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HAWKINS HERITAGE

Published by The Hawkins Family Organization Olyve Hallmark Abbott, Editor

- <u>PURPOSE</u>: The Hawkins Family Organization began in 1985. It is conducted by mail and has no scheduled meetings. We want to promote genealogical research on Hawkins families and related lines; to promote and share family history; and to strengthen extended family ties.
- NEWSLETTERS: HAWKINS HERITAGE is published three times a year in April, August, and December. We encourage members to contribute material to the editor. It is preferable if you type your material, but if not covenient, please share it anyway. Write your name or initials on each page.
- QUERIES: Members are also encouraged to send queries to the editor. Send enough to cover your questions. Please include siblings whenever possible.
- MEMBERS AND SUBSCRIPTIONS: We began HAWKINS HERITAGE with the hope of identifying the parents of James and Margaret? Hawkins, b. c1765 and 1768, probably in Virginia. Taxation records show that they lived in Stafford CO Virginia from 1793 until 1825, when they migrated to Clark CO Kentucky. One son, John R., married into the Hawkins/Bourne line, which may be a connecting branch of the above James. Because of an apparent need for group research, our publication is now open to descendants of all Hawkins lines.

Individual membership and subscription is \$12 per year. Contributing Membership and subscription is \$20 per year (may vote.)

Subscriptions begin with the April issue. Subscribers during the membership year may receive back issues of the current year or begin with the next year and pay for and single back issues, which are \$4 each. The 1st issue: December 1986; 2nd, April 1987; then three issues per year beginning April 1988 to current.

PEDIGREE SERVICE: You are welcome to send your Hawkins pedigree chart to be checked with our collection. You will be given any additional information which we might have on file, that would match up with your own. Your chart will be filed for possible future contact. Our ancestor files deal mostly with Hawkins of the south and southwest, but we do have some other areas. Cost of this service is \$1 to cover search and photocopies, plus SASE.

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Happy Spring, Everyone!

Since this is the last year for *Hawkins Heritage*, I want to take this time to tell you how much I appreciate your loyalty, friendship, and contributions to our publications. Just because we're ceasing this project after eighteen years, doesn't mean we can't keep in touch.

You've read this before, but six distantly related cousins began a round robin letter in 1986—all concerned with finding the parents of James and Margaret Hawkins, b ca 1765/68. I arrived at those dates because the records were written in the hand of my gr gr gf William R. Hawkins (son of James and Margaret.) His words were "about." That's his story and I'm staying with it unless I can prove otherwise.

Back to the round-robin: We decided to send our information to one person who compiled it into a single publication, then mailed it to each of the others. We had many requests to open H.H. to other Hawkins branches. I took on being editor under one condition: If our members would send in their group sheets, charts, queries, not only of their own line, but additional notes as well. I cross-indexed them so I could search for others looking for an ancestor. This was extremely successful. The mail that landed in my mailbox was astounding. I felt just as excited about connecting subscribers with each other as I did locating a cousin from my own line (well, almost.)

It's quite possible that no family newsletter offers as much information for as little money as *Hawkins Heritage*, but Joan and I were determined not to raise the dues. And believe me when I say it's a non-profit venture (except for the post office and printing company!) As time passed, I received less and less outside information and my personal schedule became a priority.

This is another opportunity for you to send in your queries, even if you've done so in the past. They will be fresh on the minds of our members. I also send the issues to 2 or 3 libraries. We would still enjoy some personal information (and snapshot?) about yourself.

Thank you so much for your letters of good wishes. Our Fort Worth Library is giving me information for a major U.S. library that will index and bind the issues (N/C). However, as James W. Hawkins, long-time member suggested, I'll look into having the collection on an indexed disk.

In the meantime, I'm having my house painted inside and out, re-landscaped (I'm my own landscaper) and other adjustments I've put off. My second book will be out next year, and I'm crossing my fingers and toes that the publisher who is now having a look at "Come Sundown: The Life and Letters of a Frontier Woman," will include it in their line-up. This is the book based on Great-Grandmother Permelia Nickell Hawkins' letter collection. Crossing your toes is difficult with shoes on.

In my spare time, I'm taking my 9-year-old granddaughter to tennis tournaments as I did her mother at that age. Ah, nostalgia. So I will stay busy. I still think James Hawkins, son of William Hawkins & Elizabeth Bourne, is my ggg gf. I may be way off base, but I think it's close. But if anyone ever runs across any proof, my e-mail and address are the same, at least until I'm 104. If you change your e-mail, please send it to me: olyve@flash.net

Thank you again, my friends and cousins. And may all your discoveries be the ones you're looking for. (Did you read this whole page? I'm not known for brevity.)

Gregory Farmer Hawkins

 \sim From Caroline H. Vowell, 103 Angela Ct., Woodstock, GA 30188 \sim

Gregory Farmer Hawkins 5/11/1733 St. George's Parish Register, Harford CO MD; Married Elizabeth Matson b 4/11/1739 in Harford CO MD 10/12/1805

The proof of Gregory Farmer Hawkins serving in the Maryland Militia Sep 1775 would be proof of ancestors service in the American Revolution (for DAR purposes). History of Harford CO by Preston, p 118 lists Gregory Hawkins in Alexander Rigdon's Co No 12; and Ten Mile High, list Gregory Hawkins, plus signing declarations of freedom ???

He is found in Fayette CO Pa after the Rev. War in land records in Luzerne and Brownville from 1784 thru 1790(land abstracts.) Said to have first settled near Paris in Bourbon CO. Purchased 51 acres from Samuel Lyon, 3/19/1793. Sold 51 acres to Charles Yelton 3/16/1793 (?) Philip Burgett lists GFH and EM as Methodist.

According to land records from Fayette Co Pa, Gregory Hawkins & Elizabeth Matson were in Bath Co KY by 1792. Bath was formed from Montgomery CO KY, formerly Bourbon CO VA. It appears that Gregory went on ahead of her, as her signature appears on land records in 1790 in Fayette Co PA after 1790.

According to notes of Philip Burgett, John Hawkins, oldest son of Gregory, died in 1823. In 1811, he was appointed by the governor as one of the eleven members of the county court to discharge the duties of Justice of the Peace.

Property transferred by John Hawkins 11/21/1816 - Gave 24 acres to M. C. Church on road leading from Andrews Mill to Somerset acres. 1805, transfers to James Hawkins - Gregory Hawkins, William Hawkins, Isaac Hawkins, John H. Jr., Isaac Hawkins, Valentine Hawkins and others in the family. (I do not have this land record - this is from Philip Burgett notes.) James mentioned two half brothers & Molly Hawkins. Note: Old Gregory at 75 yrs married young Mary Jones. There were two children from this marriage, William F. and David b 22 Mar 1809. Mary Jones had a son, named John Jones who was about 16 or 17 when she married Gregory.

MY NOTE: Check land records and record dates. Philip Burgett and Helen Andrews correspondence.

Sept 1999 - I have not been able to find Gregory Farmer Hawkins in Bourbon CO. I first find him in Bath CO KY. Notes from Helen . . . the state of KY in 1792 and became a state in 1792.

Gregory Hawkins signed petition NO 78 along with 543 other inhabitants of Bourbon County. The signature of John Hawkins may be there also, but the page is mutilated and the names questionable. Gregory was in Bourbon County before 22 October 1790 because the petition was presented to the General Assembly of Virginia on that date. The petition was a protest against erection of a mill, or mills, at the junctions of Minkston Creek and Stone Creek off the South Fork of the Licking River which would interfere with exportation of produce south of those points. Other signers were Henry Matson and Jas. Matson, Jr.

When KY became a State of the Union 1 June 1792, division of the huge Bourbon County began. The area inhabited by the Hawkins family came within the bounds of Clark Count 6 December 1792 when it was cut out from Bourbon County, and in the bounds of Montgomery County 4 December 1796 when that county was formed from Clark County and finally, situated in Bath County when it was formed from Montgomery County in 1811. Many records of Montgomery County were destroyed by a courthouse fire. The first record we have from that county is a deed dated 25 February 1803 whereby Gregory Farmer Hawkins purchased for thirty pounds. 73 and acres on Flat Creek from John and Mary Six, which land was part of the George Ballas preemption. From Philip: 1785 taxpayers in Fayette CO. PA, Manallen Township

Gregory Hawkins John Matson

1790 Pennsylvania census Fayette County Manallan Township - Gregory Hawkins Union Township John Hawkins

John Hawkins

Luzerne Township Richard Hawkins William Hawkins

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William Hawkins, Jr.

Washington County William Hawkins

Thomas Hawkins Samuel Hawkins

Peter Hawkins.

1810 KY census: Nicholas County: Thomas H. Hawkins & wife listed as being over 45 with eight children ranging in age from under 10 to 3 in the 16 to 26 age group.

The Hawkins family settled in Montgomery CO near the Nicholas CO line - the area from which Bath CO was formed in 1811.

Will of James Hawkins dated 11 June 1835, codicil dated 7 July 1835, proved in August Court 1835, Bath County, KY. (He is the James Hawkins b 14 February 1764, brother of Thomas because he mentions known brothers: John, Thomas, and William (all deceased) and sister Elizabeth Tawbys. (This leaves unnamed a sister, Ruth, a brother Gregory and a brother or sister Christian (Christina) was killed falling downstairs.

(On the other hand, this James Hawkins would have been 71 years old with two minor children, James F. and Priscilla who was 6 years old. NOTE: See will: It seems James F. and Priscilla may have been the children of his "present" wife who was probably the widow of a Mr. Wilson:

(Nancy Wilson Hawkins)

In 1976, when we were traveling through KY on our way to California, we stopped at Bethel KY to look for the graves on Flat Creek. The town consisted of a country store that didn't even have a roll of film. We asked about the graves of the Hawkins and were directed down the road (a dirt road.) It was raining, the road was narrow and winding.

A young couple in an old broken down car came around a bend and forced us off the road almost into the creek which was a straight drop down abut 100 feet. Panic stricken, we thought we would go into the creek at any moment and hurriedly got out of the car, standing there in the rain while the young couple pondered what to do. About then a fairly new truck came down the road and stopped.

An old fuddy-duddy gentleman got out and surveyed the situation and grunted and went on his way. He offered no assistance and didn't utter a word, just grunts. We had a terrible time trying to convince the young couple to go into town and call a wrecker to pull us off the bank. They probably thought they would have to pay for it. Finally they came back with a rope to try to pull us off but their

car was lighter than ours and all they did was slide around in the mud. After we were thoroughly drenched, they finally went into town and called a wrecker. Of course seeing a couple of city slickers, he overcharged us and the young couple quickly disappeared.

After that ordeal, we determined to continue on and find the gravesite. To our disappointment, the gravestones were all toppled over, some that were standing were made of sandstone and badly worn away. The field was overgrown with grass and weeds and we were afraid of snakes, but at least we stood on the ground that held our ancestors.

In September 2000, on our way back from a Hawkins Reunion in Ohio, we detoured through KY to look for the graves. We took the wrong road out of Bethel and could not find them. After we got home and studied the map again, we should have turned left to Little Flat Creek instead of right to Flat Creek.

Gregory Farmer Hawkins lived in Fayette CO PA before arriving in KY. He lived in the town of Brownville. It was here that Gregory Robert Hawkins, his grandson, was. baptized in 1789. The traveling minister Rev. Robert Ayers baptizes Gregory, son of Thomas and Mary, Abner, son of Robert and Elizabeth and Gregory, son of John and Cassandra, grand children of Gregory b 1733/34 in MD.

The following Register was made by Rev. Robert Ayers after he left the Methodist ministry and accepted the Episcopal ministry, commencing July 1, 1798. They are listed in alphabetical order for this is the manner in which he recorded them.

HAWKINS, Gregory, son of Thos. and Mary b. 28 Mar 1789 bapt 12 July 1789
HAWKINS, Abner, son of Robert and Elizabeth b. 7 Feb 1789 bapt 12 July 1789
HAWKINS, Gregory, son of John and Cassandra b. 10 May 1789 bapt 2 August 1789

Gregory, son of John b. January 20, 1760 and Cassandra Roberts b. 14 Nov 1767

It appears that the traveling Rev. Robert Ayers may have announced his arrival and the grandchildren of old Gregory were brought to their grandfather's house to be baptized.

Perhaps it was a family reunion. It would be interesting to know if any of the other children were there at that time.

More Philip Burgett's notes:

Believed moved to KY in 1790. Not in the PA or KY 1790 census. Said to have first settled near Paris Bourbon CO VA. Purchased 51 acres from Samuel Lyons for 25 lbs., Mary 16, 1793.

John Hawkins dies in 1823 (can't read 5 or 6 lines) in 1811 was appointed County Court to discharge the duties of the Justice of the Peace.

Property transferred to John Hawkins.

November 21, 1816 - Gave 24 acres to M.E. Church on road leading to Andrews Mill to Somerset Corner.

Notes from Helen Andrews, deceased:

Will of James Hawkins, dated 11 June 1835, codicil dated 7 July 1835, proved August Court 1835.

Inventory of Thomas Hawkins (b1762) Estate ordered 1849, recorded 9 October 1849, Will Book E, page 160, Bath CO KY

Settlement with Hiram Hawkins, Adm of Thomas who was Guardian for James Hawkins' heirs, dated 6 October 1849, recorded 14 January 1859, Will Book # ?, page 190

Reguarding 73-1/2 acres on Flat Creek, part of George Ballas preemption of 1000 acres, being land conveyed by John Hawkins by his father Gregory Farmer Hawkins, by deed dated 5 October 1807, recorded in Montgomery CO 27 May 1808.

From John to Mary Hawkins, 1812, rec. 4 Nov 1812 (Deed Book A, page 190)**MY NOTE: This Mary Hawkins is formerly Mary Lonsdale Jones, second wife of GFH.

Agreement between Mary Hawkins & David Davis whereby David Davis agrees to perform a tour of 6 months duty in the present expedition for a certain John Jones, son of the said Mary Hawkins - Dated 12 March 1813 rec. 12 March 1813. Deed Book A, page 192.

From David Davis to John Hawkins, Jr. 8 April 1813, rec. 30 Oct 1813, Deed Book A, page 230.**

From John Hawkins, Jr. added in acknowledgement to Gregory F. Hawkins dated 5 September 1815, rec. 23 September 1815, Deed Book A, page 454**

POWER OF ATTORNEY: From John Hawkins to Gregory F. Hawkins to receive the paymaster of the $10^{\rm th}$ Regiment of detached militia late under the command of Col. William Boswell, all of such pay to which he is entitled as private. Deed Book A, page 1.**

Deed from William Hawkins to Nicholas Burns dated 18 August 1810, rec. 27 Feb 1811. Conveys 76-3/4 acres b Flat Creek in Montgomery CO patented in the name of Henry Payne and conveyed by him to John Hawkins. Deed Book A, page 1.**

Deed from John Hawkins to Gregory Hawkins dated 9 March 1811 conveys—acres on Flat Creek, being part of survey of 2000 acres patented in the name of Henry Payne, Deed Book A, page 34**

Deed from John Hawkins to Isaac Hawkins dated 9 March 1811, rec. 14 March 1811. Convey 140 acres on Flat Creek, being part of a survey of 2000 acres patented in the name of Henry Payne. Deed Book A. page 34.**

** Indicates that I have copies of these instruments. Years ago (1975) Helen Andrews and I puzzled over these instruments, trying to figure out just what was going on. We decided old Gregory married young Mary Jones after Elizabeth Matson died. Mary didn't want her son John Jones about 16, to go in the War of 1812, so old Gregory bought someone to go for him. The land going back and forth is a bit of a mystery, but probably son John Hawkins wanted the land to stay in the family. I have to read through them again, but I think Mary was allowed to stay in the house and on land for the remainder of her life. (Check the tax lists.)

MY NOTE: From studying the land records and the will of James, the sons of Old Greg probably didn't approve of the marriage of him to young Mary with 16-year-old John Jones. Then Mary has two sons from Old Greg, William F. and David S. Hawkins When old Greg died in 1810, his two sons by Mary were still babies. At least the sons let her stay in the house, but James in his will leaves them each \$1.00, probably so they could not contest his will. James died 11 June 1835.



Gregory_F_Hawkins.jpg

Shared by Caroline Vowell 103 Angela Ct. Woodstock, GA 30188

Marriage agreement between Gregory Farmer Hawkins and Mary Jones

Deed Book 3, page 311, Montgomery Co., and Kentucky Dated 9 October 1807 -- Recorded 2 November 1807

Articles of agreement made and entered into this ninth day of October in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and seven between Gregory F. Hawkins of the county of Montgomery and state of Kentucky of the one part, and Mary Jones of the county and state aforesaid of the other part, witnesses that whereas there is a Marriage about to be entered into between said parties upon the following condition.

The said Gregory F. Hawkins doth by these presents covenant and agree to give to the said Mary Jones and her heirs all his real and personal estate that he is now in possession of or may hereafter possess in case she, the said Mary Jones, will enter into the bonds of matrimony with him, the said Gregory F. Hawkins, and as soon as the marriage is legally solemnized this contract is to be in full force and virtue, and at the death of said Gregory F. Hawkins, the said Mary is to possess all his estate consisting of seventy three acres and three quarters of land upon which the said Hawkins now lives, also horses, cattle, household furniture and every specious (sic) of property real and personal that the said Hawkins now possesses, may hereafter possess, to the sole use and disposition of her, the said Mary Jones, and her heirs.

In testimony whereof the said Gregory F. Hawkins and Mary Jones hath hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year above written.

Gregory (his mark) F. Hawkins (seal) Mary (her mark) Jones (seal)

Signed sealed and acknowledged in presence of T. Fletcher William (his mark) Lonsdale

John Lonsdale

Montgomery County Clerk's office November the second eighteen hundred and seven. This Marriage Contract was acknowledged by the parties thereto subscribed to by their hands and seals and is duly recorded in this office.

Tests Francis Triplett D.C., C.C.

NOTE: Mary Lonsdale Jones. William is her father and John is her brother.

I think T Fletcher must be related also, as Mary and Gregory name one of their sons Thomas Fletcher Hawkins. The second son is David T. Hawkins. They are both mentioned in the will of William Lonsdale

Caroline H.Vowell

James and Susanna Logan Hawkins

Phil French, descendant of Walter R. Hawkins, b 1815 sends this information, not all of which connects to his line, as far as is known, except those connecting with James and Susanna. Perhaps someone can connect.

According to the marriage records of James Hawkins and Susanna Logan, Walter A. is their son. He married Mary Alice Green (or Greer) on 25 Dec 1885. Mary's parents were Calvin Green/r and Sarah Harris. The wedding took place in the home of Walter A's brother, Henry S. Hawkins, in Christian CO. Walter was born ca 1861 in Kentucky and Mary ca 1865 in Shelby CO IL.

Do you have information on: Charles and Annie Hawkins. Their marriage date was 3 Dec 1890. Her parents were A. Lamb (father) and Perrix is the last name of mother (no first name given.) Walter Hawkins and Alice Pugh witnessed the marriage. Anne/Annie was born in Palmer, IL and was 18 at the time of marriage and Charles was 22.

Next, Charles and Della Gilbert. Charles was 27 at the time of marriage and Della May Gilbert, 18. Her parents were John Gilbert and Eliza Dickison. Della was born in Fayettville, Ohio. Iva Hawkins and James S. Coyner witnessed the marriage. They were married 19 Dec 1895.

Charles m. Jemima Ella Stinnett Jacobs in May 1909. They were Sally Hathaway's gr-grandparents and Phil French's grandparents.

DNA: If you are interested in learning more about the Hawkins DNA Project, you may contact Phil French: actsales@ctitech.com or 425 N. Cheney Street, Taylorville IL 62568

William Morton Hawkins

How about information on William Morton Hawkins who married RoseAnna Cassity 17-1-1853? They went to Missouri from Virginia in the early/mid 1800s. This William was son of William R. Hawkins (b1791) William Morton was born in KY on 11-Jan-1832, according to my Hawkins Family Bible, records of which were in the hand of William R. Hawkins. Does anyone have a death date and place for this William Morton Hawkins? Rose Anna was daughter of Mary Ann Hedges and James Albert Cassity (son of Peter T. Cassity.)

Children: Martin Jasper who married Nancy Fry (possibly a Cox)

Irena who married William A. Hunt (divorced in 1879 & remarried in 1880.)

Gessella/Grezelda Nevada who married Edward J. DeVall in 1897.

NOTE: Martin J. Hawkins 1854-1943 buried Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Clinton CO MO.

Nancy C. Hawkins 1849-1846

Also, in this cemetery are:

Perry Hawkins 12/22/1871 - 1/1/1948

Elizabeth Hawkins 12/7/1873 - /1968

Information from the county clerk of Clinton CO MO sent me the cemetery records and mentioned that at the time of this recording (in 1968, Elizabeth's gravesite "was new."

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This is the other part of the story: Moses R. Hawkins, b 1813 and brother of the above William R., b1791, also had a son named William Morton. This William married Minerva Cassity in 1865. She was daughter of Armstrong Russell Cassity and Ruth Ann Trumbo (KY). She was b 13-3-1842 in Bath CO KY and died 24-10-1924 in Sullivan CO MO.

Children of William and Minerva:

Albert A. mrd. Mary M. Newton in 1895 Mota J. 1876-1958 mrd. George D. Walker in 1900 America b ca 1877 MO

Note: There is a question concerning the above Mota. More than one record exists. One is she died at age 5. Can anyone clear this up for us??

I have found a Civil War notation for William Morton Hawkins: 17-9-1838 4-7-1918 Civil War Co F 23 months Inf.

Also, I have no death record for Minerva, so William Morton could possibly have married again.

QUERY

Does anyone have information on a William Morton Hawkins born ca 1841 who was married to an Eliza around 1869 and had at least one child named George T. They lived in Taylorville during the 1880 Federal Census.

QUERY

"I am researching my g-grandfather Andrew Jackson (A.J.) Hawkins. He married my grandmother, Elizabeth Jane Thorne. He was born in De Kalb, Georgia, and she was born in one of the Carolinas. I have the exact location in my files. Her father was Theophilus Thorne and I don't know anything about g-g-grandfather, except that he is believed to have come from N. Carolina, possibly by way of Tennessee. I have questions of where his line originally landed here in the New World. My father and his older siblings have all passed on now, so there is only the younger bunch (there were 22 children in my father's family) the youngest were too young to remember anything important, and now they are too old to care. These kids were raised in Goliad, Texas. My grandfather was born in Howard County, Arkansas. His name was William Andrew Allen Hawkins. Have you heard of any of these folk? Thanks, Shirley." Please contact the editor.

QUERY

Does anyone have info for Noah/Manoah Hawkins shown in the Orange Co/Culpeper CO VA personal property tax list about the year 1785? I believe he is shown as under 21 years with a William Hawkins. I believe he later married Susannah Reynolds, daughter of Joseph and Rachel Reynolds, about 1787. He is then shown alone in the 1787 Botecourt Co VA personal property tax list. According to the census he dies before 1820 probably in Montgomery Co VA, where his inventory is recorded. Thanks for any help.

~ C Thomas: dan_thomas@charter.net

Hawkins - Martin

NAME: James Martin Hawkins

Born 19-Sept-1841

Miller CO MO

Died

21 Nov 1934

Miller CO MO

Married

19 Mar 1871

Miller CO MO

Buried

Occupation

Judge, surveyor, collector, politician

Church

Baptist

Military

US Army Federal (Civil War)

Father

Presley Hawkins

Mother

Serepta Ballard McCubbin

SPOUSE: Julia Ann Martin

(From my files, with no source. All credit given to

whomever did the research.)

Born

1849

Missouri

Father:

Joseph T. Martin

Mother:

Nancy Reed

CHILDREN:

Edwin P. 1872

Mrd. 27 Mar 1893 Ann McGhee

William Carroll

Buffalo, MO Lillia O'Bannon

Phillip Cordell

21 May 1877

Annie Bly Blackmore

James Clinton Robert Perry 18 Feb 1884 15 Jun 1892

Oma Myers

Lena Coprdella

20 Mar 1881

W. E. Thornberry

Nancy Ballard

24 Feb 1888

#1 Cecil D. House

a a

#2 Walter S. Craft

George Clayton

2 Apr 1887

#1 Gertie O'Bannon #2 Dottie Booth

Cynthia

died young

HAWKINS NOTES -- N.(?) J. Hawkins

A tiny bit o' information:

I have compared this Hawkins' first initial of his given name, with other names the census taker wrote. It definitely doesn't match any of the "W's." It looks remotely like an "N." This is from Chicot CO AR census of 1870. 70:

Hawkins, N.	J. 45	Farmer	Born	N.	Carolina
Ann	50	Tennessee			
Emma	18	Mississippi	•		
George	15	W			
Ma_1	12 fem	**			
Willie	8	Louisiana			
Mattie	5.	W			
Napolior	n 1	. "			

A name here for a laborer, age 60; Neighbors were Smith, Baylie, and Allen

James F. Hawkins

Perhaps the following will match with someone's family. Thanks, Vic Hawkins:

James F. Hawkins born October 1, 1823 in Culpeper County, VA. Learning the carpenter trade, he hauled brick by

wagon from Washington County to build the Bethany Church.

H. G. Hawkins was born there. He married Hannah Hixson. In

1863 or 1864, he lived in Hopkinsville, KY. "He rounded up

all his mules, cattle and horses, and move to Cinchona, OH.

He also freed his slaves at the same time. He died March 28,

1890."

Harrison Hawkins

In one of my great grandmother Hawkins' letters, a writer mentioned Harrison Hawkins. As far as I know, the following Harrison does not belong to my specific branch, but who knows? He did belong to a Kentucky branch of Hawkinses, one of the oldest families in Virginia. Elijah Hawkins, a pioneer settler in Kentucky. His son James came with his parents to Virginia, and married Nancy White of the Blue Grass State.

Harrison, the third of seven children, was born in Madison County, KY on February 28, 1813.

When Harrison was a child, his parents moved first to Old Franklin, MO in Howard County. They settled in Boone County where Harrison grew up. He joined the army when the Mexican War broke out and went to Florida Afterward, he returned to MO.

In 1835, he married Dephus Tipton, from Madison CO KY. Children of Dephus and Harrison: Amanda (Mrs. J. A.

Applegate) Mary E. (Mrs. Lewis M. Applegate); Alice Z. Mrs. M. H. Holcomb; and Fannie L. (Mrs. C. B. Shaefer.) Four offspring deceased: James, Laura, Odea and an infant.

Note: If further information is desired, please see The History of Howard and Chariton Counties (Missouri.)

Samuel Hawkins – Serena Brazelton

I ran across this on the Internet and thought the sender wouldn't mind a re-print:

"I have a number of old photos of the family of my greatgreat grandparents, Samuel M. Hawkins and Serena Jane Brazelton Hawkins. Samuel was the son of John Baxter Hawkins. They were from Cowan, Tennessee." This message appeared on Rootsweb with the sender's address: eric_kleindienst@vanguard.com

The sender wonders if anyone would be interested in copies. There are also some undocumented photos and he wonders if someone could recommend a way he could figure out their identities, as a county historian, or other historians from the same line.

Perhaps one of our subscribers has this line.

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FYI:Ordering ink cartridges from Print Pal saves lots of \$\$. If it interests you all, just type in Print Pal and pull up this company's information. I get the generic cartridges, no tax, and priority mail is paid. ~ Uhm, this is not a paid advertisement.



Shared with us by Sally Hathaway sjhathaway@aol.com

Charles Hawkins

Pictured are Grandpa Charles Hawkins, his twin daughters and twin sons. He's holding his twin grandsons, David and Daniel, my mom's brothers.

Inez and Eunice were Charles Hawkins' twin daughters by his 2^{nd} wife, Della Gilbert Hawkins. His daughter, Juanita Hawkins Phillips, my Granny by 3^{rd} wife Ellen Stinett Jacobs Hawkins, is the mother of twins, David and Daniel Phillips.

Thanks for sharing this great photo with us, Sally. Sally Hathaway descends from James and Margaret Hawkins c1765-68) through their son, Walter R.

A year's belated 80th birthday to Ray Watkins, member and subscriber of *Hawkins Heritage*. On April 23, 2003, an entire page of Louisville, Kentucky's newspaper, *The Voice-Tribune* devoted an entire page to Ray, his family, and his many contributions as a good citizen. But, hey, we're only a few days late for 81st. HAPPY BIRTHDAY, Ray!

I have to drag information from our members, and this just fell into my hands. Since this is our last year of publication, c'mon, send me a picture and a little bit about yourself. Just because we aren't continuing *Hawkins Heritage* doesn't mean we can't keep emailing and writing to each other. Don't forget now. ~ Olyve



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CARIBBEAN



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Ray and Nancy Watkins posed at their home on Poplar Hill Court on April 18 during one of three parties celebrating Ray's 80th birthday.

Ray and Nancy Watkins

Ancestors of Harry Wilmer Hawkins

Contributed by Julie Norton

Generation No. 1

1. Harry Wilmer Hawkins, born June 26, 1883 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana; died February 22, 1966 in Birmingham, Jefferson County, Alabama. He was the son of 2. Jefferson Hawkins and 3. Emma A. Reynolds. He married (1) Clara Bea Lewis June 28, 1906 in Humboldt, Gibson County, Tennessee. She was born December 04, 1886 in Guthrie, Todd County, Kentucky, and died November 14, 1969 in Birmingham, Alabama. She was the daughter of James Robert Lewis and Sarah Ellen Palmer.

Generation No. 2

- 2. Jefferson Hawkins, born April 01, 1829 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky; died December 02, 1903 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana. He was the son of 4. Silas Hawkins and 5. Rebecca Kiphart. He married 3. Emma A. Reynolds January 06, 1875 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky.
- 3. Emma A. Reynolds, born September 09, 1842 in Perry County, Indiana; died March 11, 1918 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana¹. She was the daughter of 6. Reuben Reynolds and 7. Martha Ann Adams.

Children of Jefferson Hawkins and Emma Reynolds are:

- Reuben F. Hawkins, born October 1877 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana; married (1) Nannie Pearce; married (2) Mary Jane Groves June 05, 1898 in Perry County, Indiana; born June 09, 1878; died August 22, 1921.
- James Weatherholt Hawkins, born July 04, 1880 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana; died 1970 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana.
- Frederick Forrest Hawkins, born September 1881; died 1957 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana; married Nellie S. Payne April 27, 1907 in Perry County, Indiana, Perry county Marriages 10, p 323; born September 23, 1882; died Abt. 1993 in Tell City, Indiana.
- Harry Wilmer Hawkins, born June 26, 1883 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana; died February 22, 1966 in Birmingham, Jefferson County, Alabama; married Clara Bea Lewis June 28, 1906 in Humboldt. Gibson County. Tennessee.

Generation No. 3

- 4. Silas Hawkins, born Abt. 1790 in Virginia; died in Arkansas. He was the son of 8. John Hawkins and 9. Winnie? He married 5. Rebecca Kiphart June 24, 1815.
- 5. Rebecca Kiphart, born Abt. 1790 in Henry County, Kentucky; died in Arkansas. She was the daughter of 10. Jacob Kiphart and 11. Anna Maria Hansel.

Children of Silas Hawkins and Rebecca Kiphart are:

- i. Florence Hawkins, born Abt. 1816.
- ii. Vinie Hawkins, born Abt. 1817.
- iii. Margaret Hawkins, born Abt. 1818.
- Richard Hawkins, born Abt. 1819 in Henry County, Kentucky²; died Aft. 1880 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky; married Letitia Tate Abt. 1837 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky; born Abt. 1818 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky²; died Unknown.

- v. Sarah Hawkins, born Abt. 1819; died Unknown.
- Caleb Hawkins, born 1821; married (1) M Phillips; married (2) Harriet Overton December 12, 1860 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky; born October 19, 1846.
- vii. Nancy Hawkins, born Abt. 1823; died Unknown.
- viii. John Hawkins, born Abt. 1824; married Mary E; born 1832.

 ix. Jefferson Hawkins, born April 01, 1829 in Breckenridge Co
 - Jefferson Hawkins, born April 01, 1829 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky; died December 02, 1903 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana; married (1) Rebecca Tobin December 16, 1849 in Perry County, Indiana; married (2) Mary Ann Adams Bet. 1856 - 1875; married (3) Emma A. Reynolds January 06, 1875 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky.
 - x. William Hawkins, born Abt. 1838 in Kentucky.
 - Richard Hawkins, born 1820 in Henry Co, Kentucky; died Aft. 1880 in Breckinridge Co, Kentucky; married Letitia Tate Abt. 1837 in Breckinridge Co, Kentucky; born Abt. 1818 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky²; died Unknown.
- 6. Reuben Reynolds, born Abt. 1815 in Breckenridge, County Kentucky; died 1881 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky. He was the son of 12. Thomas? Reynolds and 13. Mary? Love? He married 7. Martha Ann Adams October 26, 1837 in Perry County, Indiana³.
- 7. Martha Ann Adams, born Abt. 1817 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana; died Aft. 1880 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky. She was the daughter of 14. Peter Adams and 15. Nancy Rains.

Children of Reuben Reynolds and Martha Adams are:

- i. Julia Reynolds, born October 07, 1839; married Albert Leichhardt.
- ii. Preston James Reynolds, born Abt. 1841.
- Emma A. Reynolds, born September 09, 1842 in Perry County, Indiana; died March 11, 1918 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana; married Jefferson Hawkins January 06, 1875 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky.
 - Amanda A. Reynolds, born December 1843 in Indiana; died June 18, 1919 in Hancock County, Kentucky; married Jesse Holmes Weatherholt; born March 07, 1845 in Perry County, Indiana; died March 12, 1917 in Hancock County, Kentucky.
 - v. Mary Reynolds, born 1848.

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- Margaret Reynolds, born 1849; married William C. Leslie November 01, 1871 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky; born 1850 in Kentucky.
- vii. Laura Reynolds, born Abt. 1850; died Bef. 1860.

Generation No. 4

- 8. John Hawkins, born 1754; died July 30, 1821 in Henry Co, Kentucky. He was the son of 16. Alexander Hawkins and 17. Mary Martin. He married 9. Winnie? Abt. 1770.
 - 9. Winnie? Born 1757; died Aft. October 10, 1824 in Kentucky.

Children of John Hawkins and Winnie? Are:

- i. John Hawkins⁴
- ii. Elijah Hawkins
- iii. Sarah Hawkins4 married John Baine.
- iv. Jesse Hawkins4
- v. James Hawkins4
- vi. Mildred Molly Hawkins, born 1792; died Bef. 1850; married (1) John F Miles June 25, 1812 in Pleasantville, Henry Co, Kentucky⁵; born January 23, 1792 in Culpeper Co, VA; died May 1852 in Henry Co, KY. June 25, 1812 in Pleasantville, Henry Co, Kentucky, USA.
- vii. Richard Hawkins⁶, married Letitia Tate; born Abt. 1818 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky⁷; died
- viii. Elizabeth Hawkins⁸ married James Davis.

- 10. Joel Ricks, Bedford County, Virginia Marriage Bonds 1800 to 1853, (Typed by the Genealogical Society of Utah), 68, John Hewitt posted the bond on 21 Dec 1800.
- 11. John Hawkins, Will of John Hawkins, (unpublished. Transcription available from Betty Hawkins Norton.).
- 12. Vernon L. Barlow, Vernon L. Barlow, Internet World Connect pages, William Hawkins family Page, Barlow lists his own source, 2007.
- 13. John Hawkins, Will of John Hawkins, (unpublished. Transcription available from Betty Hawkins Norton.).
- 14. Joel Ricks, Bedford County, Virginia Marriage Bonds 1800 to 1853, (Typed by the Genealogical Society of Utah),
- 69, Bond paid 28 April 1804 by William Hawkins.
- 15. Kentucky Probate and Church Records, Vol. II, 174, Bath County Marriages.
- 16. United States, 1850 Federal Census of Indiana, Household 775-798, Tobin Township, Perry County, Indiana.

HAWKINS NOTES

I noticed this in Abstracts of Revolutionary War Pension Files, and thought it might be a clue:

"HAWKINS, Moses BLW #1449-3000 fraudulent claims, also BLW #1847-3000, VA line sol lived in Orange CO VA and srv as a Capt in the VA line and was killed in the battle of Germantown, on 7 Nov 1831 William S. HAWKINS of Woodford Co., KY the oldest son and only heir of def'd sol appl for BLW at which time he was aged 35, in 1831 a Francis MOORE of Woodford Co KY formerly of Orange Co VA was a relation of ded'd sol."

Note: I had not looked into war service records when I began researching. Then David Dye, a distant Hawkins cousin who was really into it, sent me the War of 1812 service document of my gr gr gf William R. Hawkins. Then I sent for the Civil War records of my husband's gr gr gf James Abbott. I found his physical description, what he had on his person when he arrived at the Kansas hospital, etc. You all probably do that anyway-I was just late getting started, unless it was for heraldry organizations. Those of you out there who descend from William R. Hawkins and Judah Hawes, dau/of Alexander Hawes and Lucy Fowke can trace that line back to Charlemagne. Think of the extra respect you'll get -- you know, being a descendant of royalty and all!

 Lorinda Adams, born Abt. 1824 in Bethlehem, Kentucky; died July 04, 1854; married Unknown Kiphart Abt. 1840.

Generation No. 5

- 16. Alexander Hawkins, born 1730 in VA; died 1804 in GA. He married 17. Mary Martin in Ogelthorpe Co, GA. THIS GUESS is NOT verified simply a guess.
 - 17. Mary Martin, born Bef. 1730 in Ogelthorpe Co. GA.

Children of Alexander Hawkins and Mary Martin are:

- Susannah Hawkins, born 1762; died May 29, 1813 in GA; married Josiah Freeman; born September 06, 1763 in Jasper Co., GA.
- John Hawkins, born 1754; died July 30, 1821 in Henry Co, Kentucky; married Winnie ? Abt. 1770

20. ? Kiphart

Children of? Kiphart are:

- Jacob Kiphart, born 1754 in Lancaster?, Pennsylvania; died January 27, 1808 in Henry County, Kentucky; married Anna Maria Hansel.
 - Charles Kiphart, married Dorothy Hansel March 31, 1785 in Augusta County, Virginia; born Abt. 1762.
- 22. John Phillip Hansel, born Abt. 1735 in Pennsylvania?; died August 15, 1792 in Shelby County, Kentucky. He married 23. Maria Salome Walters.
 - 23. Maria Salome Walters

Children of John Hansel and Maria Walters are:

- Lawrence Hansel
- ii. George Hansel
- iii. Anna Catherine Hansel
- Dorothy Hansel, born Abt. 1762; married Charles Kiphart March 31, 1785 in Augusta County, Virginia.
- v. Anna Maria Hansel, born 1763 in Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1844 in Kentucky; married Jacob Kiphart.

Endnotes

- 1. Indiana Works Progress Administration, *Perry County Death Record 1882-1920 Index*, (Cook McDowell Publications, Inc. 719 E. 6th Street Owensboro, Kentucky 42301), 50, Emma Hawkins F W 75 Mar 11 1918, Tobinsport, Indiana CO-6 97.
- 2. United States of America, 1850 Federal Census for Kentucky, 116, District 1, Breckenridge County, Kentucky.
- 3. Doris Leistner, Vice President, Tell City Historical Society, Marriages of Perry County, Indiana 1814-1852, (Printed by Sam McDowell, Hartford, Kentucky 1977), 101, 1 hereby certify that on the 26th day of October 1837 I did join together as husband and wife in the rite of matrimony Reuben Reynolds and Martha Ann Adams. Given under my hand this 30th December 1837. Ira A. Blanchard, P.G.P.C. Recorded Dec 30 1837. Attest Solomon Lamb Ck.
- 4. John Hawkins, Will of John Hawkins, (unpublished. Transcription available from Betty Hawkins Norton.).
- 5. Henry County Historical Society, "Henry County Historical Society, Quarterly Review," Vol. 3, March 1982, p. 2.
- 6. John Hawkins, Will of John Hawkins, (unpublished. Transcription available from Betty Hawkins Norton.).
- 7. United States of America, 1850 Federal Census for Kentucky, 116, District 1, Breckenridge County, Kentucky.

 8. John Hawkins, Will of John Hawkins, (unpublished. Transcription available from Betty Hawkins Norton.).
- 9. Agnew Cemetery, Agnew Cemetery Records.

- ix. Peterson Hawkins, born 1777⁹; died 1858 in Christian County, Kentucky; married Sarah Hewitt Abt. December 21, 1800 in Bedford County, Virginia¹⁰; born 1790; died April 06, 1861 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky.
- x. William Hawkins¹¹, born 1764 in Orange County, Virginia¹²; died in Craig County, Virginia; married Jane Jinny Bayne 1794 in Culpepper county, Virginia.
- xi. Moses Hawkins¹³, born Abt. 1775.
- xii. Benjamin Hawkins¹³, born Abt. 1779 in Virginia; died in Breckenridge County, Kentucky; married Mary Polly Hewitt May 03, 1804 in Bedford County, Virginia¹⁴; born April 29, 1786 in Virginia
- 4 xiii. Silas Hawkins, born Abt. 1790 in Virginia; died in Arkansas; married Rebecca Kiphart June 24,
- 10. Jacob Kiphart, born 1754 in Lancaster?, Pennsylvania; died January 27, 1808 in Henry County, Kentucky. He was the son of 20. ? Kiphart. He married 11. Anna Maria Hansel.
- 11. Anna Maria Hansel, born 1763 in Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1844 in Kentucky. She was the daughter of 22. John Phillip Hansel and 23. Maria Salome Walters.

Children of Jacob Kiphart and Anna Hansel are:

- i. Barbara Kiphart, born Abt. 1783; married Jasper Faught September 04, 1803 in Henry County,
- iii. Abraham Kiphart, born January 15, 1787; died May 21, 1864 in Henry County, Kentucky; married (1) Rebecca Swift October 14, 1809 in Henry County, Kentucky; died July 1818 in Henry County, Kentucky; married (2) Frances Swift December 29, 1818 in Henry County, Kentucky; married (3) Elizabeth Blackwell Slaughter November 17, 1842 in Henry County, Kentucky; married (4) Matilda Neill November 28, 1846 in Henry County, Kentucky.
- Jacob B. Kiphart, born November 18, 1789 in Shelby Co., KY; died July 20, 1870; married Elizabeth Swift June 14, 1815 in Henry County, Kentucky.
- Rebecca Kiphart, born Abt. 1790 in Henry County, Kentucky; died in Arkansas; married Silas Hawkins June 24, 1815.
 - v. Henry Kiphart, born Abt. 1780 in Kentucky; died 1879 in Iowa; married (1)?; married (2) Polly Thompson May 15, 1816 in KentuckyS¹⁵; married (3) Sarah Teeters January 25, 1821 in Henry County, Kentucky.
 - Samuel Kiphart, born January 1802 in Kentucky; died August 08, 1885 in Johnson County, Indiana; married (1) Phoebe Blackwell; married (2) Jemima Swift September 20, 1822 in Henry County, Kentucky.
- 12. Thomas? Reynolds He married 13. Mary? Love?.
- 13. Mary? Love?

Child of Thomas? Reynolds and Mary? Love? is:

- i. Reuben Reynolds, born Abt. 1815 in Breckenridge, County Kentucky; died 1881 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky; married Martha Ann Adams October 26, 1837 in Perry County, Indiana.
- 14. Peter Adams, born in Virginia. He married 15. Nancy Rains.
- 15. Nancy Rains, born in Virginia.

Children of Peter Adams and Nancy Rains are:

- Martha Ann Adams, born Abt. 1817 in Tobinsport, Perry County, Indiana; died Aft. 1880 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky; married Reuben Reynolds October 26, 1837 in Perry County, Indiana.
 - Freeman Adams, born February 07, 1823 in Indiana; died September 19, 1906 in Perry County, Indiana; married Bathsheba Lamb; born Abt. 1833 in Indiana¹⁶.

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