

Faure

Faure

Letts family

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Reg. 52

- Vital Records

976. 981

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Deeds.

John G. Faure - Jefferson Co. in

(Andover) 1840.

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742 N. Clementine St.,  
Anaheim, Ca. 92805  
Sept. 5, 1976

The Filson Club  
118 West Breckinridge St.,  
Louisville, Kentucky 40203

Gentlemen:

In September 1975, my husband and I had occasion to spend an afternoon in your Library. We found a file containing Lydia Posey Brown's Family Tradition - FAURE/FORE/FOREE. After we returned to our home, I sent a line of descent which I had copied from a Foree Family Bible (1797) and asked that it be placed in the same file. Now with the help of Mrs. Paul V. Rutherford, Frankfort, Kentucky and many others, I have been able to make the chart a little more complete.

Will you please remove and destroy the first one I sent and substitute the new one which I enclose along with this letter.

Thank you very much.

Cordially

*Anna Brandon*  
Mrs. Chas. Ronald Brandon



Fore  
Fore Family  
RECORDED  
MAY 23 1940  
MAY 20 1940

The Filson Club  
Louisville  
Kentucky

Fore Family

December 27, 1940

Mrs. W. G. Cable,  
105 West St. Clair St.,  
Warren, Penn.

Dear Mrs. Cable:

I am sorry your letter of May 20th has not been answered, but we do not have the staff to make genealogical searches. The following do this work commercially:

- Mrs. George Nicholas, 2023 Cherokee Parkway, Louisville, Ky.,
- Mrs. Eugene H. Ray, Weissinger Gaubert, Louisville, Ky.,
- Miss. Hattie Scott, Shelby St., Frankfort, Ky.

I suggest that you write to one of them.

I did, however, make some search and find nothing to help. In the Register of the Kentucky State Historical Society, Frankfort, Ky., Vol. 36, in article "The Chiles and Allied Families, where John B. Ferguson married Mildred Marshall Wright August 30, 1808 and the 6th child mentioned married Thomas Foree.

In the "William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine Vol. 11, (1902-3) in an article "Marriage Bonds in Prince Edward County Clerk's Office, at Farmville, Va. from 1780 to 1850", I find Peter Fore and Mary Woodson, Aug. 18, 1788 married.

Regretting I cannot give you real assistance, I am,

Yours very truly,

Ludie J. Kinkead, Grator

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at his home near...  
Pennsylvania...  
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Fore<sup>or</sup>

Fore Fair  
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The Filson Club,  
Louisville,  
Kentucky.

Dear Friends -

I wonder if you  
can give me any clues to the  
Fore family. My great-great-grand-  
mother was Keziah Fore of Kentucky.  
She, with her brothers and sisters, were  
captured by the Indians and taken  
to Detroit. A sister, Judith, was slain  
by the Indians. Keziah was later  
taken from Detroit to Montreal, where  
she met and married Joseph Wyckoff,  
who had been captured by the Indians  
at his home near Williamsport, Penn-  
sylvania. Joseph and Keziah were mar-  
ried by Father De Kile. Tradition has  
it that Keziah went back to Kentucky  
to visit in later years. Also, there is  
preserved, a letter, which she received



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Not in Clark Co. marriage  
to Boyle

her older brother Peter.  
There were, apparently, six children, as  
another daughter married a General  
Smith, and two other brothers, Joseph  
and Jesse, are named.

Keyiah Force was a cousin of  
President Thomas Jefferson. The Force  
family had recently come from Virginia,  
and had settled near Louisville, at  
Boones Station, or Fort.

The mother of the family had died  
before the Indians came. The father  
left the children in the fort when he  
went to fight the Indians. Whether he  
was killed when the Indians attacked  
the fort, I do not remember ever hearing  
our old Auntie tell.

However, the brother got back to Ken-  
tucky, and you may know of some  
one to whom I might write.  
I shall be very grateful for any  
help that you may give me.  
Very truly yours  
Myrtle Owenable  
(Mrs. W. G. Cable)

Large file  
Foree  
family  
see  
E. Byrne

15 James St.  
Mill Valley, Calif.

Sept. 11, 1964

Dear Mrs. Cullen:

Thank you so much for your letter. The Foree's settled in Andrew Co., Missouri. William later lived in Clay Co. I am trying to find out more than

November 3, 1964

You mentioned the fact that it would be a tedious search. I have written to every county in Kentucky. The only Foree I found was a Joseph P. Foree who was married in Lewis <sup>Mrs. D. Byrne</sup> there was an Eliz. Allen marriage to --- <sup>175 James Street</sup> Haven't been able to learn the <sup>Mill Valley, California</sup> name.

Dear Mrs. Byrne:

I was also looking <sup>of Lowry and Hollies</sup> families. Found a great many Lowry marriage records <sup>of the</sup> The historic home of Peter Foree was built by him more than one hundred and forty years ago. It is located, as I have explained, in Henry County, Kentucky. In History of Henry County there is a brief account of Mr. Alfred Foree who lived in the old home. He died a short while ago. It is said that his great-great-grandfather, Archibald Foree was massacred by Indians in Bourbon Co., Ky. At the time I wrote he and his family were coming from North Carolina as names of Albert Ewas he and his family were held captives by them to be Susan <sup>s</sup> Kentucky. Seven of his children were held captives by he was the oldest <sup>savages</sup> three or four years. The Foree family came from around 1828 or <sup>France</sup> to America about 1689.

I found a John Lowry I suggest that you write Mrs. Elmer Foree, Eminence, Kentucky with Wm. W. Warkentley. She was a Miss Foree and married her cousin. I hope she may be able to furnish you with some very helpful information about the Foree family. But, have noticed in this <sup>marriages had</sup> bondsman. Can you explain this to me?

I received a great many letters from professional genealogists when writing to Ky. <sup>Sincerely,</sup> I can't afford to do it that way, so will have to continue with my hard work. Any help you can give me would be greatly appreciated. By the way, were there any Foree settlements in Ky. William Foree's parents <sup>(Mrs.) Dorothy Thomas Cullen</sup> supposedly came from <sup>Curator and Librarian</sup> Alsace-Lorraine <sup>she</sup> never learned to speak English.

P.S. Kentucky Tax Lists will be found at the Kentucky Historical Society, Frankfort, Kentucky.

*Gillian Byrne*

Kentucky Historical Society

175 James St.  
Mill Valley, Calif.

Sept. 11, 1964

Dear Mrs. Cullen:

Thank you so much for your letter. The Fore's settled in Andrew Co., Missouri. William later lived in Clay Co. I am trying to find out more there.

You mentioned the fact that it would be a tedious search. I have written to every county in Kentucky. The only Foree I found was a Joseph P. Foree who was married in Lewis County. There was an Eliz. Allen marriage to ----- in Fleming County. Haven't been able to learn the reason for the blank.

I was also looking for records of Lowry and Bolles families. Found a great many Lowry's but not the marriage record of Sindanilla Breedlove and Thomas Lowry. They were both born in 1800 so it would have been not before 1818.

Also, found many Bolles families but not the right one yet. Have found the name spelled Bowles, Boulees, Bowls. At the time I wrote to the counties did not have the names of Albert Ewing Bolles parents. Have since found them to be Susan and R.T. He was born in 1830 and believe he was the oldest child, so they were probably married around 1828 or 29.

I found a John Lowry who was married in 1817 in Greenup county with Wm. Warnock as Bondsman. This has puzzled me, thought it meant he was an indentured servant. But, have noticed in things I've read, many marriages had bondsman. Can you explain this to me?

I received a great many letters from professional genealogists when writing to Ky. However, I can't afford to do it that way, so will have to continue with my hard work. Any help you can give me would be greatly appreciated. By the way, were there any French settlements in Ky. William Fore's parents or grandparents supposedly came from Alscae-Lorraine with Lafayette, she never learned to speak English.

Sincerely,

Ellen Beysne

Society



Sept. 25, 1964.

Dear Mrs. Cullen:

Please excuse the paper. It's a little hard on the eyes.

I believe I may finally be on the right track with the Foree family.

Any Foree families I have found before were descendants of the early Huguenats who came in 1700 & earlier.

I read in a Missouri biography that the Peter Foree you wrote me about was born in Ky. & his parents born in France.

What I've been looking for is a record of Wm. M. Foree's grandparents who come from Alsace-Lorraine. They supposedly came with Lafayette at the age of 16, & he was Lafayette's drummer boy or fife player.

On some records I've found  
Wm. Jaree's birthplace as  
Ga, one census record said  
No. Carolina

However, I'm sure it was  
in Ky. he married Eliz.  
Allen 1845 - 1849. They didn't  
go to Missourie until after  
1850.

Do you have any biographies  
on Peter Jaree of Henry County  
that would tell something  
about his parents?

I have written to the  
Counties again as you  
suggested.

I hope Shelby County is  
not one of the places where  
the Court house burned.  
We'll be looking forward  
to hearing from you.

Mrs. D. Byrne  
175 James St.  
Mill Valley  
Calif.



Oct. 23, 1964

Dear Mrs Cullen,

I haven't learned anything new on the Fore-Allen Marriage.

However I did find the marriage record of Thomas Lowry & Cinderella Breedlove Aug 27, 1820 in Warren Co, Ky. I am hoping I can find some records of wills or census records which will help me find the names of their parents. Do you have tax lists for 1820? As I know. Neither of them were in Ky in 1800.

Also have found definitely that Albert Baller & his brothers



were born in Simpson Co.  
That is one Court house  
that burned. His parents  
were R. T. + Susan. Have  
found the name spelled  
Bowles + Boules, as  
well as the present Bolles.  
If you can help me  
with this would  
appreciate it very much.

Sincerely  
Mrs. D. Byrne  
175 Jones St  
Mill Valley  
Calif.

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Mary S. Fore - Harrod - 1842  
Creek

Fore

The Filson Historical Society

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COUNTY OF  
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 Jolley Frederick  
 Jolley Peter John Joseph 565  
 208  
 Jolley John

Joe Force

State of Kentucky

At a County Court held for Jefferson County at the Court house in the City of Louisville on the fourteenth day of June 1841 the foregoing List of Sales of the Estate of Bernard McLaugh dec<sup>d</sup> was returned to Court, examined, approved of, and ordered to be recorded, and is recorded in my Office as Clerk of said County.

Attest Curran Pope clk -

Force O.G. Jury Grand Juror

Commonwealth of Kentucky } Jefferson County } Feb

In full Term Aug 10<sup>th</sup> 1840

Ordered that Jacob Doney, Jacob Hite, John Williamson and Lewis Doney or any three of them being first duly sworn do appraise the Slaves, if any, and personal Estate of Peter G. Force dec<sup>d</sup> and report to Court.

Copy Book Curran Pope & K

Jefferson County Kentucky Feb

This day the within named Jacob Hite, John Williamson, and Lewis D. Doney personally appeared before the undersigned a Justice of the Peace for said County and made oath that they would well and truly appraise the Slaves and Personal Estate of P. G. Force dec<sup>d</sup> and report to Court -

Given under my hand this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Sept 1840 and 49<sup>th</sup> year of the Commonwealth

Wm R. Vance J.P. &c.

Inventory and Appraisement of the Personal Estate of Doct Peter G. Force dec<sup>d</sup> Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> 1840

one China Bureau	12	10
8 scroll back Window Chairs	12	17
12 Pair half round Tables	5	00
1 Small Mand with leaves & drawers	1	01
5 Wares (w one lot)	1	50
6 bed bolth covers	4	75
3 Window Curtains (in Parlour)	1	50
1 Home made Bearskin do	5	00
1 Bedstead Bed furniture	24	50
1 do do	31	75
1 Old Side Board	2	07
1 Set Col <sup>d</sup> Coverlets, 1 quilt bed Curtains	23	01
3 White Cotton Coverlets	9	75
9 Shubs	1	50
1 Lot Table cloths	2	51
2 span Cotton Pillow Cases		50
1 Toilet Table Cover looking Glass Wash	2	75
1 Wash Mand Bed & Pillow	3	75
4 Window Blinds (over Parlour)		50

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- 5 Dutch Pickles
  - 1 Large Trunk
  - Kitchen furniture
  - 2 Stone Sugs
  - 1 Whinn Hand keg
  - 1 pair Steelyard
  - 1 Bedstead in dining room
  - 1 Breakfast table
  - 1 Yankee Mantle clock
  - 8 Windsor chairs
  - 1 Lot Split Bottom wattle chairs (6 in number)
  - 1 High post Bedstead & Trundle Bed furniture
  - 1 Shot gun
  - 3 Ladies Window curtains (in dining room)
  - 1 Old quilt frame & Looking glass
  - 1 pair Shovel & Tongues & 2 pair Pickers
- And carried over  
And Brought over
- 1 Red Tin Sugar box
  - 1 Secretary
  - 1 Lot Books
  - 1 Bedstead & furniture
  - 1 Walnut Sugar Chest
  - 3 Window Curtains
  - 1 Bedstead bed & furniture
  - 1 Old Stand & drawers (for Medicines)
  - 3 Old Trundles
  - 2 Old Rag Rags
  - Silver ware 6 table spoons 6 dessert 1 doz Tea 1 Soup 1 cream
  - 1 Lot of paper cupboards ware
  - 11 Lugs for milk
  - Case & bottles
  - Pitcher & tumbler etc
  - 1 Lot cupboards ware
  - Minors & forks
  - 1 Lot Old Irons &c under french Birch
  - 2 Scythes & scardles
  - 1 Scythe &c
  - 4 Shovel Ploughs
  - 6 Heavy ditto
  - 3 Small 1 Horse Hoes
  - 11 Working Hoes
  - 7 Old Axes
  - 3 Augers 1 Spade 1 Hoe & 3 Wedges
  - 15 Pickles
  - 1 Old Crop cut Saw
  - 1 New Cow Wagon (Old work for running gear)
  - 1 Log chain
  - 1 Old four Horse wagon
  - 1 Garden Plow
  - 1 Lot Breathing Pipe Straps &c

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Spinning Wheel & Reed  
 Lot of old Bards  
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 North Lorn &c  
 1 Hay Saddle  
 40 bags 1st choice  
 65 " ditto  
 1 Saddle horse (Billy Buck)  
 1 Bay mare Fanny Kember  
 1 " Fan  
 1 " Fox  
 1 " Nil  
 1 Yearling Black Jack colt  
 1 Dowl mare Margaret  
 1 Bay mare Nit  
 1.3 yr old Bay colt  
 Nitto  
 1. old. mares: Toby  
 1. 3. yr old Bay colt  
 1 " Nitto  
 1.2 " Black Sally  
 1 Mule  
 1 Sucking colt  
 1 Cow (Big Red) & calf  
 1 Cow & calf (Spotted)  
 1 Cow (old Cherry)  
 1 Cow (Brindle)  
 1 Cow (White) & calf  
 1 Cow (Harry) & calf  
 1 Cow & calf (White horn)  
 1 Cow & calf (Little Red)  
 1 Cow & calf (White back)  
 1 Cow & calf (Spotted)  
 1 Cow & calf (Red)  
 1 Brindle Bull

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7 Yearlings  
 1 White faced Spotted heifer  
 1 Red with white feet  
 1 3 Year old Stear  
 1 Yoke of oxen  
 1 Yoke of Oxen & cart  
 60 Sheep per head @ 1.25  
 1 Lot Flour  
 1 Bag feathers, lot of bags shacked  
 Sheep Shears Cards & tin pans





912: 43  
no 481

945-563

(Christea)  
(1860)  
Germany -  
168-8002  
Bill Brock

(Joe. L. Russell) (Artist)  
(1901)

(Speed Museum)

Gov. Hymes. (893-6611)

Fore

Will

Joseph Fore = Will BK II, page 174. (1835)

dau - Mary Coleman = m. Stephen Coleman

17 Dec. 1792  
in Prince  
Edward  
Co.

" - Elizabeth Beazley (Beazley M.)

of Buckingham Co.  
Aberam  
Beazley  
Prince Edward Co  
Va.

" - Phebe Ridgway

17 Dec. 1798

" - Ann Ridgway (deceased)

" - Martha Dittie = Abraham Dittie - Sept 1, 1808  
Shelby Co.

Son - Patrick

dau - Rebecca Lawson = wife of Richard P. Lawson  
m. Dec 19. 1819

dau - Virginia Reville

Son - Joshua = m. Narcissa T. Ogden b. (17 Nov. 1800)

(in Va)  
Prince  
Edward

gr-dau - Sarah Ridgway

gr-son - Joseph M. Fore (son of Joshua)

son - (Peter G. Fore) "not in case still"

gr-dau - Ann Swearingen

Son - John Fore = m. Jennie Ridgway Nov 26, 1806

Son - Thomas Jefferson Fore

Lucretia (5A 1-46)  
Joseph - 12A 1-39  
12A 4-185

Joseph Fore - Keziah Brackett June 24, 1803

in Shelby Co.  
(I believe is Joseph's)  
not Joseph's.

Prince Edward Co. Va.

Brunswick  
Amelia  
Currituck

(Prince Edward Co. Va.)  
Henrico  
Powhatan

Handwritten notes and numbers:  
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MRS. LYDIA POSEY was born in Henry County, Ky., a daughter of Jehn and Elizabeth (Themasen) Feree. Her father, a native of Virginia, came to Kentucky with his father in 1780, and was a soldier in the War of 1812. Her grandfather, Peter Feree, a native of Virginia, served for a short time during the Revolutionary War. Her grandmother was Sallie Pryer, of Virginia. Our subject received her education at the common schools, and was married in 1831 to William Bullard, a plain, unassuming farmer. Three children were born to this union: William, Reuben and James. Mr. Bullard died in 1846. In 1854 our subject married Phillip Slaughter, a native of Virginia, and an enterprising farmer, who died in 1855. Our subject's last marriage took place in 1860, with Thomas Posey, a native of Kentucky, and a farmer, who died in 1867. One child blessed this union, Sarah, who was united in marriage in 1883 with Thomas Brown, of Henry County. They have two children: Alpha and Beverly. Mrs. Posey owns 300 acres of improved land. She is a member of the Baptist Church of Shelbyville.

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Kentucky, a History of the State

W.H. Perrin      J.H. Battle      G.C. Kniffin

6th Edition

Louisville, Ky., Chicago, Ill.

1887

*I have another  
copy of these.  
Bess Jones*

an Henry County, Kentucky., December 1, 1817, a son of Peter and Nancy (Teel) Feree. Peter was born in North Carolina in 1783, married a Miss Sallie Pryer, engaged in agricultural pursuits all his life, and died in 1882, in his ninety-ninth year. He was in the War of 1812. His father, also named Peter, was a native of France. Mrs. Nancy Feree was born in Virginia, a daughter of William Teel. Our subject is one of a family of six children, but one living besides himself, Fannie Castleman. Mr. Feree married in 1848, Miss Annie Ball, of Henrt County, and three children blessed their union, but one living, Nannie. Mrs. Feree in 1852, and in 1874 he married Miss Lou Roberts, of Jessamine County, Ky., daughter of Rankin Roberts. Mr. Feree is considered one of the most extensive and successful farmers in the county, owns over 1,000 acres of land near New Castle, and is also engaged in stock raising. He is a gentleman of genial disposition, of varied information and fine business ability, and is held in high esteem by all who knew him.

JUDGE JOSEPH P. FOREE was born near Christiansburg, Shelby Co., Ky., March 26, 1820, the second son of William P. and Elizabeth J. (Majer) Feree, natives of North Carolina and Virginia. The Feree family was among the earliest settlers of America, having come from France about the year 1689, and the Majer family equally early in the country, were from England, where they were adherents of Charles I. Archibald Feree, the great grandfather of the Judge, was massacred by the Indians in Bourbon County, at a very early day in the settlement of Ky., and seven of his children held captives by the savages three or four years. Peter Feree, the Judge's grandfather, was a resident of Henry County, Ky. and was ninety-nine years of age at his death. (Additional biography on the Judge)

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Kentucky, a History of the State

W. H. BERTIN

J.H. BATTLE

1887

G.C. KNIFFIN



Came on Ships = Mary Ann & Massell

Widow Faure - came to Jamestown Va., July 31, 1700

Pierre / Peter Faure left  
(came on the) Elizabeth well, 1744  
- Massell son - John Rockland Co. Va.

2. Judith

1. Jacques - b. 1697 - died unmarried

2. Pierre - b. 1709/19 - d. 1780 - Va.

3. Daniel

4. Judith - m. John Leake

5. Mary - William Injua

Daniel Faure

Jean Faure

1st Judith Bengli

2nd Marie Gaudwin / Bodwin  
m. ca. 1742

Joseph - b. May 31, 1744

Peter G.

Lucretia Green

Force

The Filson Historical Society

Foree

Know all men by these presents that W<sup>m</sup>.  
Peter G. Foree & Richard White are held  
and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of  
Kentucky in the just and full sum of \$500.  
to the payment whereof well & truly to be made  
we bind ourselves our heirs & jointly & severally  
firmly by these presents sealed and dated this  
18<sup>th</sup> day of May 1816.

The condition of the above obligation is such  
that whereas marriage is shortly intended to be  
solemnized between the above bound Peter G.  
Foree and Elizabeth Dawson daughter of James  
Dawson of this County the said James  
appearing and consenting to the same.

Now should there be no just cause to  
obstruct the said marriage then the above  
obligation to be void Else to remain  
in full force & virtue

P. G. Foree

Richard White



maternal gr - sr - grand father George Bracket Bush  
 was Peter Jones of Henry Co. Ky.  
 M. Eliza Dawson - 1816 -

Foree

See page 3. Foree family -

Pierre Fore + Judith  
 b. 1695 - France  
 d. 1744 - Gouchland Va.

Peter Fore - Marie  
 d. 1780

1. Peter Fore  
 b. Nov 25 1745  
 d. 1843  
 son of Pierre Fore

Joseph Fore  
 b. 1744 Va.  
 d. in Ky 1835  
 Shelly Co. Ky. (F.V. was.)

Peter G. Foree  
 Peter - Virginia  
 Francis Rebecca  
 applied for Dawson  
 Rev. pension  
 Apr 17, 1834 - age 27

Littleberry  
 Julian  
 Augustine  
 William  
 Joseph  
 John - M. Elizabeth Thomas  
 Peter  
 Prior  
 Lydia Paury

1820 - Joseph Paury - in Shelly Co.  
 no Peter in Shelly or Henry.  
 1820 - Peter G. in Christian Co. Ky.  
 1830 = Joseph Fore - Shelly - 231  
 Peter " - Knot Co.

Fore Brackett

Mary Brackett  
 95.C.

M. Eliza G. Dawson

born May 18, 1816 Henry Co. Ky.  
 Mary S. O'Keenan - 1828 in Shelly Co.  
 Edward Gackow  
 g.w. Va.  
 Eras mus D. Foree 1817  
 d. Feb 26, 1882 - Flora V. Jackson

Went to Hanover College  
 Graduated from U. of T. Medicine  
 Practiced med. in New Castle

(Well known Dr. - in Kov.)

Lucretia Green Fore - M. John James Halliday

1840 = Peter G. Foree - 970 - 201

1850 - Eliza Foree - Knot - 367 -

Shelly Co. Marriage -  
 Joseph Fore to Keziah Brackett  
 dau. of John Brackett  
 M. 24 June 1804 -

Keziah Fore Brackett (1807)  
 Peter B. Foree  
 & more

Samuel Dawson

Fore Brackett

Fore Brackett

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(6)

Joseph also had  
brother Peter.

# Faree / Fauree

In doing research for an article  
on the family of Faree in Ky. It has been  
determined that a Peter G. Faree, born  
31 July 1793, son of Joseph Faree, b. 31 May  
1744 in Va., & who died in Shelly Co. Ky 1835  
& mentions his son Peter G. in his will [Shelly  
Co. Ky will Bk. 11, pg. 174]

A Pierre Fore, who was born in 1719  
in King William Parish, Henrico Co. Va. came  
to Ky, & died June 1780 in a fort at Ruddle  
Station. <sup>When Detroit, invaded Ky, Quaint, reported in</sup>  
He had several children  
One of his sons was a Joseph  
born 1744 [Douglas Register, Ed. Jones, 1928. pg. 382]  
Joseph married Ann Swanden [Faure Bible record,  
~~descendant, Kentucky~~  
Mrs. Paul V. Rutherford. Film Club]

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~~Peter, born Jan 11, 1734 in Doughland Co. Va.  
cousin of Peter born 1744 in Henrico Co. Va.~~

- Joseph according to pension <sup>his</sup> <sup>in</sup> Shelly Co. Ky.  
says he came to Ky in 1803 & lived at  
Shellyville, Ky. He died in Shelly Co.  
in 1835, & left his will [Shelly Co. Ky will  
Bk. 11, pg. 174]. In his will he mentions  
several children: & one is a Peter G.  
Faree.

Peter G. Faree, m. Eliza Lawson in Henry  
Co. 5-1816 [Henry Co. marriage. 1798-1851-pg. 20]

also - Pierre / Petur who was  
recorded as being killed at  
Quadies in Bourbon Co. in 1780 may  
be false, or not killed at that  
time.

In Deed Key, Entries & Deed  
Key Gillson, ~~Book~~ n. pg. 206.

Petur Fore, 400 acres, B. K. A.  
page 181. Dated 10-23-1780.

Leate course, North Fork of Kentucky.

The massacre occurred in June  
of 1780. Several months before the  
Deed.



"K"  
Fore Family

January 25, 1955

Major John W. Rodman,  
Parade Rest Ranch,  
West Yellowstone, Montana.

Dear Major Rodman:

We are in receipt of your letter of January 17 regarding your Fore and Rodman families, and regret that inasmuch as The Filson Club has only a small staff, we are not able to spend much time on genealogical research.

We did, however, find that in The Huguenot, Publications Nos. 7, 1933-35, pp. 202-203, 207+, and No. 8, 1935-37, pp. 178-192, there is much genealogical material on the Pierre Fore, (Yaure - Ford) family. It is too long for us to attempt to copy it for you, and if you desire to have a professional genealogist do this work for you I would suggest that you write to either Mrs. Charles E. Craik, 118 Oxford Place, Louisville, or Mrs. Harry P. Gorman, 2404 Woodbourne, who will be glad to do it for you at a reasonable fee.

I am sorry that we cannot be of more service to you.

Sincerely,

(Mrs) Dorothy Thomas Cullen  
Curator and Librarian

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Historical Society

this settlement was admitted. Such makes an account in proper order. Given in due  
our hands this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July 1851  
James D. Miller  
S. H. Hatfield

State of Kentucky At a County Court held for Jefferson County at the Court House in  
the City of Louisville on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 1851. The foregoing Account was  
returned filed and ordered to be laid over till another Paper etc.

State of Kentucky At a County Court held for Jefferson County at the Court  
House in the City of Louisville on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November 1851  
The foregoing filed  
Account was returned approved and ordered to be recorded and is recorded in  
my office as Clerk of said Court  
W. Curran Pope

Force L.D.  
Shamuel C. Hammon  
Guardian

Shamuel C. Hammon Guardian in and with L.D. Ford  
Clerk

4	Jan 1 1850	Dr Cash received for Du March's due of Master's Grant	60.00
	1851	Dr " " " " " " " " " " " "	75.00
		Dr " " " " " " " " " " " "	55.00
		Dr " " " " " " " " " " " "	15.00
	Dec 7	J. Cost of distribution same of Personal Property of L.D. Ford, settled by Chamberlain	210.70
		Dr Interest on above	9.50
		By Balance	266.62
		1849	
		By Cost of Act	1-67.26
		" " " " " " " " " " " "	2-69.12
		Commissions allowed Guardian	7.50
		Commissions fees	3.00
		Balance due	266.62
			\$115.40

The Samuel D. Miller and Simon C. Hatfield Commissioners appointed by the County  
Court of Jefferson County Ky. have this day examined, stated, and settled the account of  
Shamuel C. Hammon, Guardian of L.D. Ford and paid a balance due the hands of  
Guardian of \$115.40. Given under our hands this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1857  
Samuel D. Miller  
S. C. Hatfield

State of Kentucky At a County Court held for Jefferson County at the  
Court House in the City of Louisville on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of September 1851  
The foregoing filed  
Account was returned filed and ordered to be laid over  
W. Curran Pope

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Force / Fauquier

Gr.-granddaughter of Seth King and Anna Preston, his wife.  
Gr.-gr.-granddaughter of Eliphalet King and Mary Remington, his wife; Dr. John Preston and Rebecca Farrar, his wife.  
Gr.-gr.-gr.-granddaughter of Samuel Farrar and Lydia Barrett, his wife.

Eliphalet King was ensign in the Continental infantry, 1775, and lieutenant, 1776, when he was mustered out of service. He was born 1743 in Suffield, where he died.

Samuel Farrar, (1709-83), was a member of the Committee of Correspondence and of the First Provincial Congress. He was a minute man at Concord, where he was born and died.

Also No. 1074.

MRS. LYDIA ELIZABETH BRINKERHOFF. 19314

Born in Dundee, Illinois.

Wife of Jacob Oscar Brinkerhoff.  
Descendant of Isaac Edwards, of Connecticut.  
Daughter of Henry E. Hunt and Esther Ann Edwards, his wife.  
Granddaughter of Truman Edwards and Eliza Parkman, his wife.  
Gr.-granddaughter of Isaac Edwards and Esther Foote, his wife.  
Isaac Edwards, (1763-1847), served as a private in the Connecticut militia under Capt. Nathaniel Edwards. He was born in Watertown and was a pensioner until his death.

MRS. MARY RECTOR SHIELDS LAWSON. 19315

Born in Columbia, Missouri.

Wife of Joseph Walker Lawson.  
Descendant of Col. John Hardin.  
Daughter of Prof. William Conway Shields and Lucinda Burnam Field, his wife.  
Granddaughter of Hon. Curtis Field, Sr., and Rosanna Hardin, his wife.  
Gr.-granddaughter of John Hardin and Jane Davies, his wife.  
John Hardin, (1753-1792), was a member of Morgan's Rifle Corps at the siege of Boston and received the thanks of Gates for his services at Saratoga. He was massacred by the Indians on a mission of peace. He was born in Fauquier Co., Va.; died in Ohio.  
Also Nos. 47, 846, 8227.

MRS. MINNIE HOLLIDAY NAVE. 19316

Born in St. Louis, Missouri.

Wife of Samuel M. Nave.  
Descendant of Lieut. Henry Dawson, of Virginia.  
Daughter of John J. Holliday and Lucretia Force, his wife.  
Granddaughter of Peter Force and Eliza Dawson, his wife.  
Gr.-granddaughter of Samuel Dawson and — Montjoy, his wife.  
Gr.-gr.-granddaughter of Henry Dawson and — Sandford, his wife.

Henry Dawson, (1748-1815), entered the army as ensign and served as lieutenant and quartermaster of Col. John Gibson's Seventh Virginia Regiment to the close of the war. He died in Maysville, Ky.  
Also No. 9025.

MISS LYDIA BERTHEL HOLMES. 19317

Born in Keyport, New Jersey.

Descendant of Ens. James Sproul, of New Jersey.  
Daughter of Asher Holmes and Elizabeth Walling, his wife.  
Granddaughter of John Walling and Alice Sproul, his wife.  
Gr.-granddaughter of Oliver Sproul and Rachel Dorsett, his wife.  
Gr.-gr.-granddaughter of James Sproul and Zilpah McChesney, his wife.  
James Sproul served as ensign from New Jersey and was killed at the battle of Short Hills, 26th of June, 1777.

MRS. ELEANOR MORRIS DROUGHT. 19318

Born in Chauncey, Ohio.

Wife of E. W. S. Drought.  
Descendant of Matthias Denman and of Enos Baldwin, of New Jersey.  
Daughter of Joseph Southerton Morris and Anna Maria Denman, his wife.  
Granddaughter of Samuel Denman (b. 1806) and Susan Boyle, his wife.  
Gr.-granddaughter of Samuel Denman (b. 1774) and Anna Maria Hampton (b. 1777), his wife (m. 1801).  
Gr.-gr.-granddaughter of Matthias Denman and Phebe Baldwin (b. 1752), his wife (m. 1770).  
Gr.-gr.-gr.-granddaughter of Enos Baldwin and Phebe Williams, his wife.  
Matthias Denman, (1751-1841), was a private in Capt.

April 5<sup>th</sup> 1841

at last road, was returned, sealed &

Assembly being present concerning the same  
by Robert P. Satchler Governor of this  
and David Brockhart as two just  
named a Justice of the Peace for this  
resigned.

of Smith to Erasmus Smith was  
delivered by said Erasmus Smith &  
d. present, was in Court in Court  
and the Court regarding it. The said  
his Security in the County and with

to settle the estate of David Waide  
upward of and added to be needed

of the Court of the County of New York to  
of the Court in general, according  
that they report to some further term

produced in Court, a receipt from the Auditor

Trasport January 26<sup>th</sup> 1841-

and receipt of this date, to W. Lynn, for  
13 cents in full of the Revenue Tax due  
for the year One thousand, eight hundred

C. Smith Mallet

for the State & Auditor

Ford dec<sup>r</sup> under the age  
of Erasmus D. Force her  
Conditioned according to law

also guardian  
dec<sup>r</sup> under the age of  
Erasmus D. Force her  
Conditioned according to  
also guardian

dec<sup>r</sup> under the age of  
Erasmus D. Force her  
Conditioned according to

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Came into Court made  
was appointed accord  
O'Bannon as his dec<sup>r</sup>  
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who was appointed  
of J.B. O'Bannon as  
dollars conditioned

Joseph H. Force infan  
Came into Court made  
was appointed accord  
O'Bannon as his dec<sup>r</sup>  
Conditioned according to

in the Court of sessions



April 5<sup>th</sup>

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of fourteen, whereupon she gave bond with J.B. O'Bannan  
Security in the penalty of three thousand dollars.

in to John D. Force infant of Peter G. Force  
fourteen, whereupon she gave bond with J.B. O'Bannan  
Security in the penalty of three thousand dollars  
law

in to Lucas D. Force infant of Peter G. Force  
fourteen, whereupon she gave bond with J.B. O'Bannan &  
Security in the penalty of three thousand dollars  
law

of Peter G. Force de? over the age of fourteen  
choice of Erasmus D. Force as his guardian who  
legally and gave bond with Mary S. Force of J.B.  
Security in the penalty of three thousand dollars  
law

of Peter G. Force de? over  
into Court made choice of Erasmus D. Force  
accordingly and gave bond with Mary S. Force  
his security in the penalty of three thousand  
according to law.

of Peter G. Force de? over the age of fourteen  
choice of Erasmus D. Force as his guardian who  
legally and gave bond with Mary S. Force and J.B.  
Security in the penalty of three thousand dollars  
law

reporting to be the last will and testament of George  
was produced in court and proved by the oath of

to divide the estate of David Waide <sup>355</sup>  
of and about to be needed  
John East, Hechler, Sherman to  
of partition in severalty, according  
as they report to some partition

duced in Court, a receipt from the Auditor

Frankfort January 26<sup>th</sup> 1841  
his receipt of this date, to M. Lynn, for  
13 cents in full of the Revenue Tax due  
for the year one thousand, eight hundred  
C. Smith Miller  
in Tho. S. Page Auditor  
bound to him

namely, Henry Shively and Stephen Jones  
Hovins del. resp. for return to Court,  
be recorded, and it is ruled that  
Stephen Jones be and they be  
of partition in severalty

Law of Laurence A. Pops, was returned  
paid by said Pops, and his acknowledgment  
den, H. W. Holden the returning magistrate  
and

to Marissa J. Foree guardian of her  
whereupon she gave bond with J. B. Bannan  
sum of three thousand dollars  
of J. Foree infant orphan of Peter J.

Mary S. Foree  
App. guardian  
to Narcissa J. Foree  
dau. of Peter J.

O'Bannon as his share  
Conditioned accordingly

Lucetta J. Foree  
the age of fourteen years  
who was appointed  
of J. B. O'Bannon as  
dollars conditioned ac

Joseph H. Foree infant  
came into Court to make  
was appointed accordingly  
O'Bannon as his share  
conditioned accordingly to

the instrument of writing  
the details of this case.  
Inac worth and William  
same was established  
street George Hill del.  
upon the motion of  
according to law; expe  
his individual bond  
according to law, it ven

Robert Tyler the Commissioner  
Sheriff of Jefferson County  
his report, showing a bal  
J. W. Donf the Comm

may hereafter accrue in  
in the Mechanic's Ban  
received and returned  
The report of the Commis  
to value, the real estate



Ch.  
Apr. 5  
1841

The report of the Commissioners appointed  
do? heretofore returned, was examined, and  
and it is ordered that Elizabeth Williams  
they are hereby appointed to make out  
to the provisions of said report, and to  
of this Court.

James P. Smith of this County  
in the words and figures following to wit -  
State of Kentucky }  
Auditors office } Received the Treas-  
Two thousand one hundred & thirty nine dollars  
from James P. Smith of this County  
and forty -  
\$2199.13

which is ordered to be recorded and

The report of the Commissioners Alexander  
appointed to divide the estate of Patrick  
was examined, approved of & ordered to  
the said Alexander Family, Henry Shroyer  
being appointed Commissioners to make  
agreement to the said report.

The S. W. account of Samuel Bray, guardian  
to Court, and the endorsement thereon being  
heretofore provided by the oath of Joseph Al-  
theute, it was received & ordered to be rec-

The Court appoints Mary S. Fowle guardian  
of Peter Fowle age 14 under the age of 14  
Erasmus D. Fowle his Security on the  
constituted according to law  
also guardian of Elizabeth



June 7<sup>th</sup> 1841.

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It is desired that Samuel Jones, Sam Moore  
or any three of them being first duly sworn,  
may let a public road to be opened, from  
by over the lands of Sam Moore, to the  
to Court the convenience and incovenience  
any said road shall be established

and he is hereby appointed surveyor  
from British Run to the Bullitt County line  
to wit: do a part from in putting and  
to wit: H. Ponder, Nancy Ponder, John Ponder,  
Lemmi McMahon, George Mathewill,  
the owners of said, or who may hereafter

and William Mitchell, Commissioners, appointed  
to mark out the narrowest & best way for a change  
to wit: thus the farm of Isaac Miller  
the said the said road be changed at  
corner of Isaac Miller's farm, thence S  
thence N. 3° N to the intersection of the  
to wit: the Colquhoun's long road,  
Pollard's long road, open the same as  
in repair according to law 2

inspector of tobacco in defer the security of  
and let him to give bond and security

Commonwealth of Kentucky

Comptroller in the City of  
Present Geo. J. Pipe, Geo. J.

John Frischofer

or

Geo. Fisher

has and entered his app

An inventory and appraisement  
paid approved of & deemed to be

A list of sales of the  
paid approved of & deemed to be

A list of articles belonging  
paid was returned, examined, ap

An inventory and app  
was returned, examined,

An inventory & appraisement  
examined approved of

A list of sales of the  
paid approved of & deemed to

and Geo. J. Pipe

July 14. 1841 -

At a County Court held for Jefferson County at the  
minutes on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of June 1841 -  
Chambers, C. J. Presy. -

Appellant

Appellee -

This day came the appellee by his attorney H. P. H.  
rance herein

of the estate of Peter G. Jones dec<sup>d</sup> was returned, examined  
and recorded -

of Peter G. Jones dec<sup>d</sup> was returned, examined  
and recorded -

of the estate of Peter G. Jones and returned by his widow,  
and of record to be recorded -

of the estate of Charles K. Anteburn dec<sup>d</sup>  
approved of and ordered to be recorded -

of the estate of B. M. Magh dec<sup>d</sup> was returned,  
and to be recorded -

of B. M. Magh dec<sup>d</sup> was returned, examined,  
and recorded -

William J. Shuman to Rebecca was produced in Court

it is ordered that the other papers  
be as to a change of the Shepherds  
only ~~rested~~ set aside -

it is ordered that John Date,  
and they are hereby appointed, Commissioners  
mark out the nearest & best way, for  
leading from Sausville to Shepherds Hill  
as follows. Beginning near the black-  
stone down the side of a branch to  
run up to turn & run, until it meets  
the road to be changed, that it shall  
and that they report to Court the Commission  
to individuals, in case said change be

and he is hereby appointed Surveyor of  
the said Galtbrathly and the Bullitt  
persons and their liberties to report  
in regard according to Law -  
John C. Cooper, H. Thornberry,  
Wording Quick, Wm. Ireland, Joseph  
Wells, Jno. Brown, T. Stranahan,  
others not now named coming in the  
after move into the same -

Captain & Murray Phillips, James  
Claps assistant patrolers in  
northward Captain & James McTee,  
John & Squin Shain assistant patrolers  
of Beartrap, and the salt river road -

he is hereby appointed Surveyor of that  
the Jefferson Mills to the Atkins road  
and that the following persons and  
as keeping the same in repair  
Benj. S. Robertson, John Wood & Cadwell

as well with persons in

on the motion of Mary & Maria  
it is ordered that James  
Potts, be and they are hereby  
after being duly sworn do  
moot, their respective shares  
William Murray & Co.

on the motion of William  
Date, J. D. Darn & Green  
appointed Commissioners  
Benjamin Cleveland, John  
John Lusher & his  
estate of which said in

on the motion of Mr  
Leaven Lawrence, John  
or any three of them be  
duly sworn to divide,  
or one part of the  
property to Court

on the motion of Mr  
Isaac B. Fore Leaven & Co.  
guardian of Samuel J. Fore  
do - it is ordered that  
Hobbs & Frederick Bro  
hereby appointed Commy  
Marissa, Eliza, Isaac  
Shaw & his partners of  
seized & sold by

Mr. Hunt & Mr. Reed  
the less of Sausville for  
property, which being sworn  
ordered that Court



~~Inventory of~~  
by ~~John Moody~~ heirs at law of William Moody de.  
N. Seafus, Thomas Waller, Cornelius Woke & George  
by appointed commissioners, who or any three of them  
divide, allot & set apart, unto the heirs of said William  
, & proportions of the real estate of which s.  
de & proposed to report to Court -

in Cleveland, it is ordered that Asst Wallace Shelly  
Proctor or any three of them, be and they are hereby  
divide, allot & set apart unto said William Cleveland,  
George Cleveland, John Cleveland,  
to their respective shares & proportions of the real  
Cleveland died seized & proposed to report to Court -

of S. Force widow of P. G. Force de. - it is ordered that  
Williamson, Jacob Hite, Ed. Hobb & Frederick Brungman  
and they are hereby appointed commissioners, after doing  
set apart unto said Mary S. Force her dower  
real estate of which said P. G. Force died seized and  
-

of S. Force, guardian to Narcissa G. Force, Eliza G. Force,  
and of Erasmus D. Force, in his own right and as  
Succinea G. Force & Joseph Hite, heirs of P. G. Force  
deceased & survive, John Williamson, Jacob Hite, E. D.  
Brungman or any three of them be and they are  
ordered to divide, allot & set apart unto the said Erasmus,  
Narcissa, Succinea & Joseph their respective  
& real estate of which said P. G. Force died  
set to Court -

Commissioners of taxable property in the district of  
the year 1841 - this day returned a list of taxable  
to was ordered to be certified to the auditor -  
be adjourned till to morrow morning 10 o'clock

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State of Kentucky

At

The Court House in the  
Present Sam<sup>l</sup> Dickins

cop<sup>d</sup>  
cop<sup>d</sup>

on the motion of Esau  
of the estate of Peter G  
whom he gave bond with  
four thousand dollars, on  
said Peter having in under  
to administer

cop<sup>d</sup>

ordered that Caleb Dancy  
any three of them being  
personal estate of Peter G.

on the motion of Robert T.  
the estate of Solomon Wash.  
gave bond with 10000  
dollars, conditioned as

ordered that John Smith  
three of them being first  
of Solomon Wash dec<sup>d</sup> in

And of an execution of  
Alfred & Josephine, was p<sup>r</sup>  
said Harrell to be his ac  
Alfred & Josephine, being in  
The Court requiring it, the

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sum  
have

Laura  
his  
court  
wherein  
to said

Dr. Kinn

d. a  
ably exp.  
but has  
the clerk

m. F.

August 10 1840

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at the rate of  
by said Sheriff  
order

a County Court held for Jefferson County at  
city of Louisville on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of August 1840-  
in, John Draft, H. G. Tompkins Esq.

B. O'Bannon, who made oath according to law, administration  
of the estate of this County, was granted him, when  
Edward D. Booth his security, in the penalty of twenty  
dollars according to law. Mary S. Torrey widow of  
said deceased, which was proved, bearing name of all right

Court met at  
Present Samuel

Charles Hale, John Williamson, & Lucia Dosey, or  
whom they shall be sworn, do appraise the slaves of any  
of the estate of said deceased and report to Court.

in the presence  
of Leonard George,  
catholics of same  
the value was  
George J. T. T.  
ordered the

W. H. Booth, who made oath according to law, administration of  
the estate of this County, was granted him, when  
H. Booth his security, in the penalty of two thousand  
dollars according to law.

Commiss

W. P. Maxey, William H. Davis, & J. Aldrich, or any  
of them, do appraise the slaves of any of personal estate  
of said deceased and report to Court.

Jefferson  
in the 7<sup>th</sup>  
month of

from Joseph Harrell, to Mary & her two children,  
produced in Court, and acknowledged & released by the  
said Harrell, & ordered to be recorded, and the said Mary,  
Court, are found to be correctly described in said deed, &  
said Harrell, entered into three bonds, with William

on the 10<sup>th</sup>  
Pantleton, J. W.  
on the 10<sup>th</sup>  
of is a man



(Foree)

Rec'd  
Aug-24, 92

The Filson Club Historical Society  
1310 S. Third Street  
Louisville, KY 40208

August 21, 1992

To Whom It May Concern:

I am working on my genealogy concentrating at this time of my Foree line. I have hit a snag. I wonder if you can help.

My grandmother Ora Foree. b. 1863 in KY, married John Hartman b. 1865 in Carroll Co., KY. She was the daughter of Edward Foree, b.1840 and Georgia Ann Young b. 1847 both in KY. Edward Foree was the son of Peter Foree, b. 1812 or 1814 and Sarah Estes b. 1816, both born in KY and married in 1834 Henry Co. KY. My problem. Who was Peter's father?

I recently received information about the Foree or Faure family emigrating to Virginia from France. And have the lines through the second Pierre, Peter. Looking at census records, etc. I am wondering if the father might be Silas who was born in 1766 in Virginia, youngest son of Peter II and his second wife Elizabeth. Silas married in Virginia and moved to Shelby County, KY in 1803 and then to Henry Co. But I cannot find the names of any of his four daughters and six sons.

Can you help?

Thank you.

Sincerely,

*Betty Hartman Kelley*

Betty Hartman Kelley  
212 W. Rio Grande  
Garland, TX 75041

*Guardian  
Daniel Adams*

*M. in Henry Co.*

*Peter Foree - Sarah Estes  
b. 1812 1834 b. 1816*

*Edward Foree - Georgia Ann Young  
b. 1840 b. 1847*

*John Hartman - Ora Foree  
1865 b. 1863  
Carroll Co. KY*

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Sept. 16, 1992

Betty Hartman Kelly  
212 W. Rio Grande  
Garland, Texas 75041

Dear Ms. Kelly:

I have taken a look at your request to help find the parents of Peter Foree, born 1812 who married Sarah Estes without success.

I am somewhat familiar with this name as I have recently researched the Foree's for a project I was working on. I do not remember ever seeing reference to a Peter Foree who married Sarah Estes, but now that I look I do see this marriage in 1834 in Henry Co. Ky.

As you probably know there are many Foree's in Henry County, and most of them descend from Pierre (Peter) Foree and Marie Goudovin.

Pierre(Peter) and Marie did have a son Silas who was born 1 Jan. 1766 in Virignia and who died 4 July 1859. He married Sarah Beasley in Henry CO. It would not surprise me if they didn't have a son named Peter. This name in the Foree family was used over and over.

Silas is in the 1850 census in Henry Co. listed as Silas Force. Be sure when researching this family to check: Fore; Force; Faure and Foree.

We do not have wills for 1859 for Henry Co., hut perhaps Silas left a will and this may be recorded in the Henry Co. Courthouse.

Good Luck with your search.

*Nettie Oliver*  
Nettie Oliver

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July 29, 1992

Violet M. Stalker  
10053 Shelbyville Road  
Simpsonville, Kentucky 40067

Dear Ms. Stalker:

Thank you for your letter, and your interest in the article concerning George Bush.

My interest began on researching the Foree connection, when I saw the enclosed article in Nexus a publication of The New England Historical and Genealogical Society, showing a chart of the ancestors of George Bush, and seeing where a Peter Foree of Henry Co. Ky. appeared. The writer of the article is a well known genealogist, and I'm sure his work is well documented. However, I was never able to make contact with him. This lead me to start ~~checking~~ our records here to see if I could make this connection myself. (I enclose to you pages showing this line).

Also I was able to find recorded in the Jefferson Co. Louisville Chancery Court Commissioner's Deed Book #3, recorded 24 of Sept. 1847, where Mary J. Foree, widow of Peter G. and the heirs of the property were in litigation. I was not able to find anything that said: Lucretia Green Holliday was the daughter of Peter G., but based on the Prepondrance of the Evidence, I believe this to be true.

Thank you again for your interest, and I was never able to determine the place of burial for Peter G. Foree. I had hoped to find him in the Hobb's Chapel Cemetery in Anchorage, or in O'Bannon, since his second wife was an O'Bannon, but was unable to find.

You are welcome to come here and see any notes, or information that we may have on the Foree line, and I'll be glad to help you. I am a Shelby Co. native myself.

Sincerely,

*Nettie Oliner*



Rec'd - July 28, 92

July 25, 1992

Mrs. Nettie Oilver  
The Filson Club  
1310 So. 3rd Street  
Louisville, Ky. 40208

Dear Mrs. Oilver:

Recently you wrote an article about the Kentucky ancestors of George Bush. The article included Lucretia Green (Foree) Halliday.

I have been working on this branch of the Foree family. I have most of the information I need. The one thing I need is a document ( will, court suite, etc.) that lists Lucretia as the daughter of Dr. Peter G. Foree. She would have been the child of Peter G. Foree and his first wife, Eliza Dawson. I have checked Henry and Shelby County records and did not find documentation. I believe she is their daughter. Your article states "There are numerous Jefferson County records relating to the dispersal of his property at the time of his death. Lucretia returned to Kentucky to settle her father's large estate." Would you please send copies of the records or the location of the records so I may obtain a copy?

Another lost Foree is Peter's daughter, Eliza P. I assume she is the daughter of Peter and Mary O'Bannon (2nd wife ) but have no proof which wife is mother. Do you know where Peter G. Foree is buried? He is not in Henry or Shelby County Cemetery books.

I would appreciate any information you send and will pay whatever fee is usual for copies.

I am a member of the Filson Club.

Best wishes,

*Violet M. Stalker*  
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10053 Shelbyville Road  
Simpsonville, Ky. 40067

P.S. I really enjoyed your articles.

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*Foree or Faure family*

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The Filson Historical Society



Foree Family  
see "B" miss

September 4, 1964

Mrs. D. Byrne  
175 Janes St.  
Mill Valley, California

Dear Mrs. Byrne:

There were many counties in Kentucky by the year of 1845 and unless you can discover more information about the place where Elizabeth Allen lived, the search to find her marriage will be a tedious one.

There have been Fores or Forees in Henry, Shelby, and Oldham Counties. We have just a few very early Shelby Co. marriages so I am unable to consult later marriage records. Our transcribed marriage records of Henry and Oldham Counties do not show the marriage of William Fore and Elizabeth Allen. It may be worthwhile to write the county Clerks of these three counties and ask them to check their marriage records.

The 1800 Kentucky Tax List places Abner, Berry L., Jesse, and Peter Fore (Foree) in Henry County and Peter Foree paid taxes in Bracken County. And we have no late records of marriages in this county.

Perhaps some biographical accounts of William Fore and his wife would provide you with additional clues. You do not give the place of their Missouri residence but I suggest that you investigate any existent records of the Missouri county in which they lived.

Sincerely,

(Mrs.) Dorothy Thomas Cullen  
Curator and Librarian

ssc

175 Janes St  
Mill Valley Calif

THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Wilson Club  
18 W. Breckinridge St  
Mill Valley

The Foree Family Society



March 21, 1965

Fore  
family

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The Filson Club has The History of Pulaski County compiled by Alma Owens Tibbals and published in 1952. I checked the Index for your William M. Fore and did not find him. A Samuel Allen of Pulaski served in the Revolutionary War. I do not know, of course, if your Elizabeth is a descendant.

I suggest that you write Mrs. A.S. Frye, an experienced genealogist of Somerset, Kentucky. Her home is located at 506 W. Columbia Street. There is no substitute for research in original records and in the courthouse at Somerset, there may be many helpful facts for you.

Mrs. Daniel Byrne  
175 Janes St.

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I was hoping from this extra bit of information you might be able to help me.

Sincerely,

*Ellen Byrne*

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175 Janes St.  
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The Filson Historical Society

JUN 24 1953

*[Faint handwritten notes and bleed-through from the reverse side of the page, including names like "Foree" and "Henry"]*



some time - having arrived in  
Jonestown in 1960, is there any  
book about them that can  
be purchased, or any other source  
of reliable information?

Sincerely yours,

Ruth B. M<sup>rs</sup> Tarnahan  
(Mrs. Richard T.)

P.S. I am enclosing a stamped,  
addressed envelope for  
your convenience.

JUN 24 1958

87 Magnolia Ave  
Lardon City,  
Long Island, N.Y.  
June 19, 1958.

The Fellow Club  
Louisville, Kentucky

Dear Sirs:

For some time I  
have been trying to obtain  
information about my forbears  
the Force family of Shulbyville.  
One of my neighbors, Mrs. V. J.  
Gregory, gave me the name  
of your organization as an excellent

who was a practicing lawyer  
 in Tennessee until 1850  
 at which time he purchased  
 a cotton plantation in Philip's  
 County, Arkansas, named it  
 Rehanks, and took his family  
 there. Sarah died there in 1858,  
 the only date I know.

How can I get the names of  
 her mother and father. Her  
 date of birth? Also, as the Force  
 family lived in the Smiths for

source for genealogical  
 information.

Any help or advice you can  
 give me would be deeply appreciated.

My mother's grandmother was  
 Sarah Force. I have an oil

contract of her, and one each of  
 her mother and father. I also

have three silver mint gulep  
 cups with initials that could be  
 either J. P. F. or I. P. F., which  
 is confusing, I know.

Sarah married Nathan Ross!

Kentucky. Littleberry settled near his father in New Castle on what was later called Berry Farm subdivision. Littleberry is also remembered, with others, for contributing a plot of ground on which the "Old Rock" Baptist Church in New Castle was built.

The home on the Drennon Road remained in the family as late as 1895, when the brick home of John Pryor (Peter III's son) and Elizabeth Thomason Force burned.

Peter III was awarded a medal by the existing government for bravery at the Battle of Cowpens and was paid for his Revolutionary War services with a land grant in Kentucky. (Ref: State Librarian's list of Revolutionary soldiers of Virginia, page 167 and Acct. 18 pg. 524 III papers D33 Pension Claim January 31, 1834.)

The home was supposedly built on the land grant around 1810. (It still stands today, 1994). It's a large 10 room, two-story brick, with 14" thick walls, Ionic columns out front and a huge fireplace in the basement where the slaves cooked their food in the winter. The slaves slept in a row of cabins at the back of the house where there was also a "summer" kitchen. Huge yellow poplar floor joists support the house, also blue ash flooring and hand carved mantels adorn the home.

No one has ever lived at the homeplace except the Forces. It has always been "handed down" or purchased by a male descendant, who became a farmer.

After Peter II and Sally Pryor Force there were:

- Peter IV and Nancy Toole Force
- Thomas P. and Ann Ball Force, and 2nd wife, Susan Roberts Force
- Peter Gwynne and Lula Gray Force
- Alfred P. and Lillian Mansir Force
- John Mansir and Bina Baird Force (present owners)

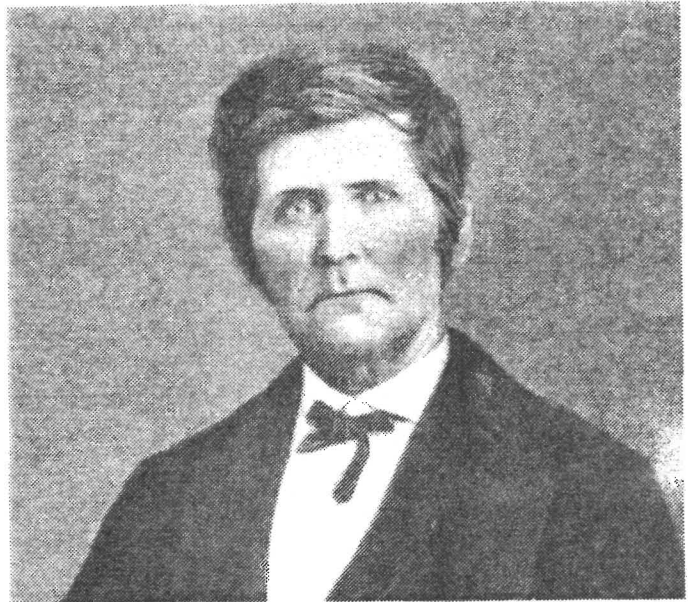
John Mansir and Bina Baird Force have two sons:

- (1) Dr. John Baird Force is a graduate of the Auburn University School of Veterinary Medicine. He married Cathie Hodge Force who currently directs the Henry County Adult Education Program.
- (2) Robert H. Force is a graduate of the University of Kentucky College of Law. He married Jean Kay LeCompte Force, a native of Shelby County. They have a farm of their own. They have two children: Ashley Elizabeth, b. 2 Aug 1985 and Robert H. Force, Jr., b. 9 Jan 1989. They were named Kentucky's Outstanding Farm Family in 1981.

## LEONARD D. GIVIDEN FARM AND FAMILY HISTORY

By Lorena L. Gividen Vandeveldc  
7606 Rockingham Rd., Prospect, Ky. 40059-9339

The Leonard D. Gividen Farm at Sulphur, Ky., was designated a Kentucky Centennial farm on October 11, 1992 at the annual Drennon Day. The award was presented to Roberta Martin Gividen Foley and her sister, Lorena Lucille Gividen Vandeveldc, daughters of Leonard D. Gividen, third owner of the farm. The two previous owners were (1st) John N. Martin, grandfather of Leonard, and (2nd) Dora Martin Gividen, mother of Leonard. The Gividen sisters, Roberta and Lorena, are the present owners. The family history begins with Peter Martin, Sr.



John N. Martin, Sept. 8, 1808-Feb. 4, 1836

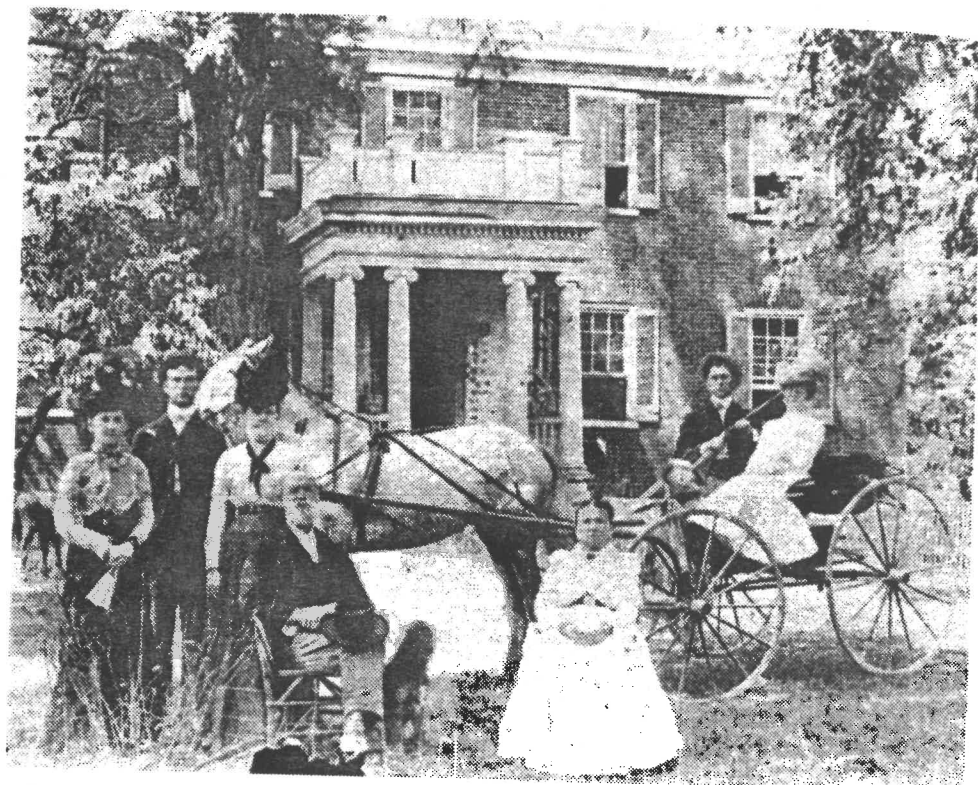
**PETER MARTIN SR.** grandfather of John N. Martin was born in Culpeper County, Va. in 1741. Peter married Sara Reidling of Jamestown, Va. in 1761, and to this union were born nine sons and four daughters. He was George Washington's body guard in the American Revolution (they were neighbors before the war). On Sep. 11, 1777, Peter was wounded in the Battle of Brandywine and discharged.

In 1788 Peter and his family emigrated to Shelby County, Ky., Virginia territory, where he received a land grant for his service in the war. It is believed he helped organize the Old Bethel Church in the late 1780's. Peter Martin Sr. died in 1807.



served as minister of several churches in Kentucky. His widow, Penelope, remains a dear member of our family. Aunt Emma, Aunt Carrie, Aunt Cassie and my mother were great missionaries of the church, members of the Mothers' Board, Willing Workers' Club, and other organizations of the church.

Aunt Cassie stayed at home and took good care of "Mammy," as all the siblings called her, and resided in the old home place until she was unable to care for herself. She was able to sell the old home to our cousin Joe Lawson. The proceeds were divided among all her heirs. Aunt Cassie, who survived her other siblings, spent her reclining years at the Homestead Nursing Home in New Castle, KY--only four miles from Eminence.



Mr. T. P. Force and daughter, Nannie at Old Force Homestead at New Castle, Ky. On the left are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred P. Force and Mattie Force Smith. Robert and Edith Force are in the buggy.

When I was a child, I remember Grandma, America Booker Fisher, visiting our home every year. She would spend a week or two with us. She liked to sew by hand. I would so often thread needles for her--about five at a time on the same spool of thread. Grandma smoked a small "corn cob" pipe using a twist of tobacco my father had cured for her.

Often she would ask me to rub her back. One day I asked her why she had so many ugly scars on her back. She said, "These scars are where the white people beat me when I was a slave; then, patted coarse salt in the wounds to stop them from bleeding." My eyes filled with tears as I rubbed her back. Now I imagine that it must have been soothing to have the hands of a child rub over the rough scars on her back.

Grandma wore a large purple and black hand-knitted cape which I still have. I also have her small antique glasses ("specks" she called them) with very narrow lenses.

The Fisher family has a rich heritage of deep religious beliefs. I pray that God will keep us as a loving family for generations to come.



### THE FOREES AT "OLD HOMESTEAD" FARM

By Bina Force  
US 421 & KY 55, Campbellsburg, Ky.

The Forces (name anglicized from the French Faure) were French Huguenots, who came to America in the late 1600's because of religious persecution.

The Force family settled on the James River in Virginia. Peter Force III, who built "Old Homestead" in Henry County, Kentucky, was probably a grandson of the original settlers. He was born in 1744 and was a "Minute Man" in the Revolutionary War, having enlisted in Virginia. His wife, Sarah Pryor Force, was also a Virginian. Peter was a carpenter when a young man and fell in love with "Sally" Pryor while building a barn for her father.

Peter III and Sally moved to North Carolina during the War and his Pension record shows most of his service from that state. They came to Henry County, Kentucky in the 1790's and settled with their family (8 sons and one daughter) 3/4 miles northeast of New Castle (property owned in 1953 by Wirt Turner Jr.). Their two oldest sons, Littleberry and Julius, were married when they came to

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*Foree*

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*Dr. Peter G. Foree married 2nd - macy O'Barner - Shelby county*

PETER FORE, born November 25, 1745 in Virginia; died in Kentucky, he lived to be 98 years of age; his wife at 97 years of age. He married Sallie Prier or Pryor, a descendant of Roger A. Pryor of Virginia. About 1825 he built the two story brick house near New Castle, Kentucky, later owned by Alfred Fbree.

Their children:

Littleberry Fore - born October 5, 1767 in Prince Edward County, Va. Julian, married probably a Bashear in North Carolina; they came to Kentucky in 1801 and afterwards moved to Tennessee; they had three sons and one daughter, Alpha Foree.

Augustine married a widow, nee Pugh of Tennessee; they had a daughter Sarah.

William married Eliza Major, December 21, 1807.

Joseph married Elizabeth Sandford, September 27, 1809.

John married Betsy Thomasson.

Peter married Nancy Toole, January 20, 1816. Her nephew, Joseph Toole was Governor of Montana.

Prior died unmarried.

Mary Foree. Descendants of this family spell the name Foree.

Hezekiah (Kiah) Foree, son of Peter and Marie, had several children, one son Peter B. Foree and eight others.

Jesse Foree also had a son Hezekiah, another son Culvin or Calvin, the marriage records state he married Cordelia Ricketts, not Cordelia Foree as given by a member of the family. The son Kiah married a Coleman.



RECORD OF MARRIAGES IN HENRY COUNTY KENTUCKY  
FOR THE PERIOD OF YEARS 1798 TO 1861 INCLUSIVE.

*Foree*

GROOM & PARENT	BRIDE & PARENT	DATE & WITNESS	BOARDSMAN.
Farley, Thomas,	Shannon, Peggy f Robert	5-23-1815	
Farmer, Elijah	Blackwell, Susannah	3-1-1806	Blackwell, James f
Farmer, Joseph	McGowan, Jane	8-3-1839	
Farmer, Henry, f.	McGowan, Kesiah, f.		
Farmer, James	Evans, Sarah	12-9-1824	Evans, Sealy, f.
Farmer, Thomas,	Peake, Mary wdo of	10-12-1825	McGuire, Joseph,
Farmer, Loudorick	Farmer, Elijah	8-11-1827	Elijah Farmer, f.
Farmer, James	Evans, Sarah	12-11-1824	Evans, Celia, f.
Farmer, Henry	George, Nancy, f. Edward	16-Aug 1814	George, Isaac.
Farmer, John, K.	Young, Martha f William	4-20-1818	
Farmer, W. D.	Cureton, Nancy f. Nathaniel, f.	4-6-1818	
Farmer, Robert	McGrow, Nancy	3-23-1833	Moses McGrow, f.
Farthing, James	Magee, Permolia	6-8-1835	John Magee,
Ferguson, Coleman	Farloy, Mary Ann f. J.	10-26-1842	
Ferguson, John	Wright, Mildred, f. Willis	8-19-1817	Willis Wright
Ferguson, Andrew	Kinder, Mary, m Sally	8-21-1819	Smith, Joseph.
Fewell, Bennett,	Nevill, Margaret	12-29-1845	Thos Nevill,
Fible, John	Mitchell, Elizabeth	4-30-1831	Mary Mitchell, sp.
Fible, Joseph	Wooden, Hoziah	9-30-1803	Wooden, Peale, f.
Fightmaster, William	Wooldridge, Harriett,	1-4-1827	Wooldridge, decd. f.
Fishback, Christopher,	Suddith, Louisa,	3-12-1847	Milly Suddith, mo.
Fildon, Taylor,	Casedon, Mary Jane	1-7-1850	F C Fildon f.
	Casidin, John, R. f.		
Fisher, Elijah	Meak, Patsey	7-20-1803	Meak, Jacob, f.
Fisher, Redding	Thompson, Dicey, f. David	6-27-1818	Thomas Mount.
<i>Roadside</i> Fisher, Brandess,	Mount, Nancy	3-12-1821	Mount, John, f.
Fitzgerald, William	Bennett, Phebe	12-1-1847	
Fitzgerald, William, Sr.	" Henry, f.		
Fitzgerald, David	Stewart, Sarah D.	4-21-1832	Allen Stewart, f.
Fitzgerald, Jenkins	Logan, Sally	2-22 -1826	
Fitts, C. H.	Morris, Anne E.	4-3-1848	
Fitts, L. Monroe,	Morris, Mary Ann, f. David	6-10-1845	
Fix, Henry	Black, Martha Ann	6-18-1849	
Fix, Henry,	Black, Samuel, f.		
Fleming, James	Parker, Rachael f. Will	6-25-1816	John J Thompson, b
Fleming, Enoch	Adams, Martha	2-14-1838	James Adams, bdsrn
Fleming, Robert	Adams, Nancy	3-29-1825	William Adams, f.
Flood, Wesley	Estes, Elizabeth	5-10-1833	Squire Hall,
Flood, William D.	Hall, Polly Ann	4-3-1837	David Hall, bdsrn
Florence, Nicholas	Roberts, Elizabeth	10-8-1837	James Florence, f.
Floyd, Elijah	Tyler, Mary	5-10-1825	Tyler, Charles, f.
Floyd, Elijah	Farley, Eliza. f. Thomas	11-17-1819	
Floyd, Washington	Morland, Martha, f. W.	1-2-1814	
Foulconer, James,	Howard, Clary, f. Johnson	Bain grandfather of Clary H. 12-30-1818	
Fallis, or Follis, Jesse	L Thomas, Agnes, G	2-25-1823	Stewart White.
Forbes, John	Sams, Nancy, f. James	10-22-1844	
Forbis, Reuben	Maddox, Mahala	10-28-1829	Nathaniel Maddox, f.
Foree, Thomas,	Ferguson, Mary A.	2-2-1844	
Foree, H. P.	McDonald, Mary R.	3-27-1838	Robert McDonald, f.
Foree, John, W.	Rees, E. A.	11-11-1849	
Foree, Edwin	Vories, Mary H.	1-4-1832	Richard Batts,
Foree, Calvin	Rickett, Cordelia,	5-16-1835	Robert T Rickett, f.
Foree, Joseph	Shroder, Caroline, f. Lane	Phillip	6-13-1836
Foree, A.	Vories, Sophia	3-18-1840	Francis, Sr. Vories.
Foree, Hezekiah	Palmer, Nancy	3-23-1833	Violet, John, f.
Foree, Thos, H.	Violet, Fanny	12-10-1823	Violet, John, f.
Foree, Peter	Estos, Sarah	12-8-1834	David, Adams, Gdn .

Foree

Ambrose Foree born Virginia, 1814  
died

married on March, 10, 1840 in Henry County, Ky.

Sophia Vories born Kentucky 1823

father,	Francis Vories	born May 8, 1795
		died April 24, 1882
mother	Nancy Vories	born June 1801
		died June 25, 1861

the Vories family were of Dutch origin and settled in Henry County are buried in Campbellsburg Baptist Church cemetery.

Sophia Vories had a brother James born Oct. 22, 1821

The "Foree's" were of Huguenot origin who settled in Virginia in the late 1600's and like so many early settlers came down river and settled.

Ambrose Foree and family moved into Grant County and was on the 1850 census as follows:

Ambrose Foree	36 years	born Virginia
Sophis Vories Foree	27 years	born Kentucky
Mary	5 years	" "
Elizabeth	3 years	" "
Joseph	1 years	" "

In the birth records of 1852 a daughter Nancy was born to Ambrose and Sophis Foree.

Found also in Henry County records:

Joseph Foree to Carolyn Shrader June 13, 1836	Thomas Foree to Fany Violette December 10, 1823
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Peter Foree to Sarah Estes Dec. 18, 1834	Calvin Foree to Cordelia Ricketts May 16, 1835
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John Foree to E. A. Reis November 11, 1849	W. P. Foree to Mary McDonald March 27, 1835
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Peter Foree to Elizabeth Dawson  
May 18, 1816 *2nd. married Mary S. O'Bannon - Shelby county*

The above Peter Foree is apparently the father above and this is a second marriage as a "Peter Foree" applied for a pension for service in the Revolutionary War and there is also a Peter Foree Chapter in the D.A.R. at Campbellsburg, Ky.

*7 wks  
not  
correct*

Historical Society



John M. Foree  
Campbell, Ky.  
Ky.

## ORIGIN OF FAURE FAMILY

An article in the French Historical Magazine Revue de Gascogne, Vol. 7, 1907, on the Faure family says it originated in Gascony, France; that the first of the name known was Jean Faure, Senechal d' Armagnac in 1372. Others of the name were Guy du Faur who in 1581 was an admirer of Marguerite de Navarre; Count Anatole du Faur de Pibrac in whose castle Catherine de Medici attended a conference; and one Michel du Four, who in 1622 led an attack on some Huguenots in Capdenac. Some Faurs were of the Catholic clergy. Many were Huguenots. Curiously, the historian Baird records the conversion in Canada of a Protestant, Daniel Fore in 1685!

The name is pronounced in France today (1953) in at least three different ways: 1. The President of France in 1895 was Francois Felix Faure (For) b. 1841, d. 1899.

2. Gabriel Urbain Faure (Fo ra) French composer, 1845-1924
3. Elie Faure (For) Fr. artist & historian.
4. Jean Baptiste Faure (For) singer, d. 1914.
5. A Faure was Premier of France recently. -In 1952 and again in 1955. Name was Edgar Faure.
6. Maurice Faure figures in French politics today. (1953).

## HISTORY OF OUR BRANCH OF THE (FOREE) FAMILY IN AMERICA

One of my favorite experiences as a child was to sit on the hearth rug before an open grate fire upstairs in Grandmother Posey's room and listen to her and her sister, Aunt Betty Jesse, reminisce about old times. Their parents, Elizabeth Thomasson and John Pryor Foree, their grandparents Peter and Sally Pryor Foree, and various kith and kin, as well as their old home and its environs located about five miles from New Castle, Ky., on the Drennon Springs road.

I spoke to the family down stairs about some of the interesting stories they told, and my father, Thomas Brown (whose mother was Alpha Foree Brown and a first cousin to grandmother Posey) urged me to write down and keep a record of the things which no one knew so well as Grandmother Posey did in 1905 when she was 91 years of age and possessed an alert, active mind. Her account is as follows:

The Forees (name anglicized from the French Faure) were French people-Huguenots who came to America in the late 1600's because of religious persecution. Leaving France as they did, their landed estates were confiscated by the government of France and they arrived in America with nothing except a few relics--some of which remained in the family as late as 1859 when the brick house on the Drennon Road, home of John Pryor Foree, was destroyed by fire. Among these relics was an old red trunk made from the hide of a favorite cow in France.

The family settled on the James river in Virginia, and the older people, being well advanced in years, never learned to speak English. My grandfather, Peter Foree, (anglicized from Pierre Faure) was probably a grandson of the original settlers. He was born in 1744. He was a "Minute Man" in the Revolutionary War and enlisted in Virginia. His wife, Sarah Pryor Foree, was also a Virginian. He moved to North Carolina during the war and his pension record shows most of his service from that state. He was a carpenter when a young man and fell in love with Sally Pryor while building a barn for her father.



Peter Foree came to Ky. in the 1790's and settled with his family 3/4 miles from New Castle, Henry County--on what is called the McGinnis place. (Owned 1953 by son of Wirt Turner). He brought his eight sons and one daughter with him. His two oldest sons, Littleberry and Julius, were married when they came to Kentucky.

Peter Foree lived to be 99½ years old and was noted for his activity of mind and body. Six months before his death in 1844 his horse was led by a slave up to the "style block," in order that he might mount more easily, but he led it away and mounted from the ground without any assistance whatever.

Uncle Littleberry married Mary (Polly) Gwynn of Virginia. She was a peculiar person, and many interesting stories have been handed down about "Aunt Polly." She would allow her children to prepare for a visit and at the last moment refuse to let them go, saying she wanted to accustom them to disappointments. When her daughter Ann was on the eve of her marriage, she asked Aunt Polly for some money. With characteristic obstinancy she refused and Ann said, "Then I'll ask my fiance for it." Whereupon Aunt Polly told her she would slap her if she did. One or two of her descendants became insane, and the family always laid it on Polly Gwynn's side of the house.

At one time Peter took his <sup>(horse)</sup> force, white and black, to the home of Littleberry who had settled near his father on what is called the "Berry Foree Addition" to New Castle. Littleberry was having a "barn raising." While the men were lying around the yard resting and waiting for dinner, Uncle Littleberry challenged his youngest brother Peter (who was born in North Carolina in 1788) to a wrestling match. Peter surprised his oldest brother by throwing him, whereupon Berry exclaimed, "By blood, Peter, you can't do that again!" But Peter promptly did it again! Littleberry was small and wiry and quick of speech, while Peter was, when grown, of unusual stature and strength. So ends Grandmother's account, or the part of it that I recorded. How I wish now that I had asked more questions and copied more interesting data. She and Aunt Betty gave me an accurate record of her grandfather Peter's descendants (down to 1905) which follows later in this history. Since he lived until 1844, when she was 30 years of age, it is not surprising that her information gotten from him fits into the pattern of facts which Mrs. Louise Keith Sommerville of Mississippi, former State D.A.R. Regent and a genealogy fan, and Dr. Horace Greeley, of New York (grandson of the Horace Greeleys) have gained about the Paure family by exhaustive research. Their bibliography is in part---

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- 13. Wm. Byrd's list of inhabitants of Manikintown, Va.
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Mrs. Sommerville is a descendent of Peter's son, Dr. Augustine Pryor Foree; and Dr. Greeley is descended from Peter III's brother, William Foree (b 1749, d. 1810)

Following the Revocation of the Edict of Nantes, 1685, in France, many Huguenots came to America. On July 23, 1699, (by a change in calendar, 1700) an English sailing ship, the "Mary and Ann," laden with Huguenot refugees dropped anchor at the mouth of the James River in Virginia. Among these passengers was a widow, Le Veuve Faure, and her four children. Her husband had died or been killed prior to the ship's sailing, as the ship records list only this widow, her sons, Daniel and Jean, and two daughters. On another ship, "Nassau" which landed at Jamestown, Va., in February 1701, came another son of this Huguenot widow named, Pierre Faure. He brought with him his wife, Elizabeth, and their infant son, Jean, born in 1697. Pierre Faure joined his mother and the rest of the Faure family which had settled at Manikintown, King William's Parish, on the James River, county of Henrico, Va. This settlement was about 20 miles above the present site of Richmond, Va. The governor of Va., by order of the English King, donated 10,000 acres of land on the James River, for a Huguenot settlement. Each family was allotted 133 acres.

Mrs. Sommerville and Dr. Greeley both write at length of the Faure in Virginia, but since we are direct descendants of the widow Faure's son Pierre, born in France around 1670 and coming to Virginia on the "Nassau" in 1701, we shall pass up the records of his brothers Daniel and Jean (John) and follow his direct line down through the years for more than two and a half centuries.

This Pierre Faure was a vestryman in King William's Parish, Va. until his death in 1745. We shall refer to him hereafter as Peter Foree I (anglicised from the French pronunciation and spelling). He and his wife Elizabeth had the following children:

- 1. Jean (John) born in France in 1697; died in Va. in 1753, unmarried.
- 2. Pierre (Peter II) born 1706 or 1719 in Va; died Bourbon Co. Ky. in 1780
- 3. James, born 1708, Va. Married Ann Bondurant (always spelled Ford)
- 4. Daniel (no children)
- 5. Judith married John Leake
- 6. Mary " Wm. Fuqua.

The will of Jean, No. 1 above, probated in Goochland Co., Va., says: "If My brother Daniel dies without heirs, the property falls to brother Peter." Peter II (above) inherited, and his family paid taxes on it until 1811. So the name evidently came down through Peter II, born 1706, as Jaques (James above) always was known as James Ford.

This James, born 1708, married Ann Bondurant and they had 7 children as follows: 1. Marie Ford, 2. Judith Ford, 3. Peter, born Jan 11, 1734 in Goochland Co., Va. was 1st cousin of our Peter born in 1744 in Henrico Co. Va. 4. Madelaine Ford, 5. Ann Ford, 6. Rachel Ford, 7. Jacques

(County Clerk spelled according to sound)

1st generation in America  
2nd generation in America  
3rd generation in America

Pierre (Peter II, born 1706 in Va.) married 1st Judith Bengli (thought to be the daughter of Joseph and Judith Bengli as they acted as godparents to her son Joseph, born May 31, 1729. This son probably died in infancy as later another son, Joseph, was born to Pierre (Peter II) and his 2nd wife, Marie Gaudwin (Godwin) whom he married before 1742 when their first child was born.

Rev. Wm. Douglas, while he was rector of King William's Parish, recorded carefully the data about his flock. Among those records we find: Nov. 3, 1742 --Judith Faure, daughter of Pierre & Marie  
May 31, 1744 --Joseph Faure, son of Pierre & Marie  
Oct. , 1744 - Pierre Faure, son of Pierre & Marie  
June 22, 1747- Archelaus, " " " "  
May 2, 1749 - Wm. Faure, " " " "

About 1749 Rev. Douglas left the parish and no further records are available. But we know from descendants that Pierre and Marie had other children - 13 in all. Besides those recorded in the Douglas Register, there were Francis (Frank), Jesse, Silas, born 1766, John, Keziah, Martha, Mary (Polly), and Hezekiah.

Now Pierre (Peter II, b. 1706) and his wife Marie lived in Virginia for many years and reared their big family. During the Revolutionary War Peter II, now 61 years of age, decided to take his children remaining at home to Kentucky. The older sons were at the wars. Records show that Peter III, Joseph, Francis, Jesse, and Hezekiah were Revolutionary soldiers in Virginia and North Carolina. The first two and probably Jesse received pensions in Ky. (Peter at 90 and Joseph at 92.) So they did not accompany their father to Ky. Arriving in Ky. Peter II put his children in the palisaded fort at Ruddles Gap, Martin's Station, in what is now Bourbon Co. on the Licking River. (Note that Marie had died before the Revolution). This fort was attacked by British and Indians under Col. Byrd, and a terrible massacre occurred on June 22, 1780. Several of Peter's children were captured and carried north to Detroit and Canada. The oldest child, Judith, was scalped by the Indians because she was sickly and couldn't keep up on the long trek northward. Silas, b. 1766 according to his pension record, and the youngest child, gives interesting data in this record. Tradition has it that the father, Peter II born 1706 in Va., was killed by the Indians. Silas says his father died about this time and mentions the fact that his mother, Marie, had died in Va. soon after his birth

I am inclined to believe that Peter II wasn't killed at that time-- perhaps later - for the following reason: Recently (1950) I found in the Louisville Public Library a copy of Old Ky. Entries and Deeds by Jillsen, book number R 347 J 61, page 206. I quote: "Fore, Peter 400 acres, B.K.A. page 181, Date 10-23-1780. Watercourse, North Fork of Licking. Jefferson Entries" The massacre at Martin's Station & Ruddles Fort took place in June of 1780, several months before the deed mentioned above was recorded, and my supposition is that Peter II lived at least past the recording of the deed on Oct. 23, 1780. Of course, these early records are sometimes erroneous. Elsewhere in this history there is this location mentioned in connection with Peter II --"settled on north bank of the south Fork of the Licking in what is now Bourbon Co., Ky."



Communication was practically impossible in those early days, and Peter II's family was so widely scattered that it is no wonder they lost track of each other. Silas's pension record mentions besides Judith, killed by Indians, another sister near his own age, Kezeiah, who was carried north by Indians. There she met and married Joseph Wycoff. They lived in the state of New York. She later visited her brothers in Ky-- Joseph Fore at Shelbyville and Peter III, Silas, and Jesse near New Castle, Ky.

In a letter to his sister, Keziah in 1826, Joseph Fore, of Shelbyville, Ky. speaks of their brothers Peter III, Silas, Jesse, John, and Francis, and their sister Mary. (See Mrs. Somerville's typed notes, p. 5x. List of Peter II's and Marie's children (whom we have already written about). These 5 recorded in the Douglas Register are found on preceding pages 10 and 11 in this record. The others born later are:

6. John (lived Charlotte Co. Va. moved to Ga. after Revolution)
7. Jesse (moved to Henry co. Ky.)
8. Francis (Nattaway Co. Va. moved to Tenn. after Rev. War.)
9. Hezekiah (Rev. Soldier)
10. Martha (married a General Snigh. Lived in Tenn.)
11. Mary also lived in South (Tenn. or Miss.)
12. Keziah, b. 1762. lived N. Y.; died Aug. 14, 1830
13. Silas, b. 1766, lived at New Castle, Henry Co. Ky.

I wish we knew more about the descendants of Peter I, and Marie, but we will proceed with the direct line through their son, Peter III, born 1744 in Virginia.

Peter III, great grandson of the widow Faure who was his first ancestor in America always spelled his name Foree, though his brothers, some of them, spelled theirs Fore. He was a "Minute Man" in the Revolution and was awarded a medal by the existing govt. for bravery at the Battle of Cowpens. He was paid for his Revolutionary Services with a land grant in Ky. (Ref. State Librarians List of Rev. Soldiers of Va. page 167. and Acct. 18, page 524; III. papers 133; Pension Claim Jan. 31, 1834). Before the war he had married in Va. Sarah Fryor in 1770. They moved during the war to North Carolina where his youngest son, Peter IV was born in 1783.

"Under Heads of Families in Virginia, page 14, year 1782, is listed Peter Fore, 11 whites in household, Charlotte Co., Va. Recorded in the first U. S. Census of 1790, we find under Heads of Families in North Carolina, page 180: Peter Fore, 3 white males over 16 years, 2 white females, 5 white males under 16 years, and 5 slaves, Salisbury Dist., Stokes Co., North Carolina."

Peter III brought his family to Ky. sometime between 1790, when he was listed in the first U. S. Census above, and 1799, when there are records of his business transaction in Henry Co. Ky. (Huguenot Society Magazine # 8, Ref. page 190.)

Families stuck together in those days, and we find that Peter III and Sarah Fryor Foree brought all their nine children with them, though the two eldest sons had already married.

5th gener. They were as follows:  
in America 1. Littleberry who married Polly Gwynn of Va.  
2. Julius " " Brashears

I have always thought the Julius mentioned in Peter III's will as his brother really referred to this son, and I believe the money was not left to a sister-in-law but rather to a daughter-in-law Marjorie (?) Name not written clearly in will.

- 3. Joseph married Fanny Sanford.
- 4. Dr. Augustine Fore married Mrs. Nancy Pugh Monroe
- 5. Celia married Wm. Jean
- 6. William " Eliza Major
- 7. John Pryor " Elizabeth (Betsy) Thomason
- 8. Dr. Pryor, unmarried. He was a surgeon on Andrew Jackson's staff in War of 1812.
- 9. Peter IV. married Nancy Toole of Christiansburg, Shelby Co. Ky.

Brown's

The descendants of these nine children are worked out separately elsewhere in this book. Our (Lydia Posey Brown and sisters) maternal great grandfather was John Pryor Foree, No. 7 above, and our paternal great grandfather was Peter IV, No. 9 above.

This information in detail was given to Lydia Posey Brown in 1905 by my grandmother, Lydia Foree Posey, born Jan 12, 1814; died March 13, 1907.

What we have learned about the children of Peter II, born 1706 in Va., son and grandson of Huguenot refugees, is recorded in the following pages: Peter II died in 1780 at Ruddle's Fort, Bourbon Co., Ky.

Pierre Faure's II children--

1. Judith, born 1742 at Manikintown, King William's parish, Va.

Birth recorded in Douglas Register thus:

"Nov. 3, 1742 --Judith Faure, daughter of Pierre and Marie."

Judith was killed by Indians at either Martin's Station or Ruddle's Fort in Bourbon Co., Ky. in 1780, or on the way north. Silas says in his pension records: "The Indians scalped her because she couldn't keep up." She was 38 and an old maid.

2. Joseph Faure, son of Pierre and Marie was born May 31, 1744 according to Douglas register, but he says in his pension record at Shelby Co. Courthouse, granted in 1834, that his age is about 92, that he was born in Powhattan Co., Va. about 1742, and that the Indians broke into his father's house and destroyed all family records. He was a Revolutionary soldier, moved to Ky. in 1803 and lived at Shelbyville. His will at court house mentions his children as follows:

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- 1. Joseph, Jr., 2. Nancy, lived in Tenn., 3. Martha married Richard P. Dawson
- 4. Ann married a Ridgeway. He mentions grand-daughters Sarah and Thebe Ridgeway.
- 5. Rebecca Dowden or Dawson, lived in Christian Co., 6. Virginia married a Nevelle.
- 7. Elizabeth married a Bewzley (spelling not plain), 8. Peter G. who had a son Joseph., 9. John, 10. Joshua who had a son Jos. M.
- 11. Thomas Jefferson, born 1803.

Thomas Jefferson Fore, No. 11 above married a Tulley. Their daughter, Sarah Ware Fore married Reuben Shaddock. She was a governess in "Cousin Lydia's" (my grandmother's) family and taught Reuben, Wm., and Jimmie Bullard. This Mrs. Shaddock had a daughter Amelia who married a Hughes and lived near Pleasureville. Mrs. Hughes daughter, Gladys has two sons.

Joseph Fore wrote to his sister Keziah in 1826. The letter was sent some years ago to Mrs. Sommerville by Keziah's descendant, Myrtle Owen Cable, Warren, Penn. (David, Jane, Keziah, Pierre) See typed page 5, sent me by Mrs. Sommerville, for a copy of this interesting old letter.

The Reverend Douglas evidently made a mistake. (He does sometimes) in the following:

" Mar. 25, 1745, Pierre Faure, son of Pierre & Marie" This is our Revolutionary Peter, and he gives his age in his pension record as Oct. 25, 1744. Also on his tombstone found at the old Foree burying ground north of New Castle on the Campbellsburg Road is the date-- "Peter Foree, Died Mar. 20, 1844, aged 99 1/2 years. Many of the children and grandchildren say he was 99 1/2, my grandmother for one. His age has been a cause of wonder and admiration in family history.

He is listed under Heads of Families in Virginia, compiled in year 1782, on page 14 as: "Peter Fore, 11 whites in household, Charlotte Co. Va." These 11 whites are evidently Peter, his wife, Sarah Pryor, their only daughter, Gelia, who married a Jeans and his 8 sons. Soon after above record Peter moved to North Carolina where his youngest son, Peter IV was born in 1783.

In the first U. S. Census taken 1790, we find under Heads of Families in North Carolina, page 180, "Peter Fore, 3 white males over 16 yrs, 2 white females, 5 white males under 16 years, and 5 slaves, Salisbury Dist. Stokes Co., North Carolina." Peter III brought his family to Ky. sometime between 1790 when he was listed in the first census in Stokes Co., North Carolina, and 1799 when there are records of his business transactions in Henry Co., Ky. See Huguenot Soc. Magazine # 8, Ref. page 190.

June 22, 1747 -- Archaelless Faure, son of Pierre and Marie. Recorded in Douglas Register, in King William's Parish, Manikintown, Va. We know nothing of Archeleus ( I wonder at this name) except that he died early in life.

May 2, 1749 -- Wm. Faure, son of Pierre Faure. It was about this time that the Rev. Douglas left the parish and no further records are available, but we know already the names of the others even if we have not been able to find all the dates of birth. Wm. Fore married Magdelaine Loos in 1775. She was born Oct. 9, 1752 in Prince Edward Co. Va. The records of 1783-85 give "7 whites and 2 blacks in household." In 1793 Wm. bought 20 acres of land in this county. He died at New Castle, Ky. in 1810. Their children were: 1. Elizabeth, b. Apr. 11, 1776. 2. Dr. Culvin (bachelor) 1777-1801, 3. Judith, b. Dec. 1779, married John Sanders. 4. Sally, born Oct. 11, 1781, married John Rice. 5. Joseph born Dec. 27, 1783. He married and lived in Shelbyville, Ky.



He had a son, Jos. "Lud" Foree, (1812-1863) whose 1st wife had no children. His 2nd wife, Ellen H. McComas, of Natchez, had 5 children. They were Cul Foree (bachelor), Ella, Amy, Jos. L., and Mary, who married Seaborn McDowell and died in Calif. in 1904.

Silas Foree, youngest child of "Pierre and Marie" was born in 1766. I quote from Dr. Greeley's Faure chart: "Silas emigrated with his father to Ky. when just a boy where he was captured by the British and Indians together with his sisters Judith and Keziah and one brother. The Indian chief, Logan, is said to have taken a fancy to him; he admired the boy's courage, adopted him and took him to Canada. A British officer in some way got possession of him there and sold him to a Scotchman. Altogether Silas Foree spent 7 years among the Indians and Canadians, and at the close of the War for Independence, came back to Va. where he married and settled in Nottoway Co. In 1803 he removed to Shelby Co., Ky. and then again to Henry Co. He and his wife reared a family of 4 daughters and 6 sons, all of whom became farmers. He was one of the volunteers who enlisted under Washington to quell the Whiskey Rebellion in Pennsylvania. He received a pension as a soldier in the War of 1812. A great-grandson, Kenneth Foree, lives in Dallas, Texas. His father Silas was a son of the first Silas & son John.

Some notes about various ones in the family:

Dr. Pryor Foree, son of Littleberry, was the first millionaire (last too, so far as I know!) in the family and one of the first in the U. S. He lived in Cincinnati. Grandmother Posey says they didn't enjoy their visits to Cousin Pryor's much--the atmosphere too cold and gloomy, and I imagine rather formal. His daughter, Mary, married Ed. Anderson, of Cincinnati, uncle of Nicholas Longworth who married Alice Roosevelt. When our cousin, Louise Keith Sommerville, of Miss. met him in Washington some years ago, he had some interesting things to tell them about "Aunt Mary."

Peter Gwynn Foree was the last of the Peters in our branch of family. He was a handsome, charming fellow much in love with his pretty cousin, Elizabeth Garey of Baltimore. I don't know why they didn't marry unless the family opposed. He later married Lula Gray and died at the age of 33.

Alfred P. Foree present owner of the "Old Homestead" farm, 2 miles north of New Castle, Ky. on road to Campbellsburg, Ky. His Gr. Grandfather, Peter IV., built the beautiful brick house around 1810 and it is a beautiful residence today. We love the old place because it was our Gr. grandfather's home where our grandmother, Alpha Foree Brown, was born and married and because we have had many happy times there as children.

Henry Garey of Baltimore, dignified, stern, severe, was father of our beloved "Cousin Elizabeth Walton Garey" who came to visit us for 3 months in 1913 and stayed for 3 years! She paid \$5 a week board, a good board for those days! and my mother with the money got many things we needed and didn't have. She and my mother were very congenial and we children were highly entertained by their conversations.

One day she said, "Sarah, you are an aristocrat." "No, my mother replied," "you are an aristocrat and I am a democrat." Which reminds me of mother's answer to Roy Martin when he said one day in reply to her assumption that something at our church wasn't democratic. "Mrs. Brown, don't you know democracy is dead?" (At beginning of World War II). "Not as long as I live!" said mother. Cousin Elizabeth's eastern accent was highly appreciated by us little country cousins. She would call over the bannister, "Oh, Posey, come and fasten me up!" and when she had to hold her breath in order for hooks and eyes to meet, she would exclaim, "Oh, that wicked cream!" I must just cut the amount I eat of it in half." When she saw tenants gathering wild greens, she said, "Oh, Sarah, do the poor things have to eat grass?" Dr. Henry Garey, of Baltimore, became nationally and internationally famous as an eye specialist.

The second son of Peter Force III, (1744-1814) and his wife, Sarah Pryor Force, (1748-1802) was Julius Force, who married a Miss Brashears before the family moved to Ky. In Peter III's will, written in 1839, he speaks of "Marjery" (kinda hard to read the writing), wife of my brother, Julius Force, deceased." In all the records there is reference to Peter III's having a brother, Julius, and I believe it was copied incorrectly and should have read, "wife of my son, Julius." The next item in Peter III's will says, "I give to Alpha Johnson, My grand-daughter and wife of William Johnson, of Tenn. the sum of \$500 in money." Julius Force and his wife, Marjorie, had a daughter, Alpha, who married Wm. Johnston, of Tenn. on Nov. 23, 1818. (See marriage records at New Castle Court House). Julius Force then son of Peter III, had died prior to his father's will written in 1839.

The third son of Peter III and Sally Pryor Force was Joseph. He married Fanny Sanford. Marriage records at New Castle Court House in 1955 state- Joseph Force, Eliz. Sanford, and give the date 9-27-1889. Could Joseph have married twice or could his wife's name been Frances Elizabeth? Two of the children are named, Thomas Force and Frances P. Force. We know that Joseph died before 1818 or in that year because the records at New Castle, Ky. speak of the Estate of Joseph Force, deceased, and mention that Wm. P. Force is administrator in Oct. 1818, I quote: "To John Force expenses to go to Cincinnati to settle above estate. To Dr. F. Force for medicinal services for family of Joseph Force ---\$44.00. To John Rodman for making coffin for Jos. Force -\$34. In Joseph Force's heirs - Wm. Force, Guardian to: Augustine, Frances P., Preston B. and Thomas S. infant heirs. (Acct. to 1825 of guardianship."

Dr. Augustine Pryor Force ( so many in family took the Pryor name of their mother, daughter of Augustine Pryor of Va.). Uncle Augustine wanted to study medicine as a young man. I don't know whether his brother Pryor was older or younger than he. According to his gr. Grand-daughter, Keith FrazierxSommerville ( daughter of Louise Keith & Gov. James Frazier, of Tenn, and D.A.R. Regent of Mississippi, Peter III was an irascible old guy and very much opposed to Augustine's being a doctor. I guess he thought one doctor son was enough. Peter's brother, William, however, encouraged and gave financial aid to nephew Augustine, and doctor he was. Peter was so angry that he cut young Augustine off with-



out a penny. A deed book at New Castle court house records the transfer from Peter to son, Augustine, in lieu of affection, etc. "one pewter dish." Augustine left his father's home never to return, went to Tenn. and married the charming young widow, Nancy Pugh Monroe. In 1840 he came back to Ky. to see his daughter, Sarah Foree, then in school at Science Hill, Shelbyville. While here he visited his brothers, John Pryor and Peter Foree IV, both near his father's home (old McGinnis place). He was a victim of the cholera epidemic then raging in Ky. and died at his brother John's. He is buried at old Wm. Foree graveyard, at Christiansburg according to Mrs. Sommerville, though I wonder if it wasn't at one of family graveyards on Peter III's, Peter IV's or John Pryor's farms. Old Peter lived until 1844.

In 1906 Auntie Edna Brown and sister Alpha, visited at the old Keith home near Athens, Tenn., then owned by Alexander Keith, grandson of Dr. Augustine Pryor Foree, which was the spelling he used after leaving his father's home. Marshall Keith now owns the old home and has made a regular show place of it.

Gov. James Frazier, of Tenn. is to blame for my getting bitten by the genealogy bug. She wrote some years ago and was so glad to learn what grandmother had told me about Peter III's branch of Foree's. She has helped me trace our Foree forebears back to 1699, when our ancestress, L'Veure Faure, a Huguenot widow, arrived in America. Mrs. Sommerville is an inveterate genealogist, and I must confess to having caught some of her enthusiasm. I find it an interesting hobby and one which Kitty's and John Foree's children may thank me for some day. The Foree, Brown, and Chenault lines are all traced back to the first ancestor in America.

Celia was the only daughter of Peter and Sarah Pryor Foree. She, too, must have died before Peter's will was written in 1839, because the legacy is left to "my grandson, Wm. Jean's children." Maybe some day we can learn something about Celia's descendants.

My grandmother, Lydia Foree Posey, was born at the home of her parents Elizabeth (Betsy) Thomasson and John Pryor Foree, on Jan 12, 1814, on the Drennon Springs Road about 5 miles from New Castle, Henry Co., Ky. She was the eldest of a large family of children. When she was 17, she fell in love with a young carpenter, William Bullard, as had her grandmother, Sally Pryor Foree. Incidentally, young William made the hand-carved mantels that are at Peter IV's "Old Homestead Farm," now owned by Alfred Foree, on the Campbellsburg Road, north of New Castle. Lydia Foree married William in 1831, and the wedding party rode horseback to his home at Bullard's crossroads, Shelby County. In my mother's memoirs, published in the Shelby News in 1952 and '53, she tells much of her mother's subsequent life--of how she was left a widow with small children and thirty or more negro slaves who had to be provided for and directed with tact and firmness. For further information about Grandmother Lydia Foree (Bullard, Slaughter, Posey), see "Down Memory's Lane" written by Sarah Posey Brown. Grandmother lived to be 93 years of age --Madison was President (the 4th Pres.) when she was born. She had many, many, friends--both black and white. Because of her business ability, thrift, and good management, we enjoy the farm home she left to my mother today. She used to despise waste and often said, "Save every way you can, and you will always have something to give to those in need."



She was most generous always and so hospitable that she always had friends and neighbors and relatives in her home. It was she who had given me much of the family history before I ever came in contact with any family genealogists or did any research for myself.

Dr. Pryor Foree, 8th son of Peter & Sarah Pryor Foree, was unmarried. He served on Andrew Jackson's staff, as a surgeon in War of 1812 and died just the day before Battle of New Orleans. He was buried on the plains of \_\_\_\_\_ New Orleans, La.

Peter Foree IV, born in North Carolina, in 1783, lived to be 98 yrs old, and his wife, Nancy Toole Foree was 97 years of age. They were my father's grandparents. Joseph Toole, Nancy's nephew, was the first governor of Montana. My mother remembers well her mother's "Aunt Nancy and Uncle Peter."

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Louisville Public Library.

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" , Joseph 7 7 " " " " " "  
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L'Veuve (Faure)Foree, Huguenot widow, came to Virginia on ship "Mary & Ann" in 1700 with 4 children.

Pierre Foree married Judith Bingili.

Pierre Foree, b. 1706 or 1719, Amer. Rev. - married Mary Gaudwin (Godwin).

Silas Foree (b. 1770-1859) married Sarah Beasley (1773-1839)

Nancy Hurt Foree (1794-1874) married Jonathan Hill, b. 1797

Note: Silas Foree b. 1766 according to pension record. He was the youngest brother of Peter Foree (b. 1744), our gr. gr. grandfather.

Ky. Hist. Society, Frankfort, Ky.

Henry Co. Pension Records.

Force,(Foree, Peter - North Carolina - # 31036

Record states his military service was entered from Surrey county, North Carolina, and states he was born on Oct. 23 of the year 1744 in Cumberland Co., Pa. This is a mistake) He was born in Va. This pension was issued on Jan. 31, 1834. He died March 20, 1844.

Force (Foree), Silas - Virginia # R 3650

Silas Foree was 78 yrs. when he applied for pension. He states he was born in Prince Edward Co., Va., on Jan. 1, 1766. Said his mother died soon after his birth, leaving 13 children, among whom were Hezekiah, John, Judith, Polly, Keziah, and Martha. He came with his father to Ky. in 1777 and settled at Martin's Station, Bourbon Co. (3 or 4 miles from Paris) He volunteered in 1778 (March) to serve against the Indians at the age of 12. In June, 1778, his father died and he was mustered to defend the fort. He became a prisoner to the British and was taken to Detroit and kept there until the summer of 1782. Among others taken prisoner and taken north was a Mrs. La Force. Silas says he returned to Va. after the Rev. to Prince Edward Co., where he lived four or five years and then married and moved to Notaway Co., Va., where he lived until 1803 or 4 when he moved to Shelby Co., Ky.--stayed 1 year and then settled permanently near New Castle, Henry Co., Ky.

Copied from Henry Co. Local, Aug. 20, 1926

D. A. R. to unveil Marker the 27th

The marker is erected in honor of Revolutionary soldiers of Henry Co., by the Bland Ballard Chapter. There are 97 names on roll, among them is Peter Foree (1744), North Carolina. He is our gr. gr. grandfather.

From Kentucky, A History of the State, by Parrin, Battle, & Kniffen, pub. in Louisville, Ky. by F. A. Battey & Co., in 1887, Page 788.

"T. P. Foree was born in Henry Co., Ky. Dec. 1, 1817, a son of Peter and Nancy Toole Foree. Peter was born in North Carolina in 1783. He was the son of another Peter Foree who married Sallie Pryor, of Virginia. They were of French descent.

Mr. Foree is considered one of the most extensive and successful farmers in the county, owns over a thousand acres of land near New Castle, etc. etc."

"Joseph P. Foree" (some more notes about him). He was educated at Shelby college and Transylvania Univ. from which he graduated from law dept. in 1843. He went to Miss. and became judge of the probate court in Tallahatchia Co. in 1845 and in 1848 represented that Co. in the Miss. State Legislature. In 1852 he returned to Ky. and was elected Judge of Shelby Co. in 1854, in which capacity he remained for 16 yrs. In 1871 he represented Shelby Co. in the state legislature. July 8, 1846, he married Miss Mary P. Marshall, a native of Va. (Related to Ch. Justice John Marshall) who died in 1882, the mother of four children: Pryor Jr, Chas. Marshall, Susan B. and Sallie J. The Judge is a Royal Arch Mason and in 1874 was elected Grand High Priest of the State of Ky."

Mrs. Lydia Posey was born in Henry Co., Ky., (a daughter of John P. & Elizabeth Thomasson Foree.) Her father, a native of Va. came to Ky. with his father, Peter Foree (1744-1844) about 1780, and was a soldier in the War of 1812. Her grandfather, Peter Foree, a native of Va., served for a short time in the Rev. War. Her grandmother was Sallie Pryor of Virginia, etc. etc.

A little more information about a son of Peter Foree III, Augustine Pryor Foree, who after his father disinherited him, wrote the name Foree, as he thought it should be written. As has been stated, he studied medicine at the Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, Pa. The story goes that once, en route on horseback to college, he stopped for the night at an inn in Greenville, Tennessee. During the night, the innkeeper roused him, "Mr. Phillip Hale's daughter, Elizabeth Douglas, was very ill and wanted a doctor immediately." "I haven't graduated," said young Dr. Foree, "but I'll go and do what I can." He stayed several weeks and succeeded in breaking up her ailment, but had a harder time overcoming her inertia and lack of interest in living. Finally he hit upon the idea of reading to her each day a chapter of the then popular novel of the day, "Evelins." After each reading he would pocket the book and ride away. She became so interested that she promptly got well. When I, as a young girl, read this quaint old book in the Congressional Library, because of this story, I wondered how it could have aroused anyone from lethargy, but perhaps it was a thriller in those days! Strange to say the young doctor did not fall a victim to the charms of his patient, reputedly very beautiful, but soon Charles Fleming Keith did and married her. Years later Dr. Foree's only daughter, Sarah, married her son, Alexander H. Keith.



Dates on Tomb Stones in New Castle, Ky. Cemetery (1946)

Peter Foree, Born June 4, 1783, Died October 2, 1881

Nancy, wife of Peter Foree, born Feb. 9, 1784, Died Aug. 17, 1879

Peter G. Foree, born April 16, 1851, Died Jan. 21, 1884

Tombstones on Old Foree Place north of New Castle on

Sarah, wife of Peter Foree, Born 1748, Died Nov. 1802

Peter Foree, Died March 20, 1844

Edna, Daughter of J. P. & E. Foree, died March 27, 1840, age 4 yrs.

Mary died Mar. 25, 1838, aged 15 yrs., Martha died Aug. 6, 1832, age 2 yrs.  
These were daughters of J. P. and E. Foree

John P. son of J. P. & E. Foree, died July 22, 1832, aged 4 yrs.

Nov 15, 1991: Residents of Old Homestead Farm, R.R. 1, Campbellsville, Ky. 40011

John Mansie Foree and Miss Beird Foree (from Hodgenville, Ky)  
(Mr. & Mrs. John M. Foree)

2 sons: (1) Mr. John Beird Foree M. Catherine Hodge Foree  
Mar 31/19/1951 from Middletown, Ky.

Henry Co. Small Animal Veterinarian since 1980  
Dew Clinic + horse farm

(2) Robert Hughes Foree M. Jean K. DeCompte, Shelby Co. 1980  
Mar 5/1/1953  
(Robert H) Bobby was selected by Outstanding  
Young Farmer in 1981 by Ky. Farm Bureau.  
Bobby is also a Senior law student now at U.C.

Bobby & Jean K. have two children  
Bobby born Aug 2, 1985 (age 5)  
Robby (Robert H. Jr.) 1989 (age 2)

Bobby & Jean K. live on a farm near  
Carrsville, Ky.

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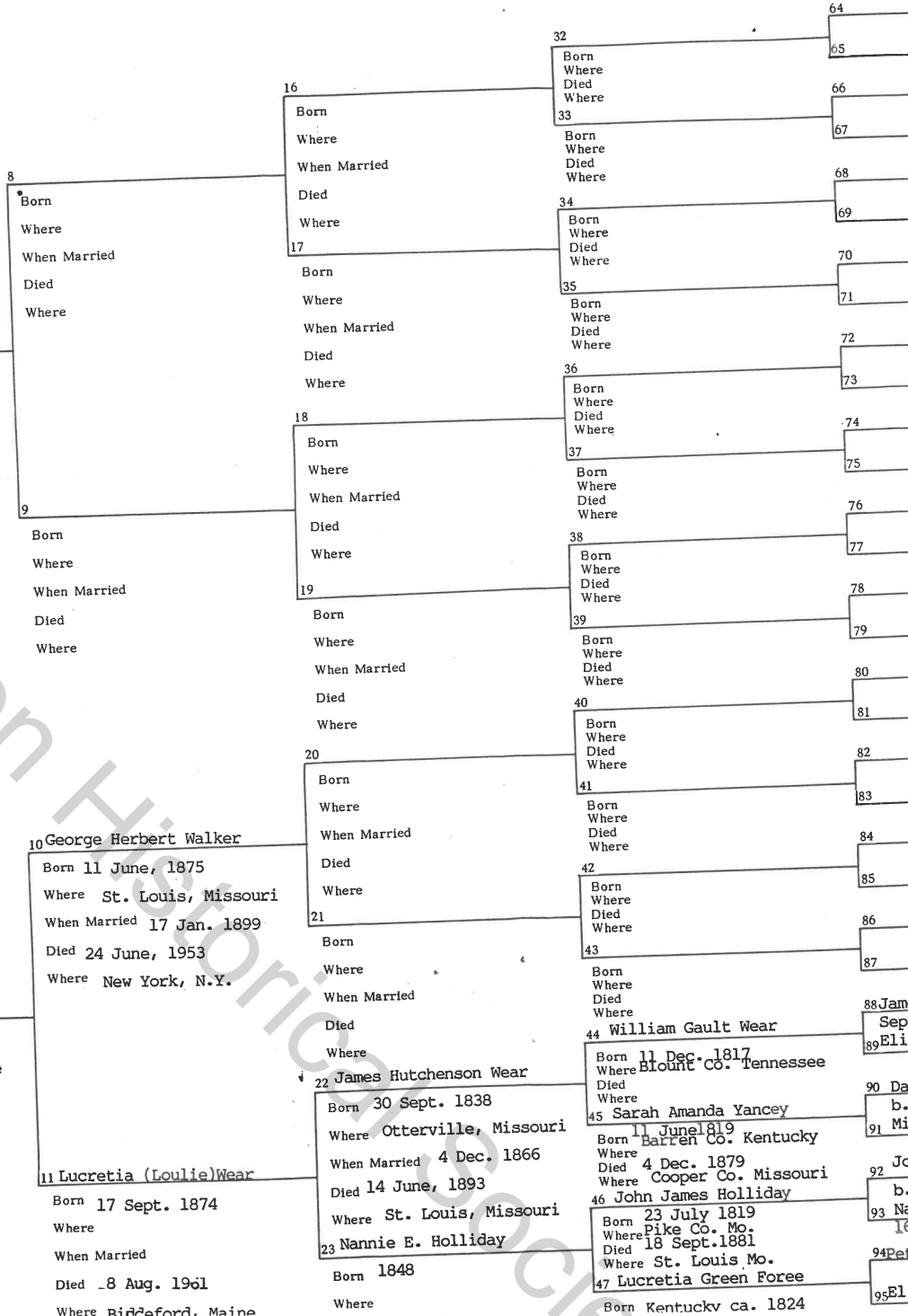
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 When Married 6 Aug. 1921  
 Died 8 Oct. 1972  
 Where Kennebunkport, Maine

George Herbert Walker Bush  
 Born 12 June, 1924  
 Where Milton, Massachusetts  
 When Married 6 Jan, 1945  
 Died \_\_\_\_\_  
 Where \_\_\_\_\_

5 Dorothy Walker  
 Born 1 July, 1901  
 Where Walker's Point, Maine  
 When Married 6 Aug. 1921  
 Died \_\_\_\_\_  
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11 Lucretia (Loulie) Wear  
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# Bush

## D2 ILLUSTRATION OF THE PREPONDERANCE OF THE EVIDENCE PRINCIPLE

An interesting article on the ancestry of President George Herbert Walker Bush appeared in a publication in 1989 that caught my attention. Some of his ancestors were listed as being from Kentucky and one in particular was Peter Foree who married Eliz from Kentucky and one in particular was Peter Foree who married Eliz from Kentucky and one in particular was Peter Foree who married Eliz Dawson in Henry Co. Ky. in 1816.

Being from Kentucky and knowing some of the Foree family, I began a search to see just how the President was descended.

In checking in: Annie Walker Burn's Henry County, Kentucky Marriages 1800-1835 on page 20, I found that a Peter G. Foree did marry Eliza G. Dawson, daughter of Samuel Dawson.

This Peter G. Foree was concluded to be the son of a Joseph Fore/Foree who was born in Virginia in 1744, and whom died in Shelby Co. Ky. in 1835 and left a will in Shelby Co. Ky. Shelby County Kentucky Wills Book 11, p.174, on microfilm 7 at The Filson Club. In his will he mentions his son Peter G. Foree.

*After the death of his first wife Eliza, Peter G. Foree remarried*  
On 10 Feb., 1829, in Shelby Co. Ky. ~~Peter G. Foree,~~ married a Mary O'Bannon. Eula Richardson Hasskarl, Shelby County, Kentucky Marriages 1792-1833 (Ada, Oklahoma: 1983) p.133 In Sept. of 1847 an indenture was recorded in Jefferson County, Kentucky between Mary O'Bannon Foree, widow of Peter G. Foree of the first part, and Lucretia G. Holliday, wife of John J. Holliday of the second part. This clearly establishes this Peter G. to be the ancestor of President Bush, as we already knew that Peter G.'s daughter was Lucretia Green Foree who married John J. Holliday and established by the genealogist in the mentioned article Louisville Chancery Court Commissioners Deed Book.#3, Jefferson County Archives, Louisville Ky. p. 312

Even though this seems to be a fairly positive conclusion, there are some evidence of importance that may take prevalence over these findings.

Joseph Fore/Foree established father of Peter G. Foree, was the son of a Pierre/Peter Foree born in 1719 in King William Parish Virginia, also had a brother named Peter Foree born in 1745. W. Mac Jones, The Douglas Register (Richmond Va: J.W. Ferguson & Sons, 1928) p.382 This Pierre/Peter Foree married Sarah Pryor in Virginia, and after the Revolution also came to Kentucky and settled near his brother in Shelby Co. Ky. Peter Foree and his wife Sarah also had a son named Peter G., as he is mentioned in his father's will Henry County, Kentucky Will Book 8 p.79, Microfilm, The Filson Club. This Peter G. was approximately the same age as Peter G., son of Joseph. ~~The~~ Peter G. married Nancy O'Toole 20 Jan. 1816 in Henry Co. Kentucky Annie Walker Burns, Henry Co. Ky. Marriages (un.p. n.d) pg. 20.

Both of these Peter G. Forees appear on Henry Co. tax list, and on U.S. Census records with children of similiar ages, and both have sons named Joseph. The Peter G. Foree who married Nancy O'Toole first son was named Joseph, and makes a strong case that he may be the correct ancestor of President Bush, and not the Peter G. Foree who married Eliza Dawson.

~~Son of Joseph Foree~~

- This Peter G. who married Nancy O'Toole 20 Jan 1816 in Henry Co. Ky, ~~was~~ has been reputed to be the son of Peter & Sarah Pryor Foree, however in the will of Joseph Foree in 1835 in Shelby Co. a grandson named O'Toole is listed as heir.

What makes Peter G. Foree who married Eliza Dawson. the right Peter G. who ancestor of Bush.

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as her guardian, who was appointed  
Isham B. Shannon as his security  
One Thousand Dollars conditioned

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**THE PETER FOREE HOUSE**  
 LaGrange, Kentucky

*R. R. 1, Campbellsburg, Ky. 40311*  
*located 2 miles north of*  
*New Castle, Ky. on U.S. 421*



**PETER FOREE CHAPTER (LaGrange, Kentucky)** has the rare privilege of being able to visit and on occasion hold a meeting at the home built by Peter Foree in 1810. He was the Revolutionary soldier for whom the Chapter was named.

"Old Homestead Farm" has always been owned and operated by male descendants. A part of the military grant to great-great-great-grandfather, Peter Foree, is now an up-to-date working farm owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. John Manser Foree and their two sons.

The house was built of bricks made on the site. It sits on a hill commanding a sweeping view of the valley southward toward New Castle and Eminence, Kentucky.

The Forees have wisely incorporated modern conveniences without sacrificing the historic features of the house, retaining the Ionic columns, the original fireplaces, bookcases, stairs, blue ash floors, and family heirloom furniture. The slave quarters and the old smokehouse are gone now, with the exception of the "winter kitchen" in the basement where the slaves prepared the food.

The earliest Foree burial site was on the farm, but the family plot in the New Castle Cemetery contains the weathered gravestone of Peter Foree, 1745-1844. This grave was marked by the Peter Foree and Bland Ballard Chapters in 1957 with a bronze marker and appropriate ceremonies.

Three descendants are members of the Chapter, one of whom, Mrs. Major E. Holmes, was Organizing Regent in 1953. She has related incidents told by her mother, who as a child, often stayed with her grandmother, then the lady of the plantation.

**CONTRIBUTING CHAPTERS**

Peter Foree  
 Ambrose Meador  
 Bland Ballard  
 Frankfort  
 Susannah Hart Shelby  
 Edmund Rogers  
 Fincastle  
 John Marshall  
 Captain John McKinley  
 Hart  
 Three Forks

St. Aspah  
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RECORD OF MARRIAGES IN HENRY COUNTY KENTUCKY  
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GROOM & PARENT	BRIDE & PARENT	DATE & WITNESS	BONDSMAN.
Foree, Peter, G.	Dawson, Eliza, G. f. Sam. I	5-18-1816	Richard White.
Fore, Joseph	Sanford, Eliz. f. Sanford, Danl.	9-27-1809	Sanford, Chas.
Fore, John	Pringle, Polly	8-23-1810	Edw. Samuel Ireland
Foree, William B.	Foree, Elizabeth, wdo	3-8-1821	
Ford, Garrard	Norman, Mary Ann	12-15-1838	Jesse Z Norman,
Ford, Calvin,	Kirktick, Eliz.	2-4-1843	Kirkpick, Eles,
Ford, James	Short, Ann	1-26-1851	Sam Shoot or Short or Short. 7
Ford, Abner,	Jones, Louisiana	4-3-1832	f. Thelemiah Jones,
Ford, Robert	Terrill, Jenny	9-25-1805	Edw. Terrill, Robert.
Ford, Calvin	Ireland, Martha E	3-19-1839	f. Samuel Ireland,
Ford, Abner,	Ford, Polly, f. John	5-29-1830	
Ford, James	Johnston, Elizabeth	12-1-1833	f. James, Johnston,
Ford, Warner,	Jones, Stecia f. James	11-30-1833	James Jones, f.
Ford, Samuel	Hambrick, Eliza,	11-2-1825	Hambrick, Ellen, f.
Ford, Minor	Mitchell, Nancy	11-8-1825	Mitchell, Michael
Ford, John Jr.	Highsmith, Hopeshill f. Thos	1-15-1816	Ford, Jno. Sr.
Ford, Warner,	Foree, Sally	3-14-1812	Foree, Robert, B.
Ford, George, P.	Nutall, Cassander, f. Price	6-2-1827	
Foster, John	Foster, Betsy f. Alexander	4-24-1814	Hannah Foster, wt
Foree, or Foree	Stephen Mullikin, Malinda	11-18-1829	f. Mullikin, William
Fought, John	LaCompte, Prissiler,	4-18-1804	f. LaCompte, Charles
Fought, John	Polly, Bonta, f. Denniel	Bonta	12-4-1818
Fowler, James f. John	Conn, Mary mo. Nancy.		John Fowler, f.
Fowler, William	Conn, Matilda,	2-15-1836	Conn, Jas deod. and Nancy
Frank, Sanford,	Smith, Clinga f. B. I.	3-26-1849	S. Q Frank, f.
Frankloy, John	Montague, Sarah Ann	3-20-1843	Thos B Fosy,
Franklin, Massy	Williamson, Elizabeth	12-2-1822	Williamson, Waller
Frazier, J. P.	Robbins, Lucinda, f. Jas.	2-4-1850	J F Frazier, f.
Frazier, Jacob	Hutchinson, Sophia " f. Robert	4-24-1841	
Frazier, James	Adams, Anne f. David	4-1-1810	Jacob Myers,
Frazier, Robert	Evans, Lelia f. Kne. Knight	4-23-1817	Baker, Andrew,
Frazier, J. Amos,	Shack, Margaret Ann f. Mathew & Mary	2-7-1805	11-20-1816
Frazier, James	Doan, Nancy	6-29-1801	Dean, William, f.
Fugett, Leonard,	Tracy, Polly	5-4-1821	Tracy, Samuel, f.
Fuqua, Moses,	McClane, Kitty or McClave	5-4-1821	Jno Ralph.
Fuquay, Samuel	Nancy Well f. Little B Wells,	1-18-1823	5-7-1819
Fuquay, Richard, B.	List, Deborah	11-7-1837	Bluright, List ex
Fulton, Thos I	Cummins, Nancy	8-16-1802	
Fulton, Andrew			Pringle, Jas & Jas D Dodd.
Furgerson, Nathaniel	Sullivan, Winney	1-1-1824	Kindor, Ferguson
Furgesen, James	Sullivan, Dennis, f.	3-29-1823	Joseph, Elston, b
Furgeson, William	Baker, Winney	3-1-1848	John Carpenter, f.
Furguson, William	Carpenter, Fanny Ann	2-29-1848	
Furrian, Chas,	Carpenter, Fanny A	12-30-1847	Furrian, Chas, f.
	Woodleton, Lucvicy		
	Woodleton, T. H. f.		
Galbreath, Thos,	Crows, Nancy	1-1-1817	Burns, John,
Galbreath, Robert	Little, Polly	12-20-1806	Little, Anna & Amos,
Galbreath, Wm	Truett, Polly f, Jesse	12-19-1819	Jesse Truitt,
Galbreath, David	Henderson, Charlotte,	10-28-1829	f. Wm T Henderson,
Galbreath, David	Ellis, Frances,	11-24-1835	Wm Sutton
Galbreath, James S	Oliver, Nancy	1-12-1804	no. Hawkins, Elizabet
Gaines, Francis, Sr	Peter, Nancy	2-16-1829	f. John Peter
Gaines, James	Gaines, Mary Jane	3-5-1840	Ben Gaines, f.



I Joseph Fore senior of Shelby county and State of Kentucky do make the following disposition of all my worldly property in this my last will and Testament V. J.

- 1 I bequeath to my daughter Mary Coleman one negro man named Bob.
- 2 I bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Beasley two negroes one named Sall and her child named Heriot \* See the alteration No. 1.
- 3 I give to my daughter Phibe Ridgway one hundred dollars.
- 4 I give to the children of my deceased daughter Ann Ridgway one negro boy named Elijah.
- 5 I bequeath to my daughter Martha ditto one negro man named Acaah. (See No. 11 alteration)
- 6 I allow my daughter G. Fore to have and to keep three hundred dollars when he drew out of the Farmers and Mechanics bank in Shelbyville.
- 7 I bequeath to my daughter Rebecca Dawson one negro man named Mat.
- 8 I give and bequeath to my daughter Virginia Sewell the full and complete right to about seventy acres of land on the waters of Six mile & inch the place where she at present lives.
- 9 I give to my son Joshua Fore two negroes one named Charles and the other Victoria <sup>Quena</sup> Sarah Ridgway daughter of Ann Ridgway.
- 10 I give to my grand daughter <sup>my daughter dec.</sup> one negro named Jonas. \* See No. 2-3 alteration
- 11 I give to my grand son <sup>son</sup> Joseph M. Fore son of Joshua Fore one negro boy named Anthony.
- 12 I bequeath to my grand son Joseph Fore son of Peter G. Fore one negro boy named Daniel.
- 13 I give to my grand daughter Ann Melanquin one negro girl named Senushia, now already in her possession.
- 14 Having given my son Joseph Fore the plantation of which he now lives, it being about one hundred acres of land, I allow him to make addition to that in the proportion of the price of property to be sold hereinafter to be mentioned.
- 15 I bequeath to my Executors hereinafter to be named, in trust for the use and benefit of my son Thomas Jefferson Fore one hundred & seven acres of land on the waters of Six mile Creek the piece which said Jefferson at this time occupies - Also three negroes named Tom and Smoky his wife, and Ben - with all the live stock, plantation utensils - house hold and kitchen furniture in his possession: and my said Executors as trustees for said Thomas Jefferson Fore shall allow them to have the use and occupancy of said land, negroes and other property for the maintenance of himself and family; but he shall not have the privilege of selling or other wise disposing of said property either in whole or in part or the proceeds and profits of the same without the consent and approbation of my Executors regarded as Trustees. Further if from the imprudent management and conduct of <sup>my</sup> said son Thomas Jefferson



Fore, it should become necessary, My Executors as Trustees may take the possession and management of said, negro and other property for the benefit and support of said Thomas Jefferson Fore, and family. At the death of said Thomas J. Fore all the property above mentioned or so much of it as may remain shall descend to his heirs as is directed by law in case of persons dying intestate, or as Thomas Jefferson Fore himself shall direct by his last Will and Testament. And for the accomplishment of the intention of this present arrangement concerning Jefferson Fore, my Executors as Trustees shall and may institute and defend suits at law for the preservation and defence of the fore said property.

16 Finally, I direct that all my property not disposed of already in the arrangement of this Will and when shall remain <sup>at my death</sup> more be sold and that the proceeds of said property be equally divided & apportioned to all my heirs, excepting my son Jefferson and daughter Virginia Sewell. The children of my deceased son and daughter shall receive collectively what each of them respectively parents ~~would~~ should, were they living after my death.

I now appoint and constitute my two sons Peter J. Fore and Joshua Fore to be my Executors to carry this my last Will and Testament into execution in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this 9<sup>th</sup> day of March one thousand, eight hundred and thirty <sup>interlined before subscribed</sup> signed sealed and declared in presence of the subscribing witnesses } Joseph Fore

- Archibald Cameron
- John C. Brown
- James Hawthorn

I Joseph Fore as yet of disposing mind, have, on account of occurrences which have taken place since the time I drew the disposition of my property as stated in my last Will and Testament written above, changed my mind in some respects - I do therefore make and declare the following



- alterations and additions Viz. Whereas Beazley who was married to my daughter Elizabeth has behaved badly and I Beazley and my daughter have separated I direct therefore the right of Sall and her <sup>net her</sup> estates in Sall my daughter Elizabeth Beazley as I intended, but that the right to Sall & Melinda and Sall's future offspring be given to estates in the children of my daughter Elizabeth - Yet I reserve that my said daughter Elizabeth have the use of Sall during her life time at pleasure but to the exclusion of any claim whatever by Beazley to the service of Sall -
- (1) And Herot the daughter of Jill I now bequeath to Sally Redgway my granddaughter and the
- (2) Boy Jones who was formerly left or intended for Sally Redgway I now bequeath to Joseph son of my deceased Jose Joseph
- (4) I have also changed my mind respecting the bequest of my aged servant Jacob whom I formerly intended to leave to my son in law Abraham Ditto but as I want Jacob not to be sold and kept in the family I therefore recall my former direction respecting him and give Jacob with his very aged mother to my daughter Elizabeth to have them both during their life



(5) Further I here in recognize that James Ridgway  
son in law <sup>received</sup> the hundred dollars which allowed  
in <sup>intended by subscription</sup> my Will. In testimony whereof I here unto  
set my hand and affix my seal on this sixth  
day of January one thousand eight hundred  
and thirty two

Signed sealed and  
declared in presence  
of the subscribing  
witnesses

Wm. Hall  
Amos Hall  
Lee Bird

Joseph Fore

~~Amos Hall~~

The Will of Joseph

Shelby County <sup>Fore Son</sup>

July Term 1835

A Writing purporting to be the last will & Testament of Joseph  
Fore Son with a codicil or alterations <sup>thereunto</sup> written was produced in  
Court whereupon Archibald Cameron and John Brown two of  
the subscribing witnesses ~~thereunto~~ will being sworn state that said  
writing was signed & acknowledged by the said Joseph as and  
for his last will and Testament and that they believe he  
was of sound disposing mind and memory at the time of  
doing the same and he the said Archibald Cameron with Lee  
Bird a subscribing witness to the codicil or alterations there  
under written being also sworn stated that said codicil was  
subscribed and acknowledged by the said Joseph Fore Son  
as and for his last will Will and Testament which will &  
codicil is ordered to be recorded and thereupon Peter's Fore  
and Joshua Fore the Executors named in said will came into  
Court & took upon themselves the burden of the execution  
thereof and having taken the oath required by law and



entered into bond in the penalty of \$7000.00 conditioned  
as the law directs with Amos Hale John McQueen &  
William A Hamlin their securities probate of said  
will is granted them in due form of Law  
Attest J. Whitaker clerk

Joseph W. Brown

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Joseph Howard  
M.D.

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130 of August One thousand eight hundred  
and One.

Nathan Garrett seal  
Meany County town

We Mellician Butler & John White do  
hereby Certify that Nathan Garrett who  
gives and signed the above Power of  
Attorney Acknowledged the same in our  
Presence to be his Act and Deed.

Given under our hands and seals this  
3<sup>d</sup> day of August 1801—

William Butler seal

John White seal

July Recorded

Saml. McKinley seal

Teste Row Thomas. C

This Indenture made the 31<sup>st</sup> day of  
July in the year of our Lord 1800 between  
Benjamin Pope of Bullitt County in the  
State of Kentucky by Benjamin Pope  
Jurat & Warden Pope his Attornies in  
fact of the one part and Peter Ford  
of Henry County and State aforesaid &  
Joseph Ford of the County of Prince  
Edward & State of Virginia (alias Dictum  
Peter Ford & Joseph Ford) of the other  
part Witnesseth that the said Benjamin  
Pope for and in consideration of the  
sum of One hundred & thirty two pounds  
of the current money of the said State

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131 Kentucky to him in hand paid by the  
said Peter Gore and Joseph Gore the receipt  
of which is hereby acknowledged. All  
granted bargain sold alien released  
conveyed and confirmed and by these presents  
doth grant bargain sell alien release convey  
and confirm unto the said Peter & Joseph their  
heirs and assigns forever one full third part  
that is to w<sup>t</sup> 833 $\frac{1}{3}$  acres of an equal  
mortality or half part of a tract of five  
thousand acres of land entered for and surveyed  
in the name of Joseph Allen James Patten  
Benjamin Pope and Joseph Saunders and granted  
to them by the said Commonwealth of Kentucky  
by patent bearing date the 23<sup>d</sup> day of Novemb<sup>r</sup>  
1795 & lying and being in the said County of  
Henry on the Waters of Eighteen Mile Creek and  
the Waters of the North fork of Harrods Creek  
adjoining William Roberts tract of land of  
Three thousand acres on the Southeast and  
a tract of Three thousand acres on the North  
West granted to William Tyler the said  
Benjamin Pope James Patten & Joseph  
Saunders. To have and to hold the  
said 833 $\frac{1}{3}$  of land with all things and the  
appurtenances unto the said Peter Gore & Joseph  
Gore their heirs and assigns to their and the  
only proper use benefit and behoof of their  
heirs and assigns forever. And the said  
Benjamin Pope for himself his heirs Executors  
and administrators doth Covenant & agree  
to and with the said Peter Gore and  
Joseph



139 Joseph Gore their heirs and assigns that he  
 the said Benjamin Pope his heirs Executors &  
 admors will warrant and forever defend  
 the said 8333 acres of land with all the  
 appurtenances unto them the said Peter Gore  
 and Joseph Gore their heirs Executors & admors  
 or assigns against the claims of all persons  
 whatsoever. Provided nevertheless and  
 these presents are upon this condition that  
 if the said Benjamin Pope his heirs Executors  
 or administrators shall well and truly pay or  
 cause to be paid unto the said Peter Gore  
 and Joseph Gore their heirs Executors & admors  
 the said sum of £122. 7. 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> lawful  
 money as aforesaid within thirty days from  
 this date with lawful interest thereon  
 without defalcation or further delay  
 then these presents and every matter & thing  
 herein contained shall cease determine  
 and become utterly null and void and the  
 title hereby intended to be conveyed shall  
 revert to & revert in the said Benjamin  
 Pope his heirs or assigns without the bill  
 or hindrance of them the said Peter Gore  
 and Joseph Gore their heirs Executors or  
 administrators. In Witness whereof the  
 said Benjamin Pope (by his attorneys as  
 aforesaid hath hereunto set his hand &  
 affixed his seal on the day & year -

Just Written  
 Signed sealed & Delivered  
 in presence of Jam. Lynattorney  
 Peter Gore  
 Joseph Gore  
 John Gray  
 John Smith

Ben Pope by  
 Warden Joseph  
 his attorney  
 Ben Pope by  
 Ben Pope by  
 his attorney







del<sup>d</sup> Dr. Force  
Jan 1. 1858

fourth Lewis D. Force of the County of Jefferson State of Kentucky  
of the fifth part and Erasmus S. Force of the County of Jefferson  
State of Kentucky of the sixth part with Elizabeth Jane  
Barton and wife in consideration of the sum of seven hun-  
dred and eighty one dollars and eight seven and a half  
cents the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged have  
bargained and sold and do hereby convey to said E. S. Force  
party of the sixth part their undivided interest which  
descended to said Penelope from her father of one <sup>seventh</sup> part  
tract of land as described in the within plat as lower lots  
one tract containing seventy two and the other twenty eight  
acres also their interest undivided of one eighth which interest  
was derived from the half sister of said Penelope in said  
seventy two and twenty eight acres also their undivided inter-  
est of one eighth in a tract of thirty nine acres represented  
in the plat within as number five which interest was  
derived from the half sister of said Susanna S. Force  
Force die and the said Holiday and wife in consideration of the  
sum of seven hundred and eighty one dollars and eight seven  
and a half cents the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged  
have sold and do hereby convey to said Erasmus S. Force their  
interest one seventh inherited from the father of said Susanna S.  
also their interest of eighth inherited from Barbara S. Force die  
in the before described lots of seventy two and twenty eight acres  
lower lots also their undivided interest of one eighth in the  
lot of thirty nine acres as represented on the plat as No.  
Five inherited from the half sister of said Susanna S. Force  
and the said Samuel S. Force and Pamela his wife in  
consideration of seven hundred and eighty one dollar  
and eight seven and a half cents paid by said Erasmus  
S. Force the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged  
have bargained and sold and do hereby convey to  
said Erasmus S. Force their interest in the two lots of  
seventy two and twenty eight acres started lower  
derived from the father of said Samuel also the interest  
of said Samuel S. in said lower lots derived from the  
half sister of said Samuel the said Susanna S. die also  
the said Samuel S. interest of one eighth in the lot No. five  
of thirty nine acres derived from said half sister die  
and the said Smith and wife in consideration of twenty  
five hundred and seventy three dollars and seven  
five cents paid to them by said Erasmus S. Force the receipt  
of which is hereby acknowledged have bargained and  
sold and do hereby convey to said Erasmus S. their  
interest derived from the father of said Eliza P. in said  
two lower lots of seventy two and twenty eight acres  
also their interest in said two lower lots derived from  
the sister of said Eliza P. the said Susanna S. die also

Lewis D.  
Force  
Erasmus  
Force



Here interest of one fourth in the lot No. five derived from the sister of said Eliza P. the said Narcissa G. also the tract number one of thirty nine acres as represented on the plat which was allotted to said Eliza P. in the partition of Force vs Case No 3892, Louisville Chancery Court, and the said David T. Force in consideration of the sum of seventy seven hundred and ninety two dollars paid to him by the said Erasmus T. Force the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged has sold and doth hereby convey to said Erasmus T. his interest therein from his father in the two seven lots of seventy two and twenty eight acres also his interest in said seven lots derived from his sister Narcissa G. Force also his interest of one fourth in the lot number five of thirty nine acres derived from his said sister Narcissa G. also the two tracts of eighteen and twenty six and a quarter acres as represented on the plat by the numbers three and four allotted to him in partition in the case of Force vs Force No 3892, Louisville Chancery Court, and the parties will respectively warrant and defend to said Erasmus T. the interests sold by each respectively against all legal claims, the sums paid to each for the interests conveyed may be stated as follows:

Holliday and wife 1/4 interest in seven lots.	7500
Same for the interest of 1/4 in the interest	
in said lots derived from Narcissa G. Force	6250
Same for their interest of 1/4 in the lot No 5	
derived from said Narcissa G.	2475
	14225
Burton wife 1/4 int in seven lots	7500
Same 1/4 of Narcissa G. int in same	6250
Same 1/4 of Narcissa G. lot No 5	2475
	16225
Samuel H. Force 1/4 int in seven lots	7500
Same 1/4 of Narcissa G. int in same	6250
Same 1/4 of Narcissa G. lot No 5	2475
	16225
Smith wife 1/4 int in seven lots	7500
Same 1/4 of Narcissa G. interest in same	6250
Same 1/4 of Narcissa G. lot No 5	13175
Same for their lot No 6 of 39 acres	13175
	25725
David T. Force interest of 1/4 in seven lots	7500
Same 1/4 of Narcissa G. interest in same	6250
Same 1/4 of Narcissa G. lot No 5	13175
Same his two lots Nos. three & four	14225
	219250

All Witness Whereof the parties have hereto set



these hands and seals this date first written.

Jas. A. Burtin      (C)  
 P. T. Burtin      (C)  
 J. W. J. Holliday      (C)  
 Lucretia J. Holliday      (C)  
 Samuel S. Force      (C)  
 Pamela Force      (C)  
 Levin S. Force      (C)  
 N. Smith      (C)  
 Eliza P. Smith      (C)

J. Ch. McWhorter clerk of the County Court of Jefferson  
 County in the State of Kentucky do certify that on this day  
 the foregoing deed was produced to me in my office and  
 acknowledged and delivered by Levin S. Force a party thereto to  
 be his act and deed. Witness my hand this 16th day of  
 April 1856.      Ch. D. Burtin

State of Missouri  
 Lafayette County, Mo.

Be it remembered that on the 19th  
 day of July 1855 before the undersigned a Justice of  
 the Peace, Court of said County came James A. Burtin  
 and his wife Penelope S. Burtin, John J. Holliday and  
 his wife Lucretia J. Holliday, Samuel S. Force and his wife  
 Pamela Force who are personally known to me to be  
 the persons whose names are subscribed to the forego-  
 ing deed as parties thereto and acknowledged the same  
 to be their act and deed for the uses and purposes  
 therein mentioned and the said Penelope S. Burtin  
 Lucretia J. Holliday and Pamela Force being by me  
 first made acquainted with the contents of the  
 foregoing deed acknowledged on separate separate  
 and apart from their husbands that they executed the  
 same freely and relinquished their right of dower in  
 the real estate therein mentioned without compulsion  
 or undue influence of their said husbands. Given  
 under my hand the date above written.

J. C. Smith Justice  
 Justice, L.C.

State of Missouri  
 Lafayette County, Mo.

I, Edward Stratton clerk of the  
 Court Court of said County do hereby certify that Thomas Smith whose genuine  
 signature is subscribed to the foregoing instrument  
 of acknowledgment is now and was at the date



Sheweth a Reading Justice of the County Court within and  
 for the County of Lefayette the aforesaid duly commissioned  
 and qualified and that full faith and credit shall due  
 and ought to be given to all his official acts as such  
 Justice. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand  
 and the seal of said court at office in Lexing-  
 ton this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August A.D. 1855.  
 Edward Stratten, clerk.

State of Kentucky  
 Henry County - sett.  
 I, C. P. Thomas clerk of the Henry County Court  
 in and for the County of Henry do certify that the deed from  
 N. Smith and Elizabeth Smith his wife to C. D. Lister was on  
 this day produced to me in my office and acknowledged  
 by the said N. Smith and C. P. Smith his wife to be each of  
 their act and deed and consented that the same may be  
 certified to the proper office for record. Given under  
 my hand this 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept 1855. C. P. Thomas, c.

State of Missouri  
 Lafayette County Court  
 Be it remembered that on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of  
 April 1856, before me at office Lewis Proffitt clerk of  
 the Circuit Court of said County, personally came John J. Hill  
 and Lucretia G. Hill his wife and on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of July 1856,  
 personally came Samuel J. Force and Pamela his wife and on  
 the 18<sup>th</sup> day of July 1856, personally came Penelope A. Burtin wife  
 of David A. Burtin and on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of July 1856, personally  
 came James A. Burtin who are each known to me to be  
 the persons described in and who executed the foregoing  
 conveyance and severally acknowledged that they executed  
 the same, and the said Lucretia G. Hill, Pamela Force and  
 Penelope A. Burtin on an examination by me jointly and  
 apart from their said husbands declared that they did  
 freely and willingly read and deliver the said conveyance  
 which was then to me shown and explained to them  
 and that they wished not to retract it and acknowledged  
 it to be their act and deed for the uses and purposes  
 therein mentioned, and consented that it may be recorded  
 for record. Witness My hand and the seal of said court  
 at office in Lexington Missouri the day and  
 year first last above written.  
 Lewis Proffitt, c.  
 By C. P. Hamilton Deputy  
 J. Ch. M. Parverson clerk of the County Court of Lefayette

County in the State of Kentucky, do certify that on this day the foregoing deed was again produced to me in my office and that I have recorded it and this and the foregoing certificates in my said office. Witness my hand this 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 1856.

Ch. W. Thurston

Easton Deed  
to  
Gardell  
500  
vs  
7.1.14/57

This Indenture, made and entered into this Twenty second day of August One thousand eight hundred and fifty six between David Easton and Mary Ann his wife of the County of Jefferson and State of Kentucky of the first part and Sampson P. Gardell of the City of Louisville of the second part - Witnesseth that the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of Five Hundred dollars cash in hand paid and the said second parties three notes for Five hundred dollars each the first due on the first day of October 1857, the second due on the first day of October 1858, and the last due on the first day of October 1859, all with interest from date and making Two thousand dollars to secure the payment of which a lien is hereby retained the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, both bargained and sold and by these presents doth grant bargain, sell, alien, release, convey, and confirm unto the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns a certain tract or parcel of land with all the appurtenances lying and being in the aforesaid County of Jefferson on the waters of Manslick creek and in the Louisville and Nashville Rail Road and bounded as follows to wit: Beginning at a stake on the S.W. side of said Rail Road in the line of Mrs. S. Brooks children and corner to S. Peatty and running thence with said Brooks line N. 44° 45' E. 386 poles to a Chestnut oak on top of the Knob thence S. 35° 4' E. 76 poles to a small Hickory thence S. 44° 45' W. 325 poles to a stake on the S.W. side of the Rail Road and corner to said Peatty and thence with his line N. 33° 11' 47" W. poles to the Beginning containing one hundred and eighty and a half acres and all the estate right, title, claim, interest and fee of him the said party of the first part of in and to the same to have and to hold unto the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns to their only proper use benefit and behoof forever - and the said party of the first part covenants and agrees



175 dollars which I attained from in my will to distribute whereof I have herewith set my hand and offered seal on this 10th day of January one thousand eight hundred and thirty two

Signed said and declared in presence of the subscribing witnesses Joseph Gore (see M. Hall) Amos Hall Lee Perry Archibald Cameron of Shelby County July Term 1835

Testament John Testamined said witness also is and came of the age of years John of

A Writing purporting to be the last will and Testament of Joseph Gore Senr with a codicil or alterations written produced in court whereupon Archibald Cameron and John C Brown two of the subscribing witnesses to said will being sworn state that said writing was signed & acknowledged by the said Joseph as and for his last will and Testament and that they believe he was of sound disposing mind and memory at the time of writing the same and he the Archibald Cameron with Lee Perry a subscribing witness to the codicil or alterations thereunder written being sworn states that said codicil was subscribed and acknowledged by the said Joseph Gore Senr as and for his last will and Testament which will & codicil is ordered to be recorded and thereupon Peter S Gore & Joshua Gore the Executors named in said will came into court took upon themselves the burden of the execution thereof and having taken the oath required by law and entered into bond in the penalty of \$4000.00 conditioned as the law directs with Hall John Mc Cadden & William A Hamilton their probate of said will is granted them in due form of law

Attest J. J. Whitaker Clerk

~~My father has requested that he might not have any interest in the Station tract of land I purchased under execution in any way whatsoever & therefore if not hereafter making any other will I will give the same as follows one half to~~

I, Sue Carole Perry, Clerk of the Shelby County Court do hereby certify that the foregoing contains a full, true and correct copy as taken from and compared with the original records in my office, of which I am Legal Custodian, and that said is recorded in Book 11 Page 174-175 Witness my hand this 10 day of 1891

Sue Carole Perry, Clerk CLERK SHELBY COUNTY COURT



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Joseph Fore Will

I Joseph Fore of Shelby County and State of Kentucky do make the following disposition of all my worldly property in this my last will and Testament vizt I bequeath to my Daughter Mary Coleman one negro man named Robt & I bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Purdy two negroes the one named Gall & the other Harriett (See the alterations) 3 I give to my Daughter Phoebe Ridgeway one hundred dollars 4 I give to the children of my deceased Daughter Ann Ridgeway one negro boy named Elijah 5 I bequeath to my Daughter Maria (Ditto one negro man named Jacob (See her alteration) 6 I allow my Son Peter S. Fore to have and to keep three hundred dollars when he arrived out of the Farmers and mechanics bank in Shelby 7 I bequeath to my Daughter Rebecca <sup>awson</sup> one negro man named Nat. 8 I give and bequeath to my Daughter Virginia Neville the full and complete right to about seventy acres of land on the waters of Six mile creek the place where she at present lives 9 I give to my Son Joshua Fore two negroes the one named Charles and the other named Maria 10 I give to my grand daughter Ann Ridgeway daughter of Ann Ridgeway my daughter and one named Jones 11 I give to my grand son Joseph M. Fore one negro boy named Anthony 12 I bequeath to my grand son Joseph Fore son of Peter S. Fore one negro boy named Daniel 13 I give to my granddaughter Ann Sweeting one negro girl named Berisha now already in her possession 14 having given my son John Fore the plantation on which he now lives it being about one hundred acres of land I allow him in addition to that the proportion of the price of property to be sold herein after to be mentioned 15 I bequeath to my Executors herein after to be named in trust the use and benefit of my son Thomas Jefferson Fore one hundred & seven acres of land on the waters of Six mile creek the place which said Jefferson at this time occupies also three negroes named Tom & Lucky his wife and Ben and all the live stock plantation utensils, tools & kitchen furniture in his possession and my said Executors as Trustees for said Thomas Jefferson shall allow him to have the use and occupancy of said land negroes and others property for the maintenance of himself and family but he shall not have the privilege of selling or otherwise disposing of said property either in whole or in part or the proceeds and profits of the same without the consent or approbation of my Executors regarded as Trustees for the same the imprudent management and conduct of my said son Thomas Jefferson Fore it should become necessary my Executors as Trustees may take the possession and management of said negroes and property for the benefit and support of said Thomas Jefferson Fore and family at the death of said Thomas S. Fore all the property above mentioned or so much of it as may remain shall devolve to his heirs as is directed by law in case of persons dying intestate or as Thomas Jefferson Fore himself should direct by his

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Peter S. Fore  
Erasmus Fore  
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Will and Testament and for the accomplishment of the intention of this  
present arrangement concerning concerning Jefferson Gore my Executors  
as Trustees shall and may institute and defend a Suit or Suits at Law  
for the preservation and defence of the aforesaid property

16. Finally I direct that all my property not disposed of already in  
the arrangement of this will and when shall remain mine at my  
decease be sold and that the proceeds of said property be equally divid-  
ed & appertains to all my heirs excepting my Son Jefferson and  
Daughter Virginia Swill. The children of my deceased named  
daughter shall receive collectively what such of their dis-  
-herited parents should were the living after my death

I now appoint and constitute my two Sons Peter & Gore and Joshua  
Gore to be my Executors to carry this my last Will & Testament  
into execution in witness whereof I have hereunto set my  
hand and Seal on this 2nd day of March one thousand eight  
hundred and thirty

Charles Deale and delivered  
in presence of the Subscribers  
witnesses Archibald Cameron  
John G. Brown  
James MacCathorn

Joseph Gore Seal

I Joseph Gore as yet of disposing  
mind have on account of occurrences which have taken  
place since the time I wrote the disposition of my property as  
stated in my last will and Testament written above changed  
my mind in some respects I do therefore make and declare  
the following alteration and additions viz Whereas Beazley  
who was married to my daughter Elizabeth has behaved badly  
and said Beazley and my daughter have separated I will  
therefore the right of Gall and Harriet not to be vested in my  
daughter Elizabeth Beazley as I intended but that the right  
to Gall and Malinda & Galls sister offspring be given and vested  
in the children of my daughter Elizabeth yet I reserve that  
my said daughter Elizabeth have the use of said Gall & Harriet  
of her life time at pleasure but to the said Executors of any  
claim whatever by Beazley to the service of Gall and Harriet  
the daughter of said Gall I have bequeath to Gally Ridgeway  
my Granddaughter, and the boy Jones who was formerly to or  
intended for Gally Ridgeway I have bequeath to Joseph Gore  
the son of my deceased Son Joseph I have also changed  
my mind respecting the bequeathment of my aged servant  
Jacob whom I formerly intended to leave to my Son  
inlaw Abraham Ditto but as I want said servant not to  
be sold and to be kept in the family I therefore rescind  
my former bequeathment respecting him and give said Jacob  
with his very aged mother to my Son Peter & Gore to  
have them both during their life further I herein bequeath  
-mises that Gally Ridgeway continue to receive the hire



(247 Sept, 1847)

Joree

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Peter S. Joree  
of G. Woods  
Peter S. Joree

This indenture made & entered into this 24th day of Sept 1847 between Mary J. Joree widow of Peter S. Joree dec'd. first part, Præmises Joree of the second part, Susanna G. Holliday wife of John G. Holliday of the third part, Elizabeth Joree of the fourth part, Eliza G. Joree of the fifth part, Maria G. Joree of the sixth part, and James A. Burton & Vincenza A. his wife of the eighth part, all heirs & legal representatives of Peter S. Joree and all by Thomas P. Smith a Master in Chancery of the Louisville Chancery Court Officially appointed for the purpose (Witnesseth) That Whereas in the said Chancery lately pending in said Chancery Court in the name of the said Præmises Joree against the remaining parties hereto No. 3892 (which suit amongst other things has for its object a division of the real & personal estate & things of the deceased Ancestor Peter S. Joree: And which proceeding now had thereon in said Court that on the 14th day of June 1847 a decree was rendered therein ascertaining the title of the respective parties & appointing Commissioners to allot to the widow (the party of the first part) her dower in said lands & Negroes & to divide the said land amongst the remaining parties according to their respective interests and afterwards on the 9th day of July 1847 the Commissioners appointed by the said decree reported in other things that the real estate of Peter S. Joree consisted of three hundred & thirty two & a quarter lying on the South fork of Stone Creek in the County of Jefferson State of Kentucky & being the same tract conveyed by Nimrod Joree & wife to said Peter S. Joree by deed dated 23d Sept 1833.

Also two other tracts of land in the County of Jefferson Kentucky on the Waters in the waters of Cedar Creek Du. Nemisilla & Sandstone Run situate about 13 miles from Louisville and containing one hundred & thirty two Acres & the fifty five Acres each tract conveyed to the heirs at law of Peter S. Joree by John Neill & wife by deeds dated the 1st of August 1810 to all which deed special reference is here made - said Commissioners also reported that they were in possession of said three tracts of land that of the tract purchased of Henry marked A. below of the tracts parcel of Neill marked B & C, which plots are hereto attached & made part hereof.

Said Commissioners also reported that they allotted to the party of the first part as for her dower in said three tracts of land, the seventy five Acres part of the dower tract and thirty eight Acres part of same tract and each marked above on the plots of

That they allotted to the party of the second part (Præmises Joree) the whole of the two tracts of land purchased of Neill & wife containing together one hundred & thirty seven Acres as represented on the plots marked B & C hereto attached.

That they allotted to the party of the third part (Susanna G. Holliday) forty nine Acres of the tract land purchased of Henry as represented by lot No. 1 on the plot marked A. hereto attached.

That they allotted to the party of the fourth part (Eliza G. Joree) thirty nine Acres of the tract bought of Henry as represented by lot No. 2 on the said plot marked A. hereto attached.

That they allotted to the party of the fifth part (Eliza G. Joree) thirty nine Acres of the tract of land purchased of Henry as represented by the lot No. 3 on the said plot marked A. hereto attached.

That they allotted to Præmises Joree (the party of the sixth part) forty four & a quarter Acres of the tract land purchased from Henry being in two lots numbered 3 & 4 on the said plot marked A. hereto attached.

And that they allotted to the party of the seventh part (Maria G. Joree) thirty nine Acres of the tract of land purchased of Henry as represented by lot No. 5 on said plot marked A. hereto attached.

And afterwards on the 1st day of Sept 1847 amongst other things it was decreed & ordered that the respective Commissioners be confirmed that the parties do hold in each severally the lands & Negroes assigned to them and by said report the said Mary J. Joree the widow taking the land & Negroes assigned as dower property & the said Children & heirs taking the land & Negroes assigned to them each in fee simple.

And it was further ordered & decreed that the Master in Chancery Thos. P. Smith do make & execute of partition of the said lands of Peter S. Joree dec'd. conveying the parcels in severally to the widows heirs of Joree as set apart in said report.

All of which will more fully & at large appear by reference to said Cause & the proceedings had in which reference is here made & which was made for greater certainty.

Now Therefore This Indenture further Witnesseth that the said parties of the first, second, third, fifth, sixth & seventh parts, for their consideration of the premises & in obedience to the decrees herein referred to by the said Smith as Master in Chancery as aforesaid, have released & confirmed: And do by the

Low Chancery Court  
Commissioner's Deed Book #3



James M. Norton & Son v. Peter S. Dore & Wife & John J. Holliday of the eighth part, all heirs & legal represent  
of Peter S. Dore and all by Thomas P. Smith a Master in Chancery of the Circuit Court Officially appointed  
for the purpose (Witnesseth) That whereas in the Suit in Chancery lately pending in said Chancery Court in the Name of  
the said James M. Norton & Son against the said Peter S. Dore & Wife & John J. Holliday & all heirs & legal represent  
of the said Peter S. Dore & Wife & John J. Holliday & all heirs & legal represent of the said Peter S. Dore & Wife & John J. Holliday  
now had thereon in said Court that on the 11th day of June 1811 a decree was rendered therein ascertaining the extent  
of the real estate of the said Peter S. Dore & Wife & John J. Holliday & all heirs & legal represent of the said Peter S. Dore & Wife & John J. Holliday  
and afterwards on the 11th day of July 1811 the Commissioners appointed by the said decree reported among  
other things that the real estate of the said Peter S. Dore consisted of a tract of three hundred & thirty and a quarter  
acres and the south part of Grand Creek in the County of Jefferson State of Kentucky being the same tract conveyed  
by Nimrod Hays to the said Peter S. Dore by deed dated 25th Feb 1803.

Also two other tracts of land in the County of Jefferson Kentucky on the Waters on the Waters of Cedar Creek some  
known to the said James M. Norton & Son and containing one hundred & thirty two acres and the  
fifty five acres & the tract conveyed to the heirs at law of Peter S. Dore by John Nevill Hays by deed dated the 17th  
of August 1810 to all which deed special reference is here made - said Commissioners also reported that they returned  
plans of said three tracts of land, that of the tract purchased of Dorsey marked A. & three of the tracts purchased  
of Nevill marked B & C, which plans are hereto attached & made part hereof.

Said Commissioners also reported that they allotted to the party of the first part as follows down  
in said three tracts of land, the seventy two acres part of the Dorsey tract and the twenty eight acres part  
of same tract and each marked above on the plan etc.

That they allotted to the party of the second part (James M. Norton & Son) the whole of the two tracts of  
land purchased of Nevill & Hays containing together one hundred & thirty seven acres as represented on the plans  
marked B & C hereto attached.

That they allotted to the party of the third part (Susan S. Holliday) thirty nine acres of the tract  
land purchased of Dorsey as represented by lot No 1 on the plan marked A hereto attached.

That they allotted to the party of the fourth part (Samuel S. Dore) thirty nine acres of the tract bought of  
Dorsey as represented by lot No 2 on the said plan marked A hereto attached.

That they allotted to the party of the fifth part (Elijah S. Dore) thirty nine acres of the tract of land pu  
chased of Dorsey as represented by the lot No 3 on the said plan marked A hereto attached.

That they allotted to the party of the sixth part (Peter S. Dore) thirty nine acres and a quarter of the tract  
land purchased from Dorsey being in lots numbered 3 & 4 on the said plan marked A hereto attached.

And that they allotted to the party of the seventh part (Nancy S. Dore) thirty nine acres of the  
tract of land purchased of Dorsey as represented by lot No 5 on said plan marked A hereto attached.

And afterwards on the 11th day of July 1811 amongst other things it was decreed & ordered that the said  
said Commissioners be confirmed that the parties do hold in each severally the lands & negroes assigned to them  
and by said report the said James M. Norton & Son the Widow taking the land & negroes assigned as above property of the  
said children & heirs taking the land & negroes assigned to them each in fee simple.

And it was further ordered & decreed that the Master in Chancery (Thomas P. Smith) do make & execute  
a partition of the said lands of Peter S. Dore dec. conveying the parcels in severally to the parties heirs of  
Dore as set apart in said report.

All of which will more fully at large appear by reference to said Cause & the proceedings had  
in, which reference is here specially made for greater certainty.

Now therefore this Indenture further Witnesseth that the said parties of the first, second, the  
fourth, fifth, sixth & seventh parts for and in behalf of the Premises do hereby declare to the decrees herein  
referred to by the said Smith a Master in Chancery as aforesaid, to be true, correct & confirmed: And do by the  
present Indenture confirm & convey each to the other the several parts or pieces of land to them  
partially and assigned in the said Commissioners report and as herein before fully set forth & described, the said  
party of the first part taking & holding the parts or tracts to her assigned as tenant in common with & over to the  
heirs of the said Peter S. Dore dec. freed from the claim of any of the other parties hereto. And they the said

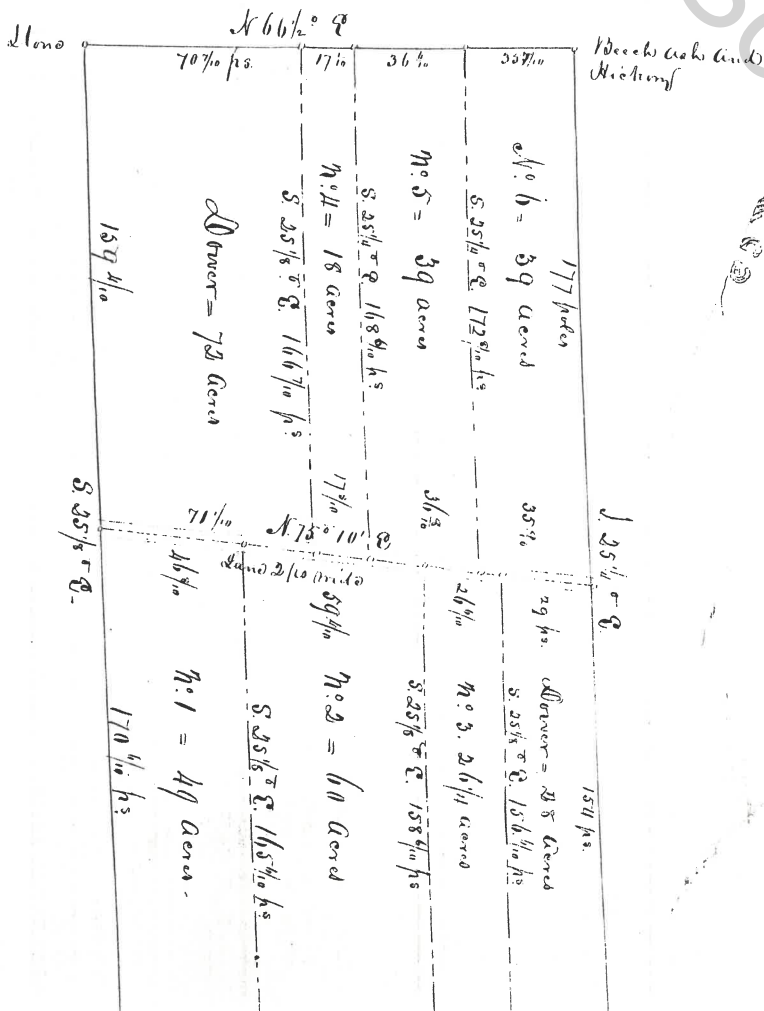
of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth & seventh parts, each taking the parts so assigned and conveyed to them in fee simple in severalty, each covenantee with the others to warrant the title to the respective parts against themselves respectively & that they will not hinder or obstruct each other in the separate use & enjoyment in fee of the respective parts so to them assigned.

And the said parties of the eighth part by the said Smith as Master in Chancery as aforesaid hereby give in this deed to a life & confirm the same & do release & convey all interest they have in & to the lands herein conveyed to the respective parties entitled thereto, reserving their interest in the above estate after the termination of the life estate of the party of the first part therein.

In testimony whereof the said parties hereto by the said Smith have hereunto set their names & affixed their seals the day & year first within written.

- Manfred J. Gore (S)
- Erasmus D. Gore (S)
- Leicester D. Holliday (S)
- Samuel J. Gore (S)
- Oliver J. Gore (S)
- Levin D. Gore (S)
- Marrison D. Gore (S)
- James A. Duxton (S)
- Penelope D. Duxton (S)
- John J. Holliday (S)
- All by Thos. D. Smith M. in Ch. & C. C. (S)

Plat A. 33 1/4 acres bought of Dorey



Plat. Marked A

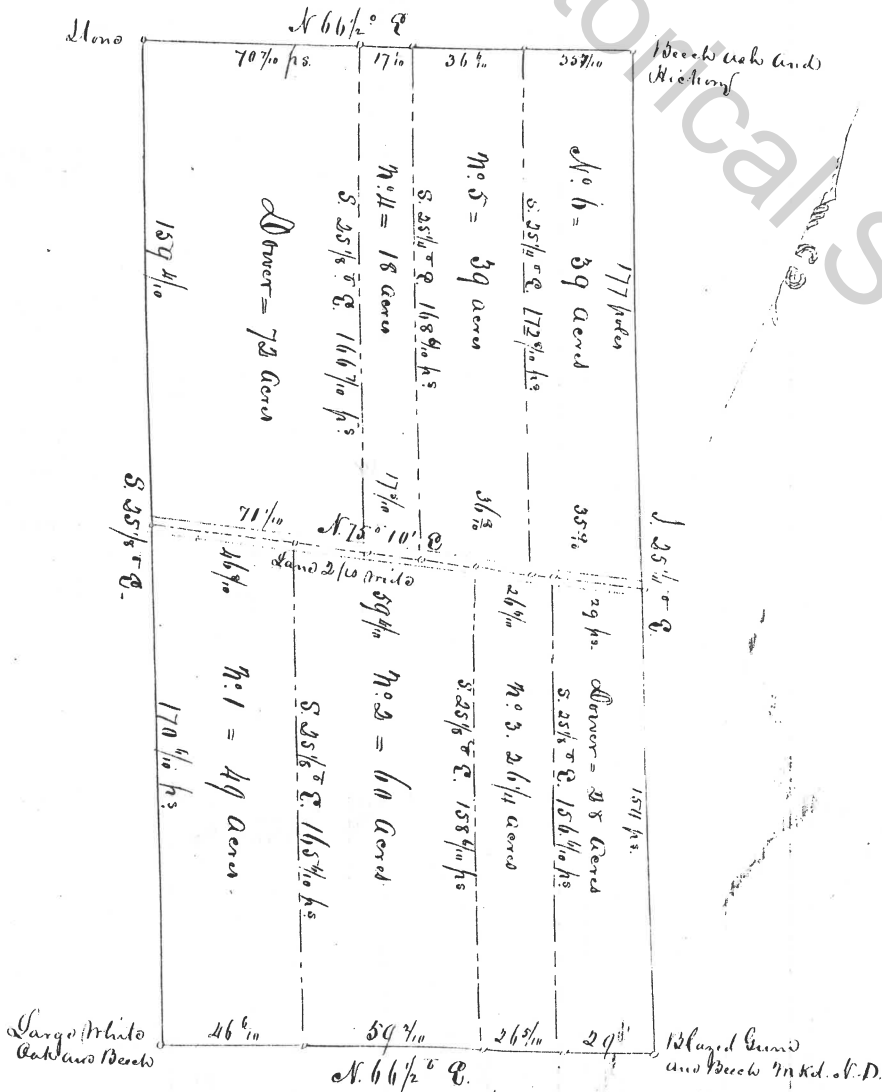


in this deed to ratify & confirm the same & to release & convey all interest they have in the lands herein conveyed to the respective parties entitled thereto, reserving their interest in the above estate after the termination of the life estate of the party of the first part therein

In testimony whereof the said parties hereto by the said I will have here to set their names & affixed their seals this day of year first (within written)

- Manly J. Ford (B)
  - Francis L. Ford (B)
  - Lucinda G. Holliday (B)
  - Samuel J. Ford (B)
  - Oliver G. Ford (B)
  - Amos L. Ford (B)
  - Marcia G. Ford (B)
  - James A. Burston (B)
  - Penelope G. Burston (B)
  - John J. Holliday (B)
- All by Geo. P. Smith Min. Clk. S. C. C. (B)

Plat A. 33 1/4 acres bought of Dorsey



Plat marked A

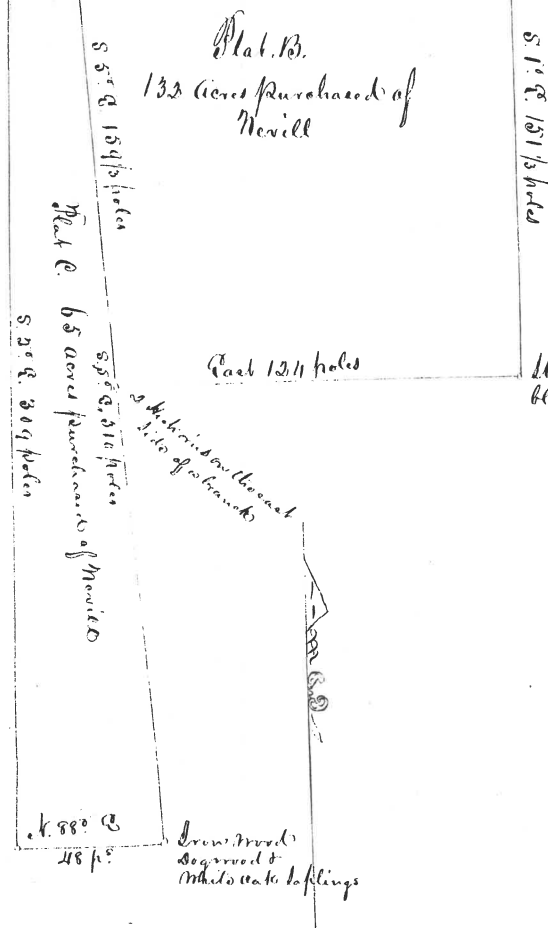
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J. W. Hemming Surveyor





Plot marked  
B.H.C.



Commenced by the Honorable  
The Vice-Chancellor of the Court

At a Court hold for the Court of the 24th day of Sept 1847, this deed between Peter G. Jones Heirs and Peter G. Jones Heirs was produced in Court by Thomas P. Smith a Master in Chancery of said Court and being examined and approved by the Chancellor and read and acknowledged by said Smith for and on behalf of the Parties therein named to be their act and deed, Whereupon it was ordered that the same be recorded by the Clerk of this Court and to be by him certified to the Clerk of the Jefferson County Court to be there recorded which is accordingly recorded by and certified

All Ch. of. Charles Clark

Maria Shain  
vs  
City of Louisville  
vs  
John B. Bate  
vs  
Sonsville  
vs  
12<sup>th</sup> 1847

This indenture made and entered into this 12th day of September 1847, between Maria Shain, William Hoyle Reed City of Louisville and Charles B. Shain heirs & representatives of David Shain dec'd of the first part, by Joseph Mayo one of the Masters in Chancery of the Louisville Chancery Court, and the City of Louisville of the second part. Witnesseth that Whereas in the suit in Chancery lately pending in said Court in the name of the City of Louisville against the parties of the first part No. 5300, on the 4th day of July 1847 it appeared to said Court amongst other things that the money had not been paid to the City of Louisville as directed in the indenture of the same. It was ordered and decreed that the Marshal of said Court should sell to the highest bidder the lot of land in the City of Louisville fronting seventy five and a quarter feet on the East side of Eighth Street extending back Eastwardly one hundred and eighty five feet and lying ninety five feet North of Prather Street and designated as lot No. 109 in the said City's division of twenty acre lot No. 8. Being the same lot No. 109 parcel of land conveyed by the said City of Louisville to the said David Shain the ancestor by deed dated 11th of April 1837

And afterwards on the 10th day of September 1847, the Marshal of said Court by his deputy reported amongst other things that he had advertised and sold said lot of land as directed, and that said party of the second part became the purchaser thereof at the price of two hundred and eighty three dollars and twelve and an half

Steeley Co. Ky Marriage

Compiled by Cecelia Boydell -  
Nancy Fore (Force)

n. November 2, 1807

Richard Redgeaway

her father was Joseph  
Force

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Elizabeth Force to

Abel Brackets Oct 3, 1807

her father John

Joseph Force Jr. to

Nancy Poelard

March 3, 1807 -

her father Henry  
Poelard

Pierre/Peter Force

Joseph & Anne  
Force

Samuel Dawson

Force

Peter G.  
Force

Eliza Dawson

John James Haldiday  
Lucretia Greene Force

William Gault wear  
of Ottumwa  
Mo.

Amanda Yancey

Joseph Hestekenson wear -  
(name) Nancy Eliza Haldiday  
wear

Joseph Walker wear

b. 1876  
d. 1941

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