

Descendants of William BANKS

Generation 1

1. **WILLIAM¹ BANKS** was born before 1643 in Corfe Castle, Dorset, England. He died on 10 November 1709 in King and Queen, Virginia, USA (Mantapike, Mattaponi River). He married Mary TUNSTALL, daughter of Richard TUNSTALL and Mary SAVAGE, in 1680. She was born in 1663. She died in 1709.

Notes for William BANKS:

Of King & Queen County, Virginia, USA.

William Bankes appears in the records of York Co., Virginia, on 24 January 1660. He is known to have lived in New Kent Co., which was created from York Co. land in 1654, and he died on 10 November 1709 in King & Queen Co., which was created from New Kent Co. land in 1691.

He was often referred to as "William Bankes of King & Queen Co." and called his land there his "Home Dividend," or his "Dividend Land," and later "Mantapike."

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

MANTAPIKE

Edward Digges, esq. Gent: on April 18, 1653, was granted a tract of land containing 700 acres, called Mantpoyick, lying on the north side of the Mattaponi River, running from a small creek up by the river southeasterly to Mattoones Creek (Land Patent Book n° 3, p 32). The title to this land did not remain long in the name of Digges, who sold it to Thomas Baxter prior to 1656, which link in the title was set forth in the repatent to William Banks, which was entered on 20 October 1689 for 1.079 acres. It had belonged to Adam Holland in the meantime and he sold it to William Banks in 1683.

William Banks was the owner of this plantation at the time of his death in 1709, when it passed to his son, Ralph Banks, by the provisions of his last will and testament.

Source: "Old New Kent County (Virginia) : Some Account of the Planters, Plantations, and Places" by Malcolm H Harris - Vol. 1: p 414.

Probate to his Will was granted on 10 November 1709

William BANKS and Mary TUNSTALL had the following children:

2. i. **THOMAS² BANKS** was born in 1682. He died in 1754. He married (1) **MARY DAVIS**.
 3. ii. **RALPH BANKS** was born in 1684. He died about 1735. He married (1) (UNKNOWN) (BANKS).
 4. iii. **JAMES BANKS** was born about 1688 in Virginia, USA. He died in 1733 in Prince George County, Virginia, USA ((Bristol Parish)). He married (1) **MARY MARTHA TUNSTALL**. She was born in 1690. She died in 1732.
 - iv. **WILLIAM BANKS** was born in 1690 in Virginia, USA. He died in 1749 in Sussex County, Virginia, USA. He married (1) (UNKNOWN) **BREWSTER**.
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2. **THOMAS² BANKS** (William¹) was born in 1682. He died in 1754. He married (1) **MARY DAVIS**.

Notes for Thomas BANKS:

According to one family tradition, Thomas was the oldest son, but he was disinherited because

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he married a Quaker.

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Thomas BANKS and Mary DAVIS had the following children:

5. i. WILLIAM³ BANKS. He died in 1763. He married Elizabeth MARTIN on 13 September 1753.
6. ii. THOMAS BANKS was born in Halifax County, Virginia, USA. He died on 19 October 1775. He married (1) SARAH (BANKS).
- iii. MARY BANKS.
- iv. FRANCES BANKS.
- v. ELIZABETH BANKS. She married (1) JOHN ANTHONY.
- vi. JANE BANKS. She married (unknown) LAWSON on 28 May 1758.
- vii. MILDRED BANKS. She married (1) MARMADUKE SCANFIELD.
3. **RALPH² BANKS** (William¹) was born in 1684. He died about 1735. He married (1) **(UNKNOWN) (BANKS)**.

Notes for Ralph BANKS:

Ralph Banks resided at Manatpike and at his death it was left to his son, William Banks, who was resident here in 1742.

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According to one family tradition, Thomas was the oldest son, but he was disinherited because he married a Quaker. Although the will of his father, William Bankes, is no longer extant, it was for this reason that Ralph, the second eldest son, inherited the entire estate.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

Ralph BANKS and (unknown) (BANKS) had the following children:

7. i. WILLIAM³ BANKS was born in 1707. He died in 1748. He married (1) ANN TUNSTALL.
8. ii. THOMAS BANKS was born in 1709 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. He died on 28 June 1789 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He married (1) SARAH CHANDLER in 1743. She was born in Caroline County, Virginia, USA. She died in 1747. He married (2) SUSANNAH PRIDDY-HUNT on 12 March 1786 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. She was born in Caroline County, Virginia, USA. He married (3) BETTY WHITE in 1748.
4. **JAMES² BANKS** (William¹) was born about 1688 in Virginia, USA. He died in 1733 in Prince George County, Virginia, USA ((Bristol Parish)). He married (1) **MARY MARTHA TUNSTALL**. She was born in 1690. She died in 1732.

Notes for James BANKS:

James Banks and his wife Mary had the following children, proven by James' will and Bristol Parish records:

- James, b.1710-1715, Virginia; d.1758, Albemarle Parish, Sussex Co., Virginia; married Martha Anne (unknown)
- Charles, b.18 September 1716, Bristol Parish, Prince George Co., Virginia; d.p.1790/ 1792; married Susannah (unknown)

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- Mary, b.21 November 1718, Bristol Parish, Prince George Co., Virginia.
- Sarah, b.10 November 1721, Bristol Parish, Prince George Co., Virginia.
- Priscilla, b.31 January 1723, Bristol Parish, Prince George Co., Virginia.
- William, b.17 April 1725, Bristol Parish, Prince George Co., Virginia. William moved to North Carolina, then to South Carolina.

Source: *"Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.*

James BANKS and Mary Martha TUNSTALL had the following children:

9. i. JAMES³ BANKS was born about 1710 in Virginia, USA. He died on 20 March 1758 in Sussex County, Virginia, USA ((Albermarle Parish)). He married (1) MARTHA ANNE (BANKS). She died in 1758.
10. ii. CHARLES BANKS was born on 18 September 1716 in Prince George County, Virginia, USA ((Bristol Parish)). He died about 1790 in Lexington County, South Carolina, USA ((probably)). He married (1) SUSANNA (BANKS). She died on 11 January 1789 in Lexington County, South Carolina, USA.
- iii. MARY BANKS was born on 21 November 1718 in Prince George County, Virginia, USA ((Bristol Parish)).
- iv. SARAH BANKS was born on 10 November 1721 in Prince George County, Virginia, USA ((Bristol Parish)).
- v. PRISCILLA BANKS was born on 31 January 1723 in Prince George County, Virginia, USA ((Bristol Parish)).
- vi. WILLIAM BANKS was born on 17 April 1725 in Prince George County, Virginia, USA ((Bristol Parish)).

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5. **WILLIAM³ BANKS** (Thomas², William¹). He died in 1763. He married Elizabeth MARTIN on 13 September 1753.

William BANKS and Elizabeth MARTIN had the following children:

- i. WILLIAM⁴ BANKS was born on 6 December 1753.
- ii. ELIZABETH BANKS was born on 8 March 1756.
11. iii. RALPH BANKS was born on 1 June 1759. He married (1) CATHERINE (BANKS). He married (2) MARTHA VENABLE on 9 December 1778.
- iv. MILDRED BANKS was born on 14 January 1762. She married (1) WILLIAM GAINES. He was born in 1757. He died in 1851.
6. **THOMAS³ BANKS** (Thomas², William¹) was born in Halifax County, Virginia, USA. He died on 19 October 1775. He married (1) **SARAH (BANKS)**.

Thomas BANKS and Sarah (BANKS) had the following children:

- i. JOHN⁴ BANKS. He married (1) SARAH TRAYLOR.
- ii. DUNSTON BANKS. He married (1) POLLY TRAYLOR.
7. **WILLIAM³ BANKS** (Ralph², William¹) was born in 1707. He died in 1748. He married (1) **ANN TUNSTALL**.

Notes for William BANKS:

William Banks inherited Mantapike under the provisions of his father's will and was resident here in 1742.

In addition to the Mantapike tract, he owned a mill and adjacent lands in King William County.

At some time prior to 1758, Manatpike had passed to his son, Tunstall Banks, who sold the entire plantation to George Brooke in 1764.

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William BANKS and Ann TUNSTALL had the following children:

12. i. TUNSTALL⁴ BANKS was born in 1722. He died in 1790. He married Sara BAYLOR in 1747.
- ii. JAMES BANKS was born about 1724. He died in 1785 in Essex County, Virginia, USA. He married (1) FRANCES BRUCE.
- iii. RICHARD BANKS. He married (1) ELIZABETH TUNSTALL. She was born on 18 August 1730. She died on 23 June 1743 in King and Queen, Virginia, USA.

Notes for Richard BANKS:

Richard Banks married his first cousin, Elizabeth Tunstall before 1760.

Source : *"THE FIRST TUNSTALLS IN VIRGINIA"* by Whit Morris (1950) - p 8.

Their family is reoported at length in "Tyler's Quarterly" (xvi, 22, 26-29, 32).

- iv. WILLIAM BANKS. He died on 8 November 1780.

Notes for William BANKS:

William Banks owned land in King & Queen and died 1789-90.

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- v. GEORGE BANKS.

Notes for George BANKS:

A sailor.

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8. **THOMAS³ BANKS** (Ralph², William¹) was born in 1709 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. He died on 28 June 1789 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He married (1) **SARAH CHANDLER** in 1743. She was born in Caroline County, Virginia, USA. She died in 1747. He married (2) **SUSANNAH PRIDDY-HUNT** on 12 March 1786 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. She was born in Caroline County, Virginia, USA. He married (3) **BETTY WHITE** in 1748.

Thomas BANKS and Sarah CHANDLER had the following children:

- i. RICHARD⁴ BANKS was born on 23 October 1744 in Caroline County, Virginia, USA. He died in September 1814. He married (1) K HOOKER. He married (2) RUTH HOOKER on 12 January 1769.
13. ii. SALLY CHANDLER BANKS was born on 4 January 1746 in Caroline County, Virginia, USA. She married Joseph BLACKWELL on 24 December 1771 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA.
- iii. THOMAS BANKS was born on 25 November 1747 in Caroline County, Virginia, USA. He married Betty CHANDLER on 22 August 1748 in Caroline County, Virginia, USA. She was born in Caroline County, Virginia, USA.
14. iv. RALPH BANKS was born on 21 October 1757 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. He died on 24 August 1824 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He married Rachael JONES on 22 November 1788 in Wake County, North Carolina, USA. She was born on 6 May 1769 in Wake County, North Carolina, USA. She died on 11 July 1851 in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, USA.
- v. BETTY BANKS was born on 21 February 1761. She married (1) THOMAS BANKS.

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- vi. JUSTINE BANKS was born on 14 April 1761 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. She married George RUSH on 19 April 1781 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA.
- vii. DUNSTAN BANKS was born on 26 May 1763 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. He married (1) POLLY TRAYLOR. She was born in Halifax County, Virginia, USA.
- 15. viii. WILLIAM BANKS was born on 2 February 1766 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. He died on 27 December 1820. He married (1) ANNIE HENDERSON. She was born in 1771.
- 16. ix. JAMES BANKS was born on 4 August 1770 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. He married (1) CHARITY ALSTON. She was born in 1770 in Orange County, North Carolina, USA. She died in 1828 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA.
- 17. x. JOHN BANKS was born on 7 April 1774. He died in 1838. He married (1) SUSAN DRIVER. He married (2) (UNKNOWN) TATE.

Thomas BANKS and Susannah PRIDDY-HUNT had the following child:

- 18. xi. THOMAS BANKS was born on 23 December 1788. He married (1) BARBARA BLEDSOE.
9. **JAMES³ BANKS** (James², William¹) was born about 1710 in Virginia, USA. He died on 20 March 1758 in Sussex County, Virginia, USA ((Albermarle Parish)). He married (1) **MARTHA ANNE (BANKS)**. She died in 1758.

Notes for James BANKS:

The will of James Bankes, signed on 5th March 1758 and probated on 17 November 1758, mentioned only his wife Martha, son Burrell, and daughter Susanna. It should be noted that James, his wife, and daughter, all died in March 1758.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick Moran.

James BANKS and Martha Anne (BANKS) had the following children:

- 19. i. DAVID⁴ BANKS was born about 1730 in Surry, Virginia, USA. He died in 1785 in Chatham County, North Carolina, USA. He married (1) ELIZABETH JONES.
- ii. SUSANNAH BANKS was born about 1739. She died on 27 March 1758.

Notes for Susannah BANKS:

Susanna Banks died unmarried and without issue.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick Moran

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- 20. iii. BURWELL BANKS. He married (1) MARY (BANKS).
10. **CHARLES³ BANKS** (James², William¹) was born on 18 September 1716 in Prince George County, Virginia, USA ((Bristol Parish)). He died about 1790 in Lexington County, South Carolina, USA ((probably)). He married (1) **SUSANNA (BANKS)**. She died on 11 January 1789 in Lexington County, South Carolina, USA.

Notes for Charles BANKS:

Charles Banks had issue:

Known Issue:

- Charles, Jr., b. 10 June 1747; d. 26 January 1830; married 5 April 1770, Mary Gibson.
- Elisha Fowler, b.c. 1765, South Carolina; d.c. 1796, Georgia.

Possible Issue:

- Elijah.

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- Ephraim.
- Sarah (who may have been a daughter-in-law)

and others?

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Notes for Susanna (BANKS):

Susannah Banks may have been a second wife and may not have been the mother of Charles Bank's children.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

Charles BANKS and Susanna (BANKS) had the following children:

21. i. CHARLES⁴ BANKS was born on 10 June 1747. He died on 26 January 1830 in Lexington County, South Carolina, USA. He married Mary GIBSON on 5 April 1770. She died on 6 April 1817.
- ii. ELISHA FOWLER BANKS was born about 1765 in South Carolina, USA. He died about 1796 in Georgia, USA.

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11. **RALPH⁴ BANKS** (William³, Thomas², William¹) was born on 1 June 1759. He married (1) **CATHERINE (BANKS)**. He married (2) **MARTHA VENOBLE** on 9 December 1778.

Ralph BANKS and Catherine (BANKS) had the following child:

- i. WILLIAM⁵ BANKS was born on 11 September 1871.
12. **TUNSTALL⁴ BANKS** (William³, Ralph², William¹) was born in 1722. He died in 1790. He married Sara BAYLOR in 1747.

Notes for Tunstall BANKS:

Tunstall Banks was the eldest son who inherited under the will of the first William Banks the estate "Mantapike" in King & Queen. In February 1759, he had its entail docked and soon after sold it to George Brooke, husband of his first cousin, Hannah Tunstall (Hening's Stat., viii. 474; Bagby's Hist., 51).

About 1765-7, he was a Justice of King & Queen.

In April 1767, he was defendant in a suit by his kinsmen Tunstall and Brooke.

On 12 December 1774, he was elected to the Committee of Safety and probably rendered other Revolutionary service.

In 1782, he was taxed with 230 acres in King & Queen and himself appraised some lands on that tax roll.

He married Sarah (maiden name unknown) and left (unidentified) descendants.

Source : *"THE FIRST TUNSTALLS IN VIRGINIA"* by Whit Morris (1950) - p 7.

At some time prior to 1758, Manatpike had passed to his son, Tunstall Banks, who sold the entire plantation to George Brooke in 1764. Tunstall Banks then moved to his plantation in King William County.

He had been named in the Commission of Justices of King & Queen County and on the Committee of Safety.

Source: *"Old New Kent County (Virginia) : Some Account of the Planters, Plantations, and*

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Places" by Malcolm H Harris - Vol. 1: p 414.

Tunstall BANKS and Sara BAYLOR had the following children:

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 - i. BAYLOR⁵ BANKS was born in 1755. He died in 1815. He married Anne SLAUGHTER, daughter of Lawrence (Lieut.) SLAUGHTER and Susanna FIELD, in 1783 in Culpeper, Virginia, USA.
 - ii. WILLIAM BANKS. He died in 1808.
 - iii. TUNSTALL BANKS.
 - iv. ELIZABETH BANKS. She married (1) (UNKNOWN) THOMPSON.
 - v. RICHARD T BANKS.
 - vi. ANNE BANKS.
13. **SALLY CHANDLER⁴ BANKS** (Thomas³, Ralph², William¹) was born on 4 January 1746 in Caroline County, Virginia, USA. She married Joseph BLACKWELL on 24 December 1771 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA.

Joseph BLACKWELL and Sally Chandler BANKS had the following child:

- i. JOSEPH⁵ BLACKWELL. He married (1) ELIZABETH MCGHEE. He married (2) SARAH ELIZABETH BANKS in 1781 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. She was born on 21 February 1761.
14. **RALPH⁴ BANKS** (Thomas³, Ralph², William¹) was born on 21 October 1757 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. He died on 24 August 1824 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He married Rachael JONES on 22 November 1788 in Wake County, North Carolina, USA. She was born on 6 May 1769 in Wake County, North Carolina, USA. She died on 11 July 1851 in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, USA.

Ralph BANKS and Rachael JONES had the following children:

- i. THOMAS ALSTON⁵ BANKS was born on 19 December 1789 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He died on 21 July 1835. He married Mary CHIPMAN on 3 January 1821.
 - ii. WILLIS BANKS was born on 23 April 1791 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He died on 19 September 1852. He married (1) MARY W OLIVER on 3 October 1819. He married (2) MARY GRAY on 3 September 1822.
 - iii. JAMES BANKS was born on 5 April 1792 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He died on 10 December 1867. He married (1) HANNAH ALSTON on 10 December 1812. He married (2) M J PRESTON on 20 April 1854.
 - iv. SALLY BANKS was born on 5 May 1793 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. She died on 19 October 1874. She married Edward SIMMS in 1810.
 - v. RICHARD BANKS was born on 23 October 1794 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He died on 6 May 1856. He married (1) MARTHA BUTT.
 - vi. RALPH BANKS was born on 6 April 1796 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He died on 21 April 1871. He married Elizabeth MAXWELL on 22 December 1818.
 - vii. JOHN BANKS was born on 27 October 1797 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He died on 18 September 1870. He married Sarah WATKINS on 14 February 1828.
 - viii. MARY BANKS was born on 10 August 1799 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. She died on 10 December 1854. She married (1) (UNKNOWN) (DR) JONES. She married (2) JOHN W NAPLES in 1823.
 - ix. DUNSTAN BANKS was born on 10 December 1800 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He died on 10 September 1881. He married Lucretia WEBB in 1833.
 - x. PRISCILLA BANKS was born on 3 September 1802 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. She died on 2 February 1853 in Georgia, USA ((Wynnton)). She married Moses BUTT on 28 July 1822.
 - xi. HENRY BANKS was born on 2 November 1804 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He died on 15 September 1846 in DeSoto, Mississippi, USA. He married Judith OLIVER in 1833.

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- xii. LEMUEL BANKS was born on 22 May 1806 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He died on 10 September 1854 in DeSoto, Mississippi, USA. He married (1) LOUISA AMERICA TAIT.
 - xiii. ELBERT BANKS was born on 8 January 1810 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. He died on 8 October 1817.
 - xiv. MARION BANKS was born on 22 June 1813 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA. She died on 16 June 1886 in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, USA.
15. **WILLIAM⁴ BANKS** (Thomas³, Ralph², William¹) was born on 2 February 1766 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. He died on 27 December 1820. He married (1) **ANNIE HENDERSON**. She was born in 1771.

William BANKS and Annie HENDERSON had the following children:

- i. ELIZABETH⁵ BANKS was born on 6 February 1796. She died on 11 December 1852.
 - ii. JOHN BANKS was born in 1799. He died on 14 April 1846.
 - iii. ELIZA BANKS was born in 1813.
 - iv. JAMES BANKS. He died in Elbert County, Georgia, USA.
 - v. THOMAS BANKS.
 - vi. WILLIAM R BANKS.
 - vii. POLLY BANKS.
 - viii. SALLIE BANKS.
 - ix. NANCY BANKS.
 - x. ANN BANKS.
 - xi. MARTHA BANKS.
16. **JAMES⁴ BANKS** (Thomas³, Ralph², William¹) was born on 4 August 1770 in Granville County, North Carolina, USA. He married (1) **CHARITY ALSTON**. She was born in 1770 in Orange County, North Carolina, USA. She died in 1828 in Elbert County, Georgia, USA.

James BANKS and Charity ALSTON had the following children:

- 17. i. JOHN⁴ BANKS was born on 7 April 1774. He died in 1838. He married (1) SUSAN DRIVER. He married (2) (UNKNOWN) TATE.
 - ii. NATHANIEL BANKS was born on 19 January 1799. He died on 3 August 1843. He married (1) CAROLINE FRANCES HUGHES.
 - iii. GRIZEL YANCEY "GRILLY" BANKS was born about 1802. She married (1) BEDFORD HARPER.
 - iv. JAMES ALSTON BANKS. He married (1) MILDRED OLIVER.
 - v. HANNAH K BANKS. She married (1) FLORANCE MCCARTY OLIVER.
 - 23. vi. FRANCIS ASBURY BANKS. He married (1) SIDNEY SKIDMORE.
 - vii. MARTHA BANKS.
 - viii. EMILY SARAH BANKS.
17. **JOHN⁴ BANKS** (Thomas³, Ralph², William¹) was born on 7 April 1774. He died in 1838. He married (1) **SUSAN DRIVER**. He married (2) **(UNKNOWN) TATE**.
- John BANKS and Susan DRIVER had the following child:
- i. REBECCA⁵ BANKS was born on 11 April 1804. She died in 1870. She married (1) JAMES JONES. She married (2) JAMES EDMONSON.
18. **THOMAS⁴ BANKS** (Thomas³, Ralph², William¹) was born on 23 December 1788. He married (1) **BARBARA BLEDSOE**.

Thomas BANKS and Barbara BLEDSOE had the following children:

- i. (UNKNOWN)⁵ BANKS was born in 1812. He married (1) MARTHA WOOTEN. She was born in 1814. She died in 1864.
- ii. JOHN BAYLOR BANKS was born in 1817. He married (1) CARRIE C BROWNING.
- iii. GASTON H BANKS. He married Candice BAUCOMB in 1836.

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19. **DAVID⁴ BANKS** (James³, James², William¹) was born about 1730 in Surry, Virginia, USA. He died in 1785 in Chatham County, North Carolina, USA. He married (1) **ELIZABETH JONES**.

David BANKS and Elizabeth JONES had the following children:

24. i. **DRURY⁵ BANKS** was born in 1754 in Brunswick County, Virginia, USA. He died on 3 May 1834 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He married (1) **MARY ELIZABETH GEORGE**.
- ii. **MARTHA BANKS** was born in Virginia, USA. She married (1) (UNKNOWN) **BRATEHON**.
- iii. **MARY BANKS** was born in Virginia, USA. She married (1) (UNKNOWN) **GUNTHER**.
- iv. **JAMES BANKS** was born in Virginia, USA. He died in 1794 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA.
- v. **JOHN BANKS** was born in Virginia, USA. He died in 1808. He married (1) **AMY (BANKS)**.
- vi. **RIVERS BANKS** was born in Virginia, USA. He died in 1800 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA ((Old 96th District)).
- vii. **KEZIAH BANKS** was born in Virginia, USA. She married (1) **JOSHUA GUNTHER**.

20. **BURWELL⁴ BANKS** (James³, James², William¹). He married (1) **MARY (BANKS)**.

Burwell BANKS and Mary (BANKS) had the following child:

- i. **JAMES⁵ BANKS**.

21. **CHARLES⁴ BANKS** (Charles³, James², William¹) was born on 10 June 1747. He died on 26 January 1830 in Lexington County, South Carolina, USA. He married Mary GIBSON on 5 April 1770. She died on 6 April 1817.

Charles BANKS and Mary GIBSON had the following children:

- i. **CHARLES⁵ BANKS** was born on 10 October 1772. He died on 24 September 1835 in Newton County, Georgia, USA. He married (1) **ELIZABETH KING**.
- ii. **DAVID BANKS** was born about 6 March 1775. He died on 5 February 1838. He married (1) **RUTHY LANGFORD**.
- iii. **AMOS BANKS** was born on 11 May 1777. He died on 6 February 1843. He married (1) **CATHRYN HALLMAN** about 11 January 1811. He married (2) **EVE MARGARET RIDDLEHOVER**.
- iv. **SARA BANKS** was born on 9 October 1779.
- v. **CYNTHIA BANKS** was born on 7 October 1781.
25. vi. **ELIZABETH BANKS** was born on 4 August 1785 in South Carolina, USA. She died in 1856 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She married William BANKS, son of Drury BANKS and Mary Elizabeth GEORGE, in 1802. He was born about 1782 in Abbeville County, South Carolina, USA. He died in 1868 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.

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22. **BAYLOR⁵ BANKS** (Tunstall⁴, William³, Ralph², William¹) was born in 1755. He died in 1815. He married Anne SLAUGHTER, daughter of Lawrence (Lieut.) SLAUGHTER and Susanna FIELD, in 1783 in Culpeper, Virginia, USA.

Baylor BANKS and Anne SLAUGHTER had the following children:

- i. **ELIZABETH⁶ BANKS** was born in 1784. She married William BARKER in 1808.
- ii. **WILLIAM TUNSTALL (DR) BANKS** was born in 1788. He married Pamela Somerville HARRIS in 1812.
- iii. **LAWRENCE BAYLOR BANKS** was born in 1790. He died in 1797.

Notes for Lawrence Baylor BANKS:
Died young, aged 7 years.

Source: "Some prominent Virginia families" by Louise Pecquet de Bellet (1853-).

- iv. **JOHN FIELD BANKS** was born in 1792. He married (1) **FRANCES ROBERTS**.

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- v. BAYLOR BANKS was born in 1793. He married (1) MARY STERN.
- vi. RICHARD TUNSTAL BANKS was born in 1795.

Notes for Richard Tunstal BANKS:
Richard Tunstall Banks never married.

Source: "Some prominent Virginia families" by Louise Pecquet de Bellet (1853-).

- vii. MILDRED BANKS was born in 1797. She married William FIELD in 1819.
- viii. LAWRENCE SLAUGHTER BANKS was born in 1803. He married Margaret J NOBLE in 1834.
- ix. GEORGE BANKS was born in 1805. He died in 1808.

Notes for George BANKS:
Died in infancy.

Source: "Some prominent Virginia families" by Louise Pecquet de Bellet (1853-).

- x. TUNSTAL BANKS was born in 1807.
- xi. ANNE BAYLOR BANKS. She married L ROBERTS in 1806.

23. **FRANCIS ASBURY⁵ BANKS** (James⁴, Thomas³, Ralph², William¹). He married (1) **SIDNEY SKIDMORE**.

Francis Asbury BANKS and Sidney SKIDMORE had the following child:

- i. MARTHA⁶ BANKS. She married (1) THOMAS CRAWFORD.

24. **DRURY⁵ BANKS** (David⁴, James³, James², William¹) was born in 1754 in Brunswick County, Virginia, USA. He died on 3 May 1834 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He married (1) **MARY ELIZABETH GEORGE**.

Notes for Drury BANKS:

Drury Banks was one of seven children of David and Elizabeth Banks.

After living and owning land in 96 District, South Carolina, and Warren County, Georgia, as a Revolutionary War Veteran, he drew land in Henry County, Georgia, which was cut off into Fayette County and in Carroll County. He sold the Carroll County land in 1831, and divided the Fayette County land to give to his sons Joseph Newton Banks and Wiseman Banks.

In 1832 he drew 40 acres of land atobe (?) Atlanta, Cherokee Co, in the gold lottery.

Between 1832 and 1834 he moved to Coweta County where son William, and daughter Sara (wife of Abram Carmichael) were living. He applied for a Revolutionary War pension at age 80, but "took sick and died that same year".

The Banks name was spelled "Bankes" at the time the five Bankes brothers came to Virginia in 1635.

Source: oocities.org/heartland/ridge/4706/unknownbanks.htm

Drury Banks volunteered in October 1780 for three months service with a troop of "horse soldiers" in Chatham Co., North Carolina, commanded by Captain William Cage and Colonel Litteral, during the American Revolution. In December 1781, he was drafted for service in the North Carolina Continental Line for eighteen months. Instead of serving himself, he provided a substitute by hiring John Thompson for £150 (pounds sterling) to go in his place, which was often done at the time by married men with families.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

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Drury BANKS and Mary Elizabeth GEORGE had the following children:

- i. ABNER⁶ BANKS was born about 1780 in North Carolina, USA. He died about 1850. He married (1) ELIZABETH BANKS.

Notes for Abner BANKS:

Abner Banks married his first cousin, Elizabeth Banks.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

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- 26.
 - ii. WILLIAM BANKS was born about 1782 in Abbeville County, South Carolina, USA. He died in 1868 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He married (1) ELIZABETH FRANCES YEAGER, daughter of Thomas Jacob YEAGER and Sarah Ann BANKS, on 30 July 1857. She was born in 1837. He married (2) ELIZABETH BANKS, daughter of Charles BANKS and Mary GIBSON, in 1802. She was born on 4 August 1785 in South Carolina, USA. She died in 1856 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.
 - iii. MARY ELIZABETH (POLLY) BANKS was born about 1784 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. She married Micajah PERRY on 31 May 1805 in Warren County, Georgia, USA.
 - iv. GEORGE WASHINGTON BANKS was born in 1789 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. He died on 12 August 1868 in Mississippi, Arkansas, USA. He married Sally ARMSTRONG on 4 July 1814 in Warren County, Georgia, USA.
 - v. JOSEPH NEWTON BANKS was born in 1792 in Abbeville County, South Carolina, USA. He died on 5 June 1871 in Fayette County, Georgia, USA. He married Nancy DRAPER on 20 December 1818 in Warren County, Georgia, USA.
 - vi. WILLIAM WISEMAN BANKS was born in 1795 in Abbeville County, South Carolina, USA. He died in July 1863 in Fayette County, Georgia, USA. He married (1) MARTHA HANNAH BOREN.
 - vii. SARAH BANKS was born in 1800 in Warren County, Georgia, USA. She died in 1858 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She married Abram CARMICHAEL on 9 January 1822.
 - 25. **ELIZABETH BANKS** (Charles⁴, Charles³, James², William¹) was born on 4 August 1785 in South Carolina, USA. She died in 1856 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She married William BANKS, son of Drury BANKS and Mary Elizabeth GEORGE, in 1802. He was born about 1782 in Abbeville County, South Carolina, USA. He died in 1868 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.

Notes for William BANKS:

William Banks returned to Abbeville County, South Carolina, by 1810 and then moved to Fayette County, Georgia, by 1830.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

William BANKS and Elizabeth BANKS had the following children:

- 27.
 - ii. LEVI BANKS was born on 13 November 1804 in Georgia, USA. He died in 1868 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He married Lucinda ROBERTS, daughter of William Izeka ROBERTS and Hannah VANSANT, on 19 December 1832 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She was born on 4 March 1811 in Lexington County, South Carolina, USA. She died in 1905 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.

Notes for Levi BANKS:

Levi Banks and his wife Lucinda, née Roberts, lived in the White Oak area north of Bailey's Crossroads.

All five of their sons fought in the Confederate Army, two died.

During the Civil War, Levi Banks, at age 59, joined the Coweta County police

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force.

They had nine children, two died as infants and not named.

Source: www.oocities.org/heartland/ridge/4706/unknownbanks.htm

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- iii. LEMUEL PRUETT (PRUE) BANKS was born in 1806 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. He died on 4 April 1851 in Georgia, USA ((Old Campbell County)). He married Matilda ALLEN on 13 July 1834 in Coweta County, Georgia, USA.

Notes for Lemuel Pruett (Prue) BANKS:

Lemuel Pruett "Prue" Banks was the twin brother of Singleton Stewart Banks.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

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- iv. SINGLETON STEWART BANKS was born in 1806 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. He died about 1855. He married (1) ELISABETH (BANKS).

Notes for Singleton Stewart BANKS:

Singleton Stewart Banks was the twin brother of Lemuel Pruett Banks.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

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- v. WILLIAM BANKS was born in 1810 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. He died after 1900. He married (1) VINA (MALVINA) (BANKS).
28. vi. HARRIET BANKS was born in 1811 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. She died on 24 June 1880. She married Zimriah (Zimri) ROBERTS, son of William Izeka ROBERTS and Hannah VANSANT, on 28 August 1833 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He was born in 1805 in Cowpens, Spartanburg, South Carolina, USA. He died after 1870.
- vii. FRANCES BANKS was born in 1812 in Abbeville County, South Carolina, USA. She married (1) HENRY W BARRETT.
- viii. EPSEY BANKS was born in 1814 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She married (1) THOMAS STERLING.
- ix. SARAH ANN BANKS was born in 1816 in South Carolina, USA. She married Thomas Jacob YEAGER about 1844.
- x. EZEKIAL BANKS was born on 11 February 1818 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. He died in 1873 in Wood County, Texas, USA. He married Thursa BENTON, daughter of John (Captain) BENTON, on 6 October 1842.
- xi. MARY BANKS was born in 1822 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. She died on 21 December 1873. She married John Wesley GORDON in 1842.
- xii. THOMAS MERCER BANKS was born on 6 July 1828 in South Carolina, USA. He died on 19 February 1912. He married Sarah C CHAMBERS on 4 April 1850.
- xiii. KLIAS BANKS was born in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. Klias died in 1834.
- xiv. TERRY BANKS was born in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. He married Susan ROBERTSON on 19 December 1832.

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26. **WILLIAM⁶ BANKS** (Drury⁵, David⁴, James³, James², William¹) was born about 1782 in Abbeville County, South Carolina, USA. He died in 1868 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He married (1) **ELIZABETH FRANCES YEAGER**, daughter of Thomas Jacob YEAGER and Sarah Ann BANKS, on 30 July 1857. She was born in 1837. He married (2) **ELIZABETH BANKS**, daughter of Charles BANKS and Mary GIBSON, in 1802. She was born on 4 August 1785 in South Carolina, USA. She died in 1856 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.

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Notes for William BANKS:

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Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

William BANKS and Elizabeth Frances YEAGER had the following child:

- i. JAMES⁷ BANKS was born in 1868 in Coweta County, Georgia, USA.

Notes for James BANKS:

James Banks may have taken the name Odom after his maothor's re-marriage.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

William BANKS and Elizabeth BANKS had the following children:

- 27. ii. LEVI BANKS was born on 13 November 1804 in Georgia, USA. He died in 1868 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He married Lucinda ROBERTS, daughter of William Izeka ROBERTS and Hannah VANSANT, on 19 December 1832 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She was born on 4 March 1811 in Lexington County, South Carolina, USA. She died in 1905 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.

Notes for Levi BANKS:

Levi Banks and his wife Lucinda, née Roberts, lived in the White Oak area north of Bailey's Crossroads.

All five of their sons fought in the Confederate Army, two died.

During the Civil War, Levi Banks, at age 59, joined the Coweta County police force.

They had nine children, two died as infants and not named.

Source: www.oocities.org/heartland/ridge/4706/unknownbanks.htm

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- iii. LEMUEL PRUETT (PRUE) BANKS was born in 1806 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. He died on 4 April 1851 in Georgia, USA ((Old Campbell County)). He married Matilda ALLEN on 13 July 1834 in Coweta County, Georgia, USA.

Notes for Lemuel Pruett (Prue) BANKS:

Lemuel Pruett "Prue" Banks was the twin brother of Singleton Stewart Banks.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

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- iv. SINGLETON STEWART BANKS was born in 1806 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. He died about 1855. He married (1) ELISABETH (BANKS).

Notes for Singleton Stewart BANKS:

Singleton Stewart Banks was the twin brother of Lemuel Pruett Banks.

Source: "Moran Exodus from Offaly" by Patrick E Moran.

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28. vi. HARRIET BANKS was born in 1811 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. She died on 24 June 1880. She married Zimriah (Zimri) ROBERTS, son of William Izeka ROBERTS and Hannah VANSANT, on 28 August 1833 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He was born in 1805 in Cowpens, Spartanburg, South Carolina, USA. He died after 1870.
- vii. FRANCES BANKS was born in 1812 in Abbeville County, South Carolina, USA. She married (1) HENRY W BARRETT.
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- xiii. KLIAS BANKS was born in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. Klias died in 1834.
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27. **LEVI⁷ BANKS** (Elizabeth, Charles⁴, Charles³, James², William¹) was born on 13 November 1804 in Georgia, USA. He died in 1868 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He married Lucinda ROBERTS, daughter of William Izeka ROBERTS and Hannah VANSANT, on 19 December 1832 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She was born on 4 March 1811 in Lexington County, South Carolina, USA. She died in 1905 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.

Notes for Levi BANKS:

Levi Banks and his wife Lucinda, née Roberts, lived in the White Oak area north of Bailey's Crossroads.

All five of their sons fought in the Confederate Army, two died.

During the Civil War, Levi Banks, at age 59, joined the Coweta County police force.

They had nine children, two died as infants and not named.

Source: www.oocities.org/heartland/ridge/4706/unknownbanks.htm

Levi BANKS and Lucinda ROBERTS had the following children:

arab WILLIAM HUBBARD BANKS was born on 29 December 1833 in Coweta, Georgia,
ic USA. He died on 27 October 1921 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He married Elmina
out Ann McCOLLUM, daughter of John McCOLLUM and Ada HUGHENS, on 13
of July 1857 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She was born on 15 October 1831. She
rang died on 31 January 1917 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.
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Notes for William Hubbard BANKS:

William Hubbard Banks was a private in Co A, 7th Ga Vol Infantry, Lee's Army of Northern Virginia.

He enlisted in the fall of 1862 and served until April 9, 1865 when General Lee surrendered at Appomattox. He received a letter from General Lee after the war thanking him for his services. When Lee surrendered, William ("Billy") and his

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baby brother, Ira Brantley, a sharpshooter, stacked their guns and, with their captain, friend and neighbour, David Linch, walked all the way home to the Elder's Mill area south of Turin.

Source: www.oocities.org/heartland/ridge/4706/unknownbanks.htm

arab JACOB BERRY BANKS was born on 9 September 1838 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.
ic He died on 26 July 1863 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He married Eliza
out McCOLLUM, daughter of John McCOLLUM and Ada HUGHENS, in 1859. She
of was born on 22 July 1833 in South Carolina, USA. She died on 20 October
rang 1891.
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Notes for Jacob Berry BANKS:

Jacob Berry Banks enlisted on May 6, 1862 in Coy D, 53rd Infantry, Georgia Volunteers, General Robert E Lee's Army of Northern Virginia. He was wounded during the Battle in Sharpsburg, Maryland 17 September 1862), - also known as the Battle of Antietam - but reached home and died later. This battle of the Maryland campaign is the bloodiest in American history with over 23,000 dead, wounded or reported missing.

Source: oocities.org/heartland/ridge/4706/unknownbanks.htm

arab DAVID A BANKS was born in 1839 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He died on 11
ic January 1863.

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of Notes for David A BANKS:

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e! He served as a private in Coy A, 7th Georgia Infantry Regiment.

In July 1861, he had enlisted for one year. Plagued by measles, typhoid and other illnesses, he was discharged and had started home. In Virginia he met up with some of his family and friends from home, and joined again on 30 July, 1862 for another year. He was serving as a colonel's orderly in the Confederate Army when he died at General Hospital, either of smallpox or a congestion of the brain.

He died unmarried.

Source: www.oocities.org/heartland/ridge/4705/unknownbanks.htm

arab LEANDER ROLLIN LEE BANKS was born on 8 May 1843 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.
ic He died on 3 September 1921 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He married Frances
out Matilda (Fannie) CARMICHAEL on 11 March 1866 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.
of She was born on 27 January 1844. She died on 16 December 1903.

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e! Notes for Leander Rollin Lee BANKS:

Leander Banks enlisted in the Confederate Army in April 1861 in Coy D 53rd Regt of Georgia Volunteers. He was wounded at the Battle of Sharpsburg - also known as the Battle of Antietam - (17 September 1862) and again at the Battle of the Wilderness (5-7 May 1864) - the first battle of Lt. Gen. Ulysses S. Grant's 1864 Virginia Overland Campaign against Gen. Robert E. Lee and the Confederate Army of Northern Virginia - where he was shot in the face and mouth, knocking out some of his teeth and jawbone. He was sick and was being hauled in an ambulance a few miles away when Lee surrendered at Appomattox. The 53rd had surrendered a few days before but the ambulance had been cut off from them and had not been captured.

Leander Banks served as tax collector for Coweta Co at one time.

Source: www.oocities.org/heartland/ridge/4706/unknownbanks.htm

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arab IRA BRANTLEY BANKS was born on 21 March 1845 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He
ic died on 2 November 1938 in Carroll County, Georgia, USA. He married (1)
out EMILY (OR ELIZABETH) M SPRATLIN on 5 October 1879 in Coweta, Georgia, USA.
of He married (2) MARTHA ELLEN (ELLA) CRUCE, daughter of Steven Oliver CRUCE
rang and Sara Eleanor NEILL, on 24 December 1882 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She
e!. was born on 30 March 1862. She died on 28 July 1927.

Notes for Ira Brantley BANKS:

Ira Brantley Banks was the seventh son of Levi Banks and Lucinda Roberts Banks. Being the seventh son earned him the nickname "Dock" and he was considered "lucky."

When the War Between the States came along, he "upped his age" and volunteered so he could be with his brothers. He joined Co A 7th GA Volunteer Infantry, Lee's Army of Northern Virginia at Cobb House Station, Virginia, and was a sharpshooter. After the war, he used to regale his family and friends with stories of the war. He told how Lee had surrendered standing under a little apple tree. He said that within a very short time, the tree had been cut to pieces and even the roots dug out of the ground and carried off as souvenirs by the soldiers.

On October 5, 1879 in Coweta he married first, Miss E M Spratlin, and shortly thereafter they moved to Mineola, Wood Co, Tx. After the deaths of his wife and two little children, Dock Banks returned to Coweta Co in 1874, lived with the Sterling Elder family and ran Elder's Grist Mill.

On December 24, 1882, Ira married second, Martha Ellen (Ella) Cruce, a young schoolteacher and daughter of Steven Oliver Cruce, who died in the Battle of Sharpsburg, and his wife, Sara Eleanor Neill Cruce.

In 1884 Ira, along with friends, Tom and Molly Baughn, bought land north of Bowden in Carroll Co and moved there. They were a very prominent family in the community and their homeplace became known as Banks Crossroads. A school, Mt Airy, was built at this crossroads, and Martha Ellen Banks taught there for several years.

Source: www.oocities.org/heartland/ridge/4706/unknownbanks.htm

arab NANCY C BANKS was born in 1847 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She died in 1880.
ic She married Isaac SKINNER on 27 November 1870.

out
of Notes for Nancy C BANKS:

rang In 1880, Nancy Banks and her husband were living in Alabama.
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Source: www.oocities/heartland/ridge/4705/unknownbanks.htm

arab MALISSA A BANKS was born in 1851 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. She died in 1882
ic in Whitesburg, Carroll, Georgia, USA. She married John Will DUNCAN on 25
out May 1870.

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arab (UNIDENTIFIED SON) BANKS was born in Coweta County, Georgia, USA.

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out Notes for (unidentified son) BANKS:

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rang One of two sons who died in infancy.
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arab (UNIDENTIFIED SON) BANKS was born in Coweta County, Georgia, USA.

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out Notes for (unidentified son) BANKS:

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rang One of two sons who died in infancy.
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28. **HARRIET⁷ BANKS** (Elizabeth, Charles⁴, Charles³, James², William¹) was born in 1811 in Abbeville, South Carolina, USA. She died on 24 June 1880. She married Zimriah (Zimri) ROBERTS, son of William Izeka ROBERTS and Hannah VANSANT, on 28 August 1833 in Coweta, Georgia, USA. He was born in 1805 in Cowpens, Spartanburg, South Carolina, USA. He died after 1870.

Notes for Zimriah (Zimri) ROBERTS:

Zimri and Family relocated to Tallapoosa County prior to 1860 Census,

He is shown in the 1860 Census as age 54, his wife Harriett 49, and children 18,15,11 respectively. The children were Hamilton, William, Rebecca. The first two children were thought to be born in Georgia while Rebecca was born in Tallapoosa, indicating that Zimri left Georgia before 1850. Nearby lived G.M. Roberts-28, Malinda-25, both born in Georgia and four month old son named Absolum Roberts who was born in Alabama, This could have been the son of Zemri and Harriett from the 1840 Census.

The last available record of Zimri and Family is the 1870 Census when the family was still in Alabama, with Zimri Shown as 65, Harriett 60, Listed with them and as born in Georgia were Emily, age 34 (?), Hampton 27, and Rebecca 27. Also in the house and born in Alabama were Sadine(?) age 8, Poncetta-5, and Henry(?) age 1. Due to the age of Zimri and Harriett these are probably grandchildren or relatives staying with them.

Living next door to the family was Bill Roberts age 23, born in Georgia with his wife Mary and Children Ann, Frances, Jeanilia, Lee and Harriett, All the girls were born in AL. This is William from the 1860 Census.

OATH OF ALLEGIENCE FROM ZIMRI ROBERTS SIGNED TO REGAIN CITIZENSHIP
AFTER CIVIL WAR

325 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

I, ZIMRI ROBERTS, of the county of Tallapoosa, State of Alabama. do solemnly swear or affirm, in presence of Almighty God, that I will henceforth faithfully support , protect, and defend the Constitution of the United States, and the Union of States there under and that I will, in like manner, abide by and faithfully support all laws and proclamations which have been made during the existing rebellion with reference to the emancipation of slaves. So help me God.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me at Dadeville, Alabama, this 26th day of August, 1865.

Harry Wright

Lieut. 178th New York Vols., Special Commissioner

ZIMRI ROBERTS X (his mark)

The above named has fair complexion, light hair, and grey eyes, and is 5 ft 9 inches high.

WRITTEN ON BACK;

I certify on honor that the Internal Revenue Tax has been paid and that I will cancel a _____ for the sum.

H Wright

Lt. 178 NY

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FROM BOOK B FAYETTE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, COURT OF RECORDS

1828, Dec 20th

from DAVID KISSINGER \$135.87

Dec 30, 1828

from ABSALOM ROBERTS, executor of ABSALOM ROBERTS \$75.00

Jan 1, 1829

from JOEL JACKSON

one Negro girl named POLLY, not appraised,

received the above on the usual oath of

ZIMRI ROBERTS, Guardian

March 20, 1829

WILLIAM MCBRIDE

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ZIMRI ROBERTS return for 1829

ZIMRI ROBERTS, guardian for the orphans of WILLIAM ROBERTS, deceased, to said estate.

1828 Appraised of said estate \$226.87

Received of Grandfather's estate \$266.06

One Negro girl not appraised

1829 Dec 20, received cash from JOHN FOX \$31.45

AMOUNT \$524.38

1829 Paid out clerk fees \$1.25

Value of said estate last Dec 1829 \$523.13

GEORGIA Personally came before me ZIMRI ROBERTS, who being duly sworn deposeth and

FAYETTE CO. saith that the above and foregoing contains a just and true account of all moneys that

he has received in or paid out as guardian of the orphans of William Roberts, deceased, during the year 1829. Also the whole value of said estate up to the last of Dec 1829. Sworn to and subscribed before me,

July 7, 1830 ZIMRI ROBERTS

WILLIAM MCBRIDE, clerk

Received in open court Sept 6, 1830

WILLIAM MCBRIDE, CLK

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Recorded Sept 22, 1830

WILLIAM MCBRIDE, CLK

FROM SAME BOOK OF RECORDS

ZIMRI ROBERTS return for 1830

ZIMRI ROBERTS, guardian to the orphans of WILLIAM ROBERTS, deceased, to last returns
amount of

appraisement \$523.13

Negro girl not appraised

1830, Jan 1st

Received from JOEL JOHNSON \$30.50

1830, Jan 1st

Received from ABSALOM ROBERTS \$100.00

1830, Jan 1st

Received from ABSALOM ROBERTS \$38.55

\$692.18

1830, Mar 1

paid to clerk county pr voucher \$1.25

Jan 28

Paid to LAVINIA ROBERTS one of the legatees

pr voucher #2 \$65.00

Dec 25

Paid to SHELIEA ROBERTS, one of the legatees

pr voucher #3 \$26.00

Balance of said estate \$599.93

Received in open court July 4, 1831

WILLIAM MCBRIDE, CLK

Recorded July 21, 1831

WILLIAM MCBRIDE, CLK

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ZIMRI ROBERTS return #4 for 1831

The orphans of WILLIAM ROBERTS, deceased, in account cusmen(?) with ZIMRI ROBERTS, guardian from the 1st Jan 1831 to Dec 31, inclusive.

Zimriah (Zimri) ROBERTS and Harriet BANKS had the following children:

arab WILLIAM BENJAMIN ROBERTS was born in 1835 in Georgia, USA. He died on 24
ic June 1911 in Tallapoosa, Alabama, USA. He married (1) MARY HUGHES.
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arab EMILY ROBERTS was born in 1836.
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arab HAMPTON ROBERTS was born in 1842.
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arab MATILDA ANN REBECCA ROBERTS was born on 2 November 1849 in Jacksons
ic Gap, Tallapoosa, Alabama, USA. She died on 12 July 1932 in Cedartown, Polk,
out Georgia, USA. She married William Ruffin SURLS, son of Frank SURLS and
of (unknown) (SURLS), on 4 March 1873 in Jacksons Gap, Tallapoosa, Alabama,
rang USA. He was born in 1834 in North Carolina, USA.
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Notes for Matilda Ann Rebecca ROBERTS:

Matilda Ann Rebecca Roberts, who liked to read the Bible -preferably aloud -
was known as "Becky" until she became a grandmother, then was known
affectionately as "Mammy".

She stole a horse from the Yankees, ploughed with oxen, quilted, and liked to
travel, even when she was elderly.

When she was about 13 years old, during the war, her mother always cooked
enough food so that she could send some over to her sister, Cecelia Freeman.
She had to walk across the pastures to take it to her, and there were army
deserters from both sides, hiding in the woods, who would throw rocks at her
and try to make her leave the food behind. When asked how she reacted, she
replied, " I just stuck out my tongue and kept right on walking!"

She married William Ruffin Surls but they separated and he left and was killed
in a head-on train collision. Matilda was not notified of this but the fireman on
the train told her it was true.

She was a nurse trained by Dr. John Britt.

She was a whiskey taster for the government.

The Surls home was located off the dirt road that leads out of Rock Springs
Baptist Church in Jackson Gap. The road is off to the left, right before the Britt
family cemetery which is in the woods on the left. The Surls/Roberts farm was
covered by Lake Martin but the cemetery is reportedly still above water.

Source: www.oocities.org/heartland/ridge/4706/unknownbanks.htm

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arab CELIA H ROBERTS. She married (1) JOHN FREEMAN. He died on 6 May 1864 in
ic Virginia, USA (Wilderness).

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arab GEORGE MENOHEY ROBERTS. He married (1) VIRGINIA A (ROBERTS).

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out Notes for George Menoey ROBERTS:

of George Menoey Roberts was captured at Spottsylvania Courthouse on May 6,
rang 1864 and released on oath of allegiance June 19, 1865.

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We have a copy of his war record and also a letter written by him. The following letter, handed down to Bill Surls, is addressed to his father, Zimri Roberts. The spelling and punctuation are original.

Liberty, Va Feb 20th, 1863

Dear Father,

I take this opportunity to let you know that I am well and hope this will find you all in good health. I have got no letter from you for too many months, only the one you sent to the regt. I want you to write to me and let me know whether they got William Benjamin or not in the last conscript Act and _____. I have wrote 8 or 9 letters to you and have got no answers only the one mentioned in this letter. I suppose the reason that you dont write to me you only want to hear from me. I am a going to quit till you write to me. Brother William certainly has learned a great deal since he has got married a setting in the chimney corner. If I could see him I could tell him more in one minute than he ever thought of in his life. Well Father I want you to write me all the war nuse that you have. I havnt a lot to write to you. I heard that my regt ordered to Charleston so you might not see nary one of them. Tell all my neighbors to write to me. Let me know where Will and his wife is a living. No more at this time. Remaining you affectionate son GEORGE M ROBERTS. Direct yours to Liberty Va. in care of Regt.

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