

25 1630 1635 1640 1645 1650 1655 1660 1665 1670 1675 1680

Aug 7, 1635
William Bowler Age 14
London to Virginia Colony
on ship "GLOBE".

ca 1642 Wm Bouwars
born England M Eliz
Harper Sons in
Essex John 1676-1714 + W Susan Wm
William's 1660

Thomas Bowler
Living in Yorktown

Thomas Bowler
to Va
Rappahannock River

Thomas B -
Member
1674

1675
Sand Wm
James Bowler

July 2, 1679
THOMAS B.
SON

③ ①
1662 Deed Same to
Thomas Bowler

1644 - 1719 James M Bray
Children 1673 - 1675 Benjamin S. 1674

"1653 Lancaster County
indebted to John Bouwars
on 1/2 Burgessess £9-1-8"

ca 1677-1760 M
M Tracy?
C-10-Kredel the

ca 1678-1714

Sand patent 1,400 acres to
Thomas Bowler (Bouwars)
Two miles above Portobago
Indian town. From
Sir William Berkeley.

⑥

will of Wm
Bray (1714) 1673

(X)
1678-1679 =

#Ca 1644 James Bowler
Essex w Margory Bray

⑧

ca 1677 Mark Bouwars
born F James
m Margory G

1673 Elis
James

ca 1644 Wm Bowler
Essex

Wm brought land
with brother James

④

1680 Sarah
Susan Willis
1675 John Bowler
1680

1634 HENRICO ORIG. SHIRE
Richmond

This is a copy of my work I
did not plan to share it with
anyone but some of the details
be of interest to others.
I collected so many bits
information in tracking
Stark & William from Ed
Va. to Rowan Co. No. Car. and
to Kentucky. I hope it do
not make the other deta
less interesting. When an
gets too congested I exp
it on another work sheet to
year intervals. After en
detail the picture begins to
although never as clear a
would like.

Jim Bowler
Memphis
19

Will Essex
John 1714 James 1718

Benjamin
1727 Caroline

1680 1685 1690 1695 1700 1705 1710 1715 1720 1725

July 2, will prob
1679 DIED
THOMAS (BOWLER)
SON - JAMES → Home Bowler's Wharf
Drs - ELIZABETH
ANN
TABITHA Edlow { F. to W.
1618

The House is
BOWLERS owned
by Bob Neale
The place is
Bowler's Wharf, Va. 22560

1656
X S. Cooper per Ann
his wife, widow
of John Bowler
Saw. B-'s estate

X
1713 John B. + John W. mrs
1714 Bowler
Storehouse on Rappa

1706 Mark
1714 John M. S. Williams

Ca 1684 - 1728
Benjamin M. mrs
M. D. W. m. Gray

JAMIG
1727
Benjamin
died Dec
+ Eliza

1690 Sarah
1684 Benjamin
1686 John
1689 William

Susan Williams
1678 John Born
1680 William Born

1684 Benjamin + ANN Bowler

1706 John Born
1708 Mary Born + Casper

1711 Son James born
1714 Son
1717 John Born (w. Mary)
1720 Benjamin Born (w. Eliza Pitts)
1723 Margaret (H. Cobb Elliott) in 1726 - RACHEL (H.)
1712 Wm mrs Mary Muscoe
b. ca 1718
1713 Will Date
13 Dec 1713
1719 James Died
1717 Susan Born
1714 John Died
1718 - 1720 #8/18/17

1720 John Born
1722 Eliza Born m. Thomas Bond
1724 Ann Born m. James
1726 Margaret
Will Date 1728
17 Nov 1726

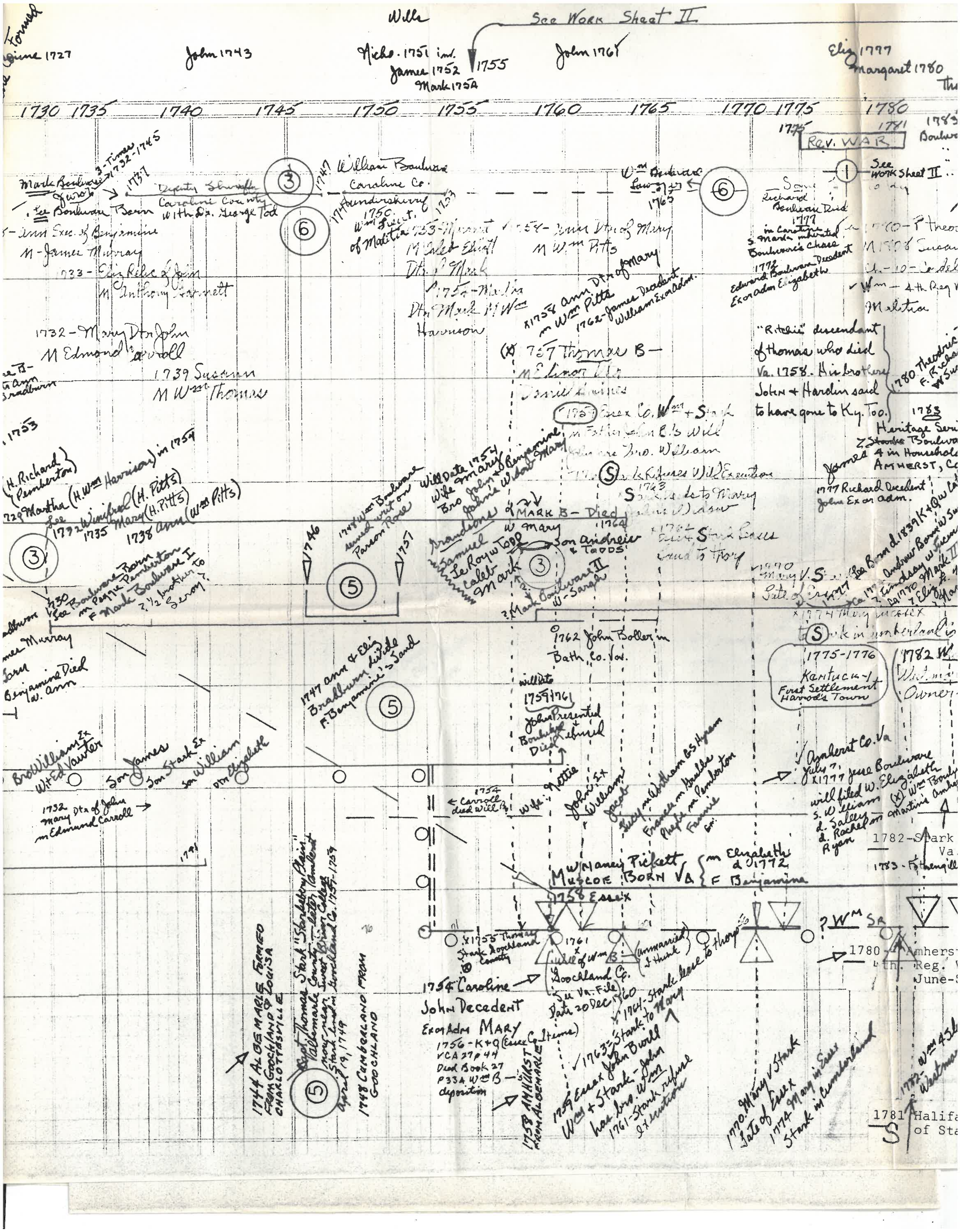
Essex
John + Mary

at least 5 Daughters was on my Pts. Too?
Elizabeth m. Bennett
Tabitha m. Edward Rousseau
Sarah m. Jones
Frances m. Sini
Jane

(5)
Note #357
1692 ESSEX FORMED FROM
OLD RAPPAHANNOCK ABOLISHED
TAPPAHANNOCK

1727 GOOCH AND COMPANY
FROM HENRICO

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we it with
the detail may
w.
my bits of
tracking my
from Essex Co,
to Car. and they
hope it does
other detail
When an area
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sheet to one
After enough
begins to appear,
as clear as we
in Boulware
Memphis
1978



1777

Margaret 1780

WORK SHEET # I

Thomas 1785

Washington Younger 1791

Adams

Jefferson

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Monroe

Adams 1828

1780

1785

1790

1795

1800

1805

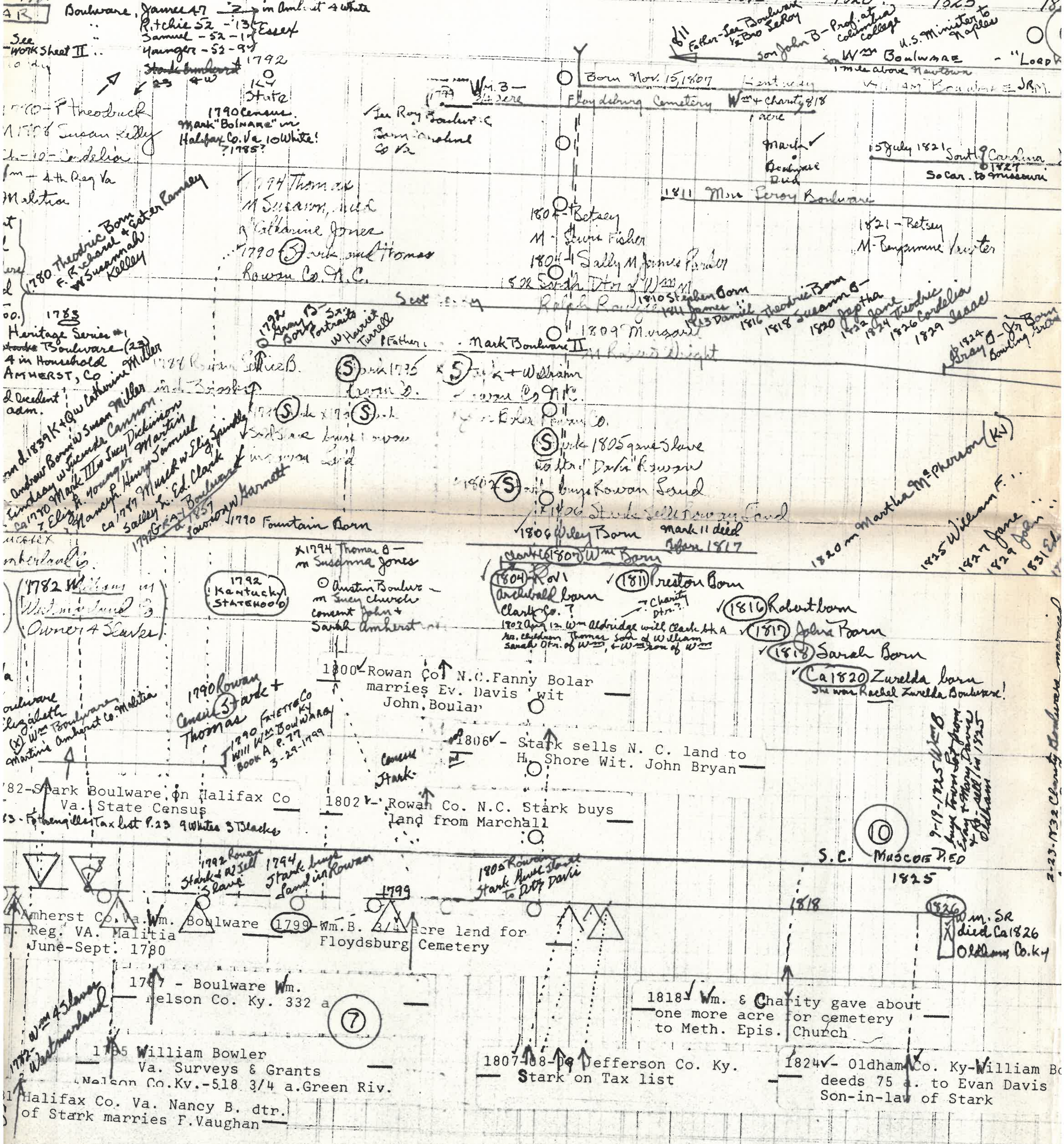
1810

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1820

1825

1828



See WORK SHEET II

1780 - Theodore

1780 - Susan Kelly

1780 - Theodric Born

1785 - Heritage Series

1788 - Andrew Born

1790 - Mark III

1792 - Stark

1792 - Kentucky STATEHOOD

1799 - Rowan Co. N.C.

1800 - Rowan Co. N.C.

1802 - Rowan Co. N.C.

1806 - Stark

1807-1808 - Jefferson Co. Ky.

1818 - Wm. & Charity

1824 - Oldham Co. Ky.

1825 - S.C. Muscotte

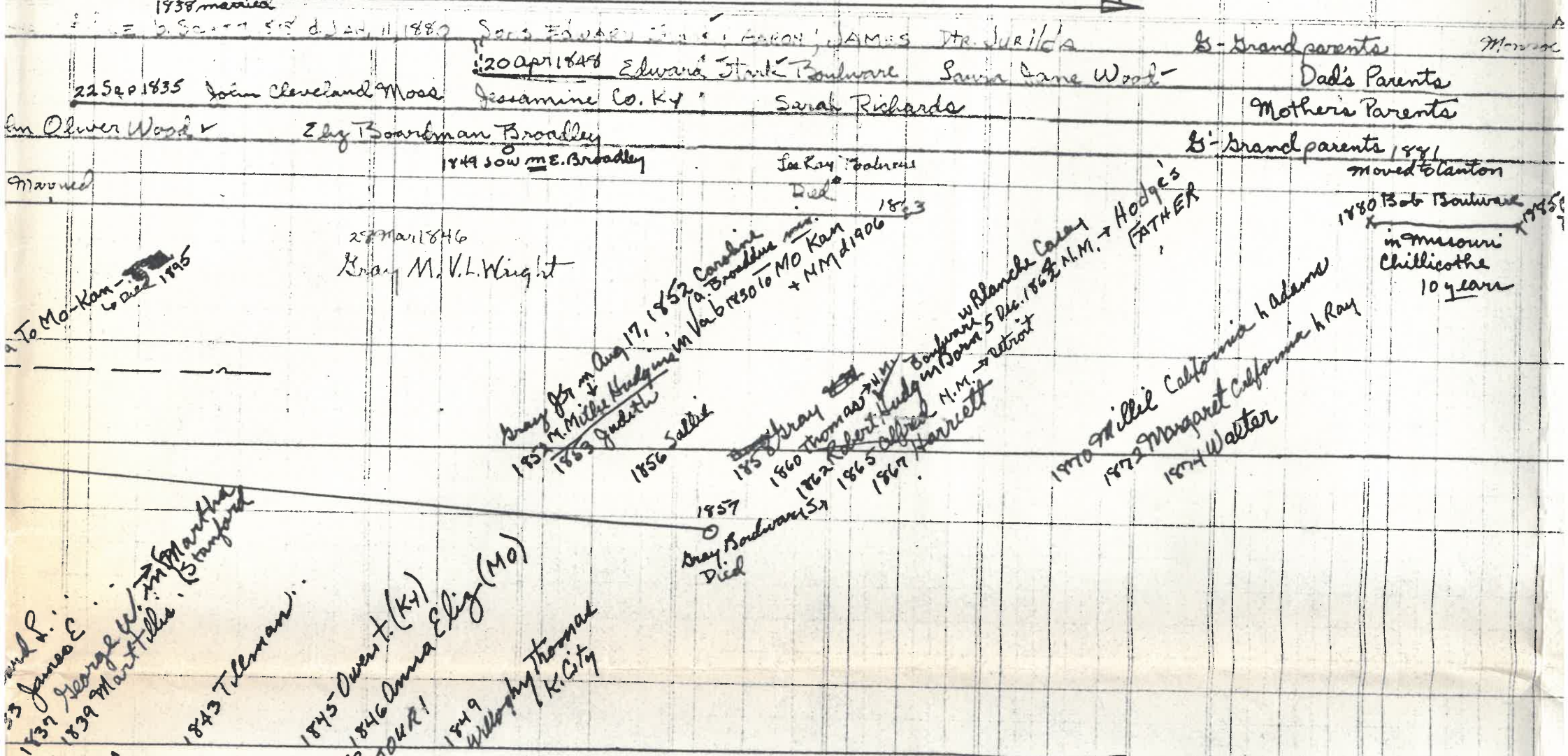
1828 - Adams

ackson O Van Buren ^{Harrison} O Tyler O Polk ^{Taylor} O Filmore O Pierce O Buchanan O Lincoln O

1835 1840 1845 1850 1855 1860 1865 1870 1875 1880 1885

1861 1865
Civil WAR

Travlers Rest - K+Q -



James M. Dickman
1829 - Oct 5 John, Abby, William
Robert + Carston - L to A. D. Crow
1833 - Oct 5 w. w. and 195 acres to
John Wiley 1833 + Robert - by J. S.
of Mary Barbara and Oldham
1839 Oct 4 W. to John Conyer

1843 Tillman
1845 Owen t. (Ky)
1846 Anna Eliza (Mo)
1849 W. to Thomas
K. City
TO MISSOURI
1844 Church buys lot in Floydburg

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1839 Lagan Bolware died Ralls Co.
Christian Co. Ky.

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1855 1860 1865 1870 1875 1880 1885 1890 1895 1900

1861
Civil WAR

JAMES E. BOULWARE
3097 Woodhills Drive
Memphis Tennessee 38128

Edward Stark Boulware Sarah Jane Wood-
mine Co. Ky Sarah Richards

Grandparents
Dad's Parents
Mother's Parents

Edley
E. Bradley

See Ray Boulware
Dad

Grandparents 1841
moved to Canton

1880 Bob Boulware
in Missouri
Chillicothe
10 years

MAY 12
MAY 12
To Lawrence
Kansas
5 years
to Al M
Tammant
Sierra County

1857
1856 Sallie
1858
1860 Thomas
1862 Robert
1865
1867 Harriet

Blanche Casey
5 Dec. 1862 N.M.
Hodges
FATHER

1870 Millie California h Adams
1872 Margaret California h Ray
1874 Walter

Ray Boulware
d. Lawrence Kansas
1895
W. Millie Hudgin
d 1906 N.M.

Thomas
K City

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Co.

BOULWARE - BOLWARE - BOLLAR - BOWLAR - BOWLER

This is a very interesting book about our family [1]. A section of the book records early wills of the Bowler family in England during the period 1600-1700. Here is the introduction to the Bowler section.

"BOWLER - BOULWARE

In 1666 James BOULWARE was granted nearly 800 acres of land in Rappahannock County, later Essex County, Virginia, in partnership with his brother, William. The name of this family has caused investigators considerable confusion, and for a long time those spelling the name BOWLER were thought to be of a different family from those spelling it BOULWARE. However, two versions of the SAME deed were found in the records of the Essex and Old Rappahannock courts dating from February 1688/9 which have identical wording, though variable spelling. In the Essex County version William BOWLER, William BOLWARE and Mr. James BOWLER are concerned in the transfer of land to one Timothy Davis, whereas in the Old Rappahannock version the names are given as William BOULWARE, William BOWLWARE and James BOWLWARE.

Some six years later, in September 1672, in York County, Virginia records containing a copy of the deed granting Sarah BOWLER, widow of John BOWLER, citizen and Merchant Taylor of London, the administration of the estate of her son, John BOWLER, of York River, Virginia. The Merchant Taylor was the son of William BOWLER of Princes Risborough, Buckinghamshire, and he was apprenticed in 1632. It is not certain when he was born, but he married Sarah WEBB, daughter of Davy WEBB, in the church of St. Nicholas Acons, London, on 25 April 1642. They had six children: Sarah, John, the emigrant (1644/5-1672), May, William, Ann and Nathaniel."

1. ENGLISH WILLS OF COLONIAL FAMILIES by Noel Currer-Briggs, Polyanthos, Cottonport, England 1972.

Our ancestor was STARK BOULWARE, and I found a copy of a document by Mary BOULWARE where all the persons identified in the document, who's names were all spelled BOWLER, and when the document was executed and indexed it was BOULWARE and BOULWARE TO BOULWARE (Release). Here is the document:

"Essex COUNTY, VA (Deed Book 31,Page 194, 1772-1780) KNOW ALL MEN by these presents that I Mary BOWLER of Essex County for and in consideration of the sum of sixty pounds current money in hand paid...by Stark BOWLER of the county of Cumberland hath given granted bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents do give grant bargain sell and confirm unto the said Stark BOWLER his heirs and assigns all my dower and right title and interest of dower in the lands whereof my late husband John BOWLER died seized and by him devised to his sons the said Stark BOWLER and William BOWLER and I do hereby for myself my heirs executors and administrators release...and finally...and absolutely discharge the said Stark BOWLER his heirs and assigns and all and every other person or persons whatsoever from all claims and demands which I my have or might pretend for what is or may be discharged on account of any former agreement or agreements aforementioned ...by me with the said Stark BOWLER or William BOWLER or any other person or persons for on account of the dower aforesaid IN WITNESS whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13 day of April 1774.

Mary BOULWARE "seal"

Sealed and delivered in the presence of:

Thomas Ayres, John Ayres, Wm.Cavanaugh

The document is indexed,"BOULWARE TO BOULWARE" "Release".

Please note the dates of these documents! The first is 1666, then 1672 then 1774, they are separated by over 100 years! These were the early days of the Virginia Colony, what is now Williamsburg was the scattered settlement of Middle Plantation. Jamestown remained the capital of the Virginia Colony until 1699 when the settlement was given the name Williamsburg and became the capital of the colony.

The recording magistrates either did not know, or did not care, how people spelled their names, and most of the spelling was PHONETIC [2].

In Virginia there are about a hundred names that are spelled one way and called another. [3] Boulware is one of the names. Some family names are NEVER pronounced the way they are spelled!...Boulware is one of these too!

The early Boulware family name (pronounced Bowler in Virginia) was, like numerous other Virginia family names, spelled in several different ways and as Boulware and Bowler is written through many early Virginia records. [4]

Thomas Bowler one of the earliest of the family to voyage to the Virginia Colony came from England in 1658 with Colonel Read, having no doubt made the visit previously...1653?...1644?. Thomas Bowler settled on the Rappahannock river and in 1670 he was commissioned a member of the colonial council. It was he who built the house and wharf which is now known as Bowler's Wharf, Va...now Essex County about 12 miles below Tappahannock, Va. [5] [6] At Bowlers Wharf there was a ferry across the estuary of the Rappahannock River (tide about 2 1/2 to 3 feet) and it was here that George Washington recorded the dates and times he crossed on the ferry at Bowler's on his way to Williamsburg.

As a young boy I [7]grew up [8]where everyone pronounced our name BOWLER. When I went to school the teacher asked me the correct way to pronounce our name...so I asked my Dad[9]. He said BOWLER was correct. I asked him why and he said it was because that was the way the name was spelled many years ago. I asked him where it was the name was spelled BOWLER and he

2. Colonial Caroline by T. E. Campbell, Dietz Press 1954
3. Word-Book of Virginia Folk-Speech by B. W. Green, Richmond, Va., Pub. Wm. Ellis Jones 1899.
4. The Todds of Virginia, by Rubey, Stacy & Collins, Artcraft Press 1960.
5. Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, 7V219-220, Vol. #4
6. Virginia Historical Magazine, Vol. #5
7. J. E. Boulware, 3097 Woodhills Drive, Memphis, Tenn. 38128
8. Perry, Ralls County, Missouri
9. J. E. Boulware Sr. 1879-1942

said,"Tidewater Virginia". I asked him why the spelling was changed but he did not know. Dad gave me oral history that had been passed along for eight generations in the family.

1755 1756 1757 1758 1759 1760 1761 1762 1763 1764 1765 1766 1767 1768 1769 1770 1771 1772 1773

1759 - ESSEX CO. VA. in will of his Father John of Mary
Stark, James, William + Elizabeth
1761 - ESSEX CO. VA. Refused execution of Father's will
1763 - Essex, Va. Deeded land by Mary, John's widow
1764 - Essex, Va. - Same land to Frances Thorpe
1770 Essex, Va. - Mary v. Stark "State of Essex, Co."

STARK

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WILLIAM

1762 Bath Co. Va. John Bolter

1764 Mark Buchanan Deed

1756 1757 1758 1759 1760 1761 1762 1763 1764 1765 1766 1767 1768 1769 1770 1771 1772 1773 1774 1775 1776

1759 - ESSEX CO. VA. in will of his Father John & Mary Stark, James, William & Elizabeth

1761 - ESSEX CO. VA. Reference to Father's will

1763 - Essex, Va. Deeded land by Mary, John's widow

1764 - Essex, Va. - Same land to Frances Thorp

1770 - ESSEX, VA. - MARY V. STARK "State of Essex, Co."

1774 - Mary in Essex deeded land to 5th Cumberland, Co. Va.

ARK

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LIAM

1775-1776
Kentucky
First Settlement
Harrods Town

1762 Bath Co. Va. John Bollin

1764 Mark Buchanan Deed

1777 1778 1779 1780 1781 1782 1783 1784 1785 1786 1787 1788 1789 1790 1791 1792 1793 1794 1795 1796

Revolutionary WAR



1777 Amherst Co. Va. Will James Boulware
W. Elizabeth Son William Dn. Shelby

1780 Sand Entry William Boulware 332a
Other Creek

1781 - William Martin's Amherst Co. Maltia

1782 - William - Westmorland Co. 4 Slaves

1783 Sand Entry 333a Pantley Green - Wm. D.

1785 - Amherst Co. Va. James Boulware
4 White 10 Slave Census

1787

1785 Va. Sand Grant 518 1/2 acres to
William Bowler Green River Ky.

1787- Va. Sand Grant 332a Wm Boulware
Melton Co. Ky.

1790 Census Mont BOWARE "10 White Souls
Halifax also Frederick Vaughan

1792 Shelby Formed
From JEFFERSON

1780 Jefferson County Formed from
Kentucky County Virginia

1788 Feb 24 Justice Boleware
Marriage Bond Humphrey Crooks

1790 Fountain Born

1792 Shelby Co Ky created
Floydburg area included from
Jefferson County

1781 - Daughter Nancy married Frederick Vaughan
in HALIFAX Co. VA.

1782 - Halifax Co Va Census 9 White 3 Blacks

1783 - Halifax Co Va. Census 9 White 3 Blacks

1784

1788

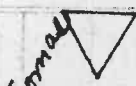
1790 - Census
Junk Bolewar 9 White 9 Male over 16
Females
90 Slaves
in Census
Thomas Bolewar 4 White 7 Male under 16
3 White Females
5 Slaves

1792 - Rowan - Sold slave to Philip Hains

1794 Rowan - Deeded land by Henry Miller

1795 Rowan - Witness Will of Jacob Tanner

First Census
of U.S.A.
1790



1792
Kentucky Statehood



WORK SHEET II

1798	1800	1802	1805	1808	1811	1814	1815	1816
1799	1801	1803	1804	1806	1809	1810	1812	1813
1798 - Henry County Created from Shelby Co.	1800 Rowan Jn Census with John Bollar 1800 BOLLER	1802 Rowan Co. N.C. - Deeded land by F.M. Marshall	1805 - Rowan, N.C. deeded slave to Son in law Evan Davis - Witness Fountain Bullock	1808	1810			
1799 gift 3/4 acre to establish Floy deabus Cemetery (Shelby Co.)	1801 Nov. 5 John Boulware marriage bond Chy. Sparks		1806 - Rowan, N.C. - Deeded land to Henry Shore Wits. John Bryan & Walter Ellis.	1809				
Archibald Low Clerk 1804 Co. Ky.			1807 Jefferson Co. Ky - Tax list					
Wiley born 1806			1808					
William (son) born 1807			1809					
Robert born 1810			1810					
John born 1811			1810 - Franklyn Co. Census - 94 insular (one Theodore) 1-Boy under 10 1-Youngster under 10 10-16 1-18-26 2 white females over 45					
Sarah			1810 - Jefferson Co. Census 1- white male under 10 10-16 1-18-26 26 to 45 yrs age 1- female 26 to 45 yrs					
			1812 - Fountain Bulware first listed on Jeff. Co. Ky. Tax List					

1811 1812 1813 1814 1815 1816 1817 1818 1819 1820 1821 1822 1823 1824 1825 1826 1827 1828



10-10 2 Whit Fambles 10/4/45
18-26
Newark over 45

10-10 under 10
10-16
Females 26 to 45 yrs age
26 to 75

over 1811

1812 - Fountain Bowls are first listed on Jeff. Co. Ky. Tax List

Robert born 1810
John born 1817
Sarah born 1818

Rachel Zwickler ca 1820 born

1819 William Bowls are Married Cynthia Rowles back Dr. of Daniel 1821-1819

1823 Oldham Formed from Henry, Shelby & Jefferson

1818 - Oldham, Ky. W. W. + Charity one more acre to Meth. Ep. Church.

1820 Jefferson Co. created

1823 Oldham Co. created including Floydburg area from Shelby.

1824 Oldham Co. 7000 Ac
1824-7 Deeded Oldham Co. Ky land
1825-75 a. to Evan Davis son-in-law of Starks

ca 1826 - Wm Bowls are (Sr) died Oldham Co. Ky buried Westwood Cemetery Floydburg

- Historical The Di
- + Elias Bo
- Mark Bo
- Obadiah Bo
- o Samuel B
- Thomas B
- Obediah
- o Samuel
- + Elias Bo
- Hughes B
- ✓ Mark Bo
- Musco Bo
- Obediah
- Pitman
- o Samuel
- o Silas T.
- o Willia
- o Samuel
- o Obedia
- o Willia

1822
 1823
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 1828

1823 Oldham Co. created including
 Floydburg area from Shelby.

1824 Oldham Co. formed from
 Henry, Shelby & Jefferson

Ca 1826 - Wm Boulware (Sr) died
 Oldham Co. Ky buried
 Chestwood Cemetery
 Floydburg

① Historical Register of Virginians in The Revolution by John H. Garthney
 The Dietz Press, Richmond, Va. 1938

- + Elias Boulware, Essex ref. 1780
- * Mark Boulware, Second Virginia Regiment, Continental Line
- * Obadiah Boulware, 1st Lieut, Essex May 1781, rec. Ensign 1776
- o Samuel Boulware, Rev. Records Virginia State Archives
- Thomas Boulware, 1st Lieut. Capt. T. Hawkins Co. May 21, 1781, Essex rec. Ensign 1778
- * Obediah Bowler (Bowler) Drummer, 2 Va. State Reg.
- o Samuel Bowlar (Bowler), 2 Va. State Reg.
- + Elias Bowler, War Dept. Record
- Hughes Bowler, Rev. Records Va State Archives
- * Mark Bowler (Boulware) Second Va. Regiment Continental Line
- Musco Bowler, Rev. Records Va State Archives, Richmond, Va.
- * Obediah Bowler, Drummer, 2 Va. State Reg.
- Pitman Bowler, War Dept. Record
- o Samuel Bowler, 2 Va State Reg.
- + Silas Bowler, Pvt., War Dept. Record
- o William Bowler, 1 Light Dragoons
- o Samuel Bowleware (Bowler) 2 Va State Reg.
- * Obediah Bowlor, Rev. Records Va. State Archives
- o William Bowlor, Rev. Records Va. State Archives.

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