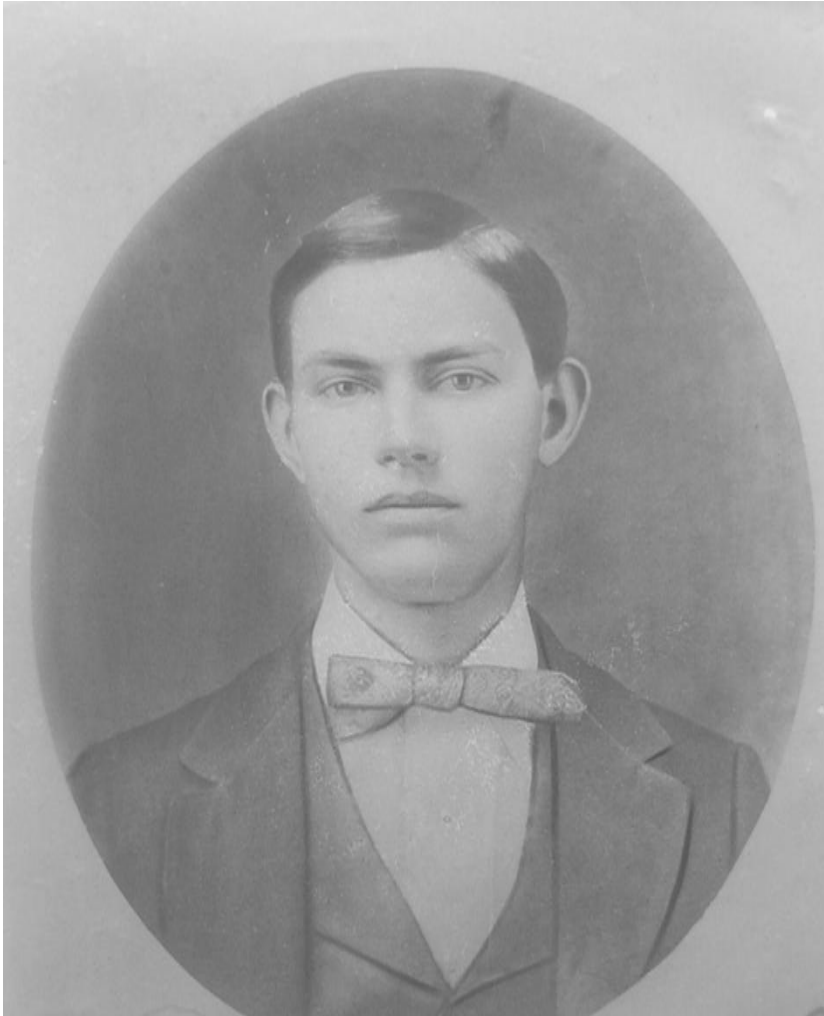




John Herschel Kelly

b. 9/8/1879—d.12/14/1940



Kelly Coat of Arms

"God is a strong tower to me."

A TRIBUTE TO OUR GRANDFATHER, JOHN HERSCHEL KELLY

Sybil Kelly Cunard

When Rose asked me to write a foreword to her transcription of our granddaddy's diary, I was somewhat apprehensive since I never knew him personally. He passed away in December 1940 before I was born in July 1941. However, this journey to get to know him through those of you who did has been such a blessing. What a dear and remarkable man he was and how privileged we are to have him as our heritage.

Thanks are due to all of you who shared such valuable information with me. Aunt Bill and Cousin Ruth were both a great source of information (Rachel graciously went to Cousin Ruth several different times with my questions), as were Carolyn, Jacqueline, Joyce and Johnny (who is my age but who had paid attention and retained much of what was said about Granddaddy over the years). I am so grateful for your help and love you all dearly.

Our grandfather was apparently a very spiritual man, as evidenced by the fact that he often walked on Sunday from their home to Prospect Church, which has to be a distance of at least two miles, possibly three. He was also for a period of time the treasurer of the church, and if parishioners failed to pay their tithes, he would pay a personal collection call on them!

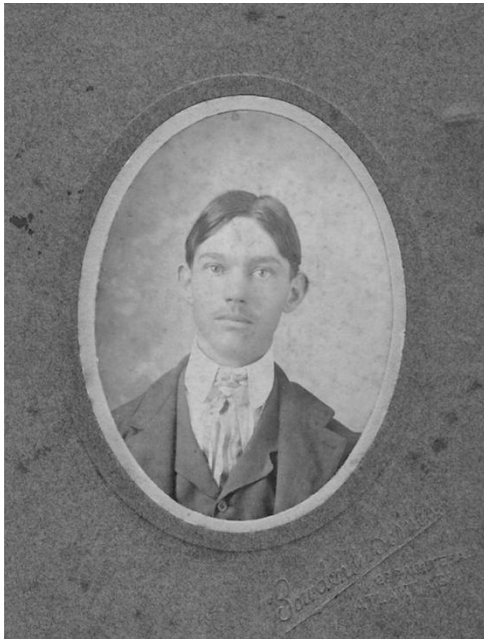
That story conflicted somewhat with the consensus expressed about his personality, which was that he was a very quiet, humble, sweet, gentle man. He is said to have been a practical joker of sorts, as well as an extraordinarily gifted gardener. According to Aunt Bill, he made the prettiest gardens she had every seen before or since and apparently was very creative in using some horticultural techniques that he himself devised. He was also apparently an encourager, spending time while the family members were working in the field telling each one what a good job he or she was doing.

He was also an animal lover, having created a pet cemetery adjacent to the family cemetery across the road from their home. Aunt Bill said he marked each grave with rocks and could tell all about each dear pet resting there. He also had a horse or mule (I couldn't quite get a majority opinion on that question) named Tony that he apparently prized as well. So, you see, our love of animals is a genetic thing, and we just can't help it!

He subscribed to the daily paper (I assume that would be the Atlanta paper) and read it religiously each day, as well as working the crossword puzzle. I believe that some of his children did the same (I know my daddy did), and some of my generation are news junkies as well. He apparently also loved politics, and that is certainly a gene that runs rampant among us.

The description of his physical appearance was a little difficult to pinpoint, with different ones referring to Uncle Leon or my daddy or a combination of the two, but cousin Ruth said emphatically that Benny looks just like him, except that Benny is taller. He was apparently about Colin's stature, and everyone said that he was very handsome. So that, dear cousins, explains where we get our good looks!

Our grandfather was a good man who apparently was held in high esteem by everyone who knew him and especially his children and grandchildren. May the Lord bless his memory and may each of us so live that we have the privilege of either seeing him again or getting to know him in Heaven.



John Herschel Kelly
b. 9/8/1879—d. 12/14/1940



Georgianna Cook Kelly
b. 7/22/1879—8/15/1957

INTRODUCTION

This has been the part of this project that I have put off the longest. How to sum up a five-year period of the life of a man I never knew, but somehow feel close to after reading and re-reading his journal many times, is just beyond my ability. This has been a project in the making for several years. I was first encouraged to transcribe John Herschel Kelly's diary six years ago when I met a local writer who was willing to proofread Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery 1882-2002, a booklet I was working on at the time. I told him about having this journal, and he said that I must do this for the family even if I transcribed only one page a day. I began almost immediately when the other project was completed. A friend, who worked for a printer, photocopied and enlarged the pages to make it easier to transcribe. That also made it possible to not have to handle the original journal. However, it wasn't long before the busyness of life got in the way of the project, and it was set aside. I cannot adequately express the satisfaction of finally having completed this undertaking and the enjoyment I have had doing it.

Many years ago, after Cornelia, John Herschel Kelly's only daughter and my mother-in-law, gave the journal to Robert and me; I went through it with her, asking her about different people and what she remembered about that period of time. Thankfully, I made notes and I used those extensively as I transcribed. I also visited Ruth Kelly Kitchens, who celebrated her 102nd birthday June 20, 2008, a couple of times and asked her questions about different things and people. Robert Herschel Lewis, my husband and John Herschel Kelly's grandson, was able to answer some of my questions about the farm terms. I thought, if I am wondering what "laid by" means and other expressions, I am sure someone else reading this will wonder, too; so, my intent became to include as many notes as necessary in the way of explanations. Recently, when a number of farm terms were left unexplained and some people still a mystery, I went to see Mr. Carroll Hodge, a life-long local resident, who is a marvel at age 95 and has a multitude of stories and recollections right at his fingertips. His help was tremendous; for example, he could explain the differences between "bedding, banking, and hilling" potatoes or some other crop. What a surprise to us both when I read to him about John Herschel attending a Mrs. McClendon's funeral and learning that it was his grandmother!

I discovered many things about John Herschel Kelly while working on this journal. First of all, I was impressed with his literacy during a period when education was not always a priority in the rural areas. His handwriting, typical of the time, was very legible and his use of the language very skilled. My editing was limited to an occasional comma. For the most part, I left everything the same as I found it. As you read, you will notice that his first concern each day was the weather, a necessity for someone whose livelihood depended upon the elements. He was a very busy, hard-working man; and his talents extended to all phases of country living ranging from working the ground and planting all kinds of crops to helping his wife, Georgianna, whom he called Dots, with the wash. As I read and typed along, I was always glad to find an occasional "done nothing all day."

Although you won't find any of his emotions revealed in this journal, you can read between the lines and discover a man who was committed to his immediate and extended family; a man active in his church and community; and, apparently, a man interested and somewhat involved in politics. Perhaps because of limited access to news, he never makes mention of the Great War that was going on at the time or the infamous flu epidemic of 1918. However, we see that his life was touched by both. I was interested to read about his hunting and fishing and his going to the Big Dam and the "long bridge" at Jackson Lake, the "picture show" in Mansfield, the circus, and all the way to Macon for an overnight on one occasion. He often traveled to Mansfield or Monticello and to a number of little stores in the surrounding settlements. You will see from one of the sample pages, that he also ran a store selling grocery items and tobacco on credit to people around him. It is my hope that, with a magnifying glass, you can see some of the names on the 1909 postal map of Jasper County, Georgia. In case you miss it, John Herschel Kelly lived with his family on Clybel Road with at least two other siblings, Aubet and Willie, living nearby. All that area is now a part of the Charlie Elliott Wildlife Reserve. Please note that the genealogy report included in this work, for the sake of brevity, lists only John Herschel Kelly's descendants.

I extend a special thanks to my sister, Joan Hughes Kelly, for proofreading all this several times and making suggestions as to what needed to be explained. She, too, is related to the Kellys by marriage having married Aubet Nathan Kelly's son, Terrell Eugene Kelly. I also want to thank Sybil Kelly Cunard, Ralph Herschel Kelly's daughter, for her tribute to John Herschel Kelly that includes memories from some of his other grandchildren. My grandson, Travis Queen, gave his expert assistance by editing, formatting pictures, converting files, and doing other computer things, the names of which I do not even know! Benny Hawthorne, photo-journalist and historian of Jasper County, supplied the maps and several of the pictures. In addition, I appreciate the family members who brought or sent me pictures. I had a great time when my grandson, Kyle Lewis, drove me to the family cemeteries in his mud-bogging truck. Then, just on the eve of finishing this up, Jessica Manning called me with information about the John Wesley Cook Cemetery. Jessica, her husband James, and I spent Fourth of July morning riding around on dirt roads in order for me to document exactly where the Cook Cemetery is located. Jessica also brought me copies of some of the documents included in this work. My only thanks in preserving this piece of history will be to know that you have read and enjoyed John Herschel Kelly's journal spanning just five years of his life.

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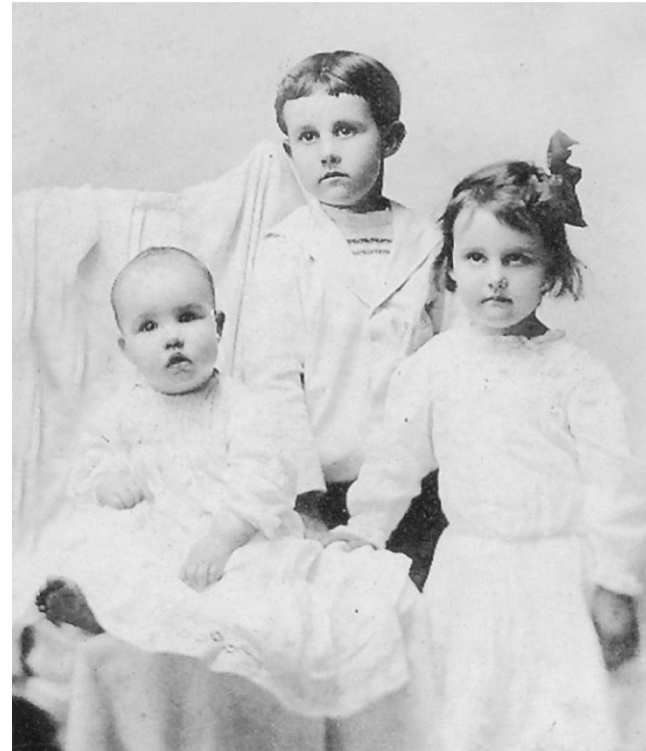
John Herschel Kelly



Dotsy (Georgianna) Cook Kelly
December, 1954



John Herschel and Georgianna (Dots)
Kelly



Ralph Herschel Kelly, Durwood Leon
Kelly, and Anna Cornelia Kelly
Circa 1909



Erbin Herschel Kelly

b. 9/9/1852—d. 1/14/1941

This photo was cropped from a Lewis family reunion picture taken around 1934. It is the only known picture of Erbin Herschel Kelly.



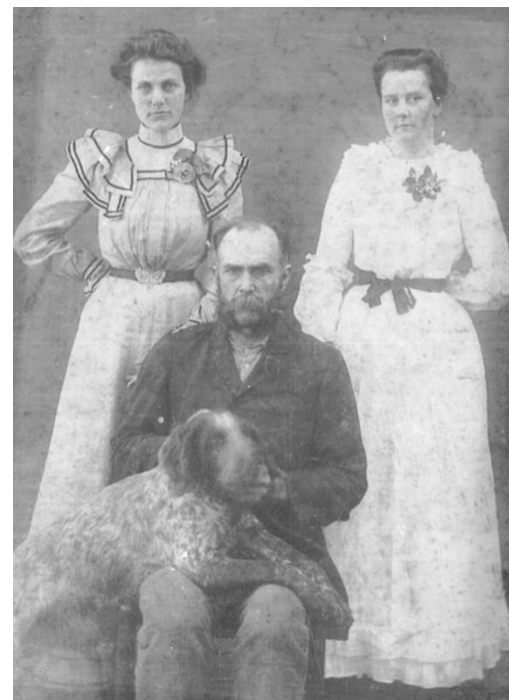
Georgianna (Dots or Dotsie) Kelly with her children, John Ben, Cornelia, Leon, and Ralph. The picture was taken in 1950.



George Lewis
b. 10/10/1897—d. 9/6/1987

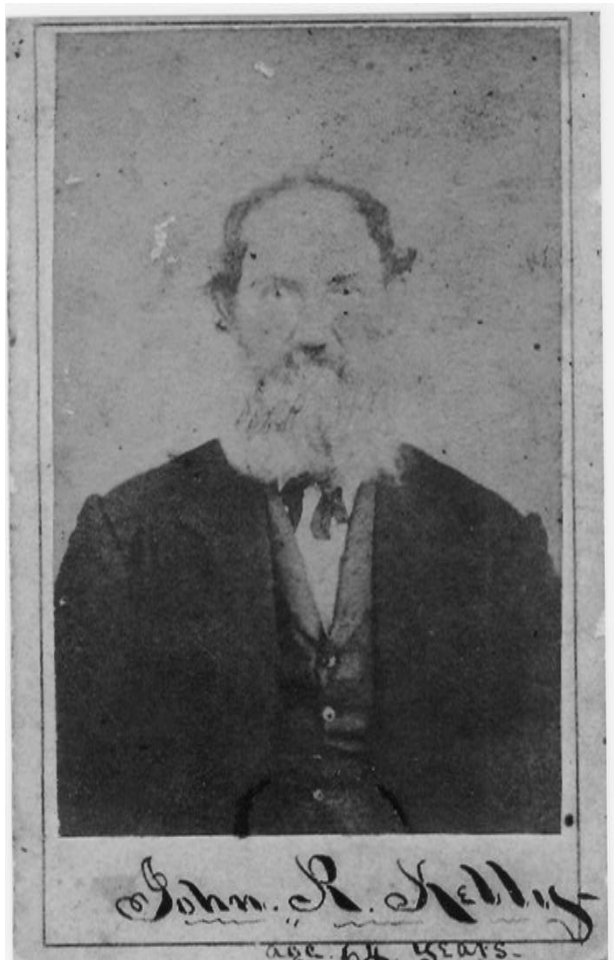


Anna Cornelia Kelly Lewis
b. 8/2/1906—d. 5/13/2003
Picture taken around 1920



Mildred Inez Cook **Georgianna Cook**
b. 12/28/1875—d. 12/26/1951 b. 7/22/1879—d. 8/15/1957
John Wesley Cook, Jr.
b. 3/1853—d. 1/06/1919
Dash (dog)

Note: Georgia Knowles Cook, mother of Inez and Georgianna was born in 1854 and died in 1879.

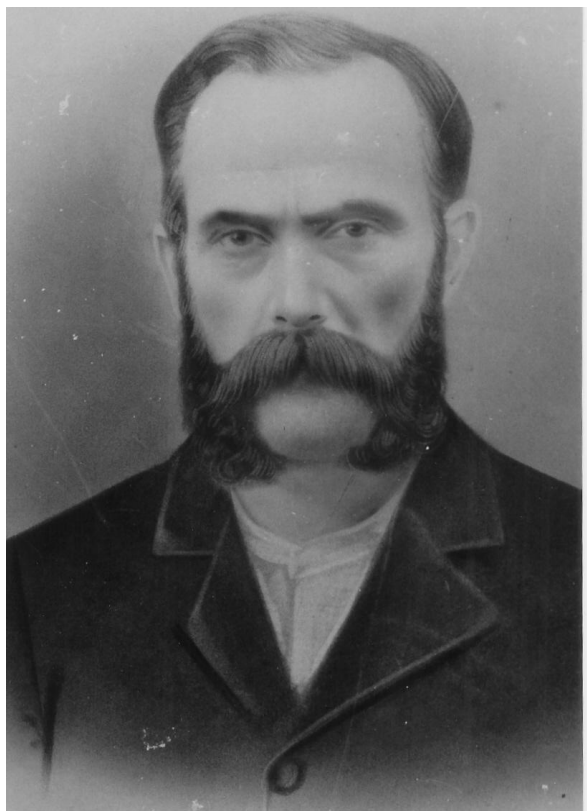


John Riggins Kelly
b. 4/18/1808—d. 6/6/1887



Rebecca Ann Whitten Smith Kelly
b. 10/20/1811—d. 6/18/1887

John Herschel Kelly's grandparents are buried just off Liberty Church Road one-half mile into the woods. There is a large engraved marker at their grave, with inscriptions on the front. Their names and birth and death dates are on either side. (See the page for directions to family cemeteries.)

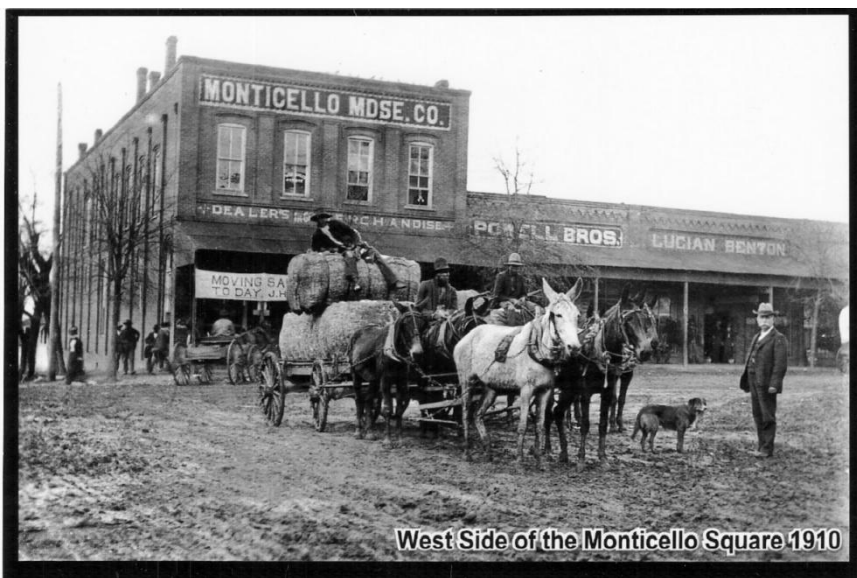


John Wesley Cook, Jr.
b. 3/1853—d. 1/6/1920

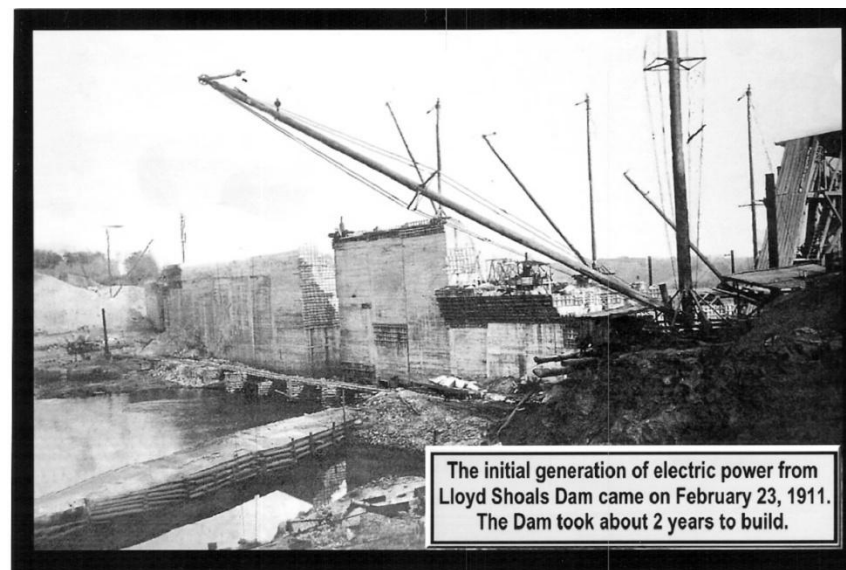


Georgia Knowles (Noles) Cook
b. 1854—d. 1879

These are Georgianna Cook Kelly's parents. These were very large pictures that were in Cornelia's possession. Not long before her house burned in 1997, I took them to Wolf photo shop and had copies made of them. (Rose)



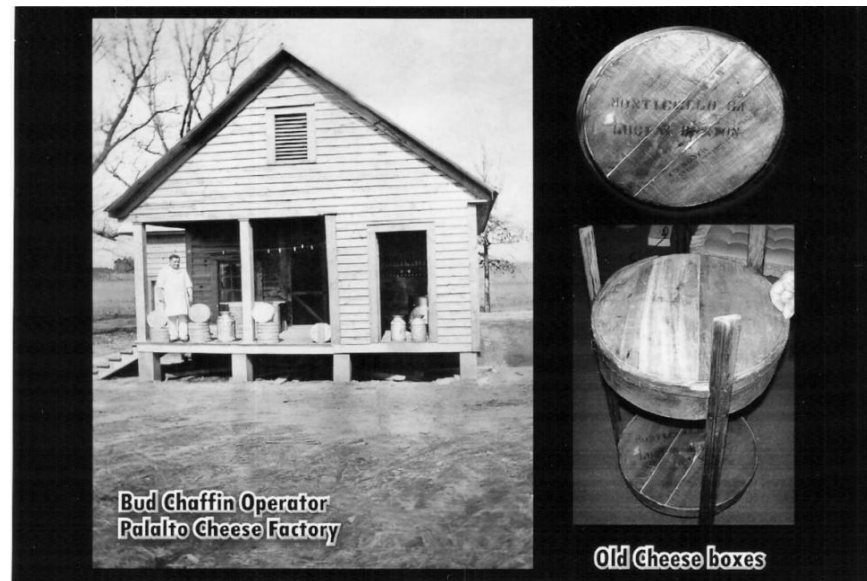
West Side of the Monticello Square 1910



The initial generation of electric power from Lloyd Shoals Dam came on February 23, 1911. The Dam took about 2 years to build.

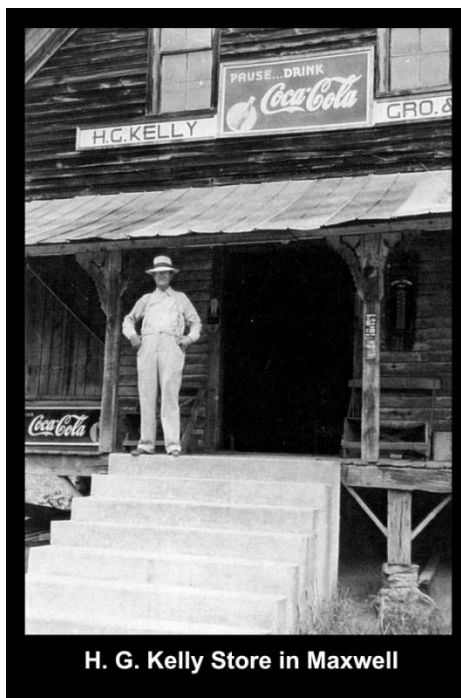
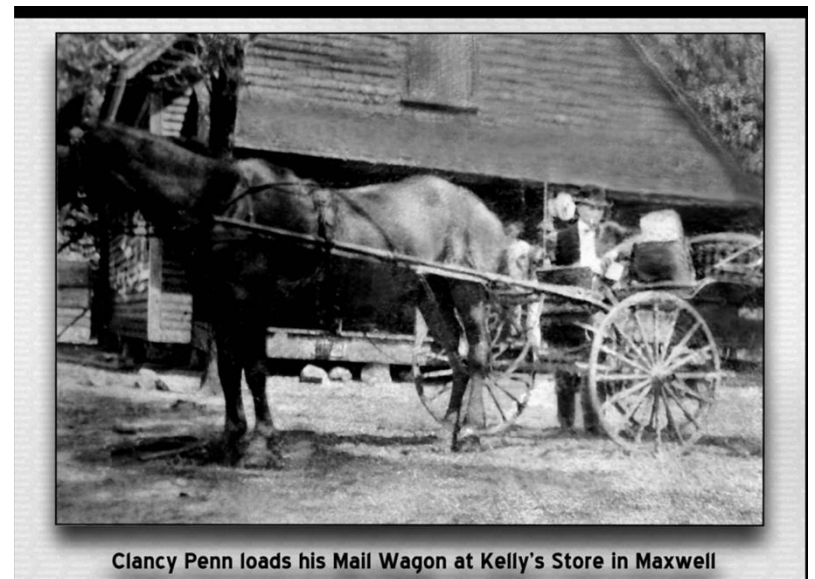


Old Store at Palalto



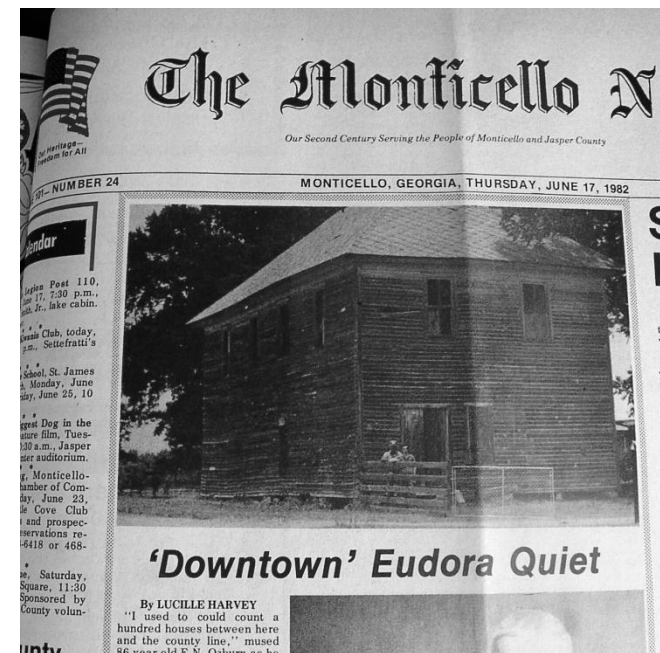
Bud Chaffin Operator
Palalto Cheese Factory

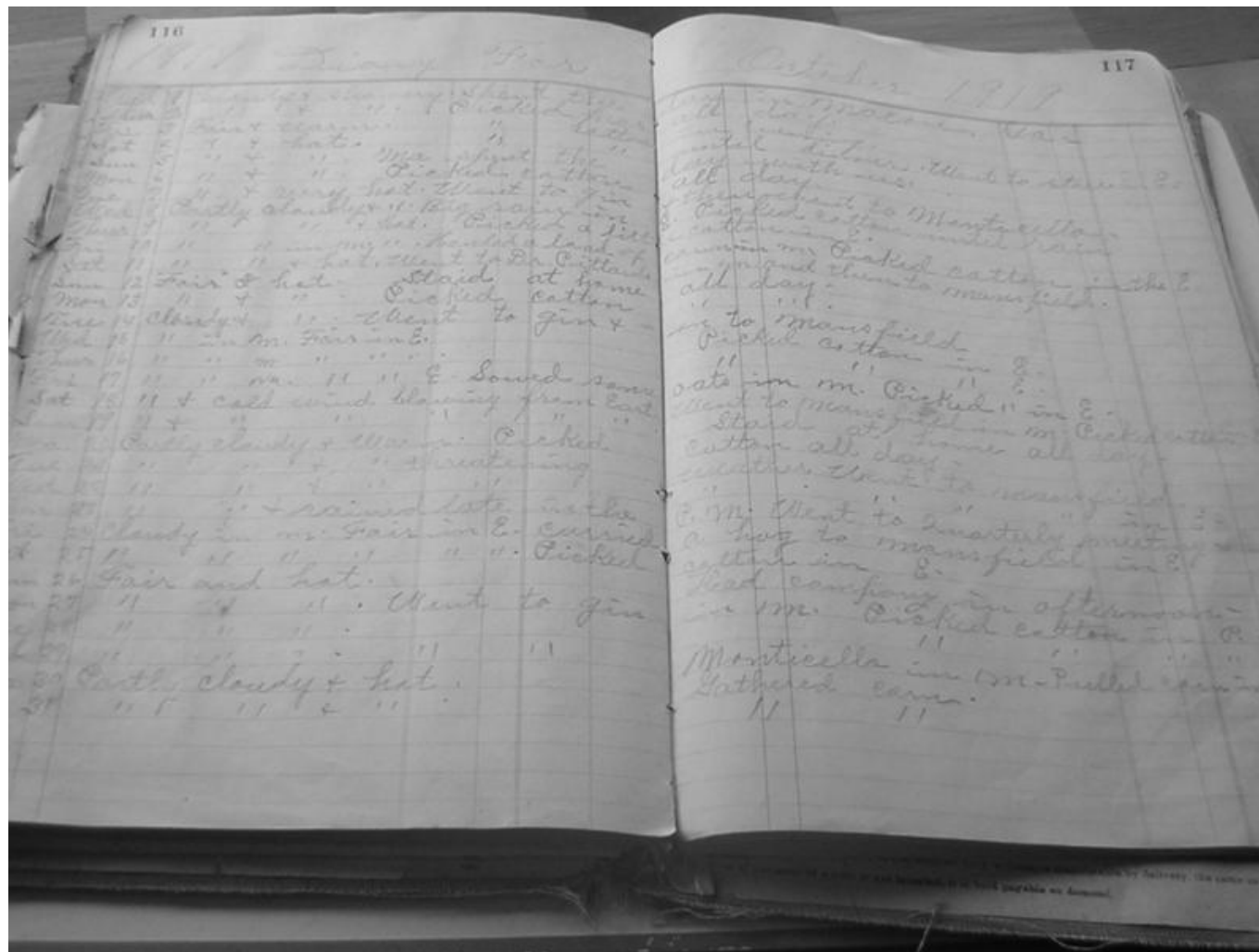
Old Cheese boxes



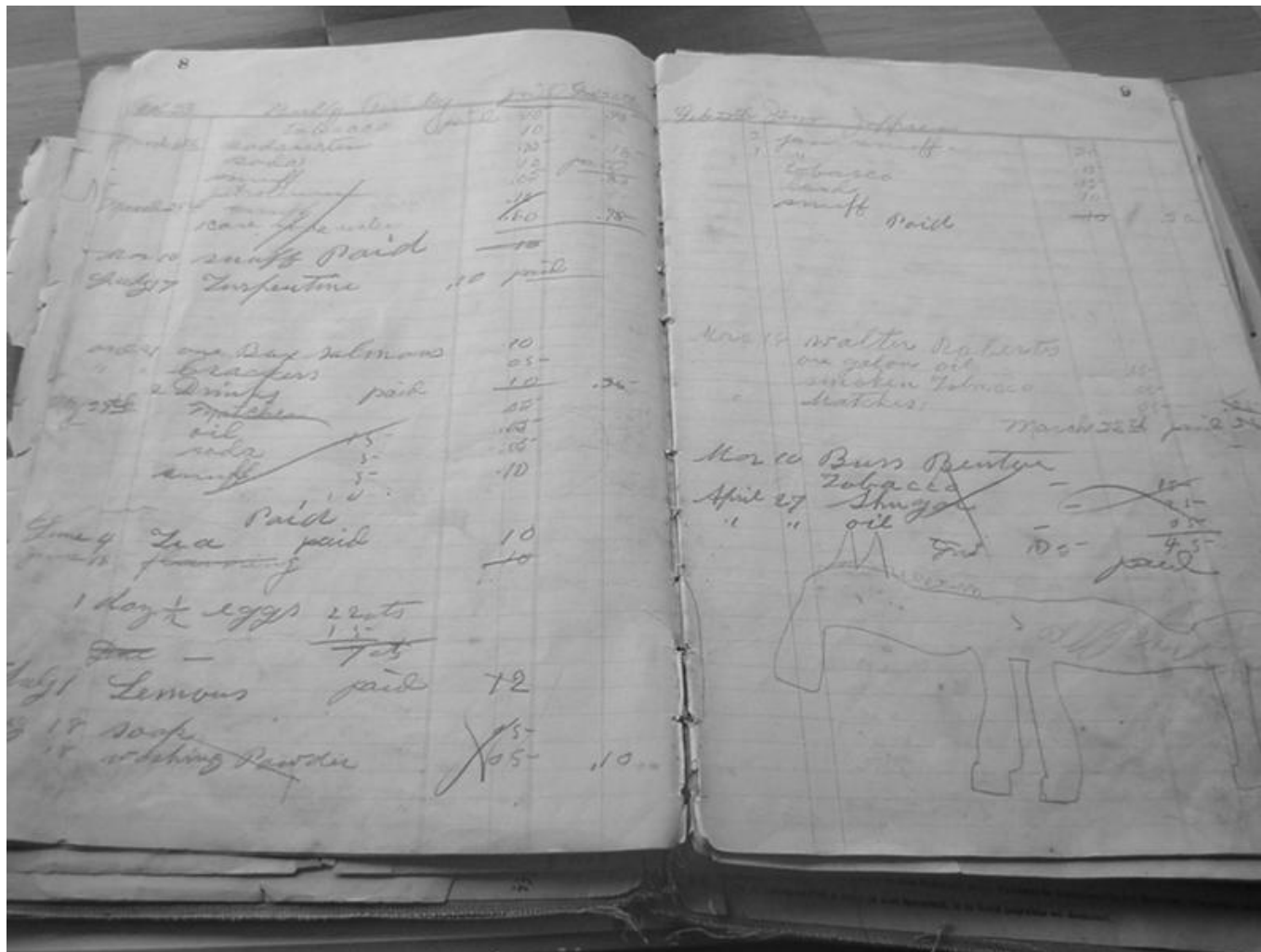
The Lodge and Post Office at Loice Allen, Sr.'s on Highway 11 is pictured at right in an article published in The Monticello News in 1982.

← The first telephone in Jasper County was installed in the store at Maxwell in the 1890's. According to History of Jasper County, Georgia, it was run from the Kelly store to the Planter's Warehouse in Monticello. The line was used by the cotton buyers to get the daily cotton prices which were telegraphed to Monticello.





Sample page from John Herschel Kelly's diary



Sample page on which John Herschel Kelly kept records of grocery items that he sold on credit. It also shows how the children played with the journal over the years.

DIRECTIONS TO FAMILY CEMETERIES

(Starting point: Mansfield)

NOLES (KNOWLES) CEMETERY

Go south on Highway 11 through Mansfield. Travel 8 miles, go past country store and taxidermy. Turn left on Shepherd Road. Go 1.8 miles to right on Clybel Road. Go .1 mile to cemetery on right side of road. There is a field on left of cemetery, which is in a grove of cedar trees. The gravesite is quite overgrown and has fallen trees. There is one grave that is marked off with stones all around it and hand-engraved lettering: "M. Noles, Born Mar 5, 1810—Died June 25, 1872." This is Morris Noles, father of Alfred Perry (Dick) Noles, who was Odessa Kelly's father. He is also buried here. There are many other graves marked with stones. John Herschel Kelly's home was across the road on left.

JOHN WESLEY COOK CEMETERY

Turn around and go back to Shepherd Road. Turn right onto Shepherd Road and then right again onto Shepherd Pond Road. You will pass Shepherd Pond on left. Continue on Shepherd Pond Road until it dead ends into Murder Creek Road. (There is no sign there at time of writing) Go approximately one mile. Just past a grove of pine trees and hunting cabins or tents, you will see two big oak trees very close to the road. There is a logging road between the oak trees and an iron gate in front. Walk approximately 160 yards up the logging road to the cemetery on left. You will also see the remaining tin roof of the John Wesley Cook house (unless it has been removed!) The cemetery is approximately 45 feet off logging road to the left. There should be orange tape marking the surrounding area. It is believed that Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Cook, Sr., their daughter Tabitha, Mr. & Mrs. John Wesley Cook, Jr., and John Herschel Kelly's infant son Paul and perhaps one other baby are buried here.

ROBINSON CEMETERY

Continue right on Murder Creek Road. Turn right on Aldridge Road. Go 1.6 miles to cemetery on left of road. This is near the end of Aldridge Road. There is a wrought iron fence around the cemetery. John Herschel Kelly's grandparents' John L. Robinson and Sara Cornelia Smith Robinson are buried here.

ALLEN KELLY CEMETERY

Continue on Aldridge Road and turn left onto Liberty Church Road. Go 1.8 miles past Walker Brock's (brick home on hill on left), past Smith Brock Road on right, past white house in curve and onto the next house in curve. The cemetery is on the left in a pasture and close to a barn. There is a drive and gate in front of and to the right of the cemetery. An iron fence surrounds the cemetery. The markers are modern and were erected in 1959 by E. Harvey Kelly, who at one time lived on the property. Allen (son of Jacob Kelly) and Polly R. Kelly are buried here (John Herschel Kelly's great grandparents). See photo on next page.

JOHN RIGGINS KELLY CEMETERY

Turn around and go opposite direction on Liberty Church Road. Go .8 mile. On the left is a private drive that leads through a gate (usually open) and past a dog kennel on left and a pond on the right. The property belongs to Tom Gay who owns a construction business in Atlanta. Continue to the right, then straight, then stay to the right and the cemetery is immediately on left in a grove of cedar trees. It is exactly ½ mile from the barn and dog kennel. There are two tall headstones. John Riggins and Rebecca Ann Whitten Smith Kelly (John Herschel Kelly's grandparents) and Oscar P. Kelly and Ossia P. Kelly (twin children of Erbin Herschel and Anna Robinson Kelly) are buried here. There are four other unmarked graves that appear to be children's graves. See photos on next page.

PROSPECT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CEMETERY

When you leave the previous cemetery, turn left onto Liberty Church Road. It will dead end into Highway 11. Turn right onto Highway 11 and travel approximately three miles. Turn left on Barnes Mountain Road (just past where you turned left onto Shepherd Road when you started this tour coming the opposite way on Highway 11). The church is on the right. Erbin Herschel and Anna Robinson Kelly (John Herschel Kelly's parents) are buried here. Sidney and Lottie Kelly; Alva Ralph Kelly; Julian and Mattie Clyde Gaston Kelly and son, Charles Herschel Kelly; William Champ and Inis Cook Kelly and son, Champ Seals Kelly are buried here. (Sidney, Alva, Julian, and Champ were John Herschel Kelly's brothers.) John Herschel and Dotsy (Georgianna) Cook Kelly are buried here. Ralph Herschel and Carmie Riggins Kelly; D. Leon and Vallie Kitchens Kelly and daughter Martha Ann Kelly; George and Cornelia Kelly Lewis, daughter Emma George Lewis, and grandchildren Vickie Marie Lewis and Jeffery Alan Lewis are buried here. (Ralph, Leon, and Cornelia are John Herschel Kelly's children.)

Last fall, I was looking through one of the last Bibles that Big Mama (Cornelia) had used after her house burned in 1997. You can imagine my surprise when I found the following letter which she wrote to her family in 1998—and my greater surprise and delight when I discovered that she had written primarily about her father. Following is a transcript of her letter:

To My Dear Family,

I decided I would write a few things I can remember from my childhood days after 92 years. I will start with how I went everywhere with my daddy.

Everybody raised wheat then to have flour for bread. He cut it when it was ripe with a cradle—no machinery then to cut. Somebody would have to thrash it, then it was carried to the mill, the one across from where Rachel lived. I went to the mill every time my daddy went. The graham flour was so good. We were crazy about the biscuits. When Ma rang the dinner bell for Papa, we went to the field to ride Tony to the house. Papa carried his cotton to the gin on a one-horse wagon with a frame on it. When that was filled it was a bale. He went to Mr. Walker Allen's gin and some to Horace Adams. That was the only time we had cheese.

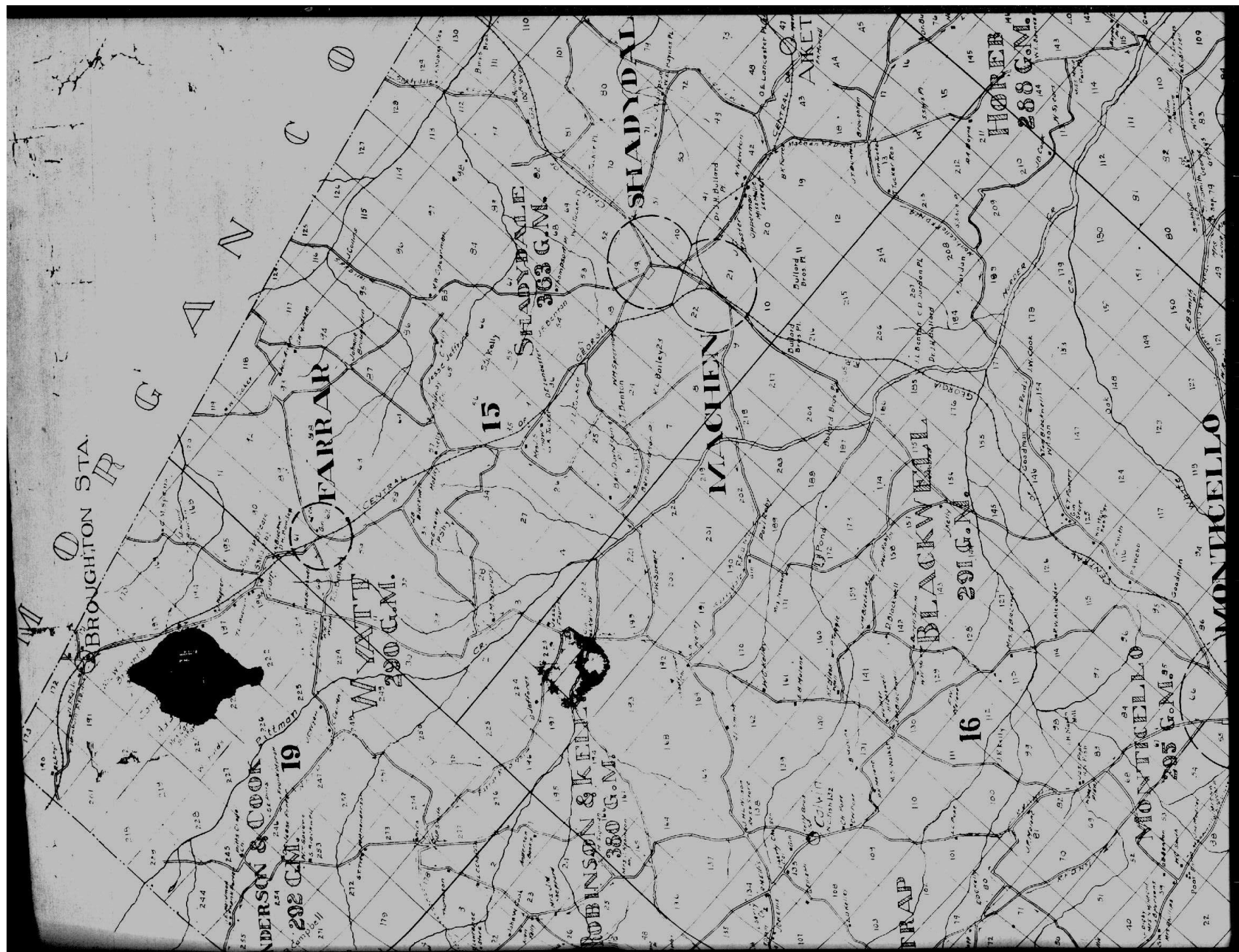
When he had a bale of cotton ginned, people sold the seed to pay for the gin. What money he got out of the seed, he would buy some cheese and a few other things to eat. What we had to eat was raised at home. We had all kinds of fruit trees and strawberries. When Christmas came we were so proud of an apple and orange, bunch of raisins and a bag of candy and one toy. We walked 3 miles to school every day. When it was real cold I would have on my long johns and black stockings over them. They sure felt good. When it was raining, Papa would come for us in the buggy. My first grade teacher's name was Miss Nannie Bell Jinks from Jackson. I loved her very much. I was 8 years old when Mama and Papa moved their membership to Prospect. Until then, we went to Concord Methodist Church over near Newborn. We went in the buggy to revival every night for a week. Leon and me would lay in the foot of the buggy and sleep all the way home.

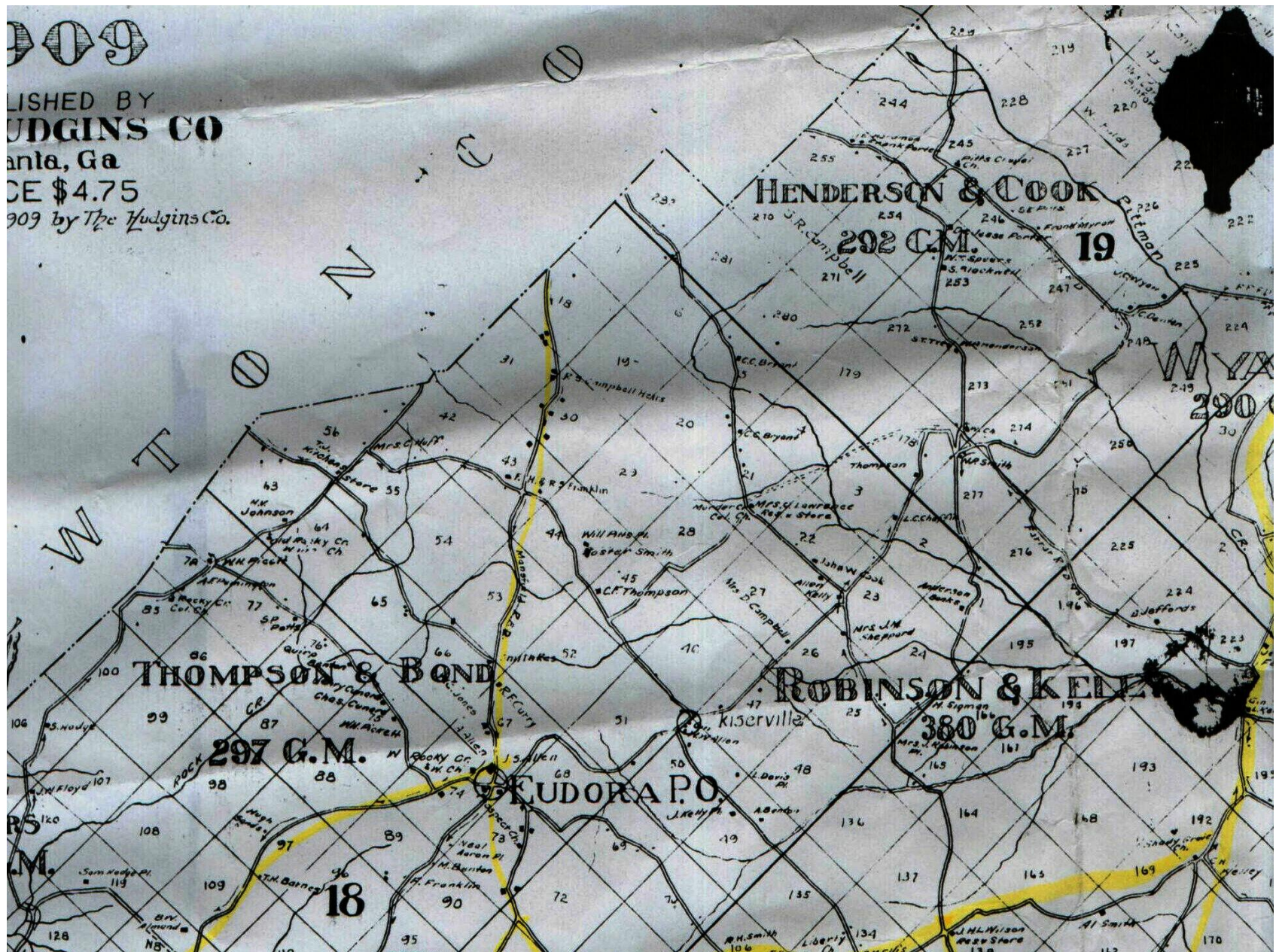
All these things are precious memories to me. Now my family is a great joy to me in my old age. I hope they will remember something they will love to think of about home.

Love,

Mama

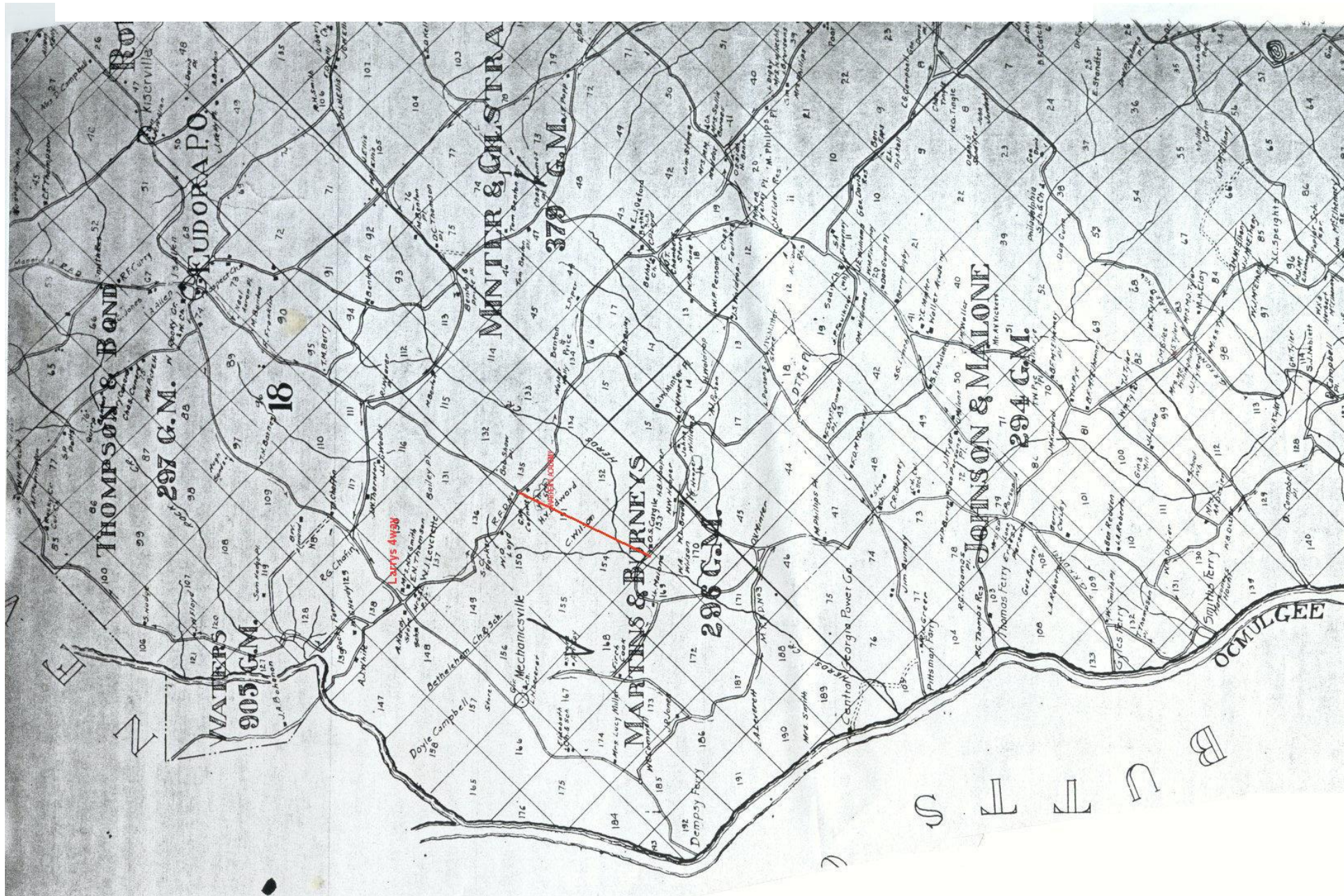
This is a map of north Jasper County. A magnifying glass will enable you to read names of residents.





This is a map of north Jasper County bordering Newton County. Note the price of the map! For 1909, that was expensive.

This is a map of west Jasper County bordering Butts County. Notice that there were at least nine ferries crossing the Ocmulgee River. The maps were provided by Benny Hawthorne.



W. Jordan
Bolling Whitfield J. J. C. C. }

J. L. Broddus. 

Recorded March 7th 1885

W. H. Jordan. CLK

State of Georgia
Jasper County }

This Indenture made this first day of Jan'y 1872, between John W. Cook Sr. of said State & County of the one part & John W. Cook Jr. of the same place of the other part, witnesseth that the said John W. Cook Sr. for & in consideration of the sum of five dollars cash in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged & for & in consideration of the natural love & affection which - has & bears to his son, hath given, granted & conveyed & doth by these presents, give, grant & convey to the said John W. Cook, his heirs & assigns, my entire land, that I have not deeded away previous to my daughter in law, Martha A. Cook & et G. Cook, & also my stock of every description, household & kitchen furniture, farming utensils, he the said John W. Cook Jr. to have & to hold all the above named land, lying in the 380 Dist of the County aforesaid number not known, containing one hundred acres, more or less. To have & to hold said tract or parcel of land to him, the said John W. Cook Jr. his heirs & assigns, together with all & singular, the rights, members & appurtenances to the same in any manner belonging - his & their own proper use, benefit & behoof, forever in fee simple. In testimony whereof the said John W. Cook Sr. hath hereunto set his hand & affixed his seal, the day & year above written. Signed, sealed & delivered in presence of

Mary Banks

Samuel L. Henderson, A. P. & ex off J. P. }

John W. Cook 

Recorded March 10th 1885

W. H. Jordan. CLK

Transcription of deed to John Wesley Cook, Jr.
from his father, John Wesley Cook, Sr.

This Indenture made this first day of Jan'y 1872, between John W. Cook Sr. of said State and County of the one part & John W. Cook Jr. of the same place of the other part, witnesseth that the cash in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged & for & in consideration of the natural love & affection which has & bears to his son, hath given, granted & conveyed & doth by these presents, give, grant & convey to the said John W. Cook, his heirs and assigns, my entire land, that I have not deeded away previous to my daughter in law, Martha A. Cook & N G Cook & also my stock of every description, household & kitchen furniture, farming utensils, he the said John W. Cook, Jr. to have & to hold all the above named land, lying in the 380 Dist of the County aforesaid number not known, containing one hundred acres, more or less. To have & to hold said tract or parcel of land to him, the said John W. Cook Jr. his heirs & assigns, together with all & singular, the rights, members & appurtenances to the same in any manner belonging - his & their own proper use, benefit & behoof forever in fee simple. In testimony whereof the said John W. Cook Sr. hath hereunto set his hand & affixed his seal the day & year above written. Signed, sealed & delivered in presence of

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Resolution Marked D.
May 2nd. 1892

Resolution on the death of Rev. J. W. Cook.
Whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His
wise providence to remove from our midst
Rev. John W. Cook on March 6th. 1892, a faithful
Local preacher. Therefore be it:

Resolved that while we feel very greatly
his loss to us, yet we bow in humble submission
to the will of Him who doeth all things well,
knowing that our loss is the gain of him who
was for many years a faithful Local preacher,
a Valiant Soldier of the Cross: that we
extend to his family our heartfelt sympathy.
T. J. Warlock.
O. H. Newton.

This was a resolution read at the North Georgia Conference of the Methodist Church at the passing of John Wesley Cook, Sr., who had served as a local preacher appointed to the Ocmulgee Mission. The transcription follows:

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O. H. Newton

MR. TEDDERS DIES FROM INJURIES

FUNERAL WAS HELD FRIDAY
AFTERNOON AT PROSPECT
CHURCH AND BURIAL WAS IN
CEMETERY NEARBY.

Mr. George Tedders, who was injured in a runaway accident in Monticello last Thursday afternoon, died a short while after receiving the fall from the buggy without regaining consciousness.

At the time of going to press last Thursday no hope was entertained for his recovery.

Mr. Tedders was seated in a buggy in front of the Persons-Phillips-Oxford Company's store when the horse became frightened and dashed around the corner into the side street fronting the home of Mr. L. O. Benton and into Washington street and on up to the public square around which he raced before Mr. Tedders was thrown from the vehicle to the hard ground, landing on his head.

The accident was witnessed by a large number of people who were powerless to aid the aged gentleman.

Mr. Tedders' funeral was held at Prospect church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock and was conducted by Rev. J. J. Winburn, after which the burial took place in the church cemetery nearby.

He is survived by two sons and two daughters and was residing with one of his daughters, Mrs. R. W. Lewis, near Maxwell, at the time of his death.

CALLS HIS WIFE UGLY NAMES ON HIS FINGERS

Wiggling his fingers to call his wife names and accuse her of many things, Alfred Simons, a mute of Los Angeles, Cal., is being sued for a divorce, according to press dispatches.

During the day Mrs. Simons could not help seeing her husband call her names, she said, but nights she could

The above article appeared in the
Friday, October 6, 1922 edition of
The Monticello News.

See September, 1918 for mention of Mr. Tedders. I found this while researching Prospect UMC history in 1994. Note: I thought you would enjoy the item at the bottom! (Rose)

State of Georgia, Jasper County.

This indenture, made this 19th day of January in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Twenty between Mrs. G. A. Kelly of the county of Jasper of the first part, and Mrs. Inis M. Kelly of the county of Jasper of the second part: Witnesseth that the said Mrs. G. A. Kelly of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of Five and no/100 dollars in hand paid, the receipt whereof is acknowledged, has bargained, sold and by these presents does remise, release and forever quit claim to the said Mrs. Inis M. Kelly her heirs and assigns, all the right, title, interest, claim or demand the said Mrs. G. A. Kelly has or may have had in and to all that One Hundred Acres of land more or less known as the John W. Cook home place and bounded as follows: North, East and West by lands of the estate of H. T. Smith and South by lands of Doyle Campbell, said land situate lying and being in 380th district Jasper County, Ga. and being a part of the land inherited from my father John W. Cook. With all the right members and appurtenances to the said described property in anywise appertaining or belonging. To have and to hold the said described property to the said Mrs. Inis M. Kelly so that neither the said Mrs. G. A. Kelly nor her heir, nor any other person or persons claiming under her shall at any time, by any means or ways, have, claim or demand any right or title to the aforesaid described property or its appurtenances, or any rights thereof. In Witness Whereof, the said Mrs. G. A. Kelly has hereunto set her hand and affixed her seal the day and year first above written.

Signed, Sealed and delivered in presence of:

Mrs. G. A. Kelly (Seal)

T. G. Pound

R. L. Davis Clk Supr Ct.

Recorded January 19th, 1920. *R. L. Davis* Clerk.

State of Georgia, Jasper County.

This Indenture, made this 19th day of January in the year of our Lord Nineteen hundred and Twenty between Mrs. Inis M. Kelly of the county of Jasper of the first part, and Mrs. G. A. Kelly of the county of Jasper of the second part: Witnesseth that the said Mrs. Inis M. Kelly of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of Five and no/100 Dollars in hand paid, the receipt whereof is acknowledged, has bargained, sold and by these presents does remise, release and forever quitclaim to the said Mrs. G. A. Kelly her heirs and assigns, all the right, title, interest, claim or demand the said Mrs. Inis M. Kelly has or may have had in and to All that Sixty Five and three-fourths (65 $\frac{3}{4}$) acres of land more or less bounded as follows: North and East by lands of Doyle Campbell, South by land of L. E. Jordan and West by lands of Mrs. W. W. Allen, also all right title, and interest in and to Thirty acres of land more or less bounded as follows: North, East and South by lands of Mrs. W. W. Allen and West by lands of Lawrence and Epps, both of said tracts being in 300th, District Jasper County, Ga., and both being a part of the Morris Noles estate, and being a part of the lands inherited by me from my father John W. Cook. With all the rights, members and appurtenances to the said described property in any wise appertaining or belonging. To have and to hold the said described property to the said Mrs. G. A. Kelly so that neither the said Mrs. Inis M. Kelly nor her heir, nor any other person or persons claiming under her shall at any time, by any means or ways, have, claim, or demand any right or title to the aforesaid described property or its appurtenances, or any rights thereof. In witness whereof, the said Mrs. Inis M. Kelly has hereunto set her hand and affixed her seal the day and year first above written.

Signed, Sealed and delivered in presence of:

T. G. Pound

Inis M. Kelly (Seal)

R. L. Davis Clk Supr Ct.

Recorded January 19th, 1920.

 Clerk.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

State of Georgia, *Jasper* County:

To any Judge, Justice of the Inferior Court, Justice of the Peace or Minister of the Gospel:

YOU ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO JOIN

Mr John W Crook (and) Georgia A Niles
For the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the Constitution and Laws
of this State: and for so doing, this shall be your sufficient License.

Given under my hand and seal, this *2nd* day of *March 1875*

Murray, J. Smith 
Ordinary.

I Certify, That *Geo W Crook* *Georgia, Jasper* County, and
Georgia A Niles were joined in MATRIMONY by me, this
4th day of *March* *Eighteen Hundred and 75*

Sam. J. Henderson
M. P.

J. W. DUKIE & CO., STATIONERS, PRINTER AND BINDERS, MACON, GA.

MARRIAGE LICENSE



Diary for January, 1917--1st Month

Note: John Herschel Kelly was 38 years old.

- Mon 1 Cloudy, warm and rained. Done nothing.
- Tue 2 Partly cloudy in morning. Rained in evening. Warm. Done nothing. ("Evening" referred to the afternoon.)
- Wed 3 Partly cloudy, windy and rained some. Sharpened saw in morning.
- Thu 4 Partly cloudy and hot. Trimmed the fruit trees.
- Fri 5 Partly cloudy and rained nearly all day. Turned cool in evening.
- Sat 6 Fair and pleasant all day. Cut sprouts in morning.
- Sun 7 Fair and warm. Went up home. Spent the day. Billie came in evening. (Billie Lumsden was a relative, who had a crippled hand but made beautiful tatting.)
- Mon 8 Fair and warm. Cut sprouts in evening.
- Tue 9 Fair and warm. Sawed wood for self. Went to Lodge at night. (See note.)
- Wed 10 Partly cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Went to Mansfield.
- Thu 11 Cloudy and cold in morning. Snowed some in morning. Fair and cold in evening. Done nothing.
- Fri 12 Fair and pleasant. Hauled up some wood.
- Sat 13 Cold and cloudy. Carried Billie to Floyd Layson's in morning. Rained hard at night. (Floyd was Seal Layson's father.)
- Sun 14 Fair in morning. Partly cloudy in evening. Cool. Laurence and family came in evening. Mattie Hue and children, too. (Mattie Hue Chaffin)
- Mon 15 Cold and rained all day. Done nothing. (Above line: Laurence Jordan)
- Tue 16 Cold and rained all day nearly. Didn't do anything. Willie came by hunting in evening. (Willie was John Herschel's brother.)
- Wed 17 Cloudy and rained a little. Went up home in morning. Cut some in evening.
- Thu 18 Cloudy and rained hard about middle of day. Split posts in morning. Done nothing in evening.
- Fri 19 Cloudy and cooler. Me and Doc sawed wood for self. (Doc Lunsford was a black man who lived with his sister, Mira.)
- Sat 20 Cloudy and drizzled rain off and on all day. Hauled posts and built lot fence.
- Sun 21 Cloudy in morning. Partly cloudy in evening. Very warm. Staid at home.
- Mon 22 Cloudy and rained hard in evening. Sawed wood for Willie until rain in evening.
- Tue 23 Cloudy all day. Big rain at night. Sawed wood for Willie all day. Went to lodge at night.
- Wed 24 Cloudy and rained all day. Done nothing.
- Thu 25 Fair and moderately cold. Pa came and got some timber in evening.
- Fri 26 Fair and frosty in morning. Fair and cool in evening. Drove in some frost.
- Sat 27 Fair and pleasant. Went to Mansfield. Clouded up in evening. Rained a shower at night.
- Sun 28 Cloudy and rained a little. Staid at home.
- Mon 29 Cloudy and raining in morning. Hot and rained big rain in evening.
- Tue 30 Fair and hot. Sawed wood for self.
- Wed 31 Partly cloudy and hot. Went to Erbin's in morning. Split wood in evening. Big rain at night. (Erbin is John Herschel's father.)

The Masonic Lodge was at Loice Allen, Sr.'s on Highway 11. It was a two story building with a store and post office downstairs. (See picture.)

The Lodge met upstairs where it is reported there was a casket containing a skeleton.

It is interesting to note that throughout the journal, John Herschel refers to his father by different names: Pa, G. Pa Kelly, Erbin, and Dr. Kelly.

Diary for February, 1917-- 2nd Month

- Thu 1 Partly cloudy and colder. Split wood in the afternoon. Cold at night.
- Fri 2 Partly cloudy and very cold and windy. Split wood in the morning. Coldest weather since 1899.
- Sat 3 Fair, a little warmer. Hauled up some wood.
- Sun 4 Fair, cold and windy. Storm and snow at night.
- Mon 5 Fair, cold and windy. Cut some sprouts. Champ came in evening. (See note.)
- Tue 6 Fair and some warmer. Cut some sprouts in evening.
- Wed 7 Cloudy and cool. Went to Willie's in evening. Nina spent the night with Cornelia. (Nina Allen) (Cornelia was 11 ½ years old.)
- Thu 8 Cloudy and rained in morning. Cloudy in evening. Took down some wire.
- Fri 9 Cold and windy. Killed hog in the evening. Then went up home to store.
- Sat 10 Fair and warmer. Dried up lard in morning. ("Dried up lard" meant cooking the fat and making cracklings and lard.)
- Sun 11 Fair and cold. Staid at home.
- Mon 12 Fair and cold wind blowing from East. Hauled up some stovewood.
- Tue 13 Fair and cold wind blowing from East. Went to Mansfield. Willie came in evening.
- Wed 14 Partly cloudy and some warmer. Had my crowder peas threshed. Rained at night.
- Thu 15 Partly cloudy and windy and warmer. Staid up to Mr. Allen's all day. (William Walker Allen)
- Fri 16 Fair and cool. Went to Calvin in morning. Staid up to Mr. Allen's in evening. (See note.)
- Sat 17 Cloudy and began raining in p.m. Put up some wire. Big rains at night.
- Sun 18 Mr. W. W. Allen died at 3:00 o'clock in morning. Inis and children came in p.m. (Inis was Willie's wife)
- Mon 19 Hot and cloudy and rained a big rain in evening. Went to burying in morning. Annie and Gus ate dinner here. (Annie and Gus Floyd)
- Tue 20 Hot and cloudy and rained in morning. Went up home in evening.
- Wed 21 Hot and cloudy and rained in morning. Fair and warm in evening. Fixed a pasture fence.
- Thu 22 Hot and fair all day. Piled wood in morning. Cleaned off in evening.
- Fri 23 Cloudy, raining and thundering all day. Done nothing.
- Sat 24 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield in morning. Went to hunting with Willie in evening.
- Sun 25 Fair and warm. Aubet, Dess, and children came. Dickie, Champ, Harvey and Felton in evening. (See note.)
- Mon 26 Fair and warm. Worked on pasture in morning. Cut sprouts in evening.
- Tue 27 Fair and warm. Cut sprouts in morning. Went to Mr. Cook's in evening. (Mr. John Wesley Cook, Jr. was John Herschel's father-in-law.)
- Wed 28 Rained in morning. Warm. Hauled brush in evening.
- Calvin Store was on Calvin Road off of Liberty Church Road. The first child born in Jasper County (known then as Randolph County) was Calvin Fish in 1807. He married Serena Kelly, daughter of Allen and Polly Riggins Kelly, in 1830. Their son, Nathan Calvin Fish, married Elmira Kelly, daughter of John Riggins and Rebecca W. Smith Kelly. Aubet was John Herschel's brother. Dickie (Uncle Dick) was Dick Nowles, Dess Kelly's father. Champ was John Herschel's brother. Harvey and Felton were sons of Laurence Jordan. Harvey was later killed in a sawmill accident.

Diary for March, 1917-- 3rd Month

Thu 1 Cloudy, cold and rained hard off and on all day from East. Went after kids in evening.
Fri 2 Cloudy, cold and rained hard off and on all day from East.
Sat 3 Cloudy and warmer, but still raining big rains. Some thunder also.
Sun 4 Big rains all day; also thunder and lightning. Turned cold late in evening.
Mon 5 Fair, cold and windy. Went to Calvin in morning. Piled brush in evening.
Tue 6 Fair and some warm. Done nothing.
Wed 7 Cloudy and cool. Cut and hauled some wood.
Thu 8 Fair and warm. Cut some sprouts.
Fri 9 Fair and warm. Cleaned off terraces in evening.
Sat 10 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield. Cloudy in evening.
Sun 11 Partly cloudy and warm. Went to Mr. Cook's and spent the day.
Mon 12 Fair and warm. Hauled out manure in morning. Bedded sweet potatoes. Planted Irish potatoes. (See note.)
Tue 13 Fair and warm. Planted ribbon cane in morning. Plowed a little in evening.
Wed 14 Cloudy and showery. Plowed part of the day.
Thu 15 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Fri 16 Partly cloudy, wind in East and cool. Plowed all day.
Sat 17 Cloudy and raining in morning. Fair, cold and windy in evening. Went to Mansfield.
Sun 18 Fair, cold and windy. Staid at home..
Mon 19 Fair and cool. Plowed all day.
Tue 20 Partly cloudy and warmer. Plowed all day.
Wed 21 Plowed until rain in morning. Rained, thundered, hailed a little in morning.
Thu 22 Fair and cold wind blowing from East. Hauled a load of guano. Rained in evening. (Guano was fertilizer.)
Fri 23 Cloudy and drizzling rain in morning. Fair in evening. Willie came in evening.
Sat 24 Cloudy and rained a big rain in early morning. Carried wagon home. Fair in East.
Sun 25 Fair in morning. Fair and cool wind blowing from the east. Staid at home.
Mon 26 Raining, thundering and lightning nearly all day. Big rain and hail at night.
Tue 27 Rain in early morning. Fair and cool in evening. Frost at night.
Wed 28 Fair and windy. Went to Mansfield after guano.
Thu 29 Fair and windy. Went to Mansfield after guano in morning. Cut sprouts in evening.
Fri 30 Fair and warmer. Went to Mansfield after guano in morning.
Sat 31 Fair and warm. Threw up terraces in morning. Broke up sage patch in evening. ("Threw up terraces" meant plowing and making the terraces. He broke up the sage patch to plant watermelons. The sage was used for making sausage.)
"Bedded" meant that he put wheat or pine straw in a pile, placed the potatoes in a pile on top, and covered them with corn stalks in order to grow slips for planting the next season.

Diary for April, 1917-- 4th Month

Sun	1 Fair and warm. Leila and Corban came. Inis and Willie and children in evening. (Leila and Corban Ozburn)
Mon	2 Raining and thunder in morning. Fair in evening. Put up hogwire.
Tue	3 Fair and cold. Plowed all day.
Wed	4 Plowed until dinner. Cloudy. Rained in evening. Rained all night hard.
Thu	5 Rained in early morning. Fair and cool in evening.
Fri	6 Fair, cold and windy. Worked on hog lot.
Sat	7 Fair and warm. Cloudy at night. Went to Monticello in morning.
Sun	8 Cloudy and rained in morning. Partly cloudy and rained some in evening. Went to Prospect in morning. (Prospect Methodist Church)
Mon	9 Cold and windy. Frost. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Tue	10 Fair and cool. Drug with harrow and carried it home in evening.
Wed	11 Fair and cool. Planted some yellow dent corn in morning. Plowed in evening.
Thu	12 Fair and warm. Plowed all day fixing corn ground.
Fri	13 Fair and warm. Plowed all day fixing corn ground. Rained a little in evening.
Sat	14 Fair and cool in morning. Fair and warm in evening. Plowed all day, breaking up.
Sun	15 Fair and cool all day. Went and spent the day with Gus and Annie.
Mon	16 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Tue	17 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Wed	18 Fair and hot. Plowed all day.
Thu	19 Fair and hot. Plowed all day.
Fri	20 Fair and hot. Planted corn in new ground.
Sat	21 Fair and hot. Planted cotton all day. Rained a shower in p.m.
Sun	22 Fair and cool in morning. Fair and warm in evening. Staid at home.
Mon	23 Fair and warm all day. Laid off cotton ground.
Tue	24 Fair and warm all day. Planted syrup cane, goobers, chufas and peas in morning. (Chufas were a type of peas.)
Wed	25 Fair in morning. Laid off cotton ground. Lightning, thunder, and a nice shower in evening.
Thu	26 Fair and pleasant. Planted cotton all day.
Fri	27 Fair and hot all day. Planted cotton all day.
Sat	28 Fair and cool in morning. Fair and hot in evening. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sun	29 Fair and hot in morning. Ma and Pa spent the day. Rained a little and hailed a little in evening.
Mon	30 Fair and hot. Planted cotton all day in Mira's crop. (Mira was Doc Lunsford's sister who cleaned for them.)

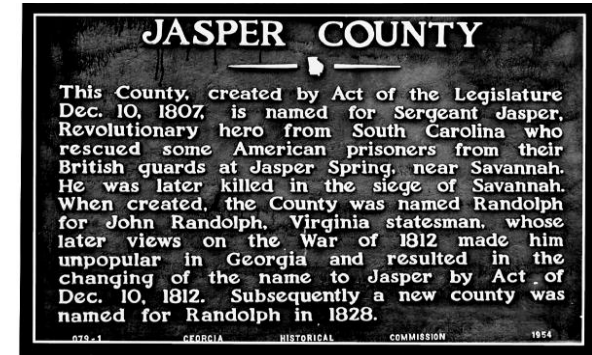


Prospect United Methodist Church
Picture taken in the 1960's

Diary for May, 1917--5th Month

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| Tue | 1 Fair and hot. Finished planting cotton at 4:00 o'clock in evening. |
| Wed | 2 Fair and hot. Planted corn all day in big field. |
| Thu | 3 Partly cloudy and cooler. Planted corn and peas until dinner. |
| Fri | 4 Rained off and on all day. Went up home in morning a little while. |
| Sat | 5 Fair and cool in morning. Went to Mr. Cook's in morning. Worked on pasture in evening. |
| Sun | 6 Fair and cold wind blowing from East. Went to Sunday School in morning. |
| Mon | 7 Cloudy and set in raining. Went to Calvin in morning. Done nothing in evening. |
| Tue | 8 Windy and cold. Fixed pasture in evening. |
| Wed | 9 Windy and cold in morning. Cut sprouts. Warmer in evening. |
| Thu | 10 Fair and warmer. Sowed some peas. |
| Fri | 11 Partly cloudy. Plowed corn in morning. Plowed corn in evening. |
| Sat | 12 Fair and cold. Plowed corn in morning. Hoed watermelons in evening. |
| Sun | 13 Fair, cold and windy. Went to Aubet's and spent the day. |
| Mon | 14 Fair, cold and windy. Plowed cotton all day. |
| Tue | 15 Fair and some warmer. Went to Mansfield in morning. Done nothing in evening. |
| Wed | 16 Fair and warm. Plowed peas and goobers in morning. |
| Thu | 17 Fair and warm in day. Cool at night. Tried to plow cotton. |
| Fri | 18 Fair and warm. Went to Quarterly meeting at Prospect. |
| Sat | 19 Fair and warm. Harrowed cotton in morning. Inis and children came. |
| Sun | 20 Fair and warm. Went to children's day at Prospect. |
| Mon | 21 Fair and warm and dry. Chopped cotton. Started. ("Started" meant it was the first time he began chopping cotton.) |
| Tue | 22 Windy and warm. Chopped cotton. Rained, hailed, thundered, and lightning at night. |
| Wed | 23 Windy and cool. Sowed peas in morning. Went to Doctor's in evening. (See note.) |
| Thu | 24 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to Doctor's in evening. |
| Fri | 25 Partly cloudy and rained a shower in morning. Done nothing. |
| Sat | 26 Partly cloudy and rained a shower. Planted over some cotton in evening. |
| Sun | 27 Partly cloudy and hot. Went riding in evening with R. Y. T. (Ray Thompson) |
| Mon | 28 Fair and warm. Plowed and replanted cotton. John Ben got sick. (John Ben was 13 months old.) |
| Tue | 29 Fair and warm. Plowed cotton. |
| Wed | 30 Fair and warm. Plowed cotton. |
| Thu | 31 Fair and warm. Plowed cotton. |

This was probably Dr. Ellis who had an office at Palalto, which is at the end of Liberty Church Road and Highway 11.
Mr. Carroll Hodge said there was a cheese factory at Palalto in the late 20's and 30's.



Diary for June, 1917--6th Month

Fri 1 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening after medicine.
Sat 2 Fair and hot. Plowed corn and watermelons.
Sun 3 Fair and hot in morning. Partly cloudy in evening. Laurence Jordan and family came in evening. Aubet and family also.
Mon 4 Fair and hot all day. Plowed cotton in evening.
Tue 5 Fair and hot all day. Plowed cotton all day.
Wed 6 Fair and hot all day. Plowed corn.
Thu 7 Partly cloudy. Plowed corn, peas and goobers.
Fri 8 Partly cloudy here. Showers in places. Plowed young cotton and then chopped till night.
Sat 9 Partly cloudy in morning. Went to Mansfield. Chopped cotton in evening. Rained late in evening.
Sun 10 Fair and hot. Went after medicine in morning. Willie came in evening.
Mon 11 Fair and hot. Chopped cotton in morning. Plowed out corn middles in evening.
Tue 12 Fair and hot. Plowed corn middles in morning. Plowed cotton in evening.
Wed 13 Fair and hot in morning. Rain in places in evening. Finished chopping. Plowed cotton all day.
Thu 14 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Plowed cotton in evening.
Fri 15 Fair and cool. Plowed cotton all day.
Sat 16 Fair and cool in morning. Warmer in evening. Put up barb wire. Laid by watermelons. ("Laid by" meant worked the last time.)
Sun 17 Fair and cool. Rode about in evening. Uncle Tink died. (Albert Tink Allen was Loice Allen, Sr.'s granddaddy.)
Mon 18 Fair and cool. Plowed cotton all day. Went to funeral in evening.
Tue 19 Partly cloudy and cool. Plowed corn.
Wed 20 Fair and hot. Plowed corn until late in evening. Plowed cotton.
Thu 21 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day. Rained a shower in evening.
Fri 22 Fair and hot. Plowed in early morning. Then done nothing. Went to Grandpa Cook's in evening.
Sat 23 Fair and very hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Went to Lodge at night.
Sun 24 Fair and hot in morning. Hot and showery in evening. Staid at home.
Mon 25 Fair and very hot. Laid by cotton house and pasture. Cut off corn in morning. Plowed cotton in evening.
Tue 26 Partly cloudy and very hot. Rain in places. Hoed in morning. Started plowing out middles in evening.
Wed 27 Partly cloudy and very hot. Rain in places. Hoed in morning. Plowed out cotton middles in evening.
Thu 28 Fair and very hot. Put one furrow in delta patch of corn in morning. Rained a shower in evening.
Fri 29 Partly cloudy in morning. Hoed potatoes in morning. Good rain in afternoon.
Sat 30 Fair and hot. Set out some potato slips in morning.

June ended with crops small but in good shape. A fine season in the ground.

Diary for July, 1917--7th Month

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| Sun | 1 Fair and hot. Fleet and family spent the day. Willie and Ruth came in evening. (Fleet Thomas was Dots' first cousin.) |
| Mon | 2 Partly cloudy and hot. Plowed new ground corn in evening. (Above line: Ruth is Willie's daughter.) |
| Tue | 3 Partly cloudy and had a storm and big rain in evening. Plowed cotton until rain. |
| Wed | 4 Partly cloudy and pleasant. Went to family reunion at Willie's. |
| Thu | 5 Partly cloudy and hot. Laid by cane and plowed cotton in evening. |
| Fri | 6 Partly cloudy and hot. Plowed cotton all day. |
| Sat | 7 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Done nothing in evening. |
| Sun | 8 Fair and very hot. Spent the day up home. |
| Mon | 9 Fair and very hot in morning. Plowed cotton until shower in evening. |
| Tue | 10 Fair and hot in morning. Plowed cotton all day. |
| Wed | 11 Fair and windy all day. Laid by potatoes. Plowed corn rest of day. |
| Thu | 12 Partly cloudy. Plowed corn until dinner. Plowed sage patch in evening. |
| Fri | 13 Cloudy in morning. Fair and windy in evening. Dots and children went to J. W. C's. (John Wesley Cook was Dots' father.) |
| Sat | 14 Cloudy in morning. Fair and hot and windy in evening. Done nothing. |
| Sun | 15 Fair and hot in morning. Went to preaching in morning. Rained a shower in evening. |
| Mon | 16 Partly cloudy and hot. Laid by cotton all day. |
| Tue | 17 Partly cloudy in morning. Plowed in early morning. Rained a shower in evening. |
| Wed | 18 Cloudy and rained a good shower in morning. Hoed until rain in morning. |
| Thu | 19 Cloudy and rained a good shower in morning. Went to Mansfield in morning. |
| Fri | 20 Cloudy in morning. Fair and hot in evening. Plowed cotton in evening. |
| Sat | 21 Cloudy in morning. Fair and hot in evening. Laid by cotton in morning. Rained a shower late in evening. |
| Sun | 22 Fair and cool in morning. Went to S. School in morning. Dots and children went to W. C. Jones' in evening. Rained a good rain in evening. |
| Mon | 23 Cloudy in morning. Cleaned off some terraces. Fair here, rain in places in evening. (See note for above line.) |
| Tue | 24 Partly cloudy in morning. Fair in evening here. |
| Wed | 25 Fair and hot in morning. Finished laying by. Good rain in evening. |
| Thu | 26 Fair and hot here. Rain in places. Done nothing. |
| Fri | 27 Fair and hot in morning. Went to Mansfield in morning. Rained a shower in evening. |
| Sat | 28 Fair and very hot. Went up home in early morning. To Lodge at night. |
| Sun | 29 Fair and very hot in morning. Went to S. S. in morning. Went to Ida Allen's in evening. |
| Mon | 30 Fair and very hot. Rained a shower in evening. Went to preaching at night. |
| Tue | 31 Fair and extremely hot. Went up home in morning. Went to preaching at night. |

W. C. Jones was a prominent member of Prospect United Methodist Church and helped build the present church and the pews. He moved his family to Oxford in 1920 in order for his nine children to attend school. They all attended college, each one helping the next child to attend. His daughter Annie Jean taught at Prospect School and played the organ at Prospect UMC. Information is from Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery 1882-2002.

Diary for August, 1917--8th Month

Wed	1 Fair and hot in morning. Rained a big rain at noon.
Thu	2 Fair and some cooler. Went to Smith's store in p.m. (It is not clear where Smith's store was located.)
Fri	3 Partly cloudy and some cooler. Went to Mansfield in morning. Big rain at night.
Sat	4 Partly cloudy but no rain. Worked in garden in morning.
Sun	5 Cloudy and rained in morning. Willie came in morning. Rained in evening at night.
Mon	6 Cloudy and rained off and on all day. Inis and Champ came in evening.
Tue	7 Cloudy in morning. Big rain at noon.
Wed	8 Cloudy in morning. Big rain at noon. Big rain in evening.
Thu	9 Fair here and very hot. Big rain at night in places; sprinkled here.
Fri	10 Fair and cool here. Went to Mansfield in morning. Cool at night.
Sat	11 Fair and hot here. Rain in places. Went to Lodge at night.
Sun	12 Partly cloudy all day. Went to S. S. in morning. Went to Willie's in evening.
Mon	13 Fair and hot. Planted some Irish potatoes in morning.
Tue	14 Fair and hot. Went after lumber in morning. Helped cover a house balance of day.
Wed	15 Fair and hot in morning. Rained in evening. Fixed well.
Thu	16 Fair and hot in morning. Rained a big rain in evening. Helped to cover a house.
Fri	17 Fair and hot all day. Went to store in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sat	18 Fair and some cooler. Went to reunion at Mr. Thomases.
Sun	19 Partly cloudy in morning. Rained a good rain in evening. Went to meeting at night.
Mon	20 Partly cloudy in morning. Rained a shower in evening. Went to meeting at night
Tue	21 Fair and very hot. Worked on basket in evening. Went to meeting at night.
Wed	22 Fair and extremely hot all day. Carried cow off in morning. Worked on basket in evening.
Thu	23 Fair and extremely hot in morning. Hot in afternoon, too. Went to preaching at night.
Fri	24 Fair and windy. Went to Mansfield in morning. Picked a few peas in evening. Went to preaching at night.
Sat	25 Cool and windy. Went to see Mr. Thompson in morning. Staid at home in evening.
Sun	26 Fair and some warmer. Went to Willie's and staid all day.
Mon	27 Fair and hot. Cut some hay.
Tue	28 Fair and hot. Raked and hauled some hay up.
Wed	29 Partly cloudy. Pulled fodder all day.
Thu	30 Partly cloudy and rained a shower at noon. Hot in evening. Pulled fodder
Fri	31 Partly cloudy and rained in evening and at night. Picked some peas.



Diary for September, 1917--9th Month

- Sat 1 Cloudy. Went to Mansfield in morning. Rained in evening.
- Sun 2 Partly cloudy. Went to Baptizing in morning. Dots went to Miss Ida's in evening.
- Mon 3 Partly cloudy. And hot. Sowed turnip seed in morning. Then pulled some fodder. (See note.)
- Tue 4 Partly cloudy and hot. Stripped and cut down cane.
- Wed 5 Fair and hot. Hauled cane to mill.
- Thu 6 Fair and hot. Made cane into syrup. Rained at night.
- Fri 7 Partly cloudy and hot. Pulled fodder in Mira's corn.
- Sat 8 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Picked some cotton and took up fodder.
- Sun 9 Fair and hot in morning. Rained a big rain in evening. Went to Sunday School in morning.
- Mon 10 Cloudy and threatening. Picked peas in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
- Tue 11 Cloudy and threatening. Cool. Picked cotton all day.
- Wed 12 Fair and wind blowing from East. Picked cotton and loaded wagon in evening.
- Thu 13 Partly cloudy and wind blowing from East. Carried 1st bale to gin. Rained in evening late.
- Fri 14 Cloudy in morning. Picked cotton. Rained in evening.
- Sat 15 Cloudy in morning. Went after lumber. Worked on wagon frame in evening.
- Sun 16 Partly cloudy and cool. Staid at home. Champ and Ruth ate dinner with us.
- Mon 17 Partly cloudy and warm. Pulled fodder all day.
- Tue 18 Fair and cool wind blowing from East. Finished pulling fodder.
- Wed 19 Fair and cool wind blowing from East. Hauled up fodder in morning.
- Thu 20 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
- Fri 21 Partly cloudy and hot. Picked some peas.
- Sat 22 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to Mansfield in morning. Built hog pen in evening.
- Sun 23 Partly cloudy and cold and windy. Went to Sunday School in morning. Staid at home in evening.
- Mon 24 Cloudy and drizzling in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
- Tue 25 Cloudy and cold in morning. Picked peas. Fair in evening. Picked cotton in evening.
- Wed 26 Fair and pleasant. Picked cotton in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
- Thu 27 Cloudy and rained in morning. Went to Willie's in morning. Picked cotton in evening. Rained at night.
- Fri 28 Cloudy and rained all day off and on. Went to Calvin in evening.
- Sat 29 Cloudy and rained hard all day.
- Sun 30 Fair and cool wind blowing from West.

According to Mr. Carroll Hodge, age 95, "pulling fodder" was done in the late evening after the dew had begun to fall. It involved stripping blades of corn and then binding them with another blade and hanging on the stalk for a day or two. Later, two or three of those would be tied together to form a bundle.



William Champion Kelly
b . 8/25/1882--d. 7/4/1979
John Herschel Kelly's brother

Diary for October, 1917--10th Month

Mon	1 Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day.
Tue	2 Fair and some warmer. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	3 Fair and pleasant. Carried cotton to Mansfield. Got 25 ¾ cents/seed 11 cents. (The amount for the seed is not clear.)
Thu	4 Fair and pleasant. Hauled a load of wood in morning. Picked cotton rest of the day.
Fri	5 Fair and warm. Went to gin in morning. Done nothing in evening.
Sat	6 Fair and cool. Went to Mansfield in morning. Done nothing in evening.
Sun	7 Fair and cool. Went to Sunday School in morning. Staid at home in evening.
Mon	8 Cloudy and hot. Picked cotton all day. Rained at night.
Tue	9 Cloudy and rained some. Went to Calvin in evening.
Wed	10 Fair and cool. Picked cotton.
Thu	11 Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day.
Fri	12 Fair and cool. Went to gin with bale in morning.
Sat	13 Fair and pleasant. Frost in early morning. Carried rent cotton to town. (See note.)
Sun	14 Fair and cool. Went to Sunday School in morning. Leila and Corban came.
Mon	15 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Tue	16 Fair and hot. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	17 Fair and hot. Picked cotton all day.
Thu	18 Partly cloudy and hot. Picked cotton all day. Rained a shower at night.
Fri	19 Cloudy and hot. Gathered Mira's corn in morning.
Sat	20 Windy and cool. Carried cotton to Mansfield. Got 28 ¼ cent a pound.
Sun	21 Fair and cool. Went to Sunday School in morning.
Mon	22 Fair and pleasant. Gathered corn all day.
Tue	23 Fair and cool. Gathered corn all day.
Wed	24 Fair, windy and cold. Finished corn in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening. Frost.
Thu	25 Fair and some warmer. Went to Quarterly meeting at Concord. (Concord Methodist Church was on Shepherd's Road.)
Fri	26 Partly cloudy and warm. Bedded ribbon cane in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
Sat	27 Fair and pleasant. Went to Mansfield in morning. Done nothing in evening.
Sun	28 Fair and hot. Went to Fleet's.
Mon	29 Cloudy and drizzled rain in morning. Picked cotton. Big rain at night.
Tue	30 Fair, windy and cold in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
Wed	31 Fair, windy and cold all day.

According to Mr. Carroll Hodge, someone would rent a place to raise cotton and then pay the rent with the cotton or sell the cotton in town and use the money to pay the rent.



Julian Lafor Kelly
 b. 1/31/1881--d. 2/15/1945
 with his children,
 Charles Herschel Kelly & Mary Lizzie Kelly
 Julian was John Herschel's brother
 Charles died at age 16
 Mary Lizzie Kelly Pritchard died at age 103 in
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Diary for November, 1917

Thu	1 Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day.
Fri	2 Fair and cold. Dug potatoes. Banked potatoes in evening.
Sat	3 Fair and cold. Went to Mansfield in morning. Done nothing in evening.
Sun	4 Fair and wind in East. Went to S. S. in morning. Went to J. W. Cook's in evening.
Mon	5 Fair and some warmer. Picked cotton all day.
Tue	6 Fair and pleasant. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	7 Fair and pleasant. Went to Mansfield in morning. Carried cotton.
Thu	8 Fair and pleasant. Plowed a little.
Fri	9 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield in morning. Sowed wheat in evening.
Sat	10 Fair and warm. Went to Monticello.
Sun	11 Fair and warm. Went to J. C. Ozburn's and spent the day.
Mon	12 Cloudy and rained a shower with thunder. Finished sowing wheat in evening.
Tue	13 Cloudy and foggy. Went to Fleet's in morning after plowing. Plowed a little in evening.
Wed	14 Fair and some cooler. Went to Mansfield in morning. Staid at home in evening.
Thu	15 Fair and some cooler. Picked cotton.
Fri	16 Partly cloudy and cold. Picked cotton.
Sat	17 Fair and pleasant. Carried cotton to Mansfield. Got 28 ½ cents.
Sun	18 Fair and pleasant. Staid at home. Ma, Pa, and Mrs. Anna Aaron spent the day. (Anna Aaron was Orell Aaron's mother.)
Mon	19 Cloudy and hot, rained hard all night. Picked cotton all day.
Tue	20 Cloudy and some cooler. Went to Willie's in morning.
Wed	21 Fair and pleasant. Picked cotton in evening.
Thu	22 Fair and some cooler. Cut some corn stalks. Helped Dots wash.
Fri	23 Partly cloudy and turning cold. Picked beans in evening.
Sat	24 Partly cloudy and windy and cold. Killed hogs in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun	25 Fair and cool. Willie and Inis came and spent the day.
Mon	26 Fair and cool. Plowed in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
Tue	27 Fair and cool. Went to Mansfield in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
Wed	28 Fair and hot. Plowed some in new ground.
Thu	29 Cloudy and rained in morning. Sawed some wood.
Fri	30 Cloudy and rained in evening. Picked cotton until rain.



Diary for December, 1917

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| Sat | 1 Fair and pleasant. Picked v. beans in morning. Picked cotton in evening. Mr. Doc Lunsford (See January 19, 1917.) was killed near Mansfield by train Sat. morning at 11:30 o'clock. (V. beans were velvet green beans.) |
| Sun | 2 Fair and pleasant. Went to S. School in morning. Went to Laurence Jordans' in evening. |
| Mon | 3 Fair and pleasant. Hauled rails in morning. Picked cotton in evening. (Rails were wooden fencing.) |
| Tue | 4 Partly cloudy. Picked cotton all day. |
| Wed | 5 Cloudy and warm. Plowed all day. Rained a shower at night. |
| Thu | 6 Cloudy in morning. Plowed in mornng. Picked cotton in evening. |
| Fri | 7 Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day. Rained hard at night. |
| Sat | 8 Cloudy, cold and windy. Very cold at night. Sawed wood in morning. |
| Sun | 9 Fair and ground froze all day. Went to Willie's in morning. Staid at home in evening. |
| Mon | 10 Fair and cold. Ground froze all day. Went to Calvin's in morning. |
| Tue | 11 Cloudy and cold, started to sleeting and snowing in evening. |
| Wed | 12 Cloudy and everything covered in sleet. |
| Thu | 13 Cloudy and everything covered in sleet. |
| Fri | 14 Fair part of day. Sleet melted some. |
| Sat | 15 Fair and cold wind blowing from north. Went to Mansfield in evening. |
| Sun | 16 Cloudy and very cold. Willie and Wesley came in morning. (Wesley was Willie's son.) |
| Mon | 17 Cloudy and very cold in morning. Fair and warmer in evening. Sawed wood for Willie. |
| Tue | 18 Cloudy and very cold in morning. Fair and warmer in evening. Sawed wood for self. |
| Wed | 19 Cloudy and cold. Went hunting in morning. |
| Thu | 20 Fair and still cold. Went to Lodge at night. Went up home in morning. |
| Fri | 21 Fair and still cold. Went to Monticello and carried cotton. |
| Sat | 22 Fair and some warmer. Went to Mansfield after hulls. (Cotton seed hulls were used for cow feed.) |
| Sun | 23 Fair and wind blowing cold from East. Went to S. S. and over to J. W. C.'s from there. |
| Mon | 24 Hazy, cloudy and warm. Hauled rails in morning. |
| Tue | 25 Cloudy and rained right smart. Went to Christmas tree in evening. |
| Wed | 26 Cloudy and cold. Moved some fodder. |
| Thu | 27 Cloudy and cold. Moved partition in house. |
| Fri | 28 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Moved house plunder. ("Plunder" was the debris from the renovation.) |
| Sat | 29 Cloudy and extremely cold in evening and at night. Moved some and worked on fence. |
| Sun | 30 Fair and cold. Staid at home. |
| Mon | 31 Cloudy and cold. Hauled rails and built cow pen. |

END OF YEAR 1917



Diary for January, 1918

Tue	1 Fair and cold. Moved fodder and corn in morning. Went to Calvin in evening. G. Pa Kelly came. (See note.)
Wed	2 Fair and cold. Moved corn and cotton seed. Snowed a little at night.
Thu	3 Cloudy and cold. Went hunting in morning. Killed two rabbits.
Fri	4 Fair and cold. Rained some in morning. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sat	5 Cloudy and cold. Rained some in morning. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sun	6 Cloudy and rained in morning. Went over to church in morning. Staid at home in evening.
Mon	7 Cloudy and cold, with showers of snow. Sawed wood for Willie.
Tue	8 Fair and cold. Sawed wood for self. Sleeted at night.
Wed	9 Cloudy and drizzling rain in morning. Split some firewood in morning. Hauled wood in evening.
Thu	10 Fair and more moderate. Staid at house. Dots washed.
Fri	11 Cloudy, thundered, rained, hailed and came a storm. Blowed Lamar's house and barn away. (Lamar was John Herschel's brother.)
Sat	12 Cold and windy all day. Laurence came in evening. Champ staid all night.
Sun	13 Cold and windy all day. Went up home in evening.
Mon	14 Cloudy and wind blowing from South. Hauled wood. Storm and rain at night.
Tue	15 Fair, windy and cold. Piddled.
Wed	16 Cloudy and cold. Went to Mansfield.
Thu	17 Partly cloudy and cold.
Fri	18 Cloudy, cold and snow flurries all day. Cut and trimmed some trees.
Sat	19 Partly cloudy and cold. Hauled wood in morning. Went to Willie's in evening.
Sun	20 Partly cloudy and cold. Staid at home all day.
Mon	21 Cloudy and set in raining in evening. Sawed wood for Willie. Sleet at night.
Tue	22 Cloudy and cold. Everything covered in ice. Went to L. H. Jordan's in evening.
Wed	23 Partly cloudy and cold. Piddled all day.
Thu	24 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Sawed wood for self.
Fri	25 Fair and pleasant. Sawed wood for Willie.
Sat	26 Cloudy and warm. Hauled posts and wood.
Sun	27 Cloudy and threatening weather. Went up home and spent the day.
Mon	28 Cloudy and threatening weather in morning. Big rain in evening. Sawed wood for self in morning.
Tue	29 Cloudy, hot and threatening. Big rains at night. Split a little wood in evening.
Wed	30 Cloudy and raining off and on all day.
Thu	31 Cloudy and cool. Split stove wood.

"G. Pa Kelly" must have referred to his father, Erbin Herschel, since his grandfather, John Riggins Kelly, died in 1887.



Diary for February, 1918

Fri 1 Partly cloudy and warm. Split wood rest of day.
Sat 2 Cloudy and raining. Uncle Dick came and spent the day.
Sun 3 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening and cooler. Willie came in evening.
Mon 4 Fair, windy and cold. Helped Willie cover house.
Tue 5 Fair and some warmer. Helped Willie cover house.
Wed 6 Fair and warmer. Went to Mansfield.
Thu 7 Cloudy in morning. Hot for time of year. Sawed wood and got out posts and hauled in evening.
Fri 8 Fair and very warm for time of year. Put up hog wire.
Sat 9 Partly cloudy and warm for time of year. Built hog pen and chicken house and set out pecan trees.
Sun 10 Fair, windy and cool. Went to S. School in morning. Uncle Dick came in evening.
Mon 11 Fair, windy and warm. Helped Willie saw wood.
Tue 12 Cloudy and rained a big rain in evening. Threshed out peas.
Wed 13 Fair and pleasant. Moved wire in morning. Went to Calvin in evening.
Thu 14 Cloudy and rained a big rain in evening. Moved barb wire in morning.
Fri 15 Fair and warm. Hauled wood and posts in morning. Sawed wood in evening for self.
Sat 16 Cloudy and threatening. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun 17 Fair, cool, and windy. Staid at home.
Mon 18 Cloudy and drizzled off and on all day. Done nothing. All were sick.
Tue 19 Cloudy and threatening. Done nothing.
Wed 20 Partly cloudy. Worked on pasture fence.
Thu 21 Partly cloudy and rained some. Put up wire.
Fri 22 Partly cloudy and some cooler. Put up wire in morning.
Sat 23 Fair and cool. Killed hog in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun 24 Cloudy and cool. Went to Sunday School in morning. Staid at home in evening.
Mon 25 Fair and warm. Hauled stove wood all day. Turned cool at night.
Tue 26 Fair, cool, and windy. Hauled stove wood and rails.
Wed 27 Fair and some warmer. Fixed fence in morning. Hauled manure and brush in evening.
Thu 28 Fair and warm. Went after guano in morning.



Odessa Noles Kelly,
Wife of Aubet Nathan Kelly
Daughter of Dick Noles

Diary for March, 1918

Fri	1 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield in morning. Bedded potatoes in evening.
Sat	2 Fair and warm. Planted Irish potatoes and onions in morning. Went to Calvin in evening.
Sun	3 Fair and warm. Went to S. School in morning. Went to Mr. Cook's in evening.
Mon	4 Cloudy, raining and thundering. Plowed part of the day.
Tue	5 Fair and some cooler. Plowed all day, breaking with scooters. (Scooters was a type of plow.)
Wed	6 Fair and warm. Plowed all day, breaking with scooters.
Thu	7 Rained in early morning. Moved Pinkie Thompson.
Fri	8 Partly cloudy. Worked on garden some. Billie came in evening.
Sat	9 Partly cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Cut some sprouts in evening. Rained at night, thundering and lightning.
Sun	10 Fair and cold wind blowing. Staid at home. Willie, Inis, and children came in evening.
Mon	11 Fair and warm. Plowed all day. Breaking up for cotton.
Tue	12 Partly cloudy. Plowed all day. Breaking up for cotton.
Wed	13 Fair and warm. Plowed all day. Breaking up for cotton.
Thu	14 Fair and windy. Plowed all day. Breaking up for cotton.
Fri	15 Fair, cold, and windy. Plowed all day. Breaking up for cotton.
Sat	16 Cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Went to Mansfield after guano.
Sun	17 Cloudy and raining in early morning. Went to Sunday School in morning. Uncle Dick's in evening.
Mon	18 Fair and hot. Threwed up terraces all day.
Tue	19 Cloudy and threatening. Hauled brush and fixed terraces.
Wed	20 Partly cloudy and warm. Cut some stove wood in evening.
Thu	21 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield after guano.
Fri	22 Partly cloudy and very warm. Planted ribbon cane in evening.
Sat	23 Partly cloudy and very warm. Plowed all day fixing corn ground.
Sun	24 Partly cloudy and cool. Billie and Ruth spent the day. Aubet and Dickie came in evening.
Mon	25 Fair and cold. Plowed all day. Fixing corn ground.
Tue	26 Fair and warmer. Plowed all day. Fixing corn ground.
Wed	27 Fair and cool. Went to Mansfield in morning. Planted corn in evening. Rosen ear patch. (See note.)
Thu	28 Fair and warmer. Plowed all day. Fixing corn ground.
Fri	29 Cloudy and cold. Plowed all day. Fixing corn ground. Wind in East.
Sat	30 Fair and cold wind blowing from East. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun	31 Partly cloudy and wind blowing from East. Rained a shower in the p.m.

"Rosen ear patch" was the corn for eating--roasting ears.

Diary for April, 1918

Mon	1 Rained a good rain in morning. Cleaned off cane patch in evening.
Tue	2 Partly cloudy in morning. Cut sprouts. Fair in evening. Harrowed some in evening.
Wed	3 Fair and warm. Drug with harrow in morning. Planted corn in evening. Started.
Thu	4 Fair in morning. Rain in places in evening. Planted corn all day.
Fri	5 Partly cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Laid off cotton ground.
Sat	6 Partly cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Laid off cotton ground.
Sun	7 Cloudy, cold, and raining. Staid at home.
Mon	8 Cloudy and showery in morning. Went to Calvin in morning.
Tue	9 Cloudy, windy and cold. Sprouted in evening.
Wed	10 Cloudy, windy and cold in morning. Done nothing in evening.
Thu	11 Cloudy, cold in morning. Raining, snowing, sleeting a little. Hauled straw and a load of wood in morning.
Fri	12 Cloudy, cold and windy. Sowed some velvet beans.
Sat	13 Fair and cool. Went to Mansfield in morning. Worked in garden in evening. Went to Lodge at night.
Sun	14 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to S. S. in morning. Staid at home in evening.
Mon	15 Partly cloudy and cool. Drug with harrow all day.
Tue	16 Partly cloudy and warmer. Planted cotton all day. Started to planting.
Wed	17 Fair and warm. Planted cotton in morning. Then planted goobers, cane, chufas and peas until dinner.
Thu	18 Fair and warm. Planted corn in morning and went to Mr. Davis' funeral. Laid off cotton ground in evening. (See note.)
Fri	19 Cloudy, warm and rained a shower in morning. Laid off cotton ground all day. Rain at night.
Sat	20 Cloudy and raining in morning. Went to Mansfield in mornng. Went to G. Pa Cook's in evening. Cleaned off cemetery.
Sun	21 Fair, cool and windy. Went to preaching. Ma, Pa, Allen and his family came and spent the day.
Mon	22 Fair and cool. Cut wood in morning. Cut sprouts in evening.
Tue	23 Fair and cool. Went to King Ozburn's in morning. Planted beans in evening. (See note.)
Wed	24 Fair and some warmer. Planted cotton all day.
Thu	25 Fair and warm. Planted cotton all day. Rained all night.
Fri	26 Cloudy and cold all day. Went fishing with Ralph. (Ralph was 9 years old.)
Sat	27 Cloudy and cold in morning. Went to lodge at night.
Sun	28 Cloudy and rained nearly all day. Willie, Inis and children came. Dick and Laurence in evening.
Mon	29 Cloudy and rained off and on all day. Done nothing.
Tue	30 Cloudy and rain in morning. Went to Dick's in morning. Went to Allen's in evening.

Mr. Davis was a member at Concord Methodist Church. King Ozburn was Tully Ozburn's grandfather and Corban Ozburn's brother.

Diary for May, 1918

- Wed 1 Cool, fair and windy. Went to Mansfield.
- Thu 2 Cool, fair and windy. Went to Mansfield in morning. Cut some sprouts in evening.
- Fri 3 Fair and some warmer. Went to Monticello.
- Sat 4 Fair and some warmer. Went to Mansfield in morning. Planted corn in evening.
- Sun 5 Fair and pleasant. Went to Sunday School in morning. Staid at home in evening.
- Mon 6 Partly cloudy and warm. Finished planting corn, cotton and planted syrup cane.
- Tue 7 Partly cloudy and warm. Plowed out rosen ear patch. Sowed some peas in evening.
- Wed 8 Cloudy and rained a shower in morning. Started to plowing cotton.
- Thu 9 Partly cloudy and rain in places, but none here. Plowed corn all day.
- Fri 10 Fair, hot and windy. Plowed in morning. Replanted corn in evening.
- Sat 11 Fair, hot and windy. Plowed cotton in morning. Rested in evening. Went to set up at night with Mr. Ellis. (Allen Ellis)
- Sun 12 Fair and hot in morning. Went to S. S., Leila and Corban came in evening. Rained at night.
- Mon 13 Cloudy and warm in morning. Replanted some cotton in morning. A big rain at noon. Done nothing in evening.
- Tue 14 Fair and warm. Sowed some peas. Dots and children went to Willie's.
- Wed 15 Fair and warm. Plowed corn all day. Mr. Allen Ellis died. (There is an Ellis Road that turns off Shepherd Road.)
- Thu 16 Hot and showery. Plowed cotton all day.
- Fri 17 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day.
- Sat 18 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Planted some cotton over in evening.
- Sun 19 Fair and hot. Dots and children went to Prospect in morning. Went to Concord in evening to preaching.
- Mon 20 Cloudy and showery in early morning. Plowed Pink's cotton 2nd time.
- Tue 21 Fair and warm. Plowed in corn middles all day.
- Wed 22 Fair and warm. Plowed in corn middles all day.
- Thu 23 Fair and hot here. Rain in places. Plowed rosen ear patch and watermelon patch.
- Fri 24 Fair and hot. Had a sprinkle in p.m. Chopped cotton all day.
- Sat 25 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield in morning. Went up home in evening.
- Sun 26 Fair, warm and dry. Went to S. School in morning. Went to Uncle Dick's in p.m.
- Mon 27 Fair, warm and dry. Plowed cotton all day.
- Tue 28 Fair, warm and dry. Plowed cotton all day.
- Wed 29 Fair, warm and dry. Cut wheat and oats.
- Thu 30 Fair, hot and very dry weather. Tied up oats in p.m.
- Fri 31 Fair, hot and very dry weather. Chopped cotton in morning. Plowed some cotton in evening.



Diary for June, 1918

Sat 1 Fair, dry and very hot. Went to Mansfield in morning.
 Sun 2 Fair, dry and very hot. Went to S. School in morning. Laurence and wife came in evening. Also Willie.
 Mon 3 Fair, dry and very hot. Plowed corn all day. Set out a few potato slips in evening.
 Tue 4 Fair, dry and very hot. Plowed corn all day.
 Wed 5 Fair, dry and very hot. Plowed corn in early morning. Had wheat threshed in evening.
 Thu 6 Fair, dry and very hot. Plowed Pink's cotton crop.
 Fri 7 Fair, dry and very hot here. Rain in places. Finished chopping cotton in morning.
 Sat 8 Fair and some cooler. Went to Mansfield in morning. Went to Willie's in evening. Lodge at night.
 Sun 9 Partly cloudy and hot. Staid at home all day. Uncle Dick and Aunt Clara came in evening.
 Mon 10 Partly cloudy and rained a big rain in evening. Plowed out cotton middles until rain.
 Tue 11 Fair and extremely hot. Sowed peas in morning. Plowed in wheat patch in evening.
 Wed 12 Fair and hot in morning. Planted corn and cotton where wheat was. Rained a big rain late in evening.
 Thu 13 Fair and hot all day. Too wet to do any plowing.
 Fri 14 Fair and hot all day. Laid by rosen ears and watermelon patch in the p.m.
 Sat 15 Fair and hot in morning. Went to Mansfield in early morning. Plowed rest of day.
 Sun 16 Partly cloudy and some cooler. Went to preaching in morning.
 Mon 17 Partly cloudy and hot in morning. Rain and dust storm winds in evening. Plowed cotton until rain.
 Tue 18 Partly cloudy and hot. Done nothing.
 Wed 19 Fair and hot. Worked on terraces in morning. Hoed cotton in evening.
 Thu 20 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day.
 Fri 21 Partly cloudy and hot. Plowed all day.
 Sat 22 Fair, windy and cooler. Plowed corn all day.
 Sun 23 Fair and hot. Staid at home. Had company in p.m.
 Mon 24 Partly cloudy. Plowed corn all day.
 Tue 25 Partly cloudy, windy and hot. Plowed corn, potatoes, cane, and late cotton in morning. Rain at night.
 Wed 26 Partly cloudy and windy. Cut weeds in morning. Hoed cotton in evening.
 Thu 27 Partly cloudy and hot. Hoed cotton all day.
 Fri 28 Partly cloudy and hot. Plowed cotton in morning. Went to J. W. Cook's in evening.
 Sat 29 Went to Mansfield in morning. Fair and hot in morning. Rained a shower at noon and in the evening.
 Sun 30 Fair in morning. Went to S. School in morning. Rained a good rain in evening at night.

June ended with crops small but in good condition.



Nevin Evans
son of Lillian Kelly Evans

Diary for July, 1918

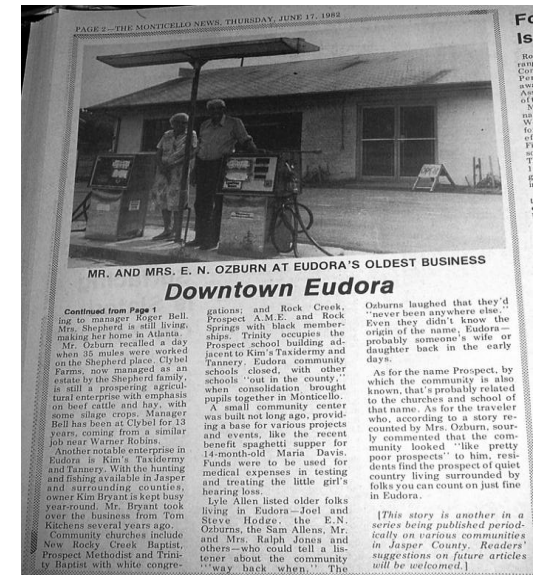
Mon	1 Fair, cool and windy. Went to Uncle Dick's in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Tue	2 Fair, cool and windy. Run up terraces in morning. Plowed cotton in evening.
Wed	3 Fair and some warmer. Plowed cotton all day.
Thu	4 Fair and hot. Run out cotton middles all day.
Fri	5 Fair and very hot all day. Laid by young corn all day.
Sat	6 Fair and very hot all day. Finished laying by corn and cane in morning. Went a seining in the p.m. (Seining was fishing with a net.)
Sun	7 Fair and windy in morning. Rained a shower in evening. Spent the day up home.
Mon	8 Partly cloudy and wind blowing hard. Rained, wind blew a storm here, hard in places. Plowed cotton until rain in evening.
Tue	9 Partly cloudy. Picked up and cut off apples to dry.
Wed	10 Fair and pleasant. Went to Mansfield in morning. Cut off apples to dry in evening.
Thu	11 Fair and pleasant. Willie came in evening. Cut off apples to dry in evening.
Fri	12 Fair and pleasant. Willie came in evening.
Sat	13 Fair and pleasant all day. Hoed a little in morning. Plowed cotton in evening.
Sun	14 Fair and pleasant. Cool at night. Plowed cotton in morning. Went to Lodge at night.
Mon	15 Fair and some warmer. Plowed cotton in morning. Put a furrow in corn in p.m.
Tue	16 Fair and moderately hot. Done nothing all day.
Wed	17 Partly cloudy. Went to mill in morning. Rained a nice rain in evening. G. Pa Kelly came in evening.
Thu	18 Cloudy in morning. Plowed a little in morning. Rained a big rain at noon. Alva ate dinner with us. (Alva was John Herschel's brother.)
Fri	19 Cloudy and rained in early morning. Went to Mansfield.
Sat	20 Cloudy and rained in East. Went to Willie's in morning. Staid at home in evening.
Sun	21 Partly cloudy. Went to preaching in morning. Went to burial in evening.
Mon	22 Partly cloudy and very hot. Rained a shower in evening.
Tue	23 Partly cloudy and very hot. Rained a shower at night. Went a seining on Murder Creek.
Wed	24 Partly cloudy and very hot. Rained a shower in evening and a big rain at night. Plowed wheat patch cotton in morning.
Thu	25 Partly cloudy and extremely hot, rained a shower. Went to preaching at night.
Fri	26 Partly cloudy and extremely hot. Went to Sigman's store in morning. Preaching at night. (See note.)
Sat	27 Cloudy and raining. Done nothing.
Sun	28 Partly cloudy. Had company in evening.
Mon	29 Partly cloudy and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Tue	30 Partly cloudy and hot. Plowed some cotton in morning.
Wed	31 Partly cloudy and hot.

Ruth Kelly Kitchens remembers selling scrap cotton and cracked corn for a nickle in order to buy candy at Sigman's Store, which was near where they lived. Ruth says that her family and John Herschel's family lived only a couple of miles apart on Shepherd Road. They had to ford a creek to go from one place to the other and enjoyed playing in the water along the way. She and Cornelia often spent the night or weekend with each other.

Diary for August, 1918

- Thu 1 Partly cloudy and rained in evening. Worked in garden. Rained at night.
- Fri 2 Cloudy and rained all morning. Went to Willie's in morning. Done nothing in evening.
- Sat 3 Fair in morning. Fair in evening. Uncle Dick came in morning.
- Sun 4 Fair and very hot in morning. Went to S. School in morning. Dots and children went to Mr. Cook's. Rained a shower in evening.
- Mon 5 Fair and cool. Done nothing all day.
- Tue 6 Thundered and lightning in early morning. Went fishing at long bridge. (The long bridge may have been Waters Bridge at Jackson Lake.)
- Wed 7 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in evening.
- Thu 8 Fair and hot. Mrs. Turner and Lewis came in the p.m.
- Fri 9 Fair and hot. Done nothing.
- Sat 10 Partly cloudy and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Rained late in evening and at night.
- Sun 11 Fair and hot. Staid at home. Willie and Inis and children came in evening.
- Mon 12 Fair and hot. Piddled all day.
- Tue 13 Fair and very hot. Worked on a basket.
- Wed 14 Fair and very hot. Pulled a little fodder in morning. Went to Eudora in the p.m. (See note.)
- Thu 15 Fair and very hot here. Rain in places in evening. Done nothing.
- Fri 16 Fair and very hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Then went to Prospect to convention.
- Sat 17 Fair and some cooler. Staid at home.
- Sun 18 Fair and some cooler. Ma and Pa spent the day.
- Mon 19 Partly cloudy and rained a shower at noon. Pulled fodder in morning.
- Tue 20 Fair and cool, wind blowing from East. Pulled fodder all day.
- Wed 21 Fair and cool, wind blowing from East. Pulled fodder all day.
- Thu 22 Fair and some warmer. Pulled fodder until dinner. Hauled fodder in evening.
- Fri 23 Fair and pretty hot. Went to Monticello in morning. Hauled up a load of fodder in evening.
- Sat 24 Partly cloudy and hot. Done nothing.
- Sun 25 Fair and hot. Went to Sunday School in morning. Staid at home in evening.
- Mon 26 Pulled a little fodder in morning. Then finished basket.
- Tue 27 Went to Mansfield in morning. Picked peas in evening. Partly cloudy.
- Wed 28 Picked peas in morning. Rained a big rain in p.m.
- Thu 29 Partly cloudy and very hot. Sawed stack in p.m.
- Fri 30 Fair and very hot. Hauled logs to sawmill.
- Sat 31 Partly cloudy and rained a shower in p.m. Hauled a load of lumber.

"Eudora" is the same as Prospect Community. There was a post office in the two story building at Lois Allen's on Highway 11. According to History of Jasper County, Georgia, Eudora was one of the most heavily populated sections in the county before World War I. Eudora remains on most Georgia maps today.



Diary for September, 1918

- Sun 1 Fair and hot. Went to Sunday school in morning. Laurence, Ocie, and children came in evening.
Mon 2 Partly cloudy and warm. Pulled fodder all day.
Tue 3 Partly cloudy and threatening. Pulled fodder until dinner. Picked cotton in evening.
Wed 4 Partly cloudy and threatening. Rained a sprinkle in evening. Went to Hall at night.
Thu 5 Partly cloudy and threatening. Rained a big rain in morning. Took up some fodder.
Fri 6 Cloudy and rained a shower in morning. Hauled a load of lumber in morning. Picked a few peas in evening.
Sat 7 Cloudy and drizzled all day. Worked on shelter part of the day. Finished hauling lumber in morning.
Sun 8 Cloudy and threatening in morning. Went to Uncle Dick's in morning. Mr. Tedders came in evening. (See note.)
Mon 9 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Stripped and cut down cane.
Tue 10 Fair and warm. Hauled cane to mill.
Wed 11 Cloudy part of day. Pulled some fodder and finished hauling cane.
Thu 12 Cloudy and threatening. Hauled up hay and fodder in morning. Went to register at noon.
Fri 13 Fair and some cooler. Made up syrup.
Sat 14 Fair and warm. Finished making syrup and picked some cotton.
Sun 15 Partly cloudy and hot. Spent the day up home.
Mon 16 Partly cloudy and hot. Picked cotton all day.
Tue 17 Partly cloudy and hot. Carried a bale of cotton to gin.
Wed 18 Partly cloudy and hot. Picked cotton all day.
Thu 19 Partly cloudy and hot. Rained at night. Carried bale of cotton to gin and to town.
Fri 20 Cloudy and showery. Covered shelter in morning. Warned road tax payers in evening. (See note.)
Sat 21 Fair and cool and windy. Summoned road tax payers all day.
Sun 22 Fair, cool and windy. Staid at home all day. Willie, Vivian, and Ruth came. (Vivian was also Willie's daughter.)
Mon 23 Fair, cool and windy. Warned road tax payers in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
Tue 24 Partly cloudy and hot. Picked cotton all day.
Wed 25 Partly cloudy and hot in morning. Picked cotton all day.
Thu 26 Partly cloudy and warm. Carried cotton to gin.
Fri 27 Partly cloudy and hot.
Sat 28 Cloudy and rained a shower in morning. Carried cotton to Monticello.
Sun 29 Fair and warm all day. Went to Sunday School in morning.
Mon 30 Fair and warm all day. Picked cotton all day.

George Tedders was Mrs. R. W. (Lola) Tedders Lewis' father. He was killed September 28, 1922 in a runaway accident on the square in Monticello. See the news article included in this book.

John Herschel collected county taxes in his area. "Warned road tax payers" meant letting them know taxes were due. Summoned apparently meant the same thing. Mr. Carroll Hodge said if someone could not pay the taxes, he was required to work on a portion of the road.

Diary for October, 1918

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| Tue | 1 Fair and hot for October. Went to Maxwell to collect road tax. (See note.) |
| Wed | 2 Fair and hot. Picked cotton. |
| Thu | 3 Fair and very warm for time of year. Went to gin at Mansfield. |
| Fri | 4 Fair and very warm for time of year. Went to Mansfield in morning. Picked cotton in evening. |
| Sat | 5 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Picked cotton in morning. Went to Uncle Dick's in evening. |
| Sun | 6 Fair and pleasant. Went to Sunday School in morning. Staid at home in evening. |
| Mon | 7 Fair and pleasant. Picked cotton all day. |
| Tue | 8 Fair and cool wind blowing from East. Went to gin in morning. |
| Wed | 9 Fair and warm. Picked cotton. |
| Thu | 10 Fair and warm. Went to Monticello to commissioner's court. |
| Fri | 11 Partly cloudy and warm. Picked cotton all day. |
| Sat | 12 Partly cloudy and warm. Went to Mansfield in morning. Lodge at night. |
| Sun | 13 Cloudy and raining in morning. Partly cloudy in East. |
| Mon | 14 Fair and cool. Carried cotton to gin. Done nothing balance of day. |
| Tue | 15 Fair and cool. Carried cotton to gin in morning. Picked cotton in evening. |
| Wed | 16 Partly cloudy and warm. Picked cotton until late in evening. Hauled a load of corn. |
| Thu | 17 Partly cloudy and warm. Hauled Pink's corn in morning. Went to Monticello in evening. |
| Fri | 18 Partly cloudy and very warm. Carried cotton seed to Monticello. Rained at night. |
| Sat | 19 Cloudy, cool and rained some in morning and rained a shower in evening. Went to Mansfield in evening. |
| Sun | 20 Cloudy, cool and rained off and on all day. Staid at home all day. |
| Mon | 21 Partly cloudy and warm. Fixed well curb in morning. Pulled corn in evening. (The curb was the boxing around a well.) |
| Tue | 22 Partly cloudy and cool. Hauled up corn in morning. Sowed oats in evening. |
| Wed | 23 Partly cloudy and cool. Picked cotton all day. Went to Sigman's late in the evening. |
| Thu | 24 Cloudy, raining and wind blowing from East. Thundered and rained in evening and at night. |
| Fri | 25 Cloudy, raining and very hot. Cousin Lizzie Jane Kelly died at 7:00 o'clock in evening. (See note.) |
| Sat | 26 Cloudy and rained some in morning. Partly cloudy in evening. Very hot. |
| Sun | 27 Cloudy and rained a little. We all went to Willie's. |
| Mon | 28 Cloudy and rained a big rain in evening. Went to Monticello, carried cotton. Got 31 ½ cents. |
| Tue | 29 Cloudy and warm. Fixed cow pen in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening. |
| Wed | 30 Rained nearly all day. |
| Thu | 31 Cool, fair and wind blowing from the West. Hauled a load of wood in morning. Picked cotton in evening. |

Maxwell was located on Post Road. Mr. Ludie Kelly (and later his son William) owned a store there. Mr. Carroll Hodge remembered his family moving there in December, 1917 and staying through 1918 while his father, Lee Hodge, worked in the store.

Ruth Kitchens said that Lizzie Jane Allen Kelly, Rebecca and Shug Kelly's mother, was pregnant and died with the flu. Nineteen eighteen was the year of the flu that killed so many people.

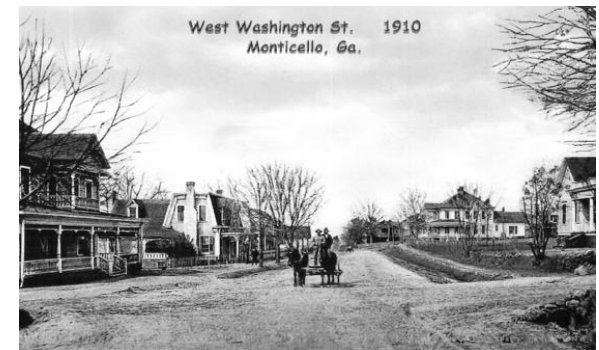


Diary for November, 1918

Fri	1 Fair and cool all day. Pulled corn all day.
Sat	2 Fair and cool all day. Frost in morning. Hauled up corn in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun	3 Fair and wind blowing from the East. Went to Corban's in evening and came back at night.
Mon	4 Fair and cool. Pulled corn and hauled up corn in evening.
Tue	5 Fair and cool. Hauled corn in morning. Went to Monticello in evening. Came back and hauled manure.
Wed	6 Fair and cool. Hauled manure in morning. Sowed wheat in evening.
Thu	7 Fair and cool all day. Sowed wheat. Finished.
Fri	8 Fair and some warmer. Picked cotton all day.
Sat	9 Fair and some warmer. Went to Mansfield in morning. Got our car tore up. (He mentions a Maxwell car later on.)
Sun	10 Fair and very pleasant weather. Leila and Corban came and we all went to Willie's.
Mon	11 Fair and cold wind blowing from East. Carried cotton to gin. Sold it. Got 30 $\frac{3}{4}$ cents.
Tue	12 Fair and cold wind blowing from West. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	13 Fair and cold. Big frost in morning. Went to Mansfield and then to Monticello.
Thu	14 Fair and some warmer. Dug potatoes and hauled them up and hilled them. (See note.)
Fri	15 Partly cloudy and warm. Pulled corn and hauled one load late in evening.
Sat	16 Cloudy and began raining in morning. Finished hauling corn just as rain came. Hard rain at night.
Sun	17 Cloudy and threatening. Rained some in morning. Went to Uncle Dick's in morning.
Mon	18 Cloudy and cool. Sawed wood in morning. Hauled wood in evening.
Tue	19 Cloudy and cool. Picked a little cotton.
Wed	20 Fair and warm. Picked a little cotton. Plowed in evening.
Thu	21 Partly cloudy and warm. Picked in evening. Plowed in morning.
Fri	22 Partly cloudy and cold. Went to Monticello in morning. Picked a little cotton.
Sat	23 Rained all day nearly. Went to Lodge at night.
Sun	24 Cloudy and cold and raining in morning. Laurence came in p.m.
Mon	25 Cloudy and cold and windy. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Tue	26 Cloudy and raining a cold rain in morning. Piddled around house.
Wed	27 Cloudy and drizzling rain. Went to Monticello. Rained hard all night.
Thu	28 Partly cloudy and rained in morning. Went hunting in evening.
Fri	29 Partly cloudy and colder. Picked cotton in evening.
Sat	30 Partly cloudy and colder. Hauled shelter in morning. Picked a little cotton and then went to store late in evening.

November ended very disagreeably.

"Hilled" involved putting wheat or pine straw on ground, placing potatoes on top of that, corn stalks over the potatoes, then boards and, last of all, dirt on top of the boards. A hole was left at the top of mound. When it rained, a tin tub would be placed over the top to keep out the rain. These were the potatoes for eating during the winter. (Information from Mr. Carroll Hodge)



Diary for December, 1918

Sun	1 Cloudy and cold and rained some. Staid at home all day.
Mon	2 Cloudy and cold. Shelled corn in morning. Picked a little cotton in evening.
Tue	3 Partly cloudy and cold. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	4 Partly cloudy and cold. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Thu	5 Partly cloudy and killed hogs in morning.
Fri	6 Partly cloudy and some warmer. Carried cotton to gin.
Sat	7 Partly cloudy and some warmer. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sun	8 Partly cloudy and some warmer. Willie and his family came in evening.
Mon	9 Partly cloudy and hot for time of year. Carried cotton seed to Monticello.
Tue	10 Partly cloudy and hot for time of year. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	11 Cloudy and foggy. Sawed up the tree in the yard.
Thu	12 Cloudy and foggy. Went to store in morning and W. C. Jones' in evening.
Fri	13 Cloudy and foggy and drizzling rain. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sat	14 Rained very hard in morning. Rained in evening too.
Sun	15 Partly cloudy and warm. Went to preaching in morning.
Mon	16 Partly cloudy and warm. Sawed a little wood in morning. Fixed saw in evening.
Tue	17 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to Monticello.
Wed	18 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to Monticello in morning. Sawed wood in evening.
Thu	19 Cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Helped Willie saw wood all day.
Fri	20 Cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Rained in East. Dots and Leon went to Mansfield. (Leon was 15 years old.)
Sat	21 Cloudy and cold. Hard rain all day. Done nothing.
Sun	22 Partly cloudy and cool. Uncle Dick came and spent the day. Mr. Tedders came in evening.
Mon	23 Partly cloudy and hot. Rained hard at night. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Tue	24 Faired off and turned cool. Staid at home in morning. Hunted some in evening.
Wed	25 Partly cloudy, windy and cold. Went up home in the p.m.
Thu	26 Fair, windy and cold. Went to Uncle Dick's in morning. Staid at home in evening.
Fri	27 Partly cloudy and cold. Staid at home most of the day.
Sat	28 Fair, cold, and windy. Dots and children went to Leila's and spent the day. (Leila Ozburn)
Sun	29 Fair, cold and windy. Dots and children went to Willie's and spent the day.
Mon	30 Fair and some warmer. Went over to Charlie Davis' and also hunted some.
Tue	31 Cloudy and sprinkled rain. Went to Mansfield in morning.



Durwood Leon Kelly
Picture taken around 1921

Diary for January, 1919

Wed	1 Cloudy and wind blowing from South. Willie, Inis and children came.
Thu	2 Rained all day. Turned cold at night.
Fri	3 Fair and cold. Sawed a little wood in evening.
Sat	4 Fair, cold and windy. Went to Monticello in evening.
Sun	5 Fair and some warmer after early morning.
Mon	6
Tue	7 Partly cloudy and cool. Sawed wood for self.
Wed	8 Cloudy and rained some. Went to Mansfield twice. Rained in evening.
Thu	9 Fair, cold and windy. Split some stove wood.
Fri	10 Fair and some warmer. Split out some post.
Sat	11 Fair and pleasant all day. Went to Mansfield in p.m.
Sun	12 Fair and cold, windy blowing from the East. Staid at home all day.
Mon	13 Partly cloudy and cold. Carried cotton to gin.
Tue	14 Fair and pleasant. Hauled posts and drove in some in evening.
Wed	15 Fair and pleasant. Helped Willie saw in evening.
Thu	16 Partly cloudy all day. Put up barb wire.
Fri	17 Rained all day. Built closet in porch.
Sat	18 Fair and cool. Built doors to shelter. Inis and Champ came in evening.
Sun	19 Fair and cool. Ma, Pa, and Lillious spent the day. (Lillian Kelly Evans' son)
Mon	20 Fair and cool. Went to Monticello in morning. Sawed a little in evening.
Tue	21 Fair and hot. Sawed wood all day for self.
Wed	22 Cloudy and hot. Split up wood in morning. Corban and Leila came in evening.
Thu	23 Cloudy and raining in morning. Quit raining in evening. Went to Dickie's in evening.
Fri	24 Fair and hot in morning. Helped Willie saw all day. Partly cloudy in evening.
Sat	25 Raining all day. Went to store in evening.
Sun	26 Fair and warm.
Mon	27 Fair and warm. Sawed stove wood for self.
Tue	28 Partly cloudy and cool. Sawed stove wood for Willie.
Wed	29 Fair, cold, and windy. Finished pasture and shelled some corn.
Thu	30 Fair, cool and pleasant. Split wood in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Fri	31 Fair and warm. Hauled wood in morning. Split stove wood in evening.



Lillian Maude Kelly Evans
b. 1876--d. 1957
John Herschel Kelly's sister

Diary for February, 1919

Sat	1 Fair and warm in morning. Partly cloudy in East. Split stove wood in morning. Rode about in evening.
Sun	2 Partly cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Dots and children went to Inis'.
Mon	3 Cloudy and threatening. Hauled rock out of field. Rained some at night.
Tue	4 Cloudy and threatening. Helped saw wood for Willie.
Wed	5 Cloudy and threatening. Sawed wood for self in morning. Split wood and post in evening.
Thu	6 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to Mansfield in morning. Went to Uncle Dick's in evening.
Fri	7 Fair and warm. Put in garden posts.
Sat	8 Fair, windy and cool. Dots, Leon and Ralph went to Monticello. (Leon was almost 16 and Ralph was 9 years old.)
Sun	9 Cloudy and turned cold at noon. Gus and Annie spent the day. J. W. C. went home.
Mon	10 Fair and cold. Helped Willie kill hogs.
Tue	11 Cloudy and cold. Put up garden wire. Went to Lodge at night.
Wed	12 Fair and warm. Split stove wood in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Thu	13 Cloudy and rained all day.
Fri	14 Fair, windy and cold. Split stove wood blocks all day.
Sat	15 Cloudy and cold. Went to Monticello in p.m. Old sow found pigs. ("Found" meant birthed.)
Sun	16 Fair, cold and windy. Went to see Dickie in the morning.
Mon	17 Fair and warmer. Cut corn stalks and weeds in p.m.
Tue	18 Fair and pleasant for time of year. Cut corn stalks all day.
Wed	19 Partly cloudy and warm. Hauled rock out of field.
Thu	20 Cloudy and drizzled off and on all day. Went to store in morning.
Fri	21 Cloudy and warm. Went to Uncle Dick's in morning. Split some wood in p.m.
Sat	22 Cloudy, rained hard and thundered some. Staid at home.
Sun	23 Fair and cool. Went to Uncle Dick's in p.m.
Mon	24 Partly cloudy and cool. Frost in early morning. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Tue	25 Cloudy and rained all day, very hard in p.m.
Wed	26 Fair and warm. Sawed a little wood in morning. Made a garden gate in evening.
Thu	27 Fair and cold wind blowing from East. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Fri	28 Cloudy and warm. Rained some in morning. Rained a big rain, thundered and lightning in evening. Hauled stove wood all day.

Two months gone and not a furrow run yet.

In the spring of 1938, Leon Kelly bought the first tractor in Jasper County. He purchased his red Farmall from Jewely Greer, who had a farm equipment dealership. Leon and his family lived in the Allen house on Shepherd Road. A barbecue was held at his house and many people, including local reporters, attended the big event to see him demonstrate the tractor. He planted many acres of cotton. It is said that his wife, Vallie, and her sister, Maver, could pick a bale a day. Their father was a cotton broker.



Diary for March, 1919

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| Sat | 1 Partly cloudy and warm. Went to store in evening. To Woodman Camp at night. |
| Sun | 2 Partly cloudy and warm. Went to Ben Turner's in the p.m. |
| Mon | 3 Fair and warm. Went after Dr. Kelly in p.m. for cow. (See note.) |
| Tue | 4 Cloudy and foggy in morning. Fair in evening. Done nothing. |
| Wed | 5 Cloudy and wind blowing hard from Southwest. To Mansfield in morning. Rained in evening. |
| Thu | 6 Fair and warm. Went over to Willie's in morning. To L. H. Jordan's in evening. |
| Fri | 7 Fair and warm. Went to Monticello in p.m. |
| Sat | 8 Cloudy and started to raining about 10:00 o'clock. And rained all day and night. |
| Sun | 9 Fair and wind blowing from West. Went up home and spent the day. |
| Mon | 10 Partly cloudy and cold. Went to Mansfield in morning after Guano. |
| Tue | 11 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to Mansfield after Guano. |
| Wed | 12 Fair and warm. Hauled out manure. |
| Thu | 13 Fair and warm. Cut and raked corn stalks. |
| Fri | 14 Partly cloudy and warm. Piddled some. |
| Sat | 15 Drizzling rain all day. Went to Mansfield in morning. Store in evening. |
| Sun | 16 Drizzling rain in morning. Fair in evening. Willie's and Uncle Dick's in evening. |
| Mon | 17 Cloudy and rained a big rain at noon. Threw up terraces in morning. |
| Tue | 18 Fair and wind blowing from West. Mixed Guano in manure. Washed meat in evening. (Washed salt off cured meat.) |
| Wed | 19 Fair and wind blowing from West. Went to Mansfield after guano. |
| Thu | 20 Fair and warm. Cut sprouts in morning. Went to Mansfield after guano for Laurence. |
| Fri | 21 Fair and warm. Planted Irish potatoes in morning. Onions in the p.m. |
| Sat | 22 Fair and warm. Run up terraces in morning. Went to store in evening. |
| Sun | 23 Fair and warm. Went to Mr. T. W. Dooley's burial in p.m. (See note.) |
| Mon | 24 Fair and warm. Laid off corn ground all day. |
| Tue | 25 Fair and warm. Laid off corn ground all day. |
| Wed | 26 Fair and warm. Broke up all day. Rained a shower at night. |
| Thu | 27 Partly cloudy and cold. Plowed all day. |
| Fri | 28 Fair, windy and cold. Plowed all day. |
| Sat | 29 Fair, windy and cold. Plowed in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening. |
| Sun | 30 Partly cloudy and cool. John and Puella (Chaffin) and children came. Inis and children. Also Mrs. Lewis and children. (See note.) |
| Mon | 31 Fair, windy and cold. Plowed all day. |

Dr. Kelly was his father, Erbin Herschel Kelly, a self-taught veterinarian.

T. W. Dooley is buried at Prospect UMC cemetery. He was well known for his singing. His daughter, Grace, played the piano for many years.

This was Mrs. R. W. (Bob) Lewis. One of their sons was George who later married Cornelia. (See April, 1921.)



Cornelia & Dotsy
with Benny

Diary for April, 1919

Tue	1 Fair, cold and ice in morning. Plowed all day.
Wed	2 Fair, cold and some warmer. Plowed all day.
Thu	3 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Fri	4 Cloudy and sprinkling rain in morning. Fair in evening. Sprouted some in morning.
Sat	5 Fair and warm. Plowed in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun	6 Fair and warm. Went to Uncle Dick's in morning. Staid at home in p.m.
Mon	7 Fair and very hot. Plowed all day. Fixing corn ground.
Tue	8 Fair and very hot. Plowed in morning. Fixed watermelon patch in evening.
Wed	9 Fair and very hot. Planted corn and cane seed in morning. Went to Uncle Dick's at noon.
Thu	10 Cloudy and cooler. Went to Monticello. Rained at night.
Fri	11 Rained in early morning. Broke off cool. Done nothing.
Sat	12 Fair and pleasant. Drug with harrow in the p.m.
Sun	13 Fair and pleasant. Went to Sunday School in morning. Staid at home in evening.
Mon	14 Fair and pleasant. Plowed in morning. Went fishing in p.m. Went on to Maxwell.
Tue	15 Partly cloudy and hot. Laid off cotton ground. Rained at night.
Wed	16 Raining in morning. Faired off cool and windy in the p.m.
Thu	17 Fair, cold, and windy. Cut sprouts in the evening.
Fri	18 Fair, cold and windy. Went to Mansfield in morning. Threw up terraces in p.m.
Sat	19 Fair and some warmer. Harrowed some in morning. Planted corn rest of day. Started.
Sun	20 Fair and pleasant. Went to Concord to preaching in the p.m.
Mon	21 Fair and pleasant. Planted corn all day.
Tue	22 Fair and pleasant. Laid off cotton ground.
Wed	23 Fair and pleasant. Finished laying off cotton. Planted cotton in evening. Started.
Thu	24 Fair and windy. Planted cotton in morning.
Fri	25 Fair and warm in morning. Cold and cloudy in evening. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sat	26 Fair and some warmer. Went to Odd Fellows to-do at Eudora. (See note.)
Sun	27 Partly cloudy and cool. Leila and Corbin, Ma & Pa, Fleet and Lizzie and children came.
Mon	28 Fair and warm. Planted cotton all day.
Tue	29 Fair and warm. Planted cotton all day.
Wed	30 Partly cloudy and cool. Finished planting cotton in morning. Went to Maxwell in the evening. Went to Uncle Dick's at night.

The Independent Order of Odd Fellows is one of the largest and oldest fraternal orders in the United States.



Inis & Willie Kelly

Diary for May, 1919

Thu	1 Sprinkled rain in morning. Staid all day at Uncle Dick's. He died at 10:30 o'clock in the evening.
Fri	2 Fair and warm. Helped to dig grave in evening. Went to Dorsey's store. (See note.)
Sat	3 Fair and warm. Uncle Dick Nowles was buried in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening. (See note.)
Sun	4 Fair and warm. Went to Monticello in morning. Went to Willie's in evening.
Mon	5 Partly cloudy and sprinkled rain some. Plowed in morning.
Tue	6 Partly cloudy and sprinkled rain some. Covered porch.
Wed	7 Partly cloudy in morning. Rained a sprinkle in evening.
Thu	8 Partly cloudy and warm. Planted corn and peas all day. Sprinkled rain at night.
Fri	9 Partly cloudy and sprinkled rain. Done nothing.
Sat	10 Partly cloudy in morning. Fair and cool in evening. Went to Monticello in morning.
Sun	11 Partly cloudy and cool in morning. Went to Rocky Creek to singing in the evening.
Mon	12 Partly cloudy and cool. Fixed floor to porch.
Tue	13 Partly cloudy and sprinkled rain in morning. Turned cold in evening. Plowed a little in morning.
Wed	14 Fair and cool. Done nothing.
Thu	15 Fair and cool. Plowed cotton in evening.
Fri	16 Fair and some warmer. Plowed cotton in morning. Went to Big Dam in the evening. (See note.)
Sat	17 Fair and warm. Went to Quarterly meeting in morning. To Mrs. Henderson's funeral in evening. (See note.)
Sun	18 Fair and warm. Went to Willie's in evening.
Mon	19 Fair and warm. Plowed cotton all day.
Tue	20 Rained a shower in morning. Plowed cotton until rain. Chopped in evening.
Wed	21 Cold and windy. Plowed cotton all day.
Thu	22 Cold and windy. Plowed cotton in morning. Plowed corn rest of the day.
Fri	23 Cold and windy and fair. Plowed corn until middle of evening. Cut oats in evening.
Sat	24 Fair and some warmer. Chopped cotton and hauled up oats in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun	25 Rained a shower in early morning. Fair in evening. Laurence and wife came in evening.
Mon	26 Hot and rained a shower or two. Had wheat cut.
Tue	27 Partly cloudy and hot. Chopped cotton all day. Rained at night.
Wed	28 Partly cloudy and hot. Chopped cotton in evening.
Thu	29 Partly cloudy and hot. Chopped cotton all day.
Fri	30 Partly cloudy and hot in morning. Plowed until quit to haul up wheat. Rained hard in evening. Had wheat threshed.
Sat	31 Cloudy and rained two or three showers. Set out potatoes and hauled straw. Went to store in evening.

Dorsey's store was at the corner of Highway 11 and Barnes Mountain Road.

Uncle Dick was Dess Kelly's father and is buried in the Nowles Family Cemetery on Shepherd Road across the road from John Herschel Kelly's home.

The Big Dam is the Jackson Lake Dam built in 1910.

Mrs. Henderson is Emma Henderson who lived in what was later Sam Allen's house.

Diary for June, 1919

Sun	1 Raining in early morning hard. Grandpa Kelly came in morning.
Mon	2 Cloudy and hot. Sowed peas all day. Finished chopping cotton.
Tue	3 Cloudy and set in raining about 7:00 o'clock in morning. Plowed until rain.
Wed	4 Cloudy and rained some. Went to Mansfield in morning. Hoed corn in evening.
Thu	5 Cloudy in morning. Picked dewberries in morning. Hoed corn in the morning.
Fri	6 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton in the evening.
Sat	7 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day nearly and went to store late in evening.
Sun	8 Fair in morning. Rain in places in evening. Spent the day at Corban and Leila's.
Mon	9 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day.
Tue	10 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton in morning. Plowed corn in evening.
Wed	11 Cloudy, hot and showery. Plowed in corn all day.
Thu	12 Cloudy and hot. Rained a good rain in the p.m. Hoed potatoes and cotton.
Fri	13 Partly cloudy and cooler. Went to Monticello in morning. Hoed cotton in evening.
Sat	14 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Cut some bushes in the p.m.
Sun	15 Fair and hot in morning. Showers about in the p.m. Children went to preaching in morning.
Mon	16 Fair and hot in morning. Showers about in the p.m. Plowed corn.
Tue	17 Fair in morning. Rained a big rain and wind blowed in east. Plowed cotton until rain in evening.
Wed	18 Cloudy and hot. Went up home a little while in evening.
Thu	19 Fair and hot. Hoed cotton in the p.m.
Fri	20 Fair and hot. Hoed cotton all day.
Sat	21 Fair and hot. Hoed cotton. Plowed young cotton. Went after ice in morning.
Sun	22 Fair in morning. Rained a shower in evening. Aubet, Dess, and children came in evening. Also Bud & Laurence.
Mon	23 Cloudy and hot. Hoed cotton until rain in evening.
Tue	24 Cloudy and rained two big rains in the p.m.
Wed	25 Cloudy and no rain here. Hoed cotton in the p.m.
Thu	26 Cloudy and rained in the p.m. Hoed cotton until rain.
Fri	27 Cloudy and rained a big shower at noon. A big rain late in evening.
Sat	28 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun	29 Fair and hot. Staid at home all day. Bud and Laurence come in evening.
Mon	30 Fair and some cooler. Hoed cotton all day.



Aubet Nathan Kelly
b. 5/31/1886--d. 5/12/1981
John Herschel Kelly's brother

Diary for July, 1919

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| Tue | 1 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton in evening. Chopped wheat patch in morning. |
| Wed | 2 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day. |
| Thu | 3 Fair and hot. Plowed corn. |
| Fri | 4 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton and hoed cotton all day. |
| Sat | 5 Fair and hot in morning. Rained big rain in the evening. Plowed cotton until rain. |
| Sun | 6 Fair and hot. Ma and Pa spent the day. Went to Dr. Pittard's in morning. (See note.) |
| Mon | 7 Fair and very hot. Went to Monticello in early morning. Hoed cotton rest of day. |
| Tue | 8 Partly cloudy and very hot. Laid by corn. Rained late in evening. |
| Wed | 9 Cloudy and rained some in morning. Went to Mansfield in morning. |
| Thu | 10 Cloudy and rained two big rains in the evening. |
| Fri | 11 Partly cloudy and hot. Carried hog up home in the morning. |
| Sat | 12 Partly cloudy and hot. Done nothing. |
| Sun | 13 Fair and extremely hot. Staid at home. |
| Mon | 14 Fair and extremely hot. Went to mill in morning. Plowed corn rest of the day. Finished corn. |
| Tue | 15 Fair and extremely hot. Plowed cotton all day laying by. |
| Wed | 16 Partly cloudy and hot. Plowed cotton all day laying by. Rained a shower in evening. |
| Thu | 17 Partly cloudy in morning. Rained a big rain in evening. Plowed cotton until dinner. |
| Fri | 18 Cloudy and rained off and on all day. |
| Sat | 19 Cloudy and rained off and on the evening. |
| Sun | 20 Cloudy in morning. Rained a big rain in the morning. Fair in evening. |
| Mon | 21 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Went to Willie's in evening. |
| Tue | 22 Cloudy in morning. Went to dam in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening. Rained in evening. |
| Wed | 23 Cloudy in morning. Rained off and on all day. |
| Thu | 24 Cloudy and rained all day long. |
| Fri | 25 Partly cloudy, rain in places, none here. Went to Covington in the p.m. |
| Sat | 26 Fair in morning. Rained late in the evening. Leila and Corban came in p.m. |
| Sun | 27 Fair and hot. Rained in places. Staid at home. |
| Mon | 28 Fair and hot. Done nothing. |
| Tue | 29 Fair and hot. Went to Willie's in morning. Went to Hall in the p.m. |
| Wed | 30 Fair and very hot. Plowed cotton in morning. Helped to wash in p.m. |
| Thu | 31 Fair and very hot in morning. Went to Mansfield in morning. |

Dr. L. Y. Pittard was a well-loved doctor in Monticello from 1914 until 1947, when he and his wife both died in a house fire. There is monument erected to him at the Rose Bowl Field in Monticello.



Diary for August, 1919

- Fri 1 Fair and hot in morning. Worked in garden. Rained in evening.
Sat 2 Cloudy and hot. More rain in the evening. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sun 3 Cloudy and cool. Went up home.
Mon 4 Cloudy and raining in morning. Raining in the p.m. Drizzling.
Tue 5 Cloudy and drizzling in morning. Very hot in the p.m. Went to see Mr. Cook in evening.
Wed 6 Fair and hot. Rained a good big rain in the p.m.
Thu 7 Fair and hot all day. Done nothing. Went to Liberty at night. (Liberty Methodist Church)
Fri 8 Partly cloudy and hot all day.
Sat 9 Cloudy and rained a big shower at noon. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sun 10 Cloudy but no rain here. Staid at home.
Mon 11 Partly cloudy and some cooler. Went to preaching at night.
Tue 12 Partly cloudy and some cooler. Went to preaching at night.
Wed 13 Fair and some warmer. Kate Henderson and children spent the day. (See note.)
Thu 14 Partly cloudy and hot in morning. Rained in evening. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Fri 15 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to preaching at night.
Sat 16 Partly cloudy and cool. Staid at home.
Sun 17 Fair and pretty hot. Went to Aunt Clara's in the p.m.
Mon 18 Fair and pretty hot. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Tue 19 Partly cloudy in morning. Helped to move Bee Kelly in morning. (Mr. Carroll Hodge remembers him well.)
Wed 20 Fair and hot in morning. Done nothing.
Thu 21 Partly cloudy and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Rained in evening.
Fri 22 Partly cloudy and hot. Went to Prospect in evening. Rained in evening.
Sat 23 Partly cloudy and hot. Rained in evening.
Sun 24 Cloudy and rained all day nearly. Staid at home.
Mon 25 Fair and hot all day. Pulled fodder in evening.
Tue 26 Fair and hot all day. Went to land sale.
Wed 27 Fair and hot all day. Went to association at Shiloh Church.
Thu 28 Fair and hot all day. Pulled some fodder.
Fri 29 Fair and extremely hot. Helped cover barn up home. Rained at night.
Sat 30 Partly cloudy and some cooler. Done nothing.
Sun 31 Fair and hot in morning. Carried Mattie Kate home in morning. Rained a big rain in the p.m.
Kate Henderson (Reeves). Mattie Kate was her daughter.



Shiloh Baptist Church around 1955

Diary for September, 1919

Mon	1 Fair and hot. Pulled fodder all day.
Tue	2 Fair and hot. Pulled fodder all day.
Wed	3 Fair and hot. Cut some hay and picked some peas. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Thu	4 Fair and hot. Picked some peas and took up fodder.
Fri	5 Fair and hot. Picked a little cotton. Bro. Davis and R. Y. Thompson came in evening.
Sat	6 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Hauled hay in evening.
Sun	7 Fair and hot. Went to J. M. Chaffin's and spent the day.
Mon	8 Fair and very hot. Picked cotton all day.
Tue	9 Fair and very hot. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	10 Fair and very hot. Picked cotton all day.
Thu	11 Fair and very hot. Picked cotton all day. Rained a shower at night.
Fri	12 Partly cloudy and hot. Carried cotton to gin and town. 28 ½ cents--seed 90 cents bushel.
Sat	13 Fair and cool. Pulled fodder in morning. Went to Mansfield in p.m.
Sun	14 Fair and cool. Staid at home all day. Laurence Jordan came in morning.
Mon	15 Fair and hot. Picked cotton. Leon cut some pea vine hay.
Tue	16 Fair and hot. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	17 Fair and hot. Picked cotton in morning. Hauled hay in evening.
Thu	18 Fair and hot. Went to Monticello in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
Fri	19 Partly cloudy and very hot. Rained a shower late in evening. Picked cotton until rain in evening.
Sat	20 Partly cloudy and showers in evening. Went to store in morning. Picked a little cotton in evening.
Sun	21 Partly cloudy and hot in morning. Rained a shower in the p.m.
Mon	22 Fair in morning. Went to Monticello in morning at noon. Picked peas and cotton in evening.
Tue	23 Fair and warm. Went to gin in morning. Picked cotton rest of day.
Wed	24 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield. Picked cotton rest of day.
Thu	25 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Fri	26 Partly cloudy and hot. Picked cotton all day.
Sat	27 Fair and cool. Wind blowing from East. Went to Henderson's Mill. (See note.)
Sun	28 Fair and cool, wind blowing from East. Leila and Corban spent the day.
Mon	29 Fair and cool. Carried cotton to gin in evening. Picked cotton in morning.
Tue	30 Fair and cool. Went to Macon to I.O.O.F. Division meeting. (See note.)

Henderson Mill still stands on Henderson Mill Road in Newton County. Hubert and Rachel Cunard owned and operated it as a restaurant in the late 1960's. It is now a private residence.

I.O.O.F.--According to the Internet, these initials stand for Inauguration of Odd Fellowship.



John Riggins Kelly Cemetery
Liberty Church Road

Diary for October, 1919

Wed 1 Cloudy and showery. Spent the day in Macon, Ga.
 Thu 2 Cloudy and showery. Picked peas all day.
 Fri 3 Fair and warm. Picked cotton in evening.
 Sat 4 Fair and hot. Picked cotton until dinner. Went to store in evening.
 Sun 5 Fair and hot. Ma spent the day with us.
 Mon 6 Fair and hot. Picked cotton all day.
 Tue 7 Fair and very hot. Went to gin and then went to Monticello.
 Wed 8 Partly cloudy and hot. Big rain in evening. Picked cotton until rain.
 Thu 9 Partly cloudy and hot. Picked a little cotton in evening.
 Fri 10 Partly cloudy in morning. Hauled a load of corn in morning. Picked cotton in the evening.
 Sat 11 Partly cloudy and hot. Went to Dr. Pittard's in morning and then to Mansfield.
 Sun 12 Fair and hot. Staid at home all day.
 Mon 13 Fair and hot. Picked cotton all day.
 Tue 14 Cloudy and hot. Went to gin and on to Mansfield.
 Wed 15 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Picked cotton in evening.
 Thu 16 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Picked cotton in evening.
 Fri 17 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Sowed some oats in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
 Sat 18 Cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Went to Mansfield in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
 Sun 19 Cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Staid at home all day.
 Mon 20 Partly cloudy and warm. Picked cotton all day.
 Tue 21 Partly cloudy and warm, threatening weather. Went to Mansfield.
 Wed 22 Partly cloudy and warm, threatening weather. Went to Mansfield in evening.
 Thu 23 Partly cloudy and rained late in the p.m. Went to Quarterly meeting.
 Fri 24 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Carried a hog to Mansfield in evening.
 Sat 25 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Picked cotton in evening.
 Sun 26 Fair and hot. Had company in afternoon.
 Mon 27 Fair and hot. Went to gin in morning. Picked cotton in p.m.
 Tue 28 Fair and hot. Picked cotton in p.m.
 Wed 29 Fair and hot. Went to Monticello in morning. Pulled corn in p.m.
 Thu 30 Partly cloudy and hot. Gathered corn.
 Fri 31 Partly cloudy and hot. Gathered corn.



Maude Irene Kelly Armstead
 daughter of Lamar Kelly
 1931



Raymond Kelly
 son of Lamar Kelly
 1944

Diary for November, 1919

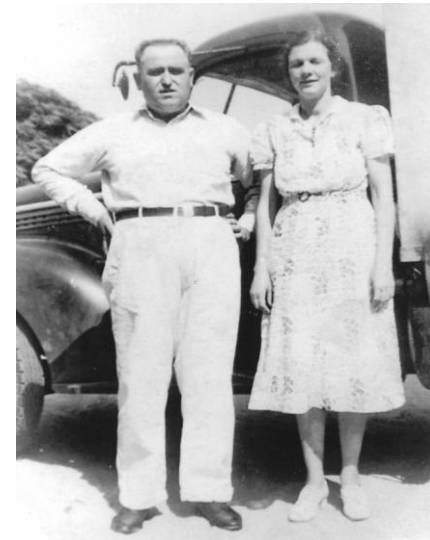
Sat	1	Partly cloudy in morning. Went to Mansfield in morning. Hauled corn in evening. Rained late in evening.
Sun	2	Fair and cool. Went up home and to Richard Ozburn's funeral.
Mon	3	Fair and cool. Pulled corn all day. Leon plowed.
Tue	4	Fair and cool. Hauled up corn; finished.
Wed	5	Fair and cool. Hauled manure and sowed some wheat.
Thu	6	Fair and cool. Sowed some wheat in morning. Picked some cotton in evening.
Fri	7	Partly cloudy and cool. Picked cotton and plowed.
Sat	8	Partly cloudy and cool. Went to Monticello in morning.
Sun	9	Partly cloudy and cool. Went to Willie's in the p.m. To King Ozburn's in morning.
Mon	10	Cloudy and threatening. Dug potatoes.
Tue	11	Cloudy and showery all day. Went to Lodge at night.
Wed	12	Rained a hard rain in morning. Went to Dorsey's store in morning.
Thu	13	Fair and cool. Plowed all day. Picked cotton myself in evening.
Fri	14	Fair and cold. Plowed all day. Big frost at night.
Sat	15	Fair and cold. Went to Mansfield in morning. Billie came in evening.
Sun	16	Partly cloudy and cool. Staid at home.
Mon	17	Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day.
Tue	18	Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	19	Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day. Finished picking.
Thu	20	Partly cloudy and cold. Plowed in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Fri	21	Partly cloudy and cold. Sawed and hauled some wood.
Sat	22	Partly cloudy and cold. Went to Monticello, carried cotton to gin.
Sun	23	Fair and pleasant, carried Billie to Floyd's in morning. Went to Aubet's in p.m.
Mon	24	Fair and pleasant. Went to the circus at Monticello.
Tue	25	Partly cloudy and warm. Went to Willie's in evening.
Wed	26	Partly cloudy and rained a little.
Thu	27	Went to Monticello in morning. Went hunting in p.m. a little while.
Fri	28	Cold and cloudy. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sat	29	Cloudy and drizzling rain. Rained a good rain at night.
Sun	30	Fair and cold wind blowing from West. John, Puella and chidlren came. Mrs. Lewis and children in p.m. Dots got sick.



Cornelia, John Ben, & Ruth

Diary for December, 1919

Mon	1 Fair and cold. Staid at house. Leon plowed in evening.
Tue	2 Partly cloudy and warmer. Leon plowed in morning.
Wed	3 Partly cloudy and warmer. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Thu	4 Partly cloudy and cool. Put floor in house.
Fri	5 Partly cloudy and cool. Staid at home.
Sat	6 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield after shingles.
Sun	7 Rained all day. Staid at home.
Mon	8 Rained all day. Done nothing.
Tue	9 Rained all day. Done nothing.
Wed	10 Partly cloudy and cold. Sawed and hauled some wood.
Thu	11 Cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Hauled a load of sawdust.
Fri	12 Cloudy and drizzled rain. Sawed some in the p.m.
Sat	13 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to Mansfield. Rained hard at night.
Sun	14 Partly cloudy and cold wind blowing from west.
Mon	15 Fair and cold. Killed hogs and ground up sausage.
Tue	16 Fair and cold. Dried up lard. Went up home late in the p.m.
Wed	17 Fair and cold. Piddled all day.
Thu	18 Fair and warmer. Covered one side of the house.
Fri	19 Cloudy and raining. Went to Dorsey's store in morning.
Sat	20 Cloudy and drizzling a cold rain. Went to Mansfield. Rained hard at night.
Sun	21 Fair and cold. Grandpa Kelly came in evening.
Mon	22 Partly cloudy and cold. Sawed wood all day.
Tue	23 Fair and cold. Piddled in morning. Went to Sigman's store in evening.
Wed	24 Fair and cold. Went hunting.
Thu	25 Fair and cold. Ma and Pa came. Laurence and his family in the evening.
Fri	26 Fair and cold. Went to Willie's in the p.m.
Sat	27 Fair and cold. Went to Mansfield a little while in evening.
Sun	28 Fair and cold. Partly cloudy and cold. Went to Mr. Lewis' in evening.
Mon	29 Partly cloudy, cold and windy. Went to Corban's bird hunting.
Tue	30 Fair, cold and windy. Had company all day.
Wed	31 Partly cloudy and warmer. Went after Cornelia in the p.m.



Colvin & Ruth Kelly Kitchens

Diary for January, 1920

Thu	1	Partly cloudy and turned cold in the p.m. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Fri	2	Fair, cold and windy. Went hunting a while in p.m.
Sat	3	Fair, cold and windy. Went to Mansfield.
Sun	4	Fair, cold and windy. Staid at home all day.
Mon	5	Fair and wind blowing from the East. Sawed wood for Willie in morning.
Tue	6	Cloudy and cold. Snowed and sleeted some. Mr. Cook died at 11:00 o'clock in morning. (See note.)
Wed	7	Cloudy and cold and raining. Mr. Cook was buried.
Thu	8	Cloudy and very warm. Rained at night. Sawed and hauled some wood.
Fri	9	Cloudy and raining. Done nothing.
Sat	10	Fair and cold. Went to Monticello.
Sun	11	Fair and cold. Staid at home.
Mon	12	Cloudy and some warmer. Sawed stove wood in morning.
Tue	13	Partly cloudy and cold. Went to Mansfield in morning. Sprinkled rain in evening.
Wed	14	Fair, cold and windy. Covered other side of house.
Thu	15	Fair and some warmer. Split up some wood in morning.
Fri	16	Cloudy and raining. Carried children to school.
Sat	17	Partly cloudy and windy. Went to mill in the p.m.
Sun	18	Partly cloudy, cold and windy. Aubet and Laurence came in p.m.
Mon	19	Partly cloudy, warm and windy. Went to Farrar, Broughton and Mansfield in morning.
Tue	20	Partly cloudy, warm. Sawed some house wood for self.
Wed	21	Partly cloudy, warm. Hauled wood in p.m.
Thu	22	Partly cloudy and hot for time of year. Sawed wood for Willie.
Fri	23	Partly cloudy and some cooler. Sawed wood for self.
Sat	24	Partly cloudy and started to raining in morning. Went to store in morning.
Sun	25	Cloudy and rained all day.
Mon	26	Cloudy and rained and sleeted all day. Very cold all day.
Tue	27	Cloudy and rained. Done nothing.
Wed	28	Cloudy, but no rain. Carried children to school.
Thu	29	Cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Went to Mansfield.
Fri	30	Cloudy and some warmer. Threshed out peas.
Sat	31	Fair and wind blowing from East. Went to Calvin in the p.m.

Mr. Cook was John Wesley Cook, Jr., Dots' father. His father, John Wesley Cook, Sr., served in the Confederacy and was also known as an itinerant Methodist lay preacher. Ruth remembers Mr. R. W. (Bob) Lewis digging Mr. Cook's grave by himself.

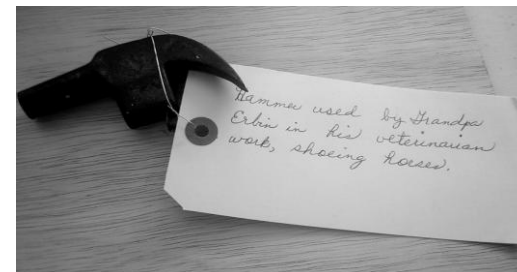


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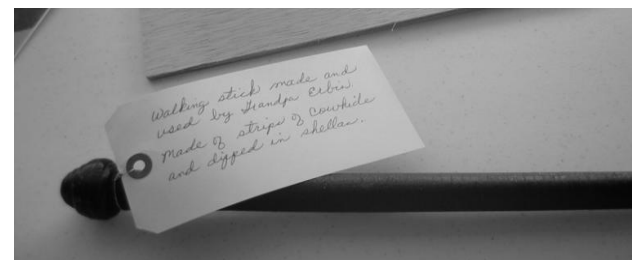
Sun 1 Partly cloudy and cold wind blowing from East. Spent the day at Gus and Annie's. (Annie and Gus Floyd)
Mon 2 Cloudy and some warmer. Went to help Willie saw wood.
Tue 3 Cloudy and raining all day. Done nothing.
Wed 4 Cloudy and raining all day. Done nothing.
Thu 5 Cloudy and drizzling in morning. Some cooler in evening. Sawed some wood in the p.m.
Fri 6 Partly cloudy and cold and windy. Sharpened saw in p.m.
Sat 7 Partly cloudy and cold and windy. Went to Mansfield.
Sun 8 Fair and pleasant. Aubet and Dess and children came in evening.
Mon 9 Cloudy and warm. Sawed wood for self.
Tue 10 Partly cloudy and rained in the p.m. a little. Went on the pond hunting. (Probably duck hunting)
Wed 11 Partly cloudy and warm. Split some stovewood.
Thu 12 Cloudy and started raining in morning.
Fri 13 Partly cloudy and cool. Worked on pit shelter in morning. Killed hog in evening. (The pit was a storm shelter.)
Sat 14 Partly cloudy and cool. Finished pit shelter in morning. Done nothing in morning.
Sun 15 Fair, windy and very cold. Staid at home all day.
Mon 16 Fair, windy and very cold. Sawed wood for Willie. John Morgan Davis buried.
Tue 17 Partly cloudy and some warmer. Split wood all day.
Wed 18 Partly cloudy and sprinkled rain. Hauled wood and split stove wood up.
Thu 19 Partly cloudy and cold. Went to Mansfield after guano.
Fri 20 Partly cloudy and warm. Took down some barb wire in morning. Trimmed trees in evening.
Sat 21 Partly cloudy and warm. Hauled a load of guano. Rained some at night.
Sun 22 Cloudy and raining in morning. Went to Willie's in the evening.
Mon 23 Cloudy and threatening. Fair in evening. Helped put wire around graves.
Tue 24 Cloudy and turned cold in the evening. Went to Mrs. W. W. Allen's burial. (See note.)
Wed 25 Fair cold and windy. Knocked cotton stalks.
Thu 26 Fair and getting colder. Knocked cotton stalks in morning. Set by fire in evening.
Fri 27 Fair and still cold and windy. Cleaned off some in p.m.
Sat 28 Fair and some warmer. Went after guano in morning. To store in evening.
Sun 29 Cloudy and raining in morning. Faired off and turned cold in evening. Willie came.
Mrs. W. W. (Sarah Ida) Allen and her husband, William Walker Allen, are buried in the Allen Family Cemetery on Shepherd Road.
There is a chain-link fence surrounding the cemetery and a tall wrought iron structure commemorating his service in the Confederacy.

Diary for March, 1920

- Mon 1 Fair, cold and windy. Sawed some wood.
- Tue 2 Fair and some warmer. Knocked cotton stalks in morning.
- Wed 3 Fair and some warmer. Hauled stove wood.
- Thu 4 Cloudy, cold and went to raining. Went to Mansfield in morning.
- Fri 5 Fair, cold and the wind blowed hard all day. Big freeze at night.
- Sat 6 Fair, cold and windy. Went to Dorsey's store in the morning.
- Sun 7 Fair, very cold, and windy. Children had the Flu.
- Mon 8 Fair and some warmer. Went to Monticello in morning. Took the Flu in evening.
- Tue 9 Fair and some warmer.
- Wed 10 Fair and warm. Still sick. Inis came in evening.
- Thu 11 Fair and warm. Grandpa came in evening.
- Fri 12 Cloudy and rained hard nearly all day and night.
- Sat 13 Fair, cold. Windy. All some better.
- Sun 14 Fair and pleasant. Laurence came in morning. All able to sit up a little. Willie came too.
- Mon 15 Fair and pleasant. Laurence hauled a load of guana for me.
- Tue 16 Cloudy, hot and rained. Thundered and lightning all night. Inis and Bill and children came in evening. (Willie was sometimes also called Bill.)
- Wed 17 Cloudy and rained nearly all day. Thundered some.
- Thu 18 Cloudy and rained nearly all day. Thundered some.
- Fri 19 Cloudy and rained a big rain in the morning. Went to Calvin in morning.
- Sat 20 Fair and cool and windy. Done nothing but sit around.
- Sun 21 Fair and warm. Staid at home. Grandpa Kelly came in the evening.
- Mon 22 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield.
- Tue 23 Partly cloudy and cool. Hauled some brush.
- Wed 24 Partly cloudy and rained some. Throwed up some terraces.
- Thu 25 Partly cloudy and warm. Went to Mansfield in the p.m.
- Fri 26 Fair, cool and windy. Done nothing.
- Sat 27 Fair and warm. Went to Monticello in morning.
- Sun 28 Rained nearly all day. Thundered, lightning, hailed and heavy rains. Lots of storms.
- Mon 29 Fair and cool. Done nothing.
- Tue 30 Fair and warm. Done nothing.
- Wed 31 Cloudy and rained some. Went to Mansfield in morning.
- March gone and not a furrow run yet.



Tom Kitchens has some of Erbin Herschel Kelly's tools.
"Hammer used by Grandpa Erbin in his veterinarian work, shoeing horses."



"Walking stick made and used by Grandpa Erbin. Made of strips of cowhide and dipped in shellac."

Diary for April, 1920

- Thu 1 Cloudy and foggy in morning. Went to Willie's in evening. Rained at night.
Fri 2 Cloudy in morning. Fair and hot at night. Went to Mansfield in evening. Rained at night.
Sat 3 Cloudy and rained nearly all day.
Sun 4 Cloudy in morning. Fair in evening. Staid at home all day.
Mon 5 Cloudy, windy and cold. Went to store.
Tue 6 Fair, windy and cold. Piddled all day.
Wed 7 Fair and windy and cool. Went to Mansfield in morning. Clipped mules in evening.
Thu 8 Partly cloudy and warmer. Went to Clyde Kelly's funeral in morning. Planted in evening. Rained at night. (See note.)
Fri 9 Cloudy and raining from East. Rained all day.
Sat 10 Fair and cool. Went after Billie Saturday evening.
Sun 11 Fair and cool. Staid at home all day.
Mon 12 Cloudy and rained and hailed in evening. Too wet to plow.
Tue 13 Fair, cold and windy. Went to Willie's in evening. To Lodge at night.
Wed 14 Fair and some warmer. Drug with harrow in evening.
Thu 15 Partly cloudy. Run up stalks in the p.m. (See note.)
Fri 16 Rained off and on all day.
Sat 17 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sun 18 Cloudy and cool. Staid at home all day.
Mon 19 Cloudy and drizzly. Done nothing.
Tue 20 Cloudy and drizzly. Went to election in morning.
Wed 21 Fair and hot. Planted corn and beans in evening. Went to Monticello in morning.
Thu 22 Cloudy and hot. Laid off cotton ground.
Fri 23 Cloudy and rained a shower in morning. Plowed all day.
Sat 24 Fair and pleasant. Planted cotton all day. Started.
Sun 25 Cloudy and cold wind blowing from East.
Mon 26 Cloudy and rained in evening. Plowed until rain.
Tue 27 Cloudy and rained in morning. Fair and cool in evening. Went fishing in evening.
Wed 28 Fair, cold and windy. Went to Mansfield.
Thu 29 Fair and some warmer. Too wet to plow.
Fri 30 Fair and pleasant. Planted cotton seed in the p.m.

April gone and no plowing done much.

Clyde Kelly died in an accident when his car ran off into the creek going into Monticello.

"Run up stalks" was usually done with two mules dragging an iron rod behind them knocking down corn stalks. These were left to rot in the field.



John Ben Kelly
Four years old
April 27, 1920

Diary for May, 1920

Sat	1 Fair and windy. Planted cotton all day.
Sun	2 Partly cloudy and warm. Staid at home all day. Big rain at night.
Mon	3 Cloudy and rained all day nearly. Went to L. H. Jordan's in morning.
Tue	4 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield in morning. Worked on Maxwell in evening. (This may be the same car he mentioned in 1918. See note.)
Wed	5 Partly cloudy and rained before night. Dots and children went to Willie's.
Thu	6 Partly cloudy and rained some.
Fri	7 Went to Mansfield and Monticello in evening.
Sat	8 Fair and cool. Went to Paul Chaffin's in the p.m.
Sun	9 Fair and warm. Staid at home.
Mon	10 Fair and warm. Planted cotton all day.
Tue	11 Fair and warm. Planted cotton all day.
Wed	12 Fair and hot. Bedded corn ground all day. (He got the ground ready to plant.)
Thu	13 Rained in early morning. Rained in evening also.
Fri	14 Cloudy and cool. Done nothing.
Sat	15 Cloudy and cool in morning. Fair in evening.
Sun	16 Partly cloudy and wind blowing from East. Dess and children spent the day.
Mon	17 Partly cloudy and cool. Finished fixing corn ground.
Tue	18 Partly cloudy and drizzling rain. Planted over some cotton and started to planting corn.
Wed	19 Partly cloudy and drizzling rain. Planted corn in morning. Plowed corn in evening.
Thu	20 Partly cloudy in morning. Planted cotton all day.
Fri	21 Fair and hot. Plowed. Planted corn and peas in evening.
Sat	22 Fair and hot. Planted corn and peas in morning. Went to store in evening.
Sun	23 Fair and hot. Staid at home. Willie and Mr. Lewis came in evening.
Mon	24 Partly cloudy and rained at night. Chopped cotton, started.
Tue	25 Partly cloudy and rained some. Cool weather.
Wed	26 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to mill in morning. Done nothing in evening.
Thu	27 Fair and warm. Went to Monticello. Chopped cotton in evening.
Fri	28 Fair and warm. Plowed cotton all day.
Sat	29 Fair and hot.
Sun	30 Fair and hot. Ma and Pa and Lillious spent the day. Mr. Tedders came in evening.
Mon	31 Fair and warm. Plowing and chopping cotton.



The Maxwell car was first produced in 1904, in the former Mobile Steamer factory in Tarrytown, New York. They built a handful of cars that first year. By 1905, business was booming, and through the first half of the year, they had sold 542 cars. In 1905, a second factory was needed to allow for greater production, and a plant was leased in Pawtucket, Rhode Island. For 1906, yet more production capacity was needed; therefore, a factory was opened in Chicago. Maxwell production continued until 1925, when the old Maxwell cars became the basis for the four-cylinder Chrysler and later the first Plymouths. (Information from Internet)

Diary for June, 1920

Tue	1 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day. (See note.)
Wed	2 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day.
Thu	3 Fair and hot. Cut oats in evening.
Fri	4 Cloudy and sprinkled rain in early morning.
Sat	5 Cloudy and rained a good rain.
Sun	6 Fair and hot. Went to Corban's.
Mon	7 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day.
Tue	8 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day.
Wed	9 Fair and hot. Cut wheat in morning.
Thu	10 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton until...
Fri	11 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton until...
Sat	12 Fair and hot. Plowed corn in morning. Went...
Sun	13 Fair and hot. Gus and Annie Dozier...
Mon	14 Fair and hot. Plowed corn all day.
Tue	15 Fair and hot. Plowed corn in morning. Then...
Wed	16 Fair and hot. Plowed corn in morning.
Thu	17 Fair and hot. Hoed corn all...
Fri	18 Fair and hot. Went to Monticello to...
Sat	19 Fair and hot. Done nothing all...
Sun	20 Rained a shower or two. Went ...
Mon	21 Fair and cool. Plowed cotton all...
Tue	22 Fair and some warmer. Plowed cotton all...
Wed	23 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton in...
Thu	24 Fair and hot. Plowed corn.
Fri	25 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield.
Sat	26 Fair and hot. Went to Covington...
Sun	27 Fair and hot. Staid at home.
Mon	28 Fair and hot. Hoed cotton all...
Tue	29 Fair and hot. Hoed cotton all...
Wed	30 Fair and hot. Hoed cotton in...

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Alva Ralph Kelly
b. 11/30/1895--7/28/1955

Diary for July, 1920

Thu 1 ...Went to Monticello in morning. (See note.)
 Fri 2 ...in evening.
 Sat 3 ...Sowed peas in wheat patch.
 Sun 4 ...rest of day. Went to Fleet Thomases.
 Mon 5 ...Plowed out corn middles.
 Tue 6 ...Plowed cotton all day.
 Wed 7 ...Plowed out cotton middles.
 Thu 8 ...day.
 Fri 9 ...morning.
 Sat 10 ...Went to Mansfield and Monticello.
 Sun 11 ...Went to Willie's in morning.
 Mon 12 ...Grandpa Kelly came in evening.
 Tue 13 ...Chaffin's in evening. Hoed patch of corn in morning.
 Wed 14 ...the evening.
 Thu 15 ...day. Julian ate dinner with us.
 Fri 16 ...cotton until rain.
 Sat 17 ...nothing. Too wet to work.
 Sun 18 ...Went to Mansfield in the p.m.
 Mon 19 ...little ones. Willie came in morning.
 Tue 20 ...Done nothing.
 Wed 21 ...Done nothing.
 Thu 22 ...Done nothing.
 Fri 23 ...steps in morning.
 Sat 24 ...Went to Mansfield in morning.
 Sun 25 ...Went to Mansfield in evening.
 Mon 26 ...in morning. Went to Willie's in the p.m.
 Tue 27 ...day.
 Wed 28 ...day.
 Thu 29 ...day.
 Fri 30 ...to mill.
 Sat 31 ...in morning.

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Robinson Family Cemetery
Aldridge Road, Jasper County, Georgia



Allen Kelly Cemetery
Liberty Church Road

Diary for August, 1920

Sun 1 Partly cloudy and rained a shower.
Mon 2 Partly cloudy but no rain here. Finished laying by.
Tue 3 Partly cloudy and rained a shower. Went to Thomson, GA.
Wed 4 Partly cloudy. Picked up squares in morning. (See note.)
Thu 5 Partly cloudy and cool for time of year. Done nothing.
Fri 6 Fair and pretty hot. Went to singing at New Rocky Creek.
Sat 7 Fair and pretty hot. Went to picture show at Mansfield. (Wouldn't you like to know which silent movie he saw? Maybe it was
Sun 8 Fair and pretty hot. Staid at home. "The Birth of a Nation" or "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.")
Mon 9 Partly cloudy and rained some. Picked up cotton squares.
Tue 10 Partly cloudy and rained some. Helped to can peaches.
Wed 11 Partly cloudy and rained a big rain in the p.m.
Thu 12 Partly cloudy and rained a shower in the p.m.
Fri 13 Partly cloudy but no rain. Went to Monticello in morning.
Sat 14 Partly cloudy and very hot. Leila and Corban came. Went to baptizing in morning.
Sun 15 Partly cloudy and very hot in morning. Rained in evening. Staid at home.
Mon 16 Partly cloudy and very hot in morning. Went to Mansfield in morning. Rain in evening.
Tue 17 Partly cloudy and very hot. Rained a big rain in late evening.
Wed 18 Partly cloudy and very hot. Went to preaching in morning. No rain today.
Thu 19 Partly cloudy and very hot. Went to preaching in morning. Rained in the p.m.
Fri 20 Partly cloudy and very hot. No rain here. Caught boll weevils in morning.
Sat 21 Partly cloudy and very hot. Went to Mansfield in the p.m.
Sun 22 Partly cloudy and rained in evening. Staid at home. Mr. Lewis and Tedders came in evening.
Mon 23 Partly cloudy and some cooler. Done nothing.
Tue 24 Partly cloudy and hot. Done nothing.
Wed 25 Partly cloudy and hot. Done nothing.
Thu 26 Fair and hot all day. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Fri 27 Cloudy and hot. Went dove hunting. Went to Monticello in morning.
Sat 28 Cloudy and hot. Went to Mansfield.
Sun 29 Partly cloudy and hot in morning. Rained a shower in evening. Went to preaching at night.
Mon 30 Fair and hot in morning. Rained a good shower in evening.
Tue 31 Fair and hot all day. Went to preaching at night.
"Square" referred to the cotton bloom. The boll weevil would get in the bloom and lay an egg making the bloom fall off. It would not be able to make a boll, the part that would later open up in cotton. Hand-picking the infested squares off cotton plants helped to prevent weevil production.

Diary for September, 1920

Wed	1 Fair and hot. Went to preaching morning and at night.
Thu	2 Fair and hot all day. Picked peas in morning. Rained at night.
Fri	3 Cloudy in morning. Drizzled part of day. Picked a few peas in the p.m.
Sat	4 Cloudy and drizzled rain all day. Done nothing all day.
Sun	5 Partly cloudy in morning. Went up home and spent the day.
Mon	6 Partly cloudy and very hot. Picked some peas.
Tue	7 Partly cloudy and very hot. Picked some peas. Cut some hay.
Wed	8 Partly cloudy and very hot. Went to election in p.m.
Thu	9 Fair and hot in morning. Went to Monticello to mill. Rained in late p.m.
Fri	10 Fair and hot in morning. Hauled hay in p.m.
Sat	11 Partly cloudy and hot in morning. Fair in the p.m.
Sun	12 Fair in morning. Staid at home. Fair in the p.m.
Mon	13 Partly cloudy and very hot. Cut hay in the evening.
Tue	14 Partly cloudy and very hot. Pulled fodder in morning.
Wed	15 Partly cloudy and very hot. Hauled hay and picked cotton.
Thu	16 Fair and extremely hot. Hauled hay and pulled fodder.
Fri	17 Fair and some cooler. Pulled fodder all day.
Sat	18 Fair and some cooler. Pulled fodder in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun	19 Fair and pleasant. Staid at home.
Mon	20 Fair and pleasant. Picked cotton all day.
Tue	21 Fair and hot. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	22 Partly cloudy and threatening. Carried cotton to gin. Picked cotton all day.
Thu	23 Partly cloudy and rained a shower in the p.m. Picked cotton all day.
Fri	24 Partly cloudy and rained a little. Went to Mansfield in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
Sat	25 Fair and hot. Picked cotton in p.m.
Sun	26 Fair and hot. Staid at home. Had company in p.m.
Mon	27 Fair and hot. Picked cotton all day.
Tue	28 Fair and hot. Picked cotton all day. Hauled two bales to gin in morning.
Wed	29 Rained in evening. Picked cotton until rain. Rain at night.
Thu	30 Cold, fair and wind blowing hard all day. Picked peas in evening.



Carmie and Ralph Herschel Kelly
February 3, 1940

Diary for October, 1920

Fri 1 Fair and cold. Went to Monticello. Carried cotton. Got 26 $\frac{1}{8}$ cents.
Sat 2 Fair and cool. Picked cotton in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun 3 Fair and cool in morning. Hazy, cloudy in evening. Went to R. W. Lewis' in evening.
Mon 4 Fair and cool in morning. Carried cotton to gin in morning. Picked cotton all day.
Tue 5 Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day.
Wed 6 Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day.
Thu 7 Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day.
Fri 8 Fair and cool. Picked cotton all day.
Sat 9 Fair and cool. Picked cotton in morning. Went to Monticello in evening.
Sun 10 Fair and cool. Staid at home in morning. Went to preaching in evening.
Mon 11 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Tue 12 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Wed 13 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Thu 14 Fair and warm. Went to Quarterly at Concord.
Fri 15 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Sat 16 Fair and warm. Went to Monticello in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun 17 Fair and warm. Went to preaching in the morning.
Mon 18 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day. Went to gin in morning.
Tue 19 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Wed 20 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Thu 21 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day. Went to Monticello in morning.
Fri 22 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Sat 23 Fair and warm. Picked cotton in morning.
Sun 24 Fair and warm. Ma and Pa spent the day.
Mon 25 Cloudy and warm. Hauled lumber.
Tue 26 Cloudy and warm. Hauled lumber in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Wed 27 Cloudy and raining. Done nothing.
Thu 28 Fair and cold. Went to Welcome Kelly's in morning. Gathered a load of corn in evening. (See note.)
Fri 29 Fair and cold. Went to Monticello. Carried cotton to gin.
Sat 30 Fair and cold. Sowed oats in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun 31 Partly cloudy and cool. Went to Corban and Leila's and spent the day.

Ruth remembers that Welcome Kelly lived at the Gay place. He was electrocuted when he went down in a well to do some repairs.



Ralph Herschel Kelly
1981

Diary for November, 1920

Mon 1 Partly cloudy and warm. Hauled out manure for wheat.
Tue 2 Partly cloudy and rained in evening. Sowed wheat until rain.
Wed 3 Fair and cool. Sowed wheat all day. Finished sowing wheat.
Thu 4 Fair and cool. Gathered corn all day.
Fri 5 Fair and cool. Gathered corn all day.
Sat 6 Fair and cool. Dug potatoes in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sun 7 Fair and cool. Staid at home all day.
Mon 8 Fair and warm. Picked cotton in morning. Pulled and hauled corn in evening.
Tue 9 Fair and warm. Hauled corn in morning. Picked cotton in evening.
Wed 10 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Thu 11 Fair and warm. Picked cotton all day.
Fri 12 Partly cloudy and cold. Took down barbwire.
Sat 13 Partly cloudy and cold. Went to Mansfield in morning. Put up wire in evening.
Sun 14 Partly cloudy and cold. Went up home in morning. Put up wire in evening.
Mon 15 Cloudy, cold and raining some. Rained all day and night. Cold.
Tue 16 Cloudy, cold and raining some. Done nothing.
Wed 17 Windy and cold. Sawed wood in morning. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Thu 18 Fair and cold. Worked on barn all day.
Fri 19 Fair and cold. Worked on barn all day. Went to Willie's at night.
Sat 20 Fair and some warmer. Worked on barn till dinner. Fixed pasture in evening.
Sun 21 Partly cloudy and cool. Staid at home all day.
Mon 22 Cloudy and rained a shower in morning. Worked on barn in evening.
Tue 23 Cloudy and cold. Worked on barn all day.
Wed 24 Fair and cold. Covered barn.
Thu 25 Fair and cold. Picked cotton in morning. Worked on barn in evening.
Fri 26 Fair and cold. Wind from East. Picked cotton all day. Finished.
Sat 27 Cloudy and rained late in evening. Went to gin and Mansfield.
Sun 28 Partly cloudy and cool. Staid at home.
Mon 29 Cloudy and drizzling rain. Sawed wood.
Tue 30 Cloudy and drizzling rain. Sawed wood.



Ruth Kelly

Diary for December, 1920

Wed 1 Fair and cold. Hauled wood in morning. Dressed a shoat in p.m.
 Thu 2 Fair and cool. Hauled fodder and peas and moved cotton seed.
 Fri 3 Fair and warmer. Piddled all day.
 Sat 4 Cloudy and rained late in evening and at night. Went to Mansfield in morning.
 Sun 5 Cloudy and cool. Staid at home all day.
 Mon 6 Cloudy and cold. Went to Monticello to court.
 Tue 7 Cloudy and rained. Went to Monticello to court.
 Wed 8 Cloudy and rained in morning. Went to Monticello to court. Colder in evening.
 Thu 9 Cloudy and cool. Helped to wash.
 Fri 10 Partly cloudy and colder. Sawed wood for self.
 Sat 11 Fair and warm. Went to sale at Ruby Kelly's. (See note.)
 Sun 12 Cloudy and warm. Went to Willie's in morning. Staid at home rest of day.
 Mon 13 Cloudy and raining. Went to Willie's in evening.
 Tue 14 Cloudy and windy. Sawed wood in evening. Went to Lodge at night.
 Wed 15 Fair and windy. Sawed in morning. Killed hogs in evening.
 Thu 16 Fair and windy. Dried up lard.
 Fri 17 Fair and windy. Sawed wood and hauled wood.
 Sat 18 Cloudy and cold. Went to Mansfield in morning.
 Sun 19 Cloudy, cold and tried to rain and sleet. Mrs. Lewis came in morning.
 Mon 20 Fair and warm. Leon plowed. I went hunting.
 Tue 21 Partly cloudy. Plowed all day.
 Wed 22 Cloudy, foggy and come a storm of rain. Went to Mansfield in morning.
 Thu 23 Cloudy and colder. Done nothing.
 Fri 24 Cloudy and cold. Went to hunting in morning. Done nothing in evening.
 Sat 25 Cloudy and cold. Went to Mr. Lewis' in morning. Staid at home rest of day.
 Sun 26 Cloudy and cold. Went to raining in evening. Grandpa Kelly and Lillious came in evening.
 Mon 27 Cloudy and rained some. Went to Mansfield in morning.
 Tue 28 Fair and cold. Went up home and spent the day. Alva came home with us.
 Wed 29 Fair and cold. Went hunting in p.m. with Willie.
 Thu 30 Fair and cold. Had a turkey dinner.
 Fri 31 Fair and warm and pleasant. Leila and Corban spent the day.
 Ruby Kelly was Clyde Kelly's widow.



Velma & Agnes Kelly
 daughters of Aubet & Odessa Kelly
 Picture was taken in 1920

Diary for January, 1921

Sat	1 Partly cloudy and warm. Piddled. (See note.)
Sun	2 Cloudy and warm. Alva came in evening.
Mon	3 Cloudy and rained all morning. Went to mill in evening.
Tue	4 Cloudy and foggy. Went to Monticello in morning.
Wed	5 Fair and warm. Went hunting in evening.
Thu	6 Fair and warm. Sawed wood in evening.
Fri	7 Fair and cool. Sawed wood all day.
Sat	8 Cloudy and warm. Went to Mansfield.
Sun	9 Cloudy and rained hard in evening. Alva came.
Mon	10 Faired off cold. Cut wood all day.
Tue	11 Fair and cool. Sawed wood for self.
Wed	12 Fair and colder. Sawed wood for Willie.
Thu	13 Cloudy and cold. Done nothing.
Fri	14 Cloudy and everything covered in ice. Rained in morning.
Sat	15 Partly cloudy and windy. Went to Monticello.
Sun	16 Fair and cool. Went to Aubet's in evening.
Mon	17 Fair and cool. Sawed wood for self.
Tue	18 Partly cloudy and cold. Sawed wood for Willie.
Wed	19 Fair and cold wind from East. Went to Monticello.
Thu	20 Fair and cool. Sawed and split wood for self in morning.
Fri	21 Fair and cool. Went to Mansfield in morning. Hauled wood in evening.
Sat	22 Fair and warmer. Drug over cotton stalks.
Sun	23 Partly cloudy and warm. Staid at home.
Mon	24 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Tue	25 Cloudy and rained in evening. Plowed all day.
Wed	26 Cloudy and rained in evening. Plowed until rain.
Thu	27 Cold and raining. Snowed a little.
Fri	28 Fair and warm. Went to Mansfield in evening.
Sat	29 Fair and warm. Trimmed up trees in morning.
Sun	30 Cloudy and rained some. Willie came in morning. Leon and I went up home in the afternoon.
Mon	31 Fair and cool. Sawed wood in morning. Killed hog in evening.

The entries are shorter because he was running out of ledger pages; therefore, he put two months on a page.



John Ben Kelly
Picture taken around early 1940's

Diary for February, 1921

Tue 1 Cloudy and rained. Dried up lard.
 Wed 2 Cloudy and cool. Sawed wood.
 Thu 3 Fair and warmer. Big frost. Hauled wood.
 Fri 4 Partly cloudy and cold. Went to Monticello.
 Sat 5 Cloudy and rained all morning. Fair in evening.
 Sun 6 Fair and warm. Laurence and family came in evening.
 Mon 7 Cloudy and rained at night. Went to Mansfield in morning.
 Tue 8 Cloudy in morning. Partly cloudy in evening.
 Wed 9 Cloudy in morning. Rained all the p.m. and all night.
 Thu 10 Cloudy and rained some. Faired off at night.
 Fri 11 Cold and windy. Cut up some wood.
 Sat 12 Partly cloudy and cold. Went to Lydia Bryant's. (No one could recall this name.)
 Sun 13 Fair and pleasant. Staid at home.
 Mon 14 Fair and warm. Hauled stove wood.
 Tue 15 Fair and warm. Hauled stove wood in morning.
 Wed 16 Fair and warm. Went to Monticello.
 Thu 17 Partly cloudy and cool. Raked corn stalks.
 Fri 18 Partly cloudy and cool. Done nothing.
 Sat 19 Cold, cloudy and rained some.
 Sun 20 Cold and cloudy. Staid at home.
 Mon 21 Cold, cloudy, rained and snowed. Went to Monticello.
 Tue 22 Cold, and cloudy. Went to Mansfield in morning.
 Wed 23 Cold and partly cloudy. Sawed wood.
 Thu 24 Cold and partly cloudy. Hauled wood.
 Fri 25 Fair and cold. Done nothing.
 Sat 26 Fair and cold. Done nothing.
 Sun 27 Fair and cold. Staid at home.
 Mon 28 Fair and warm. Hauled out manure.



Aubet Kelly & Henry Ozburn
Postcard Picture

Postcard
Dated 8/31/1908

Addressed to
Mr. Willie Kelly
Farrar, Georgia

*Hello, how are you.
I am sick with a cole.
I got a job all right.
A. N. K.*

Diary for March, 1921

Tue	1 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Wed	2 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Thu	3 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Fri	4 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Sat	5 Fair and warm. Went to Monticello in wagon.
Sun	6 Fair and warm. Pa and Lillious came in evening.
Mon	7 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Tue	8 Fair and warm. Plowed all day.
Wed	9 Cloudy and rained a shower. Plowed.
Thu	10 Fair and cool. Bedded corn ground.
Fri	11 Fair and cool. Bedded corn ground.
Sat	12 Cloudy and rained some. Planted yellow dent corn in morning.
Sun	13 Fair and warm. Ma and Pa came.
Mon	14 Cloudy and hot. Went to funeral in morning for Mrs. McClendon. Plowed in evening. (See note.)
Tue	15 Threatening. Plowed all day.
Wed	16 Cloudy and threatening rain. Planted cane and corn. Started.
Thu	17 Fair and hot. Planted corn.
Fri	18 Fair and hot. Hauled out manure in morning.
Sat	19 Fair and hot. Hauled a load of guano.
Sun	20 Fair and hot. Went to Corban's and spent the day.
Mon	21 Fair and hot. Plowed. Pigs born.
Tue	22 Rained a shower. Harrowed.
Wed	23 Cloudy and cool. Rained at night. Rained in morning.
Thu	24 Faired off. Broke up v. bean patch.
Fri	25 Fair and hot. Laid off cotton ground.
Sat	26 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sun	27 Fair and cool. Staid at home.
Mon	28 Fair and cool.
Tue	29 Cloudy and cold.
Wed	30 Cloudy and cold. Hauled straw.
Thu	31 Cloudy and rained.

Mrs. Clementine McClendon was Carroll Hodge's grandmother.



Cornelia Kelly Lewis
 b. 8/2/1906--d. 5/13/2003
 John Herschel Kelly's daughter

Diary for April, 1921

- Fri 1 Fair and warm. Drug with harrow.
- Sat 2 Fair and warm. Went to Monticello in evening.
- Sun 3 Fair and warm. Willie and Inis came in evening.
- Mon 4 Fair and warm. Planted corn and beans.
- Tue 5 Fair and warm. Planted cotton all day.
- Wed 6 Fair and warm. Planted cotton all day.
- Thu 7 Fair and warm. Planted cotton all day.
- Fri 8 Fair and hot. Went to Monticello.
- Sat 9 Fair and cooler. Done nothing.
- Sun 10 Fair and very windy and cold. Billie came.
- Mon 11 Fair and cold. Went to mill in morning.
- Tue 12 Fair and warmer. Beat out peas. ("Beat out peas" involved putting peas in a burlap sack and beating with a stick.)
- Wed 13 Partly cloudy and warm. Done nothing.
- Thu 14 Cloudy and rained a shower in morning.
- Fri 15 Partly cloudy. Plowed in p.m.
- Sat 16 Partly cloudy. Rained big rain in evening. Went to Monticello.
- Sun 17 Cold and windy. Went to Prospect in morning. Went to Willie's in the p.m. Cornelia got married. (See note.)
- Mon 18 Cold and windy. Done nothing.
- Tue 19 Cold and windy. Piddled some.
- Wed 20 Fair and some warmer. Planted goobers.
- Thu 21 Partly cloudy. Drug corn middles.
- Fri 22 Rained a good rain. Done nothing.
- Sat 23 Rained a good rain. Done nothing.
- Sun 24 Fair and cool. Went to store in morning.
- Mon 25 Partly cloudy and hot. Hoed out garden.
- Tue 26 Partly cloudy and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning.
- Wed 27 Cloudy and rained in evening.
- Thu 28 Fair and warm. Fixed well shelter.
- Fri 29 Fair, cold and windy. Went to Pond.
- Sat 30 Fair, cold and windy. Went to Mansfield.



Cornelia & George
1960

Cornelia married George Lewis, son of R. W. Lewis. She was 15 years old. In an article for the AJC in 1999, she was quoted, "When George and I got married, we cleaned up this little old tenant house and moved in. It had a wood stove and a big old fireplace and a little bantam hen had a nest on the shelf. I cooked on that wood stove. There were no windows. We had shutters. When you opened the shutters, it was open. I wish I had a picture of that today."

Diary for May, 1921

Sun	1 Fair and cold and windy. Leila and Corban come.
Mon	2 Partly cloudy, rained big rain in evening.
Tue	3 Cold, windy and cloudy. Fixed cradle. (A cradle was a farm implement for cutting and holding the wheat or oats until emptying.)
Wed	4 Cold, windy. Went to Monticello.
Thu	5 Cold, windy. Worked on car in morning. Plowed in evening.
Fri	6 Cold, windy. Plowed cotton all day.
Sat	7 Fair and warmer. Plowed cotton all day.
Sun	8 Fair and warm. Staid at home.
Mon	9 Fair and warm. Plowed corn all day.
Tue	10 Fair and warm. Plowed corn all day.
Wed	11 Went to mill in morning. Rained in evening. Hot.
Thu	12 Fair and warm. Chopped cotton.
Fri	13 Cloudy and warm. Done nothing.
Sat	14 Partly cloudy. Done nothing.
Sun	15 Partly cloudy. Willie and children came in evening.
Mon	16 Cloudy and rained some. Went to Mansfield.
Tue	17 Fair and cool. Chopped cotton in evening.
Wed	18 Fair and cool. Chopped cotton all day.
Thu	19 Fair and cool. Chopped cotton all day.
Fri	20 Fair and cool. Chopped cotton all day.
Sat	21 Cloudy and rained in morning. Went to Monticello in evening.
Sun	22 Cloudy and rained in morning. Went up home.
Mon	23 Fair and hot. Cut wheat.
Tue	24 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day.
Wed	25 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day.
Thu	26 Fair and hot. Plowed cotton all day.
Fri	27 Fair and very hot. Plowed corn all day.
Sat	28 Fair and very hot. Plowed corn in morning. Went to mill in evening.
Sun	29 Fair and very hot. Went to Aubet's in evening.
Mon	30 Fair and very hot. Chopped cotton. Finished.
Tue	31 Fair and very hot. Plowed cotton.



Ruth Kelly & Colvin Kitchens

Diary for June, 1921

Wed	1 Fair and hot. Plowed corn all day.
Thu	2 Fair and hot. Plowed corn all day.
Fri	3 Partly cloudy and hot. Threshed wheat in morning.
Sat	4 Partly cloudy in morning. Went to Monticello in morning.
Sun	5 Fair and warm. Staid at home.
Mon	6 Fair and warm. Went to mill in morning.
Tue	7 Fair and hot. Hoed and plowed all day.
Wed	8 Fair and hot. Hoed cotton all day.
Thu	9 Fair and hot. Hoed cotton all day.
Fri	10 Fair and hot. Done nothing.
Sat	11 Fair and hot. Went to Monticello in morning, mill in evening.
Sun	12 Fair and hot. Staid at home all day.
Mon	13 Fair and hot. Plowed corn all day.
Tue	14 Fair and hot and very dry. Done nothing.
Wed	15 Fair and hot and very dry. Done nothing.
Thu	16 Fair and hot and very dry. Plowed cotton.
Fri	17 Fair and hot and very dry. Plowed cotton.
Sat	18 Fair and hot and very dry. Went to Mansfield.
Sun	19 Fair and hot and very dry. Staid at home.
Mon	20 Partly cloudy and sprinkled rain. Plowed peas and hoed goobers.
Tue	21 Fair, hot and very dry. Done nothing.
Wed	22 Fair, hot and very dry. Done nothing.
Thu	23 Fair, hot and very dry. Done nothing.
Fri	24 Fair, hot and very dry. Done nothing.
Sat	25 Fair in morning. Went to Monticello in morning. Went to Dude Henderson's funeral. Rain in evening. First rain in 5 weeks.
Sun	26 Fair here, rain in places. Staid at home.
Mon	27 Fair here, rain in places. Sowed peas.
Tue	28 Rained in evening. Plowed corn until rain.
Wed	29 Very hot. Rain in places.
Thu	30 Very hot. Rained in East. Cut some sprouts.

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WILLIE KELLY (L) AND BROTHER, A.N.

No. 96 Is Celebrated

A birthday luncheon at the American Legion House on Saturday, Aug. 26, honored Willie C. Kelly, who was 96 on Aug. 25. More than 20 family members and friends attended the luncheon, given by Mr. Kelly's children.

Mr. Kelly, a Monticello native, is now a resident Lynn Haven Nursing Home in Bradley. He was for many years overseer for Roy Kelly, Sr., and for E.F. Perry, and also trapped foxes for the county. Before moving to Lynn Haven, he made his home with a daughter, Mrs. Vivian Bearden, in Monticello. His children, in addition to Mrs.

Bearden, are Mrs. Colvin Kitchens, Mrs. Walker Thornton, Mrs. O.B. Fears, and Weslie Kelly. He has 14 grandchildren, 33 great-grandchildren, and three great-great grandchildren. A.N. Kelly, Mr. Kelly's 92-year-old brother, was among the guests at the birthday celebration.

Diary for July, 1921

Fri 1 Partly cloudy, rain in places.
Sat 2 Partly cloudy and hot. Rained in East.
Sun 3 Fair and hot. Went to Aubet's in evening.
Mon 4 Fair and hot. Finished laying old corn.
Tue 5 Fair and hot. Plowed young corn.
Wed 6 Partly cloudy. Plowed cotton all day. Rained some in evening.
Thu 7 Partly cloudy. Plowed cotton until big rain in evening.
Fri 8 Partly cloudy but no rain. Went to Mansfield.
Sat 9 Partly cloudy and rained some.
Sun 10 Partly cloudy but no rain. Went to Corban's.
Mon 11 Partly cloudy and rained in evening. Plowed until rain.
Tue 12 Fair in morning. Rained in evening. Plowed until rain.
Wed 13 Fair in morning. Rained in evening. Plowed until rain.
Thu 14 Partly cloudy. Done nothing. Rain at night.
Fri 15 Partly cloudy and rained in evening. Done nothing.
Sat 16 Partly cloudy and rained in evening. Went to corn mill.
Sun 17 Cloudy in morning. No rain. Went to Willie's in evening.
Mon 18 Cloudy and rained in evening. Picked up squares.
Tue 19 Cloudy and rained in evening. Picked up squares in morning.
Wed 20 Cloudy and rained in evening. Cooked dinner.
Thu 21 Cloudy and rained in evening. Done nothing.
Fri 22 Cloudy and rained at noon. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sat 23 Partly cloudy and rained at night. Went to Laurence Jordan's in the p.m.
Sun 24 Fair and hot. Staid at home.
Mon 25 Fair and hot. Picked up squares.
Tue 26 Partly cloudy and hot. Picked up squares.
Wed 27 Partly cloudy. Plowed cotton all day. Rained some in evening.
Thu 28 Partly cloudy. Plowed cotton in morning.
Fri 29 Fair and hot. Done nothing.
Sat 30 Fair and hot. Went to Mansfield in morning. Rained a shower at dusk. Inis and children came.
Sun 31 Fair and hot. Staid at home.



Ruth Kelly Kitchens & Mildred McElhaney Kelly,
widow of Wesley Kelly, Ruth's brother
Kelly Reunion, 2007

Diary for August, 1921

Mon	1 Fair and hot. Went to Little River. (Probably at Pennington)
Tue	2 Fair and hot. Done nothing. Alva came in evening.
Wed	3 Fair and hot in morning. Rained in east. Went to mill in morning.
Thu	4 Fair and hot in morning. Rained a shower in evening.
Fri	5 Cloudy and rained in evening. Went to Mansfield in morning.
Sat	6 Fair and hot. Done nothing.
Sun	7 Partly cloudy. Went to baptizing in evening. Rained at night.
Mon	8 Fair and hot. Went to store in morning.
Tue	9 Fair and hot. Done nothing.
Wed	10 Fair and hot. Done nothing.
Thu	11 Fair and hot. Done nothing.
Fri	12 Fair and hot. Done nothing.
Sat	13 Fair and hot. Done nothing.
Sun	14 Fair and hot. Staid at home.
Mon	15 Partly cloudy. Picked peas.
Tue	16 Cloudy and rained a big rain. Picked peas in evening.
Wed	17 Cloudy and rained some. Went to store in morning.
Thu	18 Fair and hot. Pulled fodder all day.
Fri	19 Fair and hot. Pulled fodder all day.
Sat	20 Fair and hot. Pulled fodder in morning.
Sun	21 Cloudy and rained in evening. Dess and children came.
Mon	22 Fair and hot. Pulled fodder.
Tue	23 Cloudy and rained in evening. Willie and preacher came in evening.
Wed	24 Cloudy and threatening. Worked in house.
Thu	25 Cloudy and threatening. Worked in house.
Fri	26 Fair and hot. Picked peas.
Sat	27 Fair and hot. Went to Monticello in morning.
Sun	28 Cool and cloudy. Staid at home.
Mon	29 Partly cloudy and hot. Picked cotton until rain.
Tue	30 Fair and hot. Picked cotton all day.
Wed	31 Fair and extremely hot. Went to Bethel to the Association.



Vivian , Wesley, Inis, Ruth, Willie, Marion, & Lucille

Descendants of Jacob Kelly

Generation No. 1

1. JACOB¹ KELLY was born March 04, 1734/35 in Sampson or Robeson County, North Carolina, and died November 11, 1835 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married (1) JANE HANNER. He married (2) SUSANNAH 1775. She was born 1756 in Robeson County, North Carolina, and died August 1835 in Jasper County, Georgia.

More About JACOB KELLY:

Burial: Kelly Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About SUSANNAH:

Burial: Jasper County, Georgia

Children of JACOB KELLY and SUSANNAH are:

2.
 - i. ALLEN² KELLY, b. July 22, 1777, Wilkes County, Georgia; d. October 16, 1858, Jasper County, Georgia.
 - ii. WILLIAM LOY KELLY.
 - iii. POLLY KELLY.
 - iv. MARY KELLY.
 - v. SYNTHA KELLY.
 - vi. MARY KELLY.
 - vii. NANCY KELLY.
 - viii. JACOB KELLY, JR..
 - ix. DREWRY KELLY.
 - x. SUCKEY KELLY.

Generation No. 2

2. ALLEN² KELLY (JACOB¹)³ was born July 22, 1777 in Wilkes County, Georgia, and died October 16, 1858 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married MARY POLLY RIGGINS December 06, 1803. She was born March 09, 1787 in Robeson County, North Carolina, and died March 1870 in Jasper County, Georgia.

More About ALLEN KELLY:

Burial: Kelly Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About MARY POLLY RIGGINS:

Aka Name: Regan

Burial: Kelly Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of ALLEN KELLY and MARY RIGGINS are:

3.
 - i. JOHN RIGGINS³ KELLY, b. April 18, 1808, Clarke County Georgia; d. June 06, 1887, Jasper County, Georgia.
 - ii. MATILDA KELLY, b. January 08, 1812.
 - iii. FRANCES ELIZABETH KELLY, b. May 06, 1821.
 - iv. EATON HARRIS KELLY, b. November 24, 1804.

- v. SERENA KELLY, b. January 05, 1814.
- vi. WILLIAM M KELLY, b. March 14, 1823.
- vii. JARRETT BURTON KELLY, b. August 16, 1806.
- viii. BETHANEY KELLY, b. January 07, 1816.
- ix. UNNAMED KELLY, b. May 11, 1825.
- x. NANCY KELLY, b. June 18, 1810.
- xi. POLLY KELLY, b. March 04, 1820.
- xii. BEVERLY ALLEN KELLY, b. April 29, 1818.

Generation No. 3

3. JOHN RIGGINS³ KELLY (*ALLEN*², *JACOB*¹) was born April 18, 1808 in Clarke County Georgia, and died June 06, 1887 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married REBECCA ANN WHITTEN SMITH April 19, 1832 in Jasper County, Georgia. She was born September 20, 1810 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died June 18, 1887 in Jasper County, Georgia.

More About JOHN RIGGINS KELLY:

Burial: John Riggins Kelly Family Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About REBECCA ANN WHITTEN SMITH:

Burial: John Riggins Kelly Family Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of JOHN KELLY and REBECCA SMITH are:

- 4.
 - i. ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴ KELLY, b. September 09, 1852, Jasper County, Georgia; d. January 14, 1941, Betheny Nursing Home, Vidalia, Georgia.
 - ii. LUCIUS (LUDY) SMITH KELLY, b. November 04, 1857.
 - iii. ELMIRA FRANCES KELLY, b. November 16, 1839.
 - iv. WILLIAM ALEXANDER KELLY, b. August 12, 1847.
 - v. HARRIETT ELIZABETH KELLY, b. April 04, 1833.
 - vi. WYATT R. KELLY, b. February 22, 1842.
 - vii. ROBATINE (ROBBIE) KELLY, b. November 30, 1849.
 - viii. MARY ANN KELLY, b. March 25, 1835.
 - ix. NATHAN PROPHITT KELLY, b. June 22, 1855.
 - x. JOHN A. KELLY, b. August 11, 1837.

Generation No. 4

4. ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴ KELLY (*JOHN RIGGINS*³, *ALLEN*², *JACOB*¹) was born September 09, 1852 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died January 14, 1941 in Betheny Nursing Home, Vidalia, Georgia. He married ANNA ROBINSON. She was born April 28, 1850 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died February 20, 1924 in Jasper County, Georgia.

More About ERBIN HERSCHEL KELLY:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About ANNA ROBINSON:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of ERBIN KELLY and ANNA ROBINSON are:

5.
 - i. JOHN HERSCHEL⁵ KELLY, b. September 09, 1879, Jasper County, Georgia; d. December 1940, Jasper County, Georgia.
 - ii. AUBET NATHAN KELLY, b. May 31, 1886, Jasper County, Georgia; d. May 12, 1981, Newton County Georgia; m. IDA ODESSA KNOWLES; b. June 20, 1896, Jasper County, Georgia; d. April 16, 1985, Newton County, Georgia.

More About AUBET NATHAN KELLY:

Burial: Shiloh Baptist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About IDA ODESSA KNOWLES:

Burial: Shiloh Baptist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

- iii. OSCAR PAUL KELLY, b. October 15, 1884, Jasper County, Georgia; d. August 12, 1885, Jasper County, Georgia.

More About OSCAR PAUL KELLY:

Burial: John Riggins Kelly Family Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

- iv. OSSIA PEARL KELLY, b. October 15, 1884, Jasper County, Georgia; d. July 18, 1885, Jasper County, Georgia.

More About OSSIA PEARL KELLY:

Burial: John Riggins Kelly Family Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

- v. JULIAN LAFOR KELLY, b. January 31, 1873, Jasper County, Georgia; d. February 15, 1945, Jasper County, Georgia; m. MATTIE CLYDE GASTON; b. November 11, 1881, Jasper County, Georgia; d. January 23, 1963, Jasper County, Georgia.

More About JULIAN LAFOR KELLY:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About MATTIE CLYDE GASTON:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

- vi. ALVA RALPH KELLY, b. November 30, 1895, Jasper County, Georgia; d. July 28, 1955, Monticello, Georgia; m. EDITH GASTON; b. 1899; d. May 30, 1965.

More About ALVA RALPH KELLY:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About EDITH GASTON:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

- vii. LILLIAN MAUDE KELLY, b. 1876; d. 1957; m. PATRICK EVANS.
 - viii. SIDNEY WRAY KELLY, m. LOTTIE HAYS.

More About SIDNEY WRAY KELLY:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About LOTTIE HAYS:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

- ix. WILLIAM CHAMPION KELLY, b. August 25, 1882, Jasper County, Georgia; d. April 04, 1979, Monticello, Georgia; m. MILDRED INIS COOK; b. December 28, 1875, Jasper County, Georgia; d. December 26, 1951, Jasper County, Georgia.

More About WILLIAM CHAMPION KELLY:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About MILDRED INIS COOK:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

- x. HENRY LAMAR KELLY, b. September 09, 1888, Jasper County, Georgia; d. April 30, 1950; m. CORRIE GRACE GASTON; b. February 26, 1893; d. January 26, 1966.

More About HENRY LAMAR KELLY:

Burial: Oakhill Cemetery, Griffin, Georgia

More About CORRIE GRACE GASTON:

Burial: Oakhill Cemetery, Griffin, Georgia

Generation No. 5

5. JOHN HERSCHEL⁵ KELLY (*ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born September 09, 1879 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died December 1940 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married GEORGIANNA DOTSY COOK 1902. She was born July 22, 1879 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died August 15, 1957 in Jasper County, Georgia.

More About JOHN HERSCHEL KELLY:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About GEORGIANNA DOTSY COOK:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of JOHN KELLY and GEORGIANNA COOK are:

6. i. ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, b. August 02, 1906, Jasper County, Georgia; d. May 10, 2003, Jasper County, Georgia.
7. ii. RALPH HERSCHEL KELLY, b. September 12, 1909, Jasper County, Georgia; d. September 26, 1991, High Point, North Carolina.
8. iii. JOHN BEN KELLY, b. April 27, 1916, Jasper County, Georgia.
9. iv. DURWOOD LEON KELLY, b. October 13, 1903, Jasper County, Georgia; d. March 07, 1989.
- v. PAUL KELLY, b. 1912, Jasper County, Georgia; d. 1912, Jasper County, Georgia.

More About PAUL KELLY:

Burial: John Wesley Cook Family Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Generation No. 6

6. ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY (*JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born August 02, 1906 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died May 10, 2003 in Jasper County, Georgia. She married GEORGE LEWIS April 17, 1921 in Jasper County, Georgia. He was born October 10, 1897 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died September 06, 1987 in Jasper County, Georgia.

More About ANNA CORNELIA KELLY:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About GEORGE LEWIS:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of ANNA KELLY and GEORGE LEWIS are:

10. i. EMMA GEORGE⁷ LEWIS, b. August 10, 1924, Jasper County, Georgia; d. March 11, 2004, Jasper County, Georgia.
11. ii. ANNA CAROLYN LEWIS, b. October 01, 1927, Jasper County, Georgia.
12. iii. ROBERT HERSCHEL LEWIS, b. November 22, 1933, Jasper County, Georgia.
13. iv. JULIUS BENJAMIN LEWIS, b. January 26, 1937, Jasper County, Georgia.

7. RALPH HERSCHEL⁶ KELLY (*JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born September 12, 1909 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died September 26, 1991 in High Point, North Carolina. He married CARMIE RIGGINS February 03, 1940 in Lawrenceburg, Indiana. She was born November 04, 1917 in Russell Springs, Kentucky, and died January 04, 1973 in Monticello, Georgia.

More About RALPH HERSCHEL KELLY:

Burial: September 28, 1991, Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About CARMIE RIGGINS:

Burial: January 07, 1973, Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Child of RALPH KELLY and CARMIE RIGGINS is:

14. i. SYBIL JEAN⁷ KELLY, b. July 14, 1941, Jasper County, Georgia.

8. JOHN BEN⁶ KELLY (*JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born April 27, 1916 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married WILLA MAE SLAPPEY.

Children of JOHN KELLY and WILLA SLAPPEY are:

15. i. JOHN BEN⁷ KELLY, JR., b. February 25, 1941.
16. ii. JAMES ROY KELLY, b. April 11, 1942, Jasper County, Georgia.
- iii. BOBBY DENNIS KELLY, b. September 08, 1943.

9. DURWOOD LEON⁶ KELLY (*JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born October 13, 1903 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died March 07, 1989. He married EMMA VALLIE KITCHENS. She was born January 23, 1901 in Butts County, Georgia, and died July 26, 1979 in Newton County Georgia.

More About DURWOOD LEON KELLY:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

More About EMMA VALLIE KITCHENS:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of DURWOOD KELLY and EMMA KITCHENS are:

17. i. IRMA JOYCE⁷ KELLY, b. March 21, 1930.
18. ii. LEON COLIN KELLY, b. November 21, 1934, Jasper County, Georgia; d. August 10, 1996, Atlanta, Georgia.
19. iii. ANNA JACQUELYN KELLY, b. December 05, 1928, Jasper County, Georgia.
- iv. MARTHA ANN KELLY, b. October 01, 1932; d. June 14, 1950.

More About MARTHA ANN KELLY:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

20. v. PHILLIP WAYNE KELLY, b. June 11, 1937, Jasper County, Georgia.

Generation No. 7

10. EMMA GEORGE⁷ LEWIS (*ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born August 10, 1924 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died March 11, 2004 in Jasper County, Georgia. She married SPIRGEON LEWIS June 26, 1944. He was born May 16, 1925 in Albany, Georgia, and died May 04, 2002 in Rockdale County, Georgia.

More About EMMA GEORGE LEWIS:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of EMMA LEWIS and SPIRGEON LEWIS are:

21. i. SHIRLEY ANN⁸ LEWIS, b. October 20, 1945, Atlanta, Georgia.
22. ii. SPIRGEON STANLEY LEWIS, b. October 07, 1948, Atlanta, Georgia; d. September 17, 2000, Fayetteville, Georgia.

11. ANNA CAROLYN⁷ LEWIS (*ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born October 01, 1927 in Jasper County, Georgia. She married JOSEPH BENJAMIN GOOLSBY December 17, 1948 in Atlanta, Georgia. He was born March 28, 1910 in Carnesville, Georgia, and died July 06, 1973 in Atlanta, Georgia.

More About JOSEPH BENJAMIN GOOLSBY:

Burial: July 08, 1973, Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of ANNA LEWIS and JOSEPH GOOLSBY are:

23. i. JOANN⁸ GOOLSBY, b. November 19, 1953, Atlanta, Georgia.
24. ii. JANICE GOOLSBY, b. March 02, 1956, Atlanta, Georgia.

12. ROBERT HERSCHEL⁷ LEWIS (*ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born November 22, 1933 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married ROSE CATHERINE HUGHES December 15, 1963 in Jasper County, Georgia. She was born July 15, 1943 in Atlanta, Georgia.

Child of ROBERT LEWIS and ROSE HUGHES is:

25. i. ROBIN⁸ LEWIS, b. April 01, 1971, Decatur, Georgia.

13. JULIUS BENJAMIN⁷ LEWIS (*ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born January 26, 1937 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married JANIS MARIE YARBROUGH April 25, 1959 in Atlanta, Georgia. She was born November 24, 1940 in Atlanta, Georgia.

Children of JULIUS LEWIS and JANIS YARBROUGH are:

- i. VICKIE MARIE⁸ LEWIS, b. January 05, 1960, Atlanta, Georgia; d. August 30, 1962, Atlanta, Georgia.

More About VICKIE MARIE LEWIS:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

26. ii. JEFFERY ALAN LEWIS, b. May 13, 1962, Atlanta, Georgia; d. June 30, 2005, Salisbury, North Carolina.
27. iii. JAMES DOUGLAS LEWIS, b. February 05, 1966, Atlanta, Georgia.
28. iv. JULIE MARIE LEWIS, b. February 02, 1972, Jasper County, Georgia.

14. SYBIL JEAN⁷ KELLY (*RALPH HERSCHEL⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born July 14, 1941 in Jasper County, Georgia. She married GERALD SHIELDS CUNARD January 27, 1962 in Aiken, South Carolina. He was born May 09, 1938 in Monticello, Georgia.

Children of SYBIL KELLY and GERALD CUNARD are:

29. i. GERALD KELLY⁸ CUNARD, b. August 23, 1973, Atlanta, Georgia.
ii. JONATHAN RIGGINS CUNARD, b. January 22, 1979, Winter Haven, FL; m. AMELIA SINARJO, June 14, 2008, High Point, North Carolina; b. July 16, 1982, Jakarta, Indonesia.

15. JOHN BEN⁷ KELLY, JR. (*JOHN BEN⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born February 25, 1941. He married (1) LUNELLE MARIE ALFORD September 22, 1963. He married (2) FRANCES ELIZABETH ZUTTERMAN SMITH August 03, 2001.

Children of JOHN KELLY and LUNELLE ALFORD are:

30. i. JOHN BEN⁸ KELLY III, b. September 10, 1964.
ii. MARK CLIFFORD KELLY, b. August 30, 1969; m. MICHELLE BATS, July 16, 1994.

16. JAMES ROY⁷ KELLY (*JOHN BEN⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born April 11, 1942 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married MARSHA ELIZABETH POLK December 28, 1959.

Children of JAMES KELLY and MARSHA POLK are:

31. i. JAMES CHRISTOPHER⁸ KELLY, b. December 03, 1960, Bibb County, Georgia.
32. ii. MICHAEL SCOTT KELLY, b. October 14, 1962, Jasper County, Georgia.
33. iii. BENJAMIN BRIAN KELLY, b. July 06, 1965, Bibb County, Georgia.

34. iv. AMY ELIZABETH KELLY, b. December 27, 1970, DeKalb County, Georgia.

17. IRMA JOYCE⁷ KELLY (*DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born March 21, 1930. She married CHARLES HERBERT GIBBS June 01, 1951. He was born June 29, 1930 in Denver, CO.

Children of IRMA KELLY and CHARLES GIBBS are:

- 35. i. CHARLES PHILLIP⁸ GIBBS, b. February 26, 1952, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 36. ii. JANE ELISE GIBBS, b. September 05, 1956, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 37. iii. SHARON MARIE GIBBS, b. November 08, 1953, Atlanta, Georgia.
- iv. JAMES ERIC GIBBS, b. July 27, 1959, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 38. v. TIMOTHY ALAN GIBBS, b. July 08, 1955, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 39. vi. DAVID BRENT GIBBS, b. December 11, 1965, Atlanta, Georgia.

18. LEON COLIN⁷ KELLY (*DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born November 21, 1934 in Jasper County, Georgia, and died August 10, 1996 in Atlanta, Georgia. He married EMILY MAE COOK June 30, 1956 in Atlanta, Georgia. She was born June 28, 1938 in Jasper County, Georgia.

More About LEON COLIN KELLY:

Burial: August 12, 1996, Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Child of LEON KELLY and EMILY COOK is:

- i. PAIGE⁸ KELLY, b. May 19, 1970, Newton County Georgia; m. (1) JAMES RALSTON, 1993, South Carolina; m. (2) CHANTZ AMMONS, May 15, 1998, Tennessee; b. March 09, 1968.

19. ANNA JACQUELYN⁷ KELLY (*DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born December 05, 1928 in Jasper County, Georgia. She married NATHAN CLINTON BIRCHFIELD. He was born December 06, 1922 in Clay County, Alabama, and died December 09, 2007 in Austell, Georgia.

Children of ANNA KELLY and NATHAN BIRCHFIELD are:

- 40. i. DEBORAH ANN⁸ BIRCHFIELD, b. February 03, 1952, Atlanta, Georgia.
- ii. NANCY SUE BIRCHFIELD, b. June 07, 1958, Atlanta, Georgia; d. June 08, 1958, Atlanta, Georgia.

20. PHILLIP WAYNE⁷ KELLY (*DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born June 11, 1937 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married CAROLYN ANNETTE CANNON June 24, 1971 in Jasper County, Georgia. She was born May 02, 1945 in Newton County, Georgia.

Children of PHILLIP KELLY and CAROLYN CANNON are:

- 41. i. KAREN ANNETTE⁸ KELLY, b. November 15, 1967.
- 42. ii. KIMBERLY ANNESE KELLY, b. October 29, 1968.
- 43. iii. SUZANNE TONYA KELLY, b. November 02, 1973, Newton County, Georgia.

Generation No. 8

21. SHIRLEY ANN⁸ LEWIS (*EMMA GEORGE⁷, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born October 20, 1945 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married (1) CHARLES RICHARD PHILLIPS 1961. He was born October 10, 1943 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married (2) BRYAN JOSEPH KERAK January 18, 1997 in Las Vegas, Nevada. He was born July 21, 1957 in Coledale, Pennsylvania.

Children of SHIRLEY LEWIS and CHARLES PHILLIPS are:

- 44. i. PHIL MICHAEL⁹ PHILLIPS, b. July 10, 1962, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 45. ii. SHELLY MELINDA PHILLIPS, b. October 30, 1963, Atlanta, Georgia.

22. SPIRGEON STANLEY⁸ LEWIS (*EMMA GEORGE⁷, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born October 07, 1948 in Atlanta, Georgia, and died September 17, 2000 in Fayetteville, Georgia. He married JUDY DALTON January 1971 in Atlanta, Georgia. She was born February 22, 1949 in Atlanta, Georgia.

More About SPIRGEON STANLEY LEWIS:

Burial: Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of SPIRGEON LEWIS and JUDY DALTON are:

- 46. i. EMILY ELIZABETH⁹ LEWIS, b. August 17, 1977, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 47. ii. JAMES ROBERT CRAIG LEWIS, b. August 27, 1981, Riverdale, Georgia.

23. JOANN⁸ GOOLSBY (*ANNA CAROLYN⁷ LEWIS, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born November 19, 1953 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married (1) MARK HANEY February 1972. She married (2) JAMES ROBERT CUMMINGS II March 19, 1976 in Atlanta, Georgia. He was born October 07, 1953 in Charleston, West Virginia.

Child of JOANN GOOLSBY and MARK HANEY is:

- 48. i. CHRISTY ANN HANEY⁹ CUMMINGS, b. September 26, 1972, Atlanta, Georgia.

Children of JOANN GOOLSBY and JAMES CUMMINGS are:

- ii. CARRIE MICHELLE⁹ CUMMINGS, b. December 19, 1978, Atlanta, Georgia; m. BRYAN NEELY, March 22, 2008, Auburn, Georgia.
- iii. KATHERINE LOUISE CUMMINGS, b. July 31, 1988, Watkinsville, Georgia.

24. JANICE⁸ GOOLSBY (*ANNA CAROLYN⁷ LEWIS, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born March 02, 1956 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married ROBERT LEWIS REED May 28, 1976 in Atlanta, Georgia. He was born September 14, 1954 in Atlanta, Georgia, and died April 14, 2000 in Fulton County, Georgia.

More About ROBERT LEWIS REED:

Burial: April 16, 2000, Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of JANICE GOOLSBY and ROBERT REED are:

- i. JOSEPH ALLEN⁹ REED, b. December 29, 1980, Decatur, Georgia; m. ANGELA RAXTER, March 27, 2004, Norcross, Georgia; b. August 27, 1981, Atlanta, Georgia.
- ii. ROBERT ALEXANDER REED, b. September 14, 1986, Decatur, Georgia.

25. ROBIN⁸ LEWIS (*ROBERT HERSCHEL⁷, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born April 01, 1971 in Decatur, Georgia. She married (1) BILLY QUEEN April 19, 1991 in Jasper County, Georgia. She married (2) PATRICK EDWARD CAREY May 15, 2004 in Prospect United Methodist Church, Jasper County, Georgia. He was born January 15, 1975 in Washington D. C..

Children of ROBIN LEWIS and BILLY QUEEN are:

- i. ADAM KYLE⁹ LEWIS, b. February 23, 1989.
- ii. TRAVIS WALTER QUEEN, b. November 24, 1991.

Child of ROBIN LEWIS and PATRICK CAREY is:

- iii. HAYDEN ROBERT⁹ CAREY, b. August 10, 2005.

26. JEFFERY ALAN⁸ LEWIS (*JULIUS BENJAMIN⁷, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born May 13, 1962 in Atlanta, Georgia, and died June 30, 2005 in Salisbury, North Carolina. He married GRETCHEN LESLIE STROTHER December 17, 1983 in Jasper County, Georgia. She was born March 21, 1965.

More About JEFFERY ALAN LEWIS:

Burial: July 03, 2005, Prospect United Methodist Church Cemetery, Jasper County, Georgia

Children of JEFFERY LEWIS and GRETCHEN STROTHER are:

- i. CHRISTOPHER ALAN⁹ LEWIS, b. June 12, 1984, Rockdale County, Georgia.
- ii. THOMAS GEORGE LEWIS, b. January 14, 1986, Rockdale County, Georgia.

27. JAMES DOUGLAS⁸ LEWIS (*JULIUS BENJAMIN⁷, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born February 05, 1966 in Atlanta, Georgia. He married (1) TONYA TAYLOR February 16, 1985 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married (2) SYLVIA MARIE LOYD September 21, 1991 in Jasper County, Georgia. She was born August 23, 1957 in Butts County, Georgia.

Children of JAMES LEWIS and TONYA TAYLOR are:

- i. KRISTEN GARRETT⁹ LEWIS, b. July 25, 1985.
- ii. ALYSSA NICOLE LEWIS, b. August 06, 1988, Jasper County, Georgia; d. August 05, 2006, Alabama.

More About ALYSSA NICOLE LEWIS:

Burial: August 08, 2006, Okeechobee, Alabama

Child of JAMES LEWIS and SYLVIA LOYD is:

- iii. SHAUNNA DANIELLE⁹ LEWIS, b. December 21, 1991.

28. JULIE MARIE⁸ LEWIS (*JULIUS BENJAMIN⁷, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born February 02, 1972 in Jasper County, Georgia. She married DANIEL LEE HENDERSON June 14, 1997 in Sevier County, Tennessee. He was born September 05, 1972 in Manassa, Virginia.

Children of JULIE LEWIS and DANIEL HENDERSON are:

- i. KAYLA MARIE⁹ HENDERSON, b. January 09, 2000.
- ii. RYAN JAMES HENDERSON, b. June 22, 2003.

29. GERALD KELLY⁸ CUNARD (*SYBIL JEAN⁷ KELLY, RALPH HERSCHEL⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born August 23, 1973 in Atlanta, Georgia. He married JULIE ANNETTE LOVINGGOOD. She was born March 11, 1971 in St. Petersburg, FL.

Children of GERALD CUNARD and JULIE LOVINGGOOD are:

- i. DYLAN JACKSON⁹ CUNARD, b. November 06, 2001.
- ii. ETHAN WALKER CUNARD, b. July 18, 2005.

30. JOHN BEN⁸ KELLY III (*JOHN BEN⁷, JOHN BEN⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born September 10, 1964. He married (1) DARLENE SIDENFADEN October 04, 1986. He married (2) BRIDGE LAKE September 1995.

Child of JOHN KELLY and DARLENE SIDENFADEN is:

- i. TARA MARIE⁹ KELLY, b. December 25, 1990.

Children of JOHN KELLY and BRIDGE LAKE are:

- ii. BRITTANY⁹ KELLY, b. July 06.
- iii. LAKYN KELLY, b. May 28.

31. JAMES CHRISTOPHER⁸ KELLY (*JAMES ROY⁷, JOHN BEN⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born December 03, 1960 in Bibb County, Georgia. He married ANDREA DEE DUGGER August 03 in Bibb County, Georgia.

Children of JAMES KELLY and ANDREA DUGGER are:

- i. CHRISTOPHER LANE⁹ KELLY, b. September 03, 1992.
- ii. MASON BROOKS KELLY, b. June 05, 1996.

32. MICHAEL SCOTT⁸ KELLY (*JAMES ROY⁷, JOHN BEN⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born October 14, 1962 in Jasper County, Georgia. He married STEPHANIE LYNN PARKER February 29, 1992 in Milledgeville, Georgia.

Children of MICHAEL KELLY and STEPHANIE PARKER are:

- i. EMILY ANN⁹ KELLY, b. July 26, 1995.
- ii. PARKER ELIZABETH KELLY, b. March 17, 1997.

33. BENJAMIN BRIAN⁸ KELLY (*JAMES ROY*⁷, *JOHN BEN*⁶, *JOHN HERSCHEL*⁵, *ERBIN HERSCHEL*⁴, *JOHN RIGGINS*³, *ALLEN*², *JACOB*¹) was born July 06, 1965 in Bibb County, Georgia. He married JENNIFER CHEATHAM April 06, 1991 in Jasper County, Georgia.

Child of BENJAMIN KELLY and JENNIFER CHEATHAM is:

- i. CAMI ELIZABETH⁹ KELLY, b. October 20, 1995.

34. AMY ELIZABETH⁸ KELLY (*JAMES ROY*⁷, *JOHN BEN*⁶, *JOHN HERSCHEL*⁵, *ERBIN HERSCHEL*⁴, *JOHN RIGGINS*³, *ALLEN*², *JACOB*¹) was born December 27, 1970 in DeKalb County, Georgia. She married CARL J. CANSINO September 2006 in Jasper County, Georgia.

Child of AMY KELLY and CARL CANSINO is:

- i. CARL J.⁹ CANSINO, JR., b. December 07, 2006, Bibb County, Georgia; d. December 07, 2006, Bibb County, Georgia.

More About CARL J. CANSINO, JR.:

Burial: Baldwin County, Georgia

35. CHARLES PHILLIP⁸ GIBBS (*IRMA JOYCE*⁷ *KELLY*, *DURWOOD LEON*⁶, *JOHN HERSCHEL*⁵, *ERBIN HERSCHEL*⁴, *JOHN RIGGINS*³, *ALLEN*², *JACOB*¹) was born February 26, 1952 in Atlanta, Georgia. He married DEBRA MATHENY. She was born May 12, 1954.

Child of CHARLES GIBBS and DEBRA MATHENY is:

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 - i. JOHN PHILIP⁹ GIBBS, b. September 04, 1971.

36. JANE ELISE⁸ GIBBS (*IRMA JOYCE*⁷ *KELLY*, *DURWOOD LEON*⁶, *JOHN HERSCHEL*⁵, *ERBIN HERSCHEL*⁴, *JOHN RIGGINS*³, *ALLEN*², *JACOB*¹) was born September 05, 1956 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married RALPH CARLISLE JAYNES, JR.. He was born July 14, 1956 in Lynchburg, Virginia.

Children of JANE GIBBS and RALPH JAYNES are:

- i. CATHERINE EDGE⁹ JAYNES, b. November 24, 1985.
- ii. DAVID KELLY JAYNES, b. May 27, 1989.

37. SHARON MARIE⁸ GIBBS (*IRMA JOYCE*⁷ *KELLY*, *DURWOOD LEON*⁶, *JOHN HERSCHEL*⁵, *ERBIN HERSCHEL*⁴, *JOHN RIGGINS*³, *ALLEN*², *JACOB*¹) was born November 08, 1953 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married RANDALL ROBERTS. He was born May 19, 1955.

Children of SHARON GIBBS and RANDALL ROBERTS are:

- i. MICHAEL⁹ ROBERTS, b. September 21, 1982.
- ii. CHRISTINA ROBERTS, b. November 23, 1985.
- iii. RACHEL ROBERTS ROBERTS, b. November 16, 1988.

38. TIMOTHY ALAN⁸ GIBBS (*IRMA JOYCE*⁷ *KELLY*, *DURWOOD LEON*⁶, *JOHN HERSCHEL*⁵, *ERBIN HERSCHEL*⁴, *JOHN RIGGINS*³, *ALLEN*², *JACOB*¹) was born July 08, 1955 in Atlanta, Georgia. He married TINA MARIE JAMISON. She was born May 08, 1969.

Child of TIMOTHY GIBBS and TINA JAMISON is:

- i. CHRISTAIN TYLER⁹ GIBBS, b. November 18, 1995.

39. DAVID BRENT⁸ GIBBS (*IRMA JOYCE⁷ KELLY, DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born December 11, 1965 in Atlanta, Georgia. He married ASHLEY ELIZABETH. She was born December 31, 1970 in Atlanta, Georgia.

Children of DAVID GIBBS and ASHLEY ELIZABETH are:

- i. LEE MICHAEL⁹ RILEY, b. September 29, 1989.
- ii. NICOLE ELIZABETH GIBBS, b. August 25, 1999.
- iii. DALTON BRENT GIBBS, b. September 15, 2001.

40. DEBORAH ANN⁸ BIRCHFIELD (*ANNA JACQUELYN⁷ KELLY, DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born February 03, 1952 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married (1) THOMAS R. DONIS June 29, 1971 in Lilburn, Georgia. He was born June 22, 1951 in Washington, Georgia. She married (2) WILLIS GILBERT WHITESIDE, JR. April 16, 1997 in Marietta, Georgia. He was born September 27, 1960 in Shenandoah, Virginia.

Children of DEBORAH BIRCHFIELD and THOMAS DONIS are:

- 50. i. TAMARA LEIGH⁹ DONIS, b. August 17, 1972, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 51. ii. DORIE CARMEN DONIS, b. December 04, 1973, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 52. iii. DIXIE COREEN DONIS, b. December 04, 1973, Atlanta, Georgia.
- iv. CANDACE TREVETT DONIS, b. June 12, 1982, Atlanta, Georgia; m. STEVEN ROY DEWBERRY, April 12, 2008, Sugar Hill, Georgia; b. February 18, 1978, Cocoa Beach, Florida.

41. KAREN ANNETTE⁸ KELLY (*PHILLIP WAYNE⁷, DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born November 15, 1967. She married KERRY LEE CALDWELL October 22, 1988 in Newton County, Georgia. He was born January 11, 1965.

Children of KAREN KELLY and KERRY CALDWELL are:

- i. JOSHUA TYRUS⁹ CALDWELL, b. January 07, 1990.
- ii. JACOB LEE CALDWELL, b. July 23, 1993.

42. KIMBERLY ANNESE⁸ KELLY (*PHILLIP WAYNE⁷, DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born October 29, 1968. She married SCOTT HAZEN MESSIER April 03, 1999 in Jasper County, Georgia. He was born October 29, 1968.

Children of KIMBERLY KELLY and SCOTT MESSIER are:

- i. AMY ANNESE⁹ LONG, b. March 19, 1986.
- ii. DAVID MARTIN LONG, b. February 03, 1989.

43. SUZANNE TONYA⁸ KELLY (*PHILLIP WAYNE⁷, DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born November 02, 1973 in Newton County, Georgia. She married DAVID FRANKLIN HILLIARD June 29, 2002 in White County, Georgia. He was born April 04, 1967 in Newton County, Georgia.

Children of SUZANNE KELLY and DAVID HILLIARD are:

- i. VALLIE BROOKE⁹ HILLIARD, b. May 17, 2004.
- ii. GEORGIA MAE HILLIARD, b. February 14, 2006.

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44. PHIL MICHAEL⁹ PHILLIPS (*SHIRLEY ANN⁸ LEWIS, EMMA GEORGE⁷, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born July 10, 1962 in Atlanta, Georgia. He married (1) GINA REEVES. She was born October 28, 1963 in Atlanta, Georgia. He married (2) SARA BAILEY June 03, 1989 in Atlanta, Georgia. She was born February 04, 1963 in Atlanta, Georgia.

Child of PHIL PHILLIPS and GINA REEVES is:

- i. TIFFANY DAWN¹⁰ PHILLIPS, b. May 13, 1983.

Child of PHIL PHILLIPS and SARA BAILEY is:

- ii. JOEL BENJAMIN¹⁰ PHILLIPS, b. May 06, 1992.

45. SHELLY MELINDA⁹ PHILLIPS (*SHIRLEY ANN⁸ LEWIS, EMMA GEORGE⁷, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born October 30, 1963 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married JAMES DUDLEY LANKFORD III June 13, 1987 in Smyrna, Georgia. He was born July 25, 1957 in Birmingham, Alabama.

Children of SHELLY PHILLIPS and JAMES LANKFORD are:

- i. CHRISTOPHER JAMES¹⁰ LANKFORD, b. January 21, 1990.
- ii. JOHN CAMERON LANKFORD, b. February 23, 1993.
- iii. HANNAH NICOLE LANKFORD, b. May 17, 1995.

46. EMILY ELIZABETH⁹ LEWIS (*SPIRGEON STANLEY⁸, EMMA GEORGE⁷, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born August 17, 1977 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married KEVIN RYAN MCELWANEY September 19, 2001 in Peachtree City, Georgia. He was born April 05, 1978 in Riverdale, Georgia.

Child of EMILY LEWIS and KEVIN MCELWANEY is:

- i. RYAN STANLEY¹⁰ MCELWANEY, b. November 19, 2005.

47. JAMES ROBERT CRAIG⁹ LEWIS (*SPIRGEON STANLEY⁸, EMMA GEORGE⁷, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born August 27, 1981 in Riverdale, Georgia. He married JENNIFER ROBIN WHITTAKER April 12, 2008 in Newnan, Georgia. She was born July 24, 1982 in Riverdale, Georgia.

Child of JAMES LEWIS and JENNIFER WHITTAKER is:

- i. ANSLEY BROOKE¹⁰ LEWIS, b. September 26, 2006.

48. CHRISTY ANN HANEY⁹ CUMMINGS (*JOANN⁸ GOOLSBY, ANNA CAROLYN⁷ LEWIS, ANNA CORNELIA⁶ KELLY, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born September 26, 1972 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married LESTER ANDREW RAY, JR.. He was born December 18, 1973 in Athens, Georgia.

Child of CHRISTY CUMMINGS and LESTER RAY is:

- i. ANDREW¹⁰ RAY III, b. July 12, 2001.

49. JOHN PHILIP⁹ GIBBS (*CHARLES PHILLIP⁸, IRMA JOYCE⁷ KELLY, DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born September 04, 1971. He married TRACI HENDERSON. She was born July 05, 1975 in Hall County, Georgia.

Children of JOHN GIBBS and TRACI HENDERSON are:

- i. JORDAN CAROLYN¹⁰ HENDERSON, b. October 13, 1997.
- ii. EMMA BROOKE GIBBS, b. September 08, 2003.
- iii. HALEY RENEE HENDERSON, b. December 18, 2007.

50. TAMARA LEIGH⁹ DONIS (*DEBORAH ANN⁸ BIRCHFIELD, ANNA JACQUELYN⁷ KELLY, DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born August 17, 1972 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married (1) ROBERT METZ March 20, 1993 in Duluth, Georgia. He was born November 11, 1967 in Aiken, South Carolina. She married (2) JASON GREGORY VANCE April 04, 1998 in Tucker, Georgia. He was born May 02, 1969 in Valdosta, Georgia. She married (3) PHILLIP OWENS July 07, 2007 in Duluth, Georgia. He was born August 27, 1970 in Cumming, Georgia.

Children of TAMARA DONIS and ROBERT METZ are:

- i. JESSICA LEIGH¹⁰ METZ, b. August 05, 1993, Lawrenceville, Georgia.
- ii. ASHLEY RENEE METZ, b. August 05, 1993, Lawrenceville, Georgia.

Child of TAMARA DONIS and JASON VANCE is:

- iii. CHRISTIAN JAVIER¹⁰ VANCE, b. August 29, 1999, Lawrenceville, Georgia.

51. DORIE CARMEN⁹ DONIS (*DEBORAH ANN⁸ BIRCHFIELD, ANNA JACQUELYN⁷ KELLY, DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born December 04, 1973 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married ARTHUS DOMINIC MADONIA January 15, 1997 in Chattanooga, Tennessee. He was born December 27, 1965 in New York, New York.

Children of DORIE DONIS and ARTHUS MADONIA are:

- i. MATTHEW BASIL¹⁰ MADONIA, b. March 19, 2001, Atlanta, Georgia.
- ii. JONATHAN ETTORE MADONIA, b. October 09, 2003, Atlanta, Georgia.

52. DIXIE COREEN⁹ DONIS (*DEBORAH ANN⁸ BIRCHFIELD, ANNA JACQUELYN⁷ KELLY, DURWOOD LEON⁶, JOHN HERSCHEL⁵, ERBIN HERSCHEL⁴, JOHN RIGGINS³, ALLEN², JACOB¹*) was born December 04, 1973 in Atlanta, Georgia. She married MICHAEL FRANCIS GRIFFIN, JR. November 21, 1998 in Marietta, Georgia. He was born November 21, 1965 in Marietta, Georgia.

Child of DIXIE DONIS and MICHAEL GRIFFIN is:

- i. GABRIEL THOMAS¹⁰ GRIFFIN, b. January 23, 2001, Atlanta, Georgia.