in Albemarle Co., Va., on the second of Feb., 1755. Was for some years the secretary of Thomas Jefferson, then volunteered in an expedition against the Cherokee Indians, and after that became a soldier in the Revolutionary struggle, in which service he continued until the close of the war. He was with Washington at Valley Forge, during all the privations of that disastrous period. Afterwards fought under the same great Chieftain at Mon-Mouth, and was one of that

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gallant army who received the thanks of Congress for their conduct in this engagement. He was then detailed with a number of picked men from various regiments to the command of Col. Morgan, and finally went to the south with Green, under whom he served until the expiration of the war.

At the battle of Guilford, he was taken prisoner, and when conducted into the presence of Lord Cornwallis, the following question was put to him by that nobleman: "Where is the baggage of the American army?" "Out of your reach, sir," was the reply. "Why so?" "Because the American army is between you and it." When peace returned, he emigrated from Virginia to this state (Ky.), and here lived until almost one hundred and one years old. His one hundredth birthday was celebrated in Feb. last, at the residence of his son, by a centennial dinner, where he met many of his relations and friends. He had for several years preceding his death, felt the weight of time heavily upon him, and was of course infirm with age. He was surrounded by affectionate and dutiful descendants, who did everything in their power to render him comfortable and happy. He has now departed from the walks of men, full of honor and of years. Peace to his ashes.

Alexander and Betsy Campbell Sneed had seven children. She d. Jan. 28, 1823.

Issue:  
1. David, d. in inf.  
2. Martha, d. in inf.  
3. Mary, d. in childhood.  
4. Robert Campbell, d. when 21 years of age.  
5. Alexander, m. Miss Mildred Gill.

Issue:  
a. Betty, m. Mr. Fible.  
b. Martha, never m.  
c. Theresa, m. Mr. Dewees; they live in Mo.
Issue of Betty Fible:

(1) Sneed.
(2) Fitz Jerald.
(3) Mildred.

Issue of Theresia Sneed Dewees:

(1) Mildred.
(2) Elizabeth.

6. John, m. Mary Stewart, of Kentnel.

Issue:

b. Sallie, m. Mr. Thompson.

c. Margaret, m. Mr. Montgomery.

Issue:

(1) Lee, m., and lives in Sedalia, Mo.
(2) George, lives in St. Louis.

Issue:

(1) Carrie.
(2) John.

f. Robert, m. Margaret Montgomery.

Issue:

(1) Margaret.
(2) Robert Campbell.
(3) Katherine.
g. George, never married, lives in Arkansas.

h. Frank, is a Presbyterian Minister, in St. Louis.

7. Sallie Sneed, m. Mr. George Graham Vest.

Issue: a. George Vest, m. Miss Anotha Wheeler, had:

Issue: (1) Mary Wheeler.

b. Alexander Vest, m. Katherine Lewis, b. in Miss.

c. Mary (Mollie), m. Mr. Geo. R. B. Jackson, Att'y. at Law; they lived in Sedalia, Mo., then St. Louis.

Issue: (1) George.

(2) Margaret.

(3) Sallie Vest Jackson.

Mary Cornelia, dau. of David and Sarah H. Campbell, m. Dr. John W. Paxton, Nov. 7, 1853.

Issue:

I. Samuel White, b. Aug. 28, 1854.


III. John W. B., b. Oct. 26, 1858.

IV. Mary Campbell, b. Nov. 7, 1860.

V. Fanny L., b. Dec. 10, 1862.

VI. William Hamilton, b. Apr. 7, 1866.

VII. Tom, b. Oct. 27, 1868.

VIII. John, b. July 23, 1871.

IX. Robert Campbell, b. Oct. 19, 1873.

Robert Campbell, son of David and Sarah H. Campbell, m. Francis Ewell, dau. of Mr. Ewell and Jane Strother, of Va. Robt. Campbell d. Jan., 1832.
Issue:
1. David, d. young.

II. Robert, m. and had one dau. by 1st wife; 2nd wife, Fannie James.

III. John Henry Campbell, lives in Leadville, Colo.

Issue:
1. Three or four children.

Mrs. Francis Campbell was a native of Va.; left there and resided in the west, Colorado and Washington Territories; m., second time, Mr. Frans. After his death she lived with her son, Dr. R. C. Campbell, of Shreveport. She d. there Jan. 23, 1897, aged 85 years.
Cummings.

John Cummings, father of Rev. Charles Cummings, lived in Donegal Co., Ireland; m. Sarah Polk.

Issue:

Charles, who came to America when grown; m. Amelia (Milly) Carter, dau. of John Carter, of Lancaster Co., Va., d. Mar., 1812. Record of ages of the family of Rev. Chas. Cummings, in his own handwriting, taken from Foddridge's family Expositor Book I.

Mrs. Cummings, who was Milly Carter, b. Aug. 9, 1743, m. Charles Cummings, Feb. 13, 1766.

Issue:

111. Sarah, b. Mar. 15, 1770, m. John Balfour, of Scotland. No record of date of marriage and deaths.

Issue:


Issue:

b. Samuel, b. ——, m. Miss McPhatridge. No records.

Issue:

(1) Amelia. No record.
(2) James. No record.

Forty nine
Issue:

(3) Balfour.
(4) Mary.

c. Sarah, b. ——, m. David Parrott. No records.
d. Robert, d. mm. No records.

Issue:

(1) Chas. C., b. Dec., 1863 m. Eugenia Preston.
(2) Sarah, d. ——. No record.

f. James, m. Miss Anna Castleton. 1865. No record.

Issue:

(1) Champe. No record.
(2) Balfour. No record.
(3) Fanny. No record.
(4) Gibson. No record.
(5) Robert. No record.

g. Amelia, m. Mathew Patton, 1867. No record.

Issue:

(1) Eliza. No record.
(2) Janie. No record.
(3) Sally. No record.
(4) James. No record.

2. Charles, b. ——, m. Mrs. Trigg. No record.

Issue:

a. Mary L., b. ——, m. Rev. Mr. Miller. No record.

Issue:

(1) Charles B., b. ——. No record.
(2) Ashbury, b. ——. No record.
(3) Minnie, b. ——. No record.


Issue:

(1) Charles. No record.
(2) Son, name unknown. No record.
(b) Minnie. No record.

d. Sallie, m. R. E. McEwen.

d. Elizabeth, m. (1) Mr. Nick; (2) Judge Davidson.

Issue:

1. William, b. —. No record.

c. Amanda, b. —, m. Mr. McNeal.

No record.

Issue:

1. Son, name unknown. No record.

3. Andrew, unmarried.

4. Isabell, unmarried.


Issue:


4. Letitia, b. —, m. Alex Duff. No record.

5. Susan, b. —, m. Mr. Saunders. No record.

Issue:

a. Drake, m. Miss Davis. No record.

b. John Somerfield, m. Miss Greever. No record.

c. Mary Frances, unm.

V. James, b. Nov. 9, 1773, m. Mary Campbell, d. Aug., 1840.

Issue:

1. John C., b. —, m. Catherine Lynch. No records.

Issue:

a. Sarah, b. —, m. Name unknown. No records.
b. Mary, b. ---, m. Mr. Lane. No records.

c. Daniel, b. ---, m. Name unknown. No records.

d. Roda, b. ---, m. Name unknown. No records.

Issue of Mary Lane:

(1) Mary. Several others. No records.

2. Amelia, b. ---, unm. No records.


Issue:


Issue:

(1) Jos. Garrett, b. ---. No records.

(2) Mary, b. ---, unm. No records.

(3) Robt. R., b. ---, unm. No records.


c. Walter, b. ---, d. 1909.

d. John, b. ---, unm.; moved to Texas.

e. Amelia, b. ---, m. Robt. Preston. No records.

Issue:

(1) Elizabeth. No records.

(2) Margaret. No records.

(3) Robert. No records.

(4) Thomas. No records.

f. Thos., b. ---, m. Miss Shelby, of Miss. They live in Vicksburg, have son Shelby, visited Whitshell Sept. 1, 1912. Shelby married Miss Preston.

Fifty-two
g. Elizabeth, b. —, married Mr. Leyburn.

   
   Issue: a. David Gibson, b. ——, m. Miss Clark. No records.
   b. Campbell, b. ——, m. Miss White. No records.

   
   Issue: a. James, b. ——, unm. No records.
   b. Robert, b. ——, married Miss Keller. No records.
   c. David C., b. ——, unm. No records.
   d. Robert E., unm. No records.
   e. David A., b. ——, unm. No records.


VI. Charles, b. May 10, 1776, never married.


   Issue: (1) Robt. Carter, b. Jan. 29, 1849, m. Lydia Cavett.

   II. Hazel, b. Aug. 25, 1892.
   III. Mary, b. June 8, 1894.
IV. Mattie S., b. Nov. 1897.
V. David, b. July 19, 1900.

Issue:
(3) John G., b. May 17, 1831, m. , d. Sept. 8, 1853.
(4) Ellen W., b. Apr. 20, 1834, m. , d. Apr. 20, 1850.

2. Chas. C., m. Eliza Campbell, of Halls Bottom. No records.

3. Amelia C., b. — , m. , d. 1832. No records.


Issue:
a. Andrew, who was killed in the war.

Issue:
(1) Virginia W. No records.
(2) Mary. No records.
(3) Grace. No records.
(4) Bessie McD. No records.
(5) Benj. No records.
(6) Nelly. No records.
(7) Basil. No records.

5. James K., m., and had 3 wives—Ann Campbell, Mary Gibson, Eliza Vance. No records.
Issue of Jas. K. Gibson and wives Mary Gibson and Eliza Vance:

Issue of Mary Gibson:

a. Amelia, b.—, d. unm. No records.

b. Eliza, b.—, m. Thos. White.

Issue:

1872. No records.

(1) Margaret, b.—, m. Mr. Wilmer. No records.

(2) Mary, b.—. No records.

(3) James G., b.—, deceased. No records.

(4) Elise, b.—. No records.

(5) Sarah, b.—. No records.

(6) Thomas, b.—. No records.

(7) Gilbert, b.—. No records.

Issue of Eliza Vance:

c. Ann died unm. No records.

d. Chas. C., m. Eugenia Preston. No records.

e. Sarah, died in childhood.


Issue:


7. Louisa C., m. Mr. Lotspeich. No records.

Issue:

a. John W., b.—. No records.

8. David H., m. Miss Bassan.

Issue:

a. Sally, b.—. No record.

b. Mary, b.—. No record.

c. Frank, b.—. No record.

Fifty-five
VIII. Nancy, b. Nov. 30, 1779, unm., d. yng. No records.
X. Elizabeth, b. Apr. 16, 1783, unm.
XI. George, b. May 14, 1784, d. unm. No record.
XII. Seventh son, b. June 7, 1785.
XIII. William Polk, b. Oct. 27, 1788, d. unm. No record.