**JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, CONFEDERATE BURIALS**

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Approximately 285 Jefferson Davis County, MS, confirmed and probable Confederate burials were identified using:

1) Dan McCaskill's Mississippi CS Graves Database

2) Betty Wiltshire's listing of Mississippi Confederate Grave Registrations

3) Betty Wiltshire's listing of Mississippi Confederate Pension Applications

4) www.findagrave.com's listings for 237 Jefferson Davis County cemeteries

5) www.ancestry.com's family history information and family trees

6) the National Parks Service Soldiers & Sailors System database of Confederate Soldiers

7) Veterans Administration military marker applications database

Jefferson Davis County was formed in 1906 from parts of Covington and Lawrence Counties, MS, and is named for Confederate President Hon. Jefferson Davis.

While many area veterans were true Southern Patriots and served until war's end, disability, or death, many others deserted. The reasons for desertion were many, not the least among them being that the Confederacy per force essentially abandoned Southern Mississippi due to too few men to protect the area and, at the same time, protect many other areas of the Confederacy. The service of those who eventually deserted should still be honored because even these deserters could have died of camp diseases in their first few weeks or months of service or died in the first action they saw. We, who have never been in their shoes, should not judge them.

All notations of desertion or AWOL are taken directly from a soldier's official military records and do not reflect any prejudice on the part of the compiler.

There are probably many more Confederate Veterans buried in Jefferson Davis County than have been documented here, as many would have been buried in small family cemeteries that are now lost and/or would have had their gravesites either marked with wooden markers or not marked at all.

I have stated "burial site not found" (or something similar) for all soldiers whose gravesites were not found but are strongly believed to lie within the borders of Jefferson Davis County.

There are probably several Confederate sailors buried in Jefferson Davis County, but CS Navy records are unindexed and poorly organized and, therefore, extremely difficult to research. Hopefully, these records will be better organized in the future.

Any Jefferson Davis County cemeteries not listed on www.findagrave.com were not researched for this project. Additional cemeteries could yield additional Confederate burials!

There were a number of people who claimed to have been Confederate Veterans (or whose widows and other descendants claimed that they were Confederate Veterans) who, in my opinion, were not actual veterans. I have noted "service not verified" for most of these people and/or I have outright stated that, again, in my opinion, they were not Confederate veterans. I have based these conclusions purely and simply on the available historical evidence and not through any malice or attempt to assassinate the character of the various claimants. False claims would have mostly been made out of abject poverty, the desire to be seen as having been one of the "boys in gray," or, in the case of widows, ignorance of just what their husbands did (or, in this case, did not do) during the war. I have nothing but complete sympathy for those making these claims.

A number of men (mainly born in the 1848-1850 time frame, but also some older candidates) could have been Confederate soldiers, but, for a variety of reasons, I could not definitely say one way or the other. These men have been placed in an appendix titled "Possible Jefferson Davis County Confederate Veterans whose status as veterans has not yet been resolved." I hope that other researchers will take a perhaps better-equipped look at these men and their possible service to the South.

A small number of Confederate burials originally thought to be found in Jefferson Davis County, MS, turned out to be situated in other locales, mostly in MS. Most of these burials were originally thought to have taken place in Jefferson Davis County because the veteran or his widow filed a Confederate Pension application in Jefferson Davis County or other researchers assumed (for a variety of reasons) that a given soldier was buried in Jefferson Davis County when, in fact, they were buried elsewhere. Also, some veterans were buried in Jefferson Davis County, but county boundary lines have changed since their burials, so they are now buried in adjacent counties. These veterans' graves will hopefully be compiled in a separate research venture.

I have compiled here the "bare bones" of each soldier's service record. To learn more about what an individual soldier may have experienced during the war, compare the service record here with a soldier's unit's history, most of which can be found at www.mississippiscv.org under the "Research" tab at the bottom of the home page.

A few Yankee soldiers were found who are listed in an appendix entitled "Yankee Soldiers." I include them here simply because I had access to their records which some of their descendants may not have.

Finally, I hope that the public will take inspiration from the Southern Patriots listed here and find renewed pride in the service and sacrifice of these noble warriors of yore! Additional research, clarifications, and additions to the following research are strongly encouraged! -- Jim Huffman, Picayune, MS

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JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, CONFEDERATE VETERAN BURIALS:

Pvt. Isaac M. Applewhite (b. Carroll County, MS, 1833-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1912), Co. B ("Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 7, 1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 29. Medically discharged at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, on Oct. 3, 1862, specifically because of "chronic inflammation of the stomach and bowels." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Loflin-Applewhite Cemetery, 31.52060 -89.71860, located appr. 800 ft. SSE of the S terminus of Graves Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Robert Arren (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1829-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1903). His widow, S.F. Arren, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1919, but did not mention his unit. However, she did state that he served under Col. Benjamin D. Lay, who commanded the 20th (Lay's) Confederate (aka MS) Cavalry. No service records have been found for Robert Arren in this or any other MS CS unit. Said to be buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker, but no listing for him exists on the find-a-grave site for that cemetery. Grave site not found in any other MS cemetery.

Pvt. John B. Atwood (b. Covington County, MS, 1829-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1900), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Bethany Church, Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 33. June 30, 1862, company muster roll states "absent sick in hospital at Columbus [MS]." Discharged July 16, 1862 "by reason of an order from Genl. D.W. Adams, dated July 15, 1862, at Col., Miss." No reason for discharge stated. Should be considered an honorable discharge. No further records in his military file. Southern Patriot! His widow, Dilafore Atwood, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Covington County, MS, in 1909, in which she said that her husband was discharged medically because of "white swelling," from which family biographers say he suffered from age ten onwards. [Note: This condition eventually caused the amputation of one of his legs.] Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

1st Sgt. John Baker (b. Carson, MS, 1836-d. Carson, MS, between 1924 and 1927), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. B, 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted Jan. 19, 1862, at Pass Christian, Harrison County, MS, at age 25, bringing his own horse (valued at $175) into the service with him. Present or absent not stated on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Temporarily assigned as 3rd Corp. to the "Terrell Dragoons" of Stockdale's Battalion at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, May 1862. Stockdale's Battalion was enlarged to become the 4th MS Cavalry on Sept. 14, 1863. Present as 1st Sgt. on July 1, 1864, company muster roll. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of troops in the Western Theater on May 4, 1865, but it is unclear exactly where he surrendered, as he has two war's end paroles. He appears as a 2nd Sgt. on a roll of soldiers surrendered and paroled at Gainesville, AL, with the cavalry serving under famed Confederate Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest. Also appears on a roll of soldiers paroled at Jackson, Hinds County, MS, on May 12, 1865, while serving as a member of the "Provost Guard, Military Post, Jackson, Miss." It is more likely that he was paroled at Jackson, MS. Southern Patriot! Sgt. Baker filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1913, 1916, & 1924, in which he stated that he was never absent from his command. His widow, Mrs. John Baker, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1927. Buried in the Antioch Church Cemetery, 843 Granby Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with both a private marker and a Confederate marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. Noel C. Barwick [found as "N.C. Barwick" in the military records] (b. Darlington County, SC, 1798-d. Covington County, MS, 1875), Co. G ("Capt. John L. Hargrove's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry, in Covington County, MS. Enlisted Jan. 15, 1864, in Covington County, MS, at age 65 (if I have the right man). April 1864 company muster roll states "deserted Jan. 27, 1864, [at] Canton, Miss." No further records with this or any other MS or CS unit. Buried in the Barwick Cemetery, located appr. 150 feet E of a point on Henry Brown Road that is appr. 1000 feet S of that road's intersection with George Deen Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. William Crozier Barwick [found as "W.C. Barwick" in the military records] (b. Rankin County, MS, 1826-d. Covington County, MS, 1892), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted Sept. 8, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 35. Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "deserted 12th Nov. 1862." No further records in his military file. Buried in the Barwick Cemetery, located appr. 150 feet E of a point on Henry Brown Road that is appr. 1000 feet S of that road's intersection with George Deen Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Benjamin Franklin Bass, Jr. [found as "Franklin Bass" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1839-d. Covington County, MS, 1904), Co. C ("Capt. Wilkinson's Company," raised in various South MS Counties), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Either enlisted or conscripted on May 1, 1864, at Mount Carmel, Covington County, MS, at age 25. Present on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present as a "private, conscript" on June 1864 company muster roll. Appears on a "Roll of non-commissioned officers and privates employed on extra duty at Meridian, Miss., during the month of June 1864" as "clerk," with notation that he was being paid for service from June 1-30, 1864. Paid on Sept. 15, 1864, at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, for "commutation of Quarters [i.e., reimbursement for lodging] while detached with Maj. Jack Young, Quartermaster, Meridian, Miss., from 1 to 31 Aug. 1864." Absent on Oct. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick since 1 Oct. 1864 with leave from Capt. Wilkinson while on detached service." No further information in his military file, but no mention of AWOL or desertion. His widow, Dicy Ann Bass, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1908, in which she stated that he served in Co. E, 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), but he has no service records in that unit (although a number of probable Bass relatives did served in that unit). Buried in the Hathorn Cemetery, located on the E side of Hathorn Cemetery Road, appr. halfway between that road's intersection with Bass-Burkett Road and its intersection with Speights Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: I believe that Benjamin Franklin Bass is the "F. Bass" who, prior to his military service to the Confederacy, was paid $80 at Jackson, MS, on Sept. 30, 1862, for "services as Clerk in Commissary Dept." by Maj. Robert W. Keyworth, Commissary of Subsistence, C.S.A.]

Pvt. John Franklin Bass (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1846-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1916), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted May 8, 1864, at "Pritchett & Roads, Yazoo County, Miss.," at age 18. Absent on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." No futher information in his military file. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry. Pvt. Bass does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. Buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, 31.60470 -89.86670, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

4th Corp./5th Sgt./4th Sgt. Jonathan H. Bass (b. Covington County, MS, 1838-killed in action, 1864), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. B, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted as a 4th Corp. on Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, GA, at age 23. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. A difficult-to-read Regimental Return for July 1862 indicates that he was sent to hospital, suffering from disease. Present on the Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on the Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on the Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on the Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Appears as 5th Sgt. on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "reported in Parole Camp [on] Nov. 6, 1863." [Parole camps were Confederate military camps where soldiers continued to train until they were "exchanged" on paper for a like number of Yankee who had also been captured and paroled. Such soldiers could not perform any active military duty until they were exchanged on paper.] Present as 4th Sgt. on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Killed in action at the Battle of Kennesaw Mountain, GA, on June 27, 1864. No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! His widow, Margaret Jane Bass, filed Confederate Widows Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1913, 1916, & 1924 in which she verified the date and place of her husband's heroic death. Buried in the Bass Cemetery, located appr. 2200 feet due N of a point on Park Fortenberry Road that is appr. 2500 feet E of that road's intersection with State Hwy. 43, near Oakdale (Lawrence County, MS), but in Jeff Davis County, MS, with (reportedly) a private marker.

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Wiley Esau Bass (b. Lawrence County\*\*\*, MS, 1836-d. in service, Lawrence County, MS, 1862), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 26. June 30, 1862, company muster roll states "died at home, 19 June 1862." However, his widow's (Rebecca Ann Dees Bass) legal claim to any pay due her late husband states "died at Columbus [Lowndes County, MS] on the 19th day of June 1862 of disease in camp." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Said to be buried in the Bass Cemetery, 2 miles E of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, in an unmarked grave. [\*\*\*Note: Army papers state that he was born in Marion County, MS.] [Note: Some databases state that he served in Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry, but he has no service records in that command.]

Pvt./5th Sgt. William Thomas Jefferson Bass [found as "William T.J. Bass" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1839-d. Forrest County, MS, 1916), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 22. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "appointed on 14th May [1862 as] 5th Sergeant." Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "at home sick; furloughed by Brigade Surgeon [on] 1st Sept. 1862 for thirty days." On Dec. 2, 1862, the 6th Battalion was increased to a full regiment entitled the 46th MS Infantry, in which unit 5th Sgt. Bass served in Co. B (still the "Covington Rebels"). Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Absent as private on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Aug. 23, 1863." [Note: For a variety of reasons, mainly that no orders to reassemble had been issued, most soldiers captured at Vicksburg were AWOL for several months following the surrender of that city.] Returned to service and was captured during the Siege of Atlanta, GA, on Aug. 4 or 7, 1864. Forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison at Louisville, KY, and, finally, to horrific Camp Chase, OH, POW camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to render them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Chase on Sept. 3, 1864. Transferred "for exchange" from Camp Chase to Point Lookout, MD, on March 26, 1865, but was not exchanged. Appears on a list of POW's released from Point Lookout, MD, POW camp at war's end on June 7, 1865, after first taking the required Oath of Allegiance to the US, but appears on another "Roll of Sick Prisoners of War at Point Lookout, Md., released June 8, 1865, on taking the Oath of Allegiance to the United States." However, Pvt. Bass appears to have been so sick that he was admitted to U.S.A. General Hospital, Point Lookout, MD, on June 26, 1865, suffering from "typhoid fever," and not released from that facility until July 20, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the W.T. Bass Cemetery with a Confederate marker. Directions (from find-a-grave): "From the Hwy. 42 intersection west of Bassfield, travel south on Hwy. 35 for 3/4 of a mile, then turn right at the crossroad. Go. 1.6 miles and turn right onto another paved road. Proceed 0.1 miles to a gate on the right, just prior to a barn. From the gate, walk 20-30 paces to a huge oak tree, under which lies the cemetery."

Pvt. Benjamin Franklin Bennett (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1839-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1913), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 22. Absent on June 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "sick and sent to rear from Corinth [Tishomingo County, MS], by order of the Surgeon, 29th May 1862." Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [on] Nov. 6 [1862]." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave [since] Aug. 23rd [1863]." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. June 30, 1864, company muster roll states "absent without leave." On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Bennett does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. No further information in his military file with these units. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./4th Corp. Abner Wilkes Berry (b. Simpson County, MS, 1842-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1929), Co. A ("Simpson Greys," raised in Simpson County, MS), 39th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 5, 1861, at Westville, Simpson County, MS, at age 19. Present on Dec. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the 48-day Siege of Port Hudson, LA, on July 9, 1863. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "not reported [to parole camps] since paroled and, by order of Gen. [Leonidas] Polk [declared] a deserter." [Parole camps were Confederate military camps where soldiers continued to train until they were "exchanged" on paper for a like number of Yankee who had also been captured and paroled. Such soldiers could not perform any active military duty until they were exchanged on paper.] Present as 4th Corp. on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from Sept. 15, 1863, to May 20, 1864; appointed Corporal Aug. 1, 1864." Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of CS forces in the mid-Confederacy (i.e., the "Western Theater") at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Jackson, MS, on May 20, 1865. Parole has notation "Residence: Simpson County, MS." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Berry Cemetery, located at 31.75920 -89.88500, or at a point appr. 2600 ft. W of a point on Sonat Road that lies appr. 2600 ft. W of that road's intersection with both MS Hwy. 13 and Henry Thurman Road, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he is buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, but this is not the case.] [Note: Some databases state that he was a soldier in Co. A ("Tishomingo Avengers," aka "Tishomingo Rifles," raised in Tishomingo County, MS), 32nd MS Infantry, but this assertion is in error.]

Pvt. Richard Lafayette Berry (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1848-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1912), Co. A ("Lee's Company," raised in Rankin County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted (along with brother, Stephen Hitchcock Lemly Berry) on Aug. 30, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 16. Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll states "absent, sick, since Sept. 10th 1864." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Micajah C. Blackwell [found as "M. Blackwell" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1827-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1913), Co. C ("Capt. Robert D. Lanier's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted Sept. 13, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 37. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "recruit." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Ward Cemetery, 31.53690 -89.83220, located appr. 1000 ft. due W of a point on Hayes-Gray Road that lies appr. 6000 ft. S of that road's intersection with S.J. Garner Road, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. William Blount [found as "William Blunt" in the military records] (b. Posey County, IN, 1817-d. Covington County, MS, 1900), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted July 18, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 44. Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged Aug. 12th 1862." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Blount Cemetery, located on the east side of North Carson Road, appr. 1 mile S of the intersection of North Carson Road and East St. Stephens Road, Carson, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William E. Blount (b. Covington County, MS, 1843-d. Covington County, MS, 1887), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. B, 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 18. Originally enlisted into Co. A ("Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS) of Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, but was shortly thereafter transferred to Co. A ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), which became Co. B, Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Present or absent not stated on May 27, l862, company muster roll. The battalion was enlarged in Sept. 1863 to become the 4th MS Cavalry. Present on July 1, 1864, company muster roll. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Covington County, MS." Southern Patriot! His widow, Susan Blount, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916. Buried in the Blount (aka, Laird) Cemetery, located on the east side of North Carson Road, appr. 1 mile S of the intersection of North Carson Road and East St. Stephens Road, Carson, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases and some genealogies state that Pvt. Blount served in the 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's), but the William Blount in that unit was William E. Blount's father, also named William Blount.]

Pvt. Lawson Boothe (b. Covington County, MS, 1848-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1914), Co. C ("Capt. Robert D. Lanier's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted Sept. 1, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 16. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, 31.68610 -89.85330, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of that road with Sugar Ridge Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Henry Houston Bourn (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1848-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1932) filed a Confederate Pension application in Marion County, MS, in 1922, in which he stated that he enlisted in the spring of 1863 into Co. B, 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), and served under "Capt. Wallace," but there was no "Capt. Wallace" in the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Additionally, had Bourn enlisted when he said he did, there would be surviving service records for him. There are no service records for H.H. Bourn (or variant spellings) in the 38th MS Infantry. When his kinsman, John Bourn [prob. his son, John Edward Bourn], applied for a Confederate headstone from the VA for him, that kinsman stated that Bourn had served -- not in the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted) -- but in Co. F ("Marion's Men," raised in Marion County, MS) of the 7th MS Infantry, but, again, there are no service records for Bourn in the 7th MS Infantry. When the marker was ordered the VA, too, could not verify Bourn's service, so they asked the Chancery Clerk in Marion County, MS, to verify that Bourn had received a Confederate pension, which he had because local pension applications were typically rubberstamped, as local pension board did not have access to Confederate military records. I do not believe that Henry Houston Bourn was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt./4th Corp. James E. Bourn (b. Heard County, GA, 1814-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1890), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Aug. 8, 1862, at age 48. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 4th Corp. on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "appointed 4th Corporal [on] Feb. 3rd, 1863." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Bourne Cemetery, located on the SW side of Bournham Road, appr. 500 ft. SE of that road's intersection with Joe Griffith Road and Mapp Turner Road, Oakvale, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William Rite Bourn/Bourne (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1843-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1916), Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Enlisted April 10, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 17. Present on July 29, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "absent, sent to Hospital at Hazlehurst, Miss." Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "present, sick." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. July 25, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave since 16 July 1863." Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted July 16, 1863." Jan. 5, 1864, company muster roll states "absent, deserted July 16th [1863 and] returned Nov. 27th [1863]; in arrest." No further information in his military file. Pvt. Bourn filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1915, in which he stated that, at war's end, he was absent from his command (and had been absent for two months) because he was on "detail duty...guarding Government stores," an assertion which is not borne out by his actual service record. His widow, Martha Bourn, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1921. Buried in the Bourne Cemetery, located on the SW side of Bournham Road, appr. 500 ft. SE of that road's intersection with Joe Griffith Road and Mapp Turner Road, Oakvale, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but such a marker is not depicted on his find-a-grave page.]

Pvt. James Aaron Boyanton (b. prob. Early County, GA, 1833-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1888), Co. A ("Simpson Greys," raised in Simpson County, MS), 39th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 5, 1862, at Westville, Simpson County, MS, at age 28. Present on Dec. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 48-day Siege of Port Hudson, LA, on July 9, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "not yet reported to [parole] camps." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "not reported since paroled &, by order Gen. Polk, a deserter." Absent on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Sept. 15, 1863." No further information in his military file with this command. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. James Bozeman (b. prob. GA, 1806-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1896), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd (Quinn's) MS Infantry (Minute Men) (State Troops). Enlisted Aug. 8, 1862, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at appr. age 56. Absent on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave; has not reported in Camp." Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "over age and never in camp and discharged by S.H. Brown." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: I could find no reliable genealogy for this man, so I am only postulating that I have the correct service record for him, though I believe him to the the soldier in question.]

Pvt. John A. Bozeman (b. prob. Lawrence County, MS, 1841-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1918), Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Enlisted April 10, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 20 (though military records say age 24). Present on July 27, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "left sick at Camp Beauregard [Graves County, KY]." "Absent sick" on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll, which states "wounded at [the Battle of] Baton Rouge [LA] on the 5 Aug. 1862." Appears on an Aug. 10, 1862, "Report of the killed, wounded, and missing in the 1st Division, in the action at Baton Rouge, La., [on] Aug. 5, 1862," with notation that Pvt. Bozeman was "wounded slightly"; reported dated "Camp on Comite River [prob. somewhere between Baton Rouge and Clinton, LA]." "Absent sick" on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present for pay on Feb. 10, 1863. July 25, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave since July 16, 1863." Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted 16 July 1863." Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "deserted 15th July [1863]; rejoined Oct. 17, 1863; absent 3 months & 2 days." Present on Jan. 5, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this unit. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 22nd MS Infantry, the 1st MS Infantry, the 33rd MS Infantry, and the 1st Battalion MS Infantry were consolidated to form the 22nd Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Bozeman does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. Pvt. Bozeman filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1914 & 1916, in which he claimed to have served until the last month of the war, when he was absent "wounded" -- both of which assertions are not borne out by his actual service record. His widow, Cady Bozeman, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1918. Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, 31.62000 -89.94110, entry road for cemetery located on the N side of Oak Grove Road, at a point that lies appr. 1000 ft. E of that road's intersection with McCormick Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but it is not shown on his find-a-grave page.]

Pvt. Pickens Braddy/Brady (b. Covington County, MS, 1846-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1938), Co. B ("Capt. Barnes' Company," raised in Covington & Simpson Counties, MS), Yerger's MS Cavalry. Was a late-war enlistee, as no enlistment date/data exist for him. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of CS forces in the mid-Confederacy (i.e., the "Western Theater") at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Jackson, MS, on May 17, 1865. Parole has notation "Residence: Covington County, MS." Southern Patriot! Pvt. Brady filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1922 & 1924, in which he stated (1922) that he enlisted in June 1863 into Co. B ("Capt. Eaton's Company"), Stubbs' Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops), but he has no records with that unit. However, Stubbs' and Yerger's units had a close relationship during the war, so Pvt. Brady's confusion is understandable. In fact, when Pvt. Brady named his company's officers, men with similar names are found to be officers in both Capt. Eaton's Company and Capt. Barnes' Company! Pvt. Brady also stated (1924) that he enlisted in the spring of 1864. Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Brady has a Confederate marker, but this is not depicted on his find-a-grave page.] [Note: At one time, the Sons of Confederate Veterans had a camp in Brookhaven, Lincoln County, MS, named the Pickens Brady Camp, in honor of Pvt. Brady!]

Pvt. Matthew Moran Branton (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1838-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, after 1920 [when he appears on the US Federal Census, till living with his wife]), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted into State service at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Aug. 3, 1861, at age 23, but would have enlisted into the company proper locally several weeks earlier. Present on Oct. 5, 1861, company muster roll. Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll states "absent, received furlough from October 8th to 15th [1861]." Wounded at 6 AM and 8 AM in the side and arm at the horrific Battle of Shiloh, TN, on April 6/7, 1862. June 1862 company muster roll states "absent, sick at Hazlehurst [Copiah County, MS] Hospital [since] April 27th [1862] by order Post Surgeon." June 1862 Regimental Return, however, states "absent sick since May 27, 1862, [at] Hazlehurst Hospital, [on] Surgeon's Certificate." [Note: "absent sick" may actually mean "absent wounded" in this case.] Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "absent, sent to Chattanooga [TN] Hospital Sept. 1, 1862, by order of Surgeon." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Captured in the Battle of Lookout Mountain, Chattanooga, TN, on Nov. 24, 1863, and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then Military Prison at Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious Rock Island, IL, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's so as to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on Dec. 3, 1863. Released from Rock Island, IL, POW Camp at war's end, on June 19, 1865, after first taking the required Oath of Allegiance to the U.S. Place of residence given on parole as Monticello, Lawrence County, MS. Parole paper also states that he was 6' 1/2" tall and had hazel eyes. Southern Patriot! Pvt. Branton filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1911 & 1916. His widow, Rose Ann Branton, filed Confederate Widows Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1921 & 1924. Buried in the Branton Cemetery, located NNE of Oakvale, at the intersection of Basket Booth Road and Hammond Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undertermined. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker.]

Pvt. John R. Bridges (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1836-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1892), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 21. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "detailed to report to Col. Weatherspoon's [i.e., Col. William W. Witherspoon] Headquarters." Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, which states "absent without leave [from] Aug. 23, 1863, to May 25, 1864." No further information in his military file with this unit. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Bridges does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. His widow, Sallie Bridges, received a Confederate Widow's Pension in Lawrence County, MS, in 1894 and filed Confederate Widows Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916 & 1924. In those applications, she stated that her husband served until the end of the war until discharged at Vicksburg, MS, in 1865, but Pvt. Bridges was paroled [not discharged] at Vicksburg in 1863, with the war not ending until 1865. She also stated that Pvt. Bridges' served in "Co. I," then named his commanding officers, but the officers she named were in the 7th MS Infantry, in which unit Pvt. Bridges did not serve. Buried in the Bridges Cemetery, located at 31.68280 -89.84060, or about 1800 ft. due N of a point on Jackson Brigdes Road that lies appr. 1300 ft. E of that road's intersection with Mt. Zion Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but, if so, it is not depicted on his find-a-grave page.] [Note: In spite of his widow's statements and his being listed as such in some databases, Pvt. Bridges did not serve in Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry.]

Pvt. Adam W. Brinson (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1832-d. Jeff Davis County, MS,

1910), Co. B ("Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's

Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. A, 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 14,

1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 30. Present or absent not

stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll. On Sept. 14, 1863, Stockdale's

Battalion MS Cavalry was expanded to become the 4th MS Cavalry. Pvt. Brinson

served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS) of this

expanded unit. Present on July 1, 1864, company muster roll. Served till war's

end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central

South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed

Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL,

on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Lawrence County, MS."

Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mount Zion Methodist Church Cemetery,

31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the

intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County,

MS, with a private marker.

1st Lt. Charles Slater Brinson (b. GA, 1820-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1886), Co.

A, 2nd (Quinn's) MS Infantry (Minute Men) (State Troops). Enlisted June 9, 1862,

at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 42. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company

muster roll. Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll states "absent [on] sick furlough from

Aug. 10 to Sept. 8 [1862]." Present on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with

notation "on detached service from Nov. 25 to Dec. 28, 1862." No further information

in his military file with this short-term command. However, he also served as 1st Lt. in

the "Pearl River Guards," a Lawrence County company of Home Guards/Minute Men.

Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mount Zion Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.63140

-89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of

Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private

marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. James M. Bryant (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1847-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1933) filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1923 & 1924 in which he claimed to have enlisted in the fall of 1864 into the 3rd (Wingfield's) LA Cavalry, but he has no service records in that command. He also stated that he enlisted in Pike County, MS, into Co. H ("Capt. Conerly's Company," raised in Pike County, MS), 2nd (Quinn's) MS Infantry, but, again, he has no service records in that unit. I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Capt./Major Burton S. Buckley (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1821-d. Marion County, MS, 1888), Co. A and Field & Staff, Marion County Militia, CSA. No records found for this local command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Edward Bartlett Buckley (b. Burke County, GA, 1819-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1878), "Capt. Francis Marion Little's Company" (raised in Copiah County, MS), 3rd (Peyton's/Cooper's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted April 5, 1864, at Bahala, Copiah County, MS, at age 45. An undated company muster roll states "since enrolled, has been discharged by [Medical] Board of Examiners at Brookhaven [Lawrence County], Miss." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Burkett Cemetery, 31.51470 -89.89940, located appr. 800 ft. W of a point on South Lily Rose Road that is appr. 700 ft. S of that road's intersection with Mapp Turner Road, with a Confederate marker, as one was ordered for him by C.C. Buckley [Cornelius C. Buckley?] in 1930.

Pvt./3rd Sgt. John Albin Buckley (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1827-d. Marion County, MS, 1891), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted as 3rd Sgt. on April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 34. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present as private on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital at Saltillo [Lee County, MS, on] Sept. 5 [1862]." Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "deserted Sept. 9 [1862]." Present or absent not stated on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "dropped from the Roll improperly; taken up [i.e.,, restored to the roll] by order." Dec. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted Sept. 1862." Returned to service, however, and is shown as absent on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave Sept. 3, 1862, to May 20, 1864." No further information in his military file with this unit. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Buckley does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. No further information in his military file. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Henry Hamel Bullock (b. Covington County, MS, 1843-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1929), Co. F ("Covington Fencibles," raised in Covington County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 10, 1861, in Covington County, MS, at age 18. Present on Oct. 14, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Nov. 5, 1861, company muster roll. Present on July 1, 1862, company muster roll. Wounded at the Battle of Perryville, Boyle County, KY on Oct. 8, 1862. Nov. 1, 1862, company muster roll states "absent, wounded in battle, Oct. 8, 1862." Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "absent, wounded in Battle of Perryfille, 8 Oct. [1862] & left at Harrodsburg, Ky., by order of Surgeon." Captured Oct. 11, 1862, by the Yankees at Harrodsburg, KY, and forwarded to Lexington, KY. Forwarded from Lexington, KY, to Louisville, KY, on Nov. 29, 1862 [and mis-identified in the records of this transfer as "Pvt. H.H. Bullock, Co. F, 29th MS Infantry."] Forwarded for exchange to Vicksburg, MS, via Cairo, IL, on Dec. 5, 1862, on the Steamboat Madision. Physically exchanged at Vicksburg, MS, on Dec. 22, 1862. Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "wounded in [the] Battle [of] Perryville [KY], [now] at home in Miss., [but his] Furlough [has] expired." Present on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as teamster by order of Col. Seales, 2 April 1863," with rate of extra pay being 25 cents per day. Ditto on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. On detail as teamster for the month of Sept. 1863. On detail as teamster for the month of Dec. 1863. Present and detailed as teamster on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. On detail as teamster "in the field driving Ordnance wagon" for the month of March 1864. Detailed as teamster for the month of April 1864 "at camp near Dalton, Ga." Detailed as teamster for Walthall's Brigade for the month of May 1864. Detailed as teamster for Walthall's Brigade for the month of June 1864. No further information in his military file with this unit. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 27th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 24th MS Infantry, the 29th MS Infantry, the 30th MS Infantry, & the 34th MS Infantry to form the 24th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Bullock does not have a war's-end parole with this unit. Pvt. Bullock filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1913, 1916, & 1924 in which he stated that he was home on furlough "for ten days" when his regiment surrendered "at Meridian [MS]," but his regiment actually surrendered in NC and had left for NC in late Feb. 1865. Buried in the Double Churches Cemetery (aka, Victory Cemetery), North Williamsburg Road, appr. 2000 feet N of the intersection of North Williamsburg Road and Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Conscript/Pvt. Joseph R. Bullock [found as "J.R. Bullock" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1827-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1870). No conscription (i.e., "draft") date/data, so he must have been conscripted very late in the war. Probably conscripted in late 1864 or early 1865, so he would have been appr. 37/38 years old when conscripted. Known only from his war's-end parole. Surrendered at the general surrender of CS forces in the mid-Confederacy (i.e., the "Western Theater") at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Jackson, MS, on May 14, 1865. Notation on paroled states "residence: Lawrence County, Miss." No further information in his military file. Buried in the McPhail Cemetery (aka, Bullock Cemetery), 31.57190 -89.79140, located on the S side of East St. Stephens Road at a point on that road appr. 250 ft. N of that road's intersection with North Carson Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. Andrew Jackson Burkett (b. Marion County, MS, 1818-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1878), Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Enlisted April 27, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 42 (if I have the right man). Appears to have been rejected for service by the enrolling/inspecting officer. No further information in his military file with this unit. However, Pvt. Burkett was not to be dissuaded from serving his new nation, and he enlisted a second time, again as a private, into Co. A, 2nd (Quinn's) MS Infantry (Minute Men) (State Troops). Enlisted Jan. 8, 1863, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 44 (if I have the right man). Present on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. As a private citizen, between enlistments, A.J. Burkett sold supplies to the Confederacy. On Nov. 20, 1863, he received payment at Columbia, Marion County, MS, for various foodstuffs, including bacon, corn meal, rice, as well as fodder for livestock, "for the use of prisoners and guard sent from Columbia [Marion County, MS] to Brandon [Rankin County, MS]" under orders of "Maj. John B. Cage, commanding Volunteer and Conscript Rendezvous at Columbia...said provisions and forage being necessary for their subsistence, and it being impossible for them to draw regular rations." However, again, Pvt. Burkett felt his patriotism stirred and he enlisted a third time, this time as 5th Sgt., into Co. E ("Capt. John Gillis' Company," raised in Perry and other counties in MS), 3rd Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. He would have been 45 or 46 years old (if I have the right man). No enlistment date/data, so he would have been a late-war enlistee. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of CS forces in the mid-Confederacy (i.e., the "Western Theater") at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Columbus, MS, on May 16, 1865. Parole has notation "Residence: Lawrence County, MS." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Burkett Cemetery, 31.53890 -89.89360, located 1000 ft. due W of a point on State Hwy. 13 that is appr. 3500 ft. S of that highway's intersection with South Pleasant Hill Road, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Francis Marion Burkett (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1827-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1893), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 34. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "absent, sent to rear from Baldwin [i.e., Baldwyn, Lee County, MS], Sept. 24 [1862]." Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "absent, sent to Hospital [on] Sept. 24 [1862]." Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "absent without leave [since] Feb. 18 [1863]." Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave [since] Feb. 18 [1863]." Dec. 1863 company muster roll states "absent without leave [since] Feb. 18, 1863." However, he returned to service, as he is present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave [from] Feb. 18, 1863, to Jan. 26, 1864." No further information in his military file with this unit. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Burkett does not have a war's-end parole or any other records with this consolidated unit. Buried in the Burkett Cemetery, 31.51470 -89.89940, located appr. 800 ft. W of a point on South Lily Rose Road that is appr. 700 ft. S of that road's intersection with Mapp Turner Road, with marker type (if any) undetermined, but reportedly with a private marker.

Pvt. John William Burkett (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1836-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1904), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted into State service at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Aug. 3, 1861, at age 25, but would have enlisted into the company proper locally several weeks earlier. Present or absent not stated on Oct. 5, 1861, company muster roll. Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll states "absent, received furlough from Oct. 24th [1861] to Oct. 31 [1861]." June 1862 company muster roll states "transferred to Capt. West's Sharp Shooters, June 23 [1862] by order Col. Bishop." June 1862 Regimental Return states "transferred to Battalion Sharp Shooters, June 23, 1862, Tupelo [Lee County, MS]." This new company would have been Co. A ("Capt. O.F. West's Company," formed with men from several units and counties), 9th (Chalmers') Battalion MS Sharpshooters, aka 8th Battalion MS Infantry. [Note: The name "8th Battalion MS Infantry" was only occasionally used for this unit; it should not be confused with the 8th Battalion MS Infantry that was formed at war's end in NC and which consisted of the 5th MS Infantry, the 8th MS Infantry, the 22nd MS Infantry, and the 3rd Battalion MS Infantry.] Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "absent, sick, sent to Ringgold, Ga., Hospital, Nov. 21st 1862." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. April 1863 company muster roll states "absent, sent to Hospital, April 26, 1863, by order of Surgeon." Paid at an undisclosed location for two months' service on May 5, 1863. Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserter, dropped from the Roll the 27th day of August 1863." No further information in his military file with this unit. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Burkett does not have a war's-end parole or any other records with this consolidated unit. Buried in the Burkett Cemetery, 31.54360 -89.91440, located appr. 100 ft. W of a point on Burkett Road that lies appr. 2500 ft. S of that road's intersection with Burkett Cutoff Road, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Alfred Burrow [also found in the military records as "Burrows" and "Borrow"] (b. Lawrence or Marion County, MS, 1841-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1918), Co. D ("Jeff Davis Sharpshooters," raised in Marion County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted May 4, 1861, at Columbia, Marion County, MS, at age 18 (according to military papers). Present or absent not stated on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged at Tupelo [Lee County, MS], July 2 [1862, on] order [from] Gen. [Braxton] Bragg." Enlisted a second time, again as private, on Jan. 12, 1863, at Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS, into Co. I ("Southern Rights," raised in Newton County, MS), 46th MS Infantry. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "recruit from Conscription [Bureau], Brookhaven [Lawrence County, MS], Jan. 12, 1863." [Note: It is unclear from this statement whether Pvt. Burrow was conscripted (i.e., drafted) or whether he volunteered at the Conscription Bureau.] Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, signing his parole as "A. Burow" (sic), and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll states "returned from parole to duty Oct. 25, 1863." Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "company deserted on the approach of the enemy at Meridian [Lauderdale County, MS]." [Note: This would have been during Sherman's Meridian Campaign of Feb. 1864, when Southern forces were (as usual) drastically outnumbered. Since the Feb. 1864 company muster roll was taken after Sherman's Meridian Campaign, Pvt. Burrow had returned to service from "desertion."] Admitted to Ocmulgee Hospital, Macon, GA, on June 22, 1864, suffering from "chronic bronchitis," with notation that his residence was Marion County, MS. No further information in his military file. Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but this is not depicted on his find-a-grave page.]

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Servant Arthur Butler filed Confederate Servants Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1923 & 1924, in which he claimed to have been a servant to "Bill Butler," aka "W.H. Butler" from ca. Sept. 1864 to ca. Feb. 1865 (though he claimed on one pension that he served from 1862 to 1865). Both pensions were allowed. "W.H. Butler" turns out to be Pvt. William Hansford Butler, Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry, who served with distinction throughout the war. Unfortunately, this loyal servant's grave site has not been found.

3rd Lt. Matthew Houston Carlisle (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1820-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1876), Co. G ("Marion Grays," raised in Marion County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted July 21, 1862, at Columbia, Marion County, MS, at age 41. Present on Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term command. However, Sgt. Carlisle was not done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time as a private, very late in the war into Co. C ("Plains Store Rangers," raised in East Baton Rouge Parish, LA), Ogden's LA Cavalry. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Marion County, Miss." Southern Patriot! His widow, Eliza Jane Carlisle, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Marion County, MS, in 1902, which confirms that he served in Ogden's LA Cavalry. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./3rd Corp. Thomas Leonidas\*\*\* Hemphill Carraway (b. GA, 1822-d. Covington County, MS, 1880), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted as 3rd Corp. on Jan. 19, 1862, at Pass Christian, Harrison County, MS, at age 39, bringing his own horse into service with him. Present on Feb. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll, where he appears as a private in Capt. V.L. Terrell's Unattached Company (aka "Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS), which was part of Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. No further records in Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became the 4th MS Cavalry on Sept. 14, 1863. No records in the 4th MS Cavalry. It may be that Pvt./Corp. Carraway was rejected for service on medical grounds when Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry was re-organizing at Camp Moore in May 1862. As a private citizen, T.L.H. Carraway sold 39 pounds of wool to Confederate authorities at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, on July 23, 1864. However, Pvt. Carraway was not done serving his new country militarily, as we find him as a private as member of Battery G (aka, "Cowan's Battery," raised in Warren County, MS), 1st MS Light Artillery, with records only from war's end. Captured at Fort Blakely, AL, on April 9, 1865, and forwarded as a POW to Ship Island, MS, arriving there on April 15, 1865. Shipped to Vicksburg, MS, via New Orleans, LA, for exchange beginning on May 1, 1865. Exchanged at Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS, on May 6, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Loflin-Applewhite Cemetery, 31.52060 -89.71860, located appr. 800 ft. SSE of the S terminus of Graves Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [\*\*\*Name given as Thomas Luther Carraway on find-a-grave is incorrect, according to family genealogies.]

Pvt. William Fletcher Carraway [misfiled under "William M. Carraway" in the military records] (b. prob. Covington County, MS, 1846-d. Warren County, MS, 1904), Co. G ("Capt. Hargrove's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry. Enlisted Sept. 26, 1863, in Covington County, MS, at age 17. Absent on Feb. 2, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. His widow, Elizabeth Carraway, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1919, but mistakenly identified her husband's command as Co. G, "12 Regt." [He never served in the 12th MS Infantry.] Buried in the Loflin-Applewhite Cemetery, 31.52060 -89.71860, located appr. 700 ft. SSE of the southern terminus of Graves Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Clinton R. Carter (b. Covington County, MS, 1837-d. in service, Marion County, MS, 1862), Co. B, 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at appr. age 25. April 30, 1862, company muster roll states "[died] at home, March 11, 1862" (the same day and place that his brother, Pvt. Nathan Harmon Carter, of the same company, died). [Pvt. Jacob W. Carter, same company, also died in service, dying of disease while in the hands of the enemy at New Orleans, LA, following his capture in hospital at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS. A fourth brother, Pvt. Calvin Paul Ebenezer Carter, Co. I, 7th MS Infantry, was killed in the Battle of Ezra Church, near Atlanta, GA. What an heroic and patriotic family!] No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Carter Cemetery, 31.45750 -89.78440, located appr. 250 ft. S of a point on Speights Road that is appr. 1500 ft. W of that road's intersection with Mill Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: While his tombstone states that Pvt. Carter served in Co. B, 46th MS Infantry, that unit was earlier the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry and was not expanded into a full regiment until after Pvt. Carter's death, so, technically, he never served in the 46th MS Infantry.]

Pvt./3rd Sgt. Jacob W. Carter (b. Marion County, MS, 1820-d. in service, Orleans Parish, LA, 1863), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became the 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 41 or 42. Present as 3rd Sgt. on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present as private on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. At some unspecified point in time, while stationed at Vicksburg, MS, Pvt. Carter seems to have received a furlough to Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, and back, for which he was owed for transportation [this, according to a vague statement on his Final Statement (i.e., discharge papers)]. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Appears on a "List of sick and wounded" Confederate soldiers in "Hospital No. 1, Vicksburg, Miss." Surrendered and paroled "in the hospitals of Gen. Smith's Division, C.S.A.," at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. [Note: On some of his Vicksburg and POW papers, Pvt. Carter is shown as being a member of Co. D ("Rankin Farmers," raised in Rankin County, MS), 46th MS Infantry, but this is a transcription error; he was never a member of that company.] Confederate POW's too sick or wounded to march out of Vicksburg once paroled were sent by ship to Mobile, AL, via New Orleans, LA. Pvt. Carter died either en route to New Orleans, LA, or actually died there on July 24, 1863, of "disease unknown." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Stephen Wilkes Cemetery, 31.437888 -89.747736, located on the E side of South Williamsburg Road, about 2000 ft. N of that road's intersection with Cavanaugh Road and F. McNeese Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Nathan Harmon Carter (b. Marion County, MS, 1829-d. in service, Marion County, MS, 1862), Co. B, 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at appr. age 33. April 30, 1862, company muster roll states "died at home, March 11, 1862" (the same day and place that his brother, Pvt. Clinton R. Carter, of the same company, died). [Pvt. Jacob W. Carter, same company, also died in service, dying of disease while in the hands of the enemy at New Orleans, LA, following his capture in hospital at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS. A fourth brother, Pvt. Calvin Paul Ebenezer Carter, Co. I, 7th MS Infantry, was killed in the Battle of Ezra Church, near Atlanta, GA. What an heroic and patriotic family!] No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Carter Cemetery, 31.45750 -89.78440, located appr. 250 ft. S of a point on Speights Road that is appr. 1500 ft. W of that road's intersection with Mill Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: While his tombstone states that Pvt. Carter served in Co. B, 46th MS Infantry, that unit was earlier the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry and was not expanded into a full regiment until after Pvt. Carter's death, so, technically, he never served in the 46th MS Infantry.]

Pvt. James Henry Cavanaugh (b. Ireland, 1830-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1915), Co. K ("Brent Rifles," raised in Pike County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 26, 1862, at Holmesville, Pike County, MS, at age 32. Present on June 30, l862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on extra duty at Brigade Headquarters as Carpenter." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed at Brigade Headquarters as Carpenter." Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "on extra duty." ["Extra duty" not specified.] No further records in his military file with this unit. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were consolidated into the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry. Pvt. Cavanaugh does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. Buried in the St. James Catholic Church Cemetery, located at the intersection of Catholic Cemetery Road and Terrell Loop, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. John Rowan Chain (b. Covington County, MS, 1848-d. Jeff Davis County, 1928) filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1919, in which he stated that he served in Co. C ("Capt. N.B. Barnes' Company," raised in Covington County, MS), Stubbs' Battalion MS Cavalry, but he has no service records in that unit or any other MS, LA, or CS command. Said to be buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, but he has no entry on find-a-grave.

Pvt./1st Sgt. George Washington Clough (b. Kennebec County, Maine-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1915), Co. E ("Orleans Cadet Company B," raised in Orleans Parish, LA), 5th LA Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 21, 1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 21 or 22. Admitted June 20, 1862, to Chimborazo Hospital, Richmond, VA, suffering from diarrhea, and tranferred on June 29, 1862, to CSA General Hospital, Danville, VA, suffering from erysipelas; returned to duty on Aug. 13, 1862. Absent on Aug. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in hospital at Richmond, Va." Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sick in Richmond [VA]." Arrested for desertion and returned to Richmond, VA, on Oct. 4, 1862. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Served as a carpenter in Hays' LA Brigade during Dec. 1863. Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 27 February 1864." April 1864 company muster roll states "absent without leave." Ditto on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. However, a Feb. 13, 1865, "Record" of the 5th LA Infantry clarifies that Pvt. Clough "joined Cavalry of his own accord," and, thus, was not a deserter and was not AWOL. A later recapitulation of his service in the 5th LA Infantry shows that he was absent on furlough during May 1864. Pvt. Clough enlisted that second time into Co. D ("Capt. Bridges' Company," raised in Adams & Pike Counties, MS), Powers' MS Cavalry [actually a mixed MS/LA unit). Enlisted sometime after May 1864. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: New Orleans, La." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: Some databases state that G.W. Clough served in the 28th MS Cavalry, but that man was George H. Clough of Williamson County, TN. On the original application for G.W. Clough's headstone, the descendant ordering same also mis-stated his service as having been in the 28th MS Cavalry, but, again, this is in error. G.H. Clough deserted the 28th MS Cavalry on Feb. 24, 1865, and signed an Oath of Allegiance to the US at Nashville, TN, on March 1, 1865, while G.W. Clough was still inactive service with Powers' MS Cavalry.]

Pvt. Armstrong Brockman Cole [also found in some family genealogies as "Armstrong B.C. Cole"] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1823-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1902), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on July 28, 1862, at appr. age 39. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave since Dec. 10th 1862." No further information in his military file with this very short-term unit. Buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a broken private marker.

Pvt. Thomas Washington Cole (b. NC, 1825-d. Simpson County, MS, 1914), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted July 18, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 36. Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged July 31, 1862," probably because of poor health on orders of the enrolling/inspecting officer. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Cole Cemetery, 31.75330 -89.81330, located appr. 1200 ft. E of a point on Mt. Olive Road that lies appr. 2500 ft. S of that road's intersection with Keys Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private, communal Cole family marker.

Pvt. Lawrence Martin Cooper, Sr. (b. St. Tammany Parish, LA, 1832-d. Marion County, MS, 1928), Co. E ("Capt. Charles W. Gallagher's Company," raised in St. Tammany Parish, LA), Miles' LA Legion (aka, 32nd LA Infantry). Enlisted April 14, 1862, at Covington, St. Tammany Parish, LA, at age 30. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Discharged for disability at Port Hudson, LA, on March 17, 1863. No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! Pvt. Cooper filed Confederate Pension applications in Marion County, MS, in 1911, 1913, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1922, 1924, & 1926, in which he stated that his discharge was based on several physical ailments, including "sciatic rheumatism, carises tiber of the left leg bone, cancer, and carriedo of the left tibia." Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Robert Farr Corbin (b. Franklin County, MS, 1836-d. Franklin County, MS,

1909), Camp Guard, Camp of Instruction for Conscripts (i.e., draftees),

Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS. Enlisted Jan. 12, 1863, at Brookhaven,

Lawrence County, MS, at age 27. Present on March 1, 1863, company muster roll.

Enlisted a second time, again as a private, into Co. B ("Harrington's Company,"

later, "Capt. Weathersby's Company," raised in Franklin County, MS), 14th

Confederate Cavalry (organized Sept. 1863). Enlisted Nov. 11, 1863, at

Meadville, Franklin County, MS, at age 27. June 30, 1864, company muster roll

states "absent, sick." Near war's end, the 3rd MS Cavalry, the 14th Confederate

Cavalry, and the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted) were consolidated as the 38th, 14th,

and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry. Pvt. Corbin served as a private in Co. C of this

consolidated command. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general

surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4,

1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford

Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole

states "Residence: Franklin County, MS." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mount

Carmel Cemetery, 31.64470 -89.79360, appr. 100 ft. due N of a point on US Hwy.

84 that is appr. 1200 ft. W of the end of the on-ramp onto that highway from Clem

Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt./2nd Sgt. John J. Coulter, Jr. (b. Covington County, MS, 1845-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1921), Co. G ("Hargrove's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry. Enlisted as 2nd Sgt. on Sept. 26, 1863, in Covington County, MS, at age 18. Present on Feb. 2, 1864, company muster roll. Absent on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "on detached service." Aug. 1864 company muster roll states that now Pvt. Coulter "deserted April 6, 1864, [at] Canton [Madison County], Miss." No further information in his military file. [Note: Some databases state that he served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry, but he has no service records in that command.] His widow, Nancy Jane Coulter, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County in 1921. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

VERY TENTATIVE. Pvt. Wiley Coulter [found as "Williams Coulter" and "William Coulter" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1828-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1906), Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted Sept. 2, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 34. Present on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! His widow, Susie Coulter Hill, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1921, in which she did not state her husband's unit, but stated that he enlisted at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, in 1863. Buried in the Double Churches Cemetery (aka, Victory Cemetery), North Williamsburg Road, appr. 2000 feet N of the intersection of North Williamsburg Road and Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker that is, however, shaped like an upright, VA-issue Confederate marker. [Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Coulter served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. B, 4th MS Cavalry, but that Pvt. William M. Coulter enlisted at Pass Christian, Harrison County, MS, in Jan. 1862, so I don't believe he is the same man as Pvt. Wiley (Williams/William) Coulter of McNair's Battalion MS Cavalry.]

DID NOT SERVE, BUT MATERIALLY SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY. Dr. Henry Hardy Dale (b. Hancock County, MS, 1824-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1897) was one of three me (along with Barnabus Lewis & E.L. Robertson) who were paid $2009.40 at Summit, Pike County, MS, on Aug. 28, 1862, "for herding & driving eight-hundred and one head of Government cattle from Summit [Pike County], Miss., to Enterprise, [ Clarke County] Miss., at the rate of $2 per head per month from the 8th of July [1862] to the 18th of August 1862 -- 41 days. Lost six head, for which, under contract, said parties are responsible at $30 per head." Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. John Daley/Dailey [found as "John Daily," "John Daley," and "John Daly" in the military records] (b. Ireland, 1834-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1911), Co. F ("Jasper Greys," raised in Jasper County, MS), 16th MS Infantry. [Note: Pvt. Daley sometimes appears as a member of Co. A ("Summit Rifles," raised in Pike County, MS) in the records, but he is clearly the same man as the John Daley of Co. F under consideration here.] Probably enlisted ca. April 27, 1861, at Paulding, Jasper County, MS, at appr. age 26 (though military records say age 23). Present on May 27, 1861, company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 1, 1861, company muster roll. Hospitalized on Sept. 23, 1861, at Warrenton, VA, suffering from "typhoid pneumonia." Present on Oct. 1, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1, 1861, company muster roll. Admitted on Jan. 11, 1862, to Moore Hospital, Danville, VA, and forwarded to unspecified General Hospital. Jan. 1862 Regimental Return states "sent to hospital [on] 12 January 1862." Present on Feb. 6, 1862, company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Received pay at Lynchburg, VA, on June 13, 1862. Aug. 1862 company muster roll states "absent without leave." Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "absent without leave. On extra duty as nurse at General Hospital, Staunton, VA, during Oct., Nov., & Dec. 1862. Paid for six months' service at Staunton, VA, on Nov. 15, 1862. Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "absent without leave." Admitted to Receiving & Wayside Hospital (General Hospital No. 9), Richmond, VA, on Feb. 22, 1863, with complaint not specified, and forwarded to Winder Division Hospital No. 2. Admitted on Feb. 22, 1863, to General Hospital, Camp Winder, Richmond, VA, suffering from a gunshot wound to the knee, and returned to duty on April 2, 1863. Spent some of this time in Mississippi Soldiers Hospital, Richmond, VA. (It is possible that he was wounded at United States Ford on the Rappahannock River, near Fredericksburg, VA, while on picket duty.) March 3, 1863, company muster roll states "absent at hospital since 20 Feb. 1863." Present on April 1863 company muster roll. June 1863 company muster roll states "absent, sent to Hospital [on] June 19, 1863." Received clothing issue at Pratt Hospital, Lynchburg, VA, on July 9, 1863. Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "absent, sent to Hospital [on] June 17, 1863." Oct. 1863 company muster roll states "absent on sick furlough for 40 days from Sept. 29, 1863." Jan. 7, 1864, company muster roll states "absent on sick furlough." Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "absent on sick furlough [but] Furlough [has] expired." June 22, 1864, company muster roll states "absent without leave on expired furlough at Paulding [Jasper County], Miss." June 1864 company muster roll states "absent without leave on expired sick furlough." Must have returned to service, because Aug. 1864 company muster roll states "absent on furlough." Admitted to Receiving & Wayside Hospital (General Hospital No. 9), Richmond, VA, on Sept. 7, 1864, with complaint not specified, and returned to duty on Sept. 8, 1864. Admitted Sept. 19, 1864, to Howard's Grove General Hospital, Richmond, VA, with reason for admission not stated, and furloughed for 60 days from same hospital on Oct. 8, 1864. (Probably wounded in action just before hospital admission in the trench warfare at Weldon Railroad in the Petersburg, VA, area.) Oct. 1864 company muster roll states "absent on wounded furlough." Received clothing issue at Chimborazo Hospital, Richmond, VA, on Oct. 7, 1864. Feb. 23, 1865, company muster roll states "absent on wounded furlough." Admitted to "General Hospital Moore," Mobile, AL, on March 14, 1865, "for treatment," though specific reason for admission is not stated. No further information in his military file, including no war's-end parole, but he was probably too severely wounded to ever return to field service. Southern Patriot! Pvt. "Daley" received Confederate Pensions in 1890 & 1896 while living in Jasper County, MS, at a time when such payments were made only to soldiers who had been severely disabled by wartime wounds. His widow, Rosie Ann Daley, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County in 1912 in which she mistakenly stated that her husband had surrendered at Appomattox Courthouse. Buried in the St. James Catholic Church Cemetery, located at the intersection of Catholic Cemetery Road and Terrell Loop, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker, though some databases state that he has a Confederate marker (which is not evident on his find-a-grave page).

Pvt. Timothy Daley/Dailey (b. Ireland, 1839-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1923), Co. F, ("Jasper Greys," raised in Jasper County, MS), 16th MS Infantry. Probably enlisted ca. April 27, 1861, at Paulding, Jasper County, MS, at age 26 (according to military records, though family records state that he would have been 20 or 21). Present on May 27, 1861, company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 1, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 6, 1862, company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. June 1862 company muster roll states "discharged and Final Statement given at Swift Run Gap [near Harrisonburg, VA, on] May 5 [1862], being under 18 years of age." [Alternate discharge date given is May 4, 1862.] Southern Patriot! [Note: He is not the Timothy Daley of the 33rd VA Infantry.] Pvt. "Daly" filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916, in which he erroneously stated that he had served four years in the Confederate army. He also stated that he was 76 years old in 1916, which is incorrect. His widow, Rosa/Rosana, filed Confederate Widows Pension applications in Jeff Davis County in 1922 & 1924. Buried in the St. James Catholic Church Cemetery, located at the intersection of Catholic Cemetery Road and Terrell Loop, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Zachariah Taylor Daughdrill (b. Hancock County, MS, 1847-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1918) Co. E ("Capt. Mayers' Company," raised in Harrison County, MS), 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. C, 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry. Enlisted Sept. 21, 1862, in Harrison County, MS, at age 15, but then disappears from the records until the end of the war. Served till war's end, when he is shown as a private in Co. B ("Miller's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry. [Note: Since the 9th MS Cavalry was scattered and serving in several locations at the end of the war, it is possible that Pvt. Daughdrill was either transferred to Co. B or Co. B, at war's end, was a consolidated company, made up of men from several other companies.] Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Lawrence County, MS." Southern Patriot! Pvt. Daughdrill filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1911 & 1916. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt./2nd Corp. John E. Davis (b. AL, 1832-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1910), Co. G ("Covington Sharpshooters," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted as 2nd Corp. on May 14, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 30. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "absent, sent to hospital." Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "absent, detailed as Nurse in hospital." Ditto on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, where he is now shown as a private. Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with the notation "absent without leave in another company" cancelled by a line. There is the additional notation "bounty due," which could mean that his original enlistment bounty (1862) had never been paid or -- as is more likely -- he was due the re-enlistment bounty paid to most soldiers when they re-enlisted "for the war" (i.e., for the duration of the war) early in 1864. No additional information in his military file with this unit, but there are so many thousands of records for "John Davis" that he could well have additional records beyond my ability to track same. Buried in the Double Churches Cemetery (aka, Victory Cemetery), North Williamsburg Road, appr. 2000 feet N of the intersection of North Williamsburg Road and Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Malcolm Burk Davis (b. AL, 1838-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1915), Co. G ("Covington Sharpshooters," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 24. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "absent, sent to hospital." Ditto on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "absent without leave, joined another company." No further information in his military file. His widow, Malissa Ann Davis, filed Confederate Widows Pension applications in Jeff Davis County in 1916 & 1924. In the 1916 application, she stated that her husband's unit was "Legget's Co.," with this man being her husband's actual captain -- Capt. A.J. Leggett of Co. G, 7th Battalion MS Infantry. Buried in the Double Churches Cemetery (aka, Victory Cemetery), North Williamsburg Road, appr. 2000 feet N of the intersection of North Williamsburg Road and Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

GRAVE SITE SUSPECTED BUT NOT VERIFIED. Pvt. W.N. Davis (b. Covington County, MS, 1843-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1923), Co. D, 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers (aka, 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers). Enlisted Sept. 1, 1862, in Covington County, MS, at age 19. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent on sick furlough." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. On June 8, 1863, the 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers was consolidated with other units to become the 56th AL Partisan Rangers. Pvt. Davis served in Co. D of this enlarged command. Present on July 1, 1863, company muster roll. Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted since Aug. 16, 1863." No further information in his military file. Pvt. Davis filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1915, 1916, & 1923, in which he stated that he served till war's end, a contention which is not borne out by his actual service record. When asked the cause of his disabilities, Pvt. Davis replied, "Loss of mind." "Mrs. W.N. Davis" filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924. Said to be buried in the Double Churches Cemetery (aka, Victory Cemetery), North Williamsburg Road, appr. 2000 feet N of the intersection of North Wilxliamsburg Road and Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, in an unmarked grave.

Pvt. Jessie B. Deen [found as "Jesse Deen" and "Jessee Dean" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1833-d. Covington County, MS, 1896), Co. A ("Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 28. Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll. Pvt. Deen was transferred to Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's MS Cavalry, which battalion was enlarged to became the 4th MS Cavalry on Sept. 14, 1863. July 1, 1864, company muster roll states "deserted about the 5th [of] June, 1864." No further information in his military file. His widow, Amanda L. Dean, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County in 1924. Buried in the Deen Cemetery, 1338 Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. John William Deen (b. Covington Countyh, MS, 1830-d. Covington County, MS, bef. 1880), Co. G ("Covington Sharpshooters," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at appr. age 32. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 30, 1862, muster roll for General Hospital, Lauderdale Springs, Lauderdale County, MS, with notation "received payment." Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital." Ditto on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file. His widow, Annie Liza Deen, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County in 1907, stating that her husband enlisted in 1861 in Covington County, MS, into the "Seventh Mississippi," and that he served under "Capt. Leggett, General Price, & Col. Terrell" until the end of the war, which last contention is not borne out by his actual military records. Grave site not found, but, as his wife, Annie, is buried in the Hopewell Cemetery, located at the intersection of Mount Olive Road and Wiggington Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, it is likely that he is buried there, too, in an unmarked grave.

Pvt./Corp./4th Sgt./3rd Sgt./2nd Sgt./1st Lt./Capt. Jeremiah Ernest Dumas (b. AL\*\*\*, 1839-d. Jeff Davis, 1919), Co. G ("Ouachita Cavalry," raised in Ouachita County, AR), 1st Arkansas Mounted Volunteers, which became the 3rd Arkansas Cavalry. Enlisted as a private on July 18, 1861, at Little Rock, AR, at age 21. Present as 4th Sgt. on Nov. 30, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "appointed Corporal 18th Sept. [1861]; appointed Sergeant 26th Oct. 1861." Present as 3rd Sgt. on Jan. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 1st Lt. on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "[joined] by transfer from 6th Regt. Arkansas Infantry; promoted May 26, 1862; was 2nd Sgt. prior to that time." [However, no records exist for him in the 6th AR Infantry.] Present as 1st Lt. on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present as captain on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "promoted [to captain] by seniority, Sept. 20th 1863." Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Dropped as captain of Co. G on Jan. 30, 1865, but surrendered as captain of Co. G at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and the Army of the South on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Chesterville, SC, on May 5, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Ouachita County, Arkansas. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [\*\*\*Birth state taken from military records.]

Pvt. Lafayette G. Durr (b. MS?, 1815-d. prob. Lawrence County, MS, 1878), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted Sept. 17, 1863, at Crystal Springs, Copiah County, MS, at age 48. Present on July 1, l864, company muster roll. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Simpson County, MS." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Terrell Cemetery (aka, Tarell Cemetery), 31.60030 -89.73810, located at the end of a dirt road that runs S from a point on Terrell Road that is appr. 250 feet E of that road's junction with Johnson Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Franklin M. Dyess (b. Jasper County, MS, ca. 1840-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1923), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. Sept. 17, 1861, in Covington County, MS, at about age 21. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Nov. 1861 Regimental Return states that Pvt. "F.M. Diess" was absent with leave from "23rd Nov.-13th Dec. [1861] in Covington County [MS]." Dec. 1861 Regimental Return states that Pvt. "F.M. Dyess" was "sick at home in Covington Co., Miss., from 22nd Nov. [1861] for 20 days." Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick on Surgeon's Certificate since May 28, 1862." Absent on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick on Surgeon's Certificate since Aug. 20, 1862." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent wounded since [the] Battle of Murfreesboro, Dec. 31 [1862]." Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted Jan. 2, 1863." Issued clothing (hat, shoes, pants, & shirt) while Gate City Hospital, Atlanta, GA, on April 6, 1863. Returned to service, as he is shown as "present" on the Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent, sent to hospital Sept. 6, 1863, by order [of the] Surgeon [of the] 7th [MS Infantry]." Admitted Sept. 17, 1863, to Oliver Hospital, La Grange, GA, with nature of medical complaint not stated. Appears on a Dec. 22, 1863, "Report of the Medical Examining Board, Dalton, Georgia, under the head of 'Soldiers examined for detail for special duty,'" with "probable duration of disability -- during the [rest of the ] war," and recommended for hospital duty, with a graphic description of his "disability: injury of the left side of the chest with protrusion of the lung between the ribs." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on detached service as nurse in hospital since Dec. 29, 1863, [by] order [of] Genl. [Joseph E.] Johnston." Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation [which seems out of time order here] "wrongfully reported as a deserter for the month of May [for] which time pay was retained." [Note: This apparent time anomaly might be explained by the fact that some company muster rolls were actually taken/written down months after the month indicated on the roll itself; thus, this Feb. 1864 company muster roll might have actually been composed in May 1864.] Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Dyess does not have a war's-end parole or any other records with this consolidated unit. Pvt. Dyess filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1923, in which he claimed that he was not in active service at war's end because he "was a prisoner," which statement is not borne out by his existing service records. Buried in the Old Greens Creek Cemetery, located appr. 800 feet due E of a point on Smith Lane that is appr. 1200 feet N of that road's junction with Blackwell Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. John Wesley Dyess, Jr. [also found as "J.W. Dias" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1841-d. Harrison County, MS, 1918), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. Sept. 11, 1861, in Covington County, MS, at age 20. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "absent sick on Surgeon's Certificate since Aug. 20, 1862." Appears on a "List of killed, wounded, and missing of the 7th Mississippi Regiment in the battle before [i.e., "of"] Murfreesboro, Tenn.," with the notation that his wound was "slight" and that he was wounded "in [the] 1st charge, 400 yards in front of [the Yankee] Breast Works." Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "absent, wounded at [the] Battle of Murfreesboro [TN], Dec. 31 [1862 and] sent to Hospital same day." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Admitted to Oliver Hospital, LaGrange, GA, on Sept. 6, 1863, with nature of medical problem not specified, but was not present for the Battle of Chickamauga, GA, so was not wounded at that battle. Oct. 1863 company muster roll states "absent, sent to Hospital Sept. 6, 1863, by order [of the] Surgeon [of the] 7th Miss. Regt." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Jan. 13, 1864, muster roll for Oliver Hospital, LaGrange, GA, as patient. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Dyess does not have a war's-end parole or any other records with this consolidated unit. Pvt. Dyess filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1910 & 1916, in which he claimed to have served till war's end and to have been absent with leave on furlough for 24 days when the final surrender came. He stated that he was in hospital at Meridian, MS, wounded, when the surrender came. His military records do not confirm his statements about serving till war's end or being wounded late in the war. He was an inmate (i.e., "resident") of the Beauvoir Confederate Soldiers Home in 1916. Buried in the Jacob McPhail Cemetery, 31.444176 -89.743612, located about 1200 ft. due E of a point on South Williamsburg Road that is appr. 2500 ft. due S of that road's intersection with McNease Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker which has the inscription "Rest, soldier, rest. Thy warfare is o'er."

Pvt. John Wesley Dyess, Sr. [found as "John Dyess" in the military records] (b. Etowah County, AL, 1812-d. Covington County, MS, 1880), Co. F ("Capt. Paddleford's Company," raised in Hinds County, MS), 1st Battalion MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 24, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at appr. age 54. Present on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Old Greens Creek Cemetery, 31.47330 -89.84330, located appr. 800 feet due E of a point on Smith Lane that is appr. 1200 feet N of that road's junction with Blackwell Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William Penn Dyess (b. Jasper County, MS, 1836-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1928), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. B, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted May 3, 1862, at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, at age 24. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted Jan. 25, 1863," but he returned to service and served at the Siege of Vicksburg, MS. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "absent without leave since Aug. 23, 1863." No further information in his military file. Pvt. Dyess filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1920, 1924, & 1926. In answer to the question, "Where were you at the close of the war?," he honestly answered "at home." He also stated that he was in active service at war's end, which contention is not borne out by his military records. Buried in the Hathorn Cemetery (aka, Stringer Cemetery), located on the E side of Hathorn Cemetery Road, about halfway between its intersection with Bass-Burkett Road and its intersection with Speights Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Henry C. [Clay?] Dykes (b. Covington County, MS, 1843-d. Covington County, MS, 1913), Co. F ("Covington Fencibles," raised in Covington County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted May 6, 1861, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 18. Present or absent not stated on Oct. 19, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Nov. 5, 1861, company muster roll. Present on July 1, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Nov. 1, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sick in Hospital by order of Regimental Surgeon [since] 20 March 1863." Paid for commutation of rations on April 11, 1863, probably at Atlanta, GA. Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "Deserted; furloughed from Hospital, Atlanta, Ga., [on] 11 April 1863 for 30 days and dropped from the roll for continued absence." Made his "x" mark for clothing issued on Dec. 21, 1863, probably in hospital. Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll with notation "sent to hospital [on] orders [of] Surgeon [on] 9 Dec. 1863; furloughed for 30 day [on] 20 Nov. 1863; unable to return [according to a] certificate by [the] Medical Board, Columbia, Miss." No further information in his military file. Pvt. Dykes filed a Confederate Pension application in Lincoln County, MS, in 1910, and one in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916, in which he claimed to have served until the war's end, which contention is unclear from his surviving service records. Said to be buried in the Blount (aka, Laird) Cemetery, located on the east side of North Carson Road, appr. 1 mile S of the intersection of North Carson Road and East St. Stephens Road, Carson, Jeff Davis County, MS.

Pvt. Isaac Newton Dykes (b. Covington County, MS, 1844-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1916), Co. B ("Barnes' Company," raised in Covington & Simpson Counties, MS), Yerger's MS Cavalry. [And the 7th Battalion MS Infantry?] Must have been a late-war enlistee. No enlistment date/data. Served the rest of the war. Surrendered at the general surrender of CS forces in the mid-Confederacy (i.e., the "Western Theater") at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Jackson, MS, on May 17, 1865. Parole has notation "Residence: Covington County, MS." Southern Patriot! Pvt. Dykes filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1914, stating his unit as the "7th Battalion." His widow, Sarah Jane Dykes, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1917, in which she gave her husband's unit as the "7th Battalion." She filed another Confederate Widow's Pension application in Covington County, MS, in 1924, in which she did not state any unit for him. Buried in the Blount (aka, Laird) Cemetery, located on the east side of North Carson Road, appr. 1 mile S of the intersection of North Carson Road and East St. Stephens Road, Carson, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that Isaac Newton Dykes served in Co. B ("Bogue Chitto Guards," raised in Pike County, MS), 7th MS Infantry, but there are no service records for him in that unit, nor does he have service records in Co. B ("Beauregard Defenders," raised in Jones & Perry Counties, MS), 7th Battalion MS Infantry. It is possible that he tried to enlist into one of these companies but was rejected for service due to physical disability. Some databases also state that he has a Confederate marker; however, only a private marker is visible on his find-a-grave page.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED, BUT VERY LIKELY. Pvt./Corp. Richard C. Floyd (b. GA, 1842-d. Jeff Davis County, 1927), Co. A, 10th GA Cavalry. This man has a VA Confederate marker with service in the indicated unit inscribed on the stone. However, I can find no service records for him in the 10th GA Cavalry. There is a Pvt. R.C. Floyd in the 1st City Battalion GA Infantry (Columbus, GA). R.C. Floyd filed a Confederate Pension application in Covington County, MS, in 1916 and another in Marion County, MS, in 1924. In both, he said that he was a member of the 10th GA Cavalry. His knowledge of the 10th GA Cavalry is exacting, so I believe he was actually a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Double Churches Cemetery (aka, Victory Cemetery), North Williamsburg Road, appr. 2000 feet N of the intersection of North Wilxliamsburg Road and Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Stephen B. Foles (b. GA, 1824-d. Covington County, MS, 1920), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Sept. 21, 1861, at Shieldsboro, Hancock County, MS, at age 37 (but probably enlisted into the company proper in Covington County somewhat earlier). Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Admitted Nov. 28, 1862, to C.S.A. Post Hospital, Dalton, GA, suffering from typhoid fever and returned to duty on Dec. 17, 1862. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of CS forces in the mid-Confederacy (i.e., the "Western Theater") at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Meridian, MS, on May 9, 1865. Notation on paroled states "residence: Covington [County], Miss." Southern Patriot! Pvt. "Steven" Foles filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916 & 1919 in which he stated that he was wounded at Florence, AL, and Resaca, GA. (These wounds are not recorded in his service records.) Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but only a private marker is visible on his find-a-grave page.]

Pvt. John Gazie Fortenberry [found as "Fortinberry" in the military records] (b. Marion County, MS, 1840-d. Marion County, MS, 1910), Co. F ("Marion's Men," raised in Marion County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 10, 1861, probably at Columbia, Marion County, MS, at age 21. Absent on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "went home on furlough for 15 days from the 5th inst. [i.e., the 5th of Oct. 1861, and] is now absent without leave." Nov. 1861 Regimental Return states "sick at home in Marion County [MS]." Dec. 1861 Regimental Return, under the heading "Absent enlisted men accounted for," states "[absent] from 26 Sept. [1861], for 15 days." Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent at Tyner [i.e., Tyner's Station, TN] Hospital, sick on Surgeon's Certificate since Sept. 4, 1862." Apparently captured by the Yankees at Tyner's Station, TN, probably while in hospital, because he was exchanged at Vicksburg, MS, from the US Steamer Dacotah [i.e., Dakota], on either Oct. 18, 1862, or Nov. 8, 1862 [dates vary]. Present or absent not stated on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, which has the notation "left at Tyner's Station [TN] sick on Surgeon's Certificate [on] Sept. 4, 1862." Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "stricken from the roll as a Deserter [on] Feb. 20, 1863." No further information in his military file. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE RECORD VERY TENTATIVE. BURIAL SITE TENTATIVE. Ellen Garner received a Confederate Widow's Pension in 1890 in Covington County, MS. She was the widow of James M. Garner (b. GA, ca. 1830-d. prob. Covington County, MS, ca. 1865-1870). James M. Garner may be the "I. Garner" (also given in his military records as "J. Garner" -- script J.'s and script I.'s being often confused) of Co. H ("Raleigh Farmers," aka "Raleigh Rangers," raised in Smith County, MS), 6th Battalion (Balfour's) MS Infantry, which became Co. H, 46th MS Infantry. If "I. Garner" is, indeed, James M. Garner, then he enlisted April 4, 1862, at Raleigh, Smith County, MS, at age 32. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "absent without leave since Aug. 23, 1863." No further information in his military file. Burial site not found, but said by family to be buried in Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined).

Pvt. Revinnah Gillespie Garner [found as "Revonna G. Garner" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1843-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1920), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Sept. 17, 1861, at Shieldsboro, Hancock County, MS, at age 18 (but probably enlisted into the company proper somewhat earlier in Covington County, MS). Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick on Surgeon's Certificate since May 28, 1862." Absent on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick on Surgeon's Certificate since Sept. 11, 1862." Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital [on] April 20, 1863, by order [of] Brigade Surgeon." Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital April 30, 1863, by order Surgeon 7th [MS Infantry]." Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital April 20, 1863, by order Surgeon 7 Miss. Regt." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital Aug. 20, 1863, [by] order Surgeon 7 Miss. Regt." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital Aug. 20, 1863, [by] order Surgeon 7 Miss. Regt." Ditto on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Garner does not have a war's-end parole or any other records with this consolidated unit. Pvt. Garner filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1917, in which he claimed to have been on sick furlough for 3.5 months when the war ended, a claim which is not borne out by his service records. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but only a private marker is visible on his find-a-grave page.]

Pvt. Stephen Jefferson Garner (b. Butts County, GA, 1832-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1907), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Sept. 27, 1861, at Shieldsboro, Hancock County, MS, at age 28. Present on Oct. 5, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Medically discharged on Feb. 22, 1862, at Shieldsboro, Hancock County, MS, "on account of bleeding of the lungs" (also referred to by the regimental surgeon as "tubercular disease of the lungs"). Southern Patriot! Buried in the Antioch Church Cemetery, 843 Granby Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Nathan A. Garrett (b. NC, 1833-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1914), Co. I ("Capt. Edwin A. Scott's Company," raised in East Feliciana Parish, LA), 9th Battalion LA Partisan Rangers, which became the 3rd (Wingfield's) LA Cavalry. Enlisted May 11, 1862, at Jackson, East Feliciana Parish, LA, at age 28. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 48-day Siege of Port Hudson, LA, on July 9, 1863. Transferred (though no documents for transfer exist) after July 1863 to Co. E ("Capt. Ramsey's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry. Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. Wounded at the Battle of Harrisburg (aka, Tupelo), Lee County, MS, on July 14, 1864, while serving under the great Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest, where he suffered a broken ankle and a hand wound. Admitted to Lee Hospital, Lauderdale Springs, Lauderdale County, MS, on July 16, 1864, with notation that he had furnished his own horse for the cavalry service. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, muster roll for Lee Hospital, with notation that he was a patient there. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of troops in the Western Theater on May 4, 1865. He has two war's end paroles. He was paroled on paper only as a private of Co. E, 4th MS Cavalry (with residence noted as Lawrence County, MS) on a roll of soldiers surrendered and paroled at Gainesville, AL, May 12, 1865, with the cavalry serving under famed Confederate Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest. He was surrendered in person as a private of Co. E, 4th MS Cavalry, on a roll of soldiers paroled at Jackson, Hinds County, MS, on May 19, 1865, while serving with "unattached men, Confederate States Army." Southern Patriot! Pvt. Garrett filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1909, stating that he was not in active service at war's end because he had been absent about eight months recovering from his Battle of Harrisburg wounds. Somewhat confusedly, Pvt. Garrett stated that he enlisted in "Tallalosa Parish, Louisiana," which does not (and never) existed. Pvt. Garrett again errs when he states that he served in Miles LA Legion (Cavalry), though that unit was closely associated during the war with the 3rd (Wingfield's) LA Cavalry (in which unit Pvt. Garrett did actually serve). Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined, though some databases state that he has no marker.

(Dr.) Pvt. Zeno Silas Goss (b. Marion County, MS, 1841-d. Marion County, MS, 1919), Co. B ("Enterprise Guards," raised in Clarke County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 18, 1861, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 19. Present or absent not stated on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Jan. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Captured at Fort Donelson, TN, on Feb. 16, 1862. Admitted to City U.S.A. General Hospital, St. Louis, MO, on Feb. 21, 1862, suffering from diarrhea, and eventually (no date given) forwarded to notorious Camp Douglas, IL, POW camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to render them unfit for field service upon exchange. Exchanged from aboard the US Steamer Jno. H. Done at Vicksburg, MS, on Sept. 20, 1862. Listed as "present" on Aug. 1, 1862, company muster roll, but this is in error, as he was a POW during Aug. 1862. Present on Nov. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on May 30, 1863, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. April 1864 company muster roll states "deserted Feb. 14, 1864." No further information in his military file with this or any other CS unit. [Note: Dr. Goss was the commander of the Mayson United Confederate Veterans Camp in Columbia, MS, at the time of his death, and a tribute to his memory in the local paper from his campmates states that he was exchanged "and served the remainder of the war." However, after an extensive search, I can find no evidence that Z.S. Goss served after Feb. 14, 1864, in any CS unit.] Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: A later Sons of Confederate Veterans Camp at Columbia, Marion County, MS, was named in his honor.]

Pvt. James Graves (b. prob. Covington County, MS, 1815-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, after 1900), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted July 18, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 46. Present on Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll. Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave since 23rd Dec. 1862." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Buried in the Double Churches Cemetery (aka, Victory Cemetery), North Williamsburg Road, appr. 2000 feet N of the intersection of North Williamsburg Road and Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Seaborn ["Sebron" in wife's pension application] Harvey Graves (b. Covington County, MS, ca. 1839-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1926), Co. G ("Covington Sharpshooters," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, on May 14, 1862, at age 23. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital." Ditto on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file. His widow, Eliza, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County in 1930 in which she stated that her husband served until war's end, a contention that is not borne out by his service records. Grave site not found, but said to be buried in the Wilson Cemetery, located on the E side of Sam Graham Road, appr. 1000 feet S of the intersection of Sam Graham Road, Mack Cemetery Road, and Wilson Circle [or 600 feet S of the intersection of Sam Graham Road and the southern fork of Wilson Circle], Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Merritt Graves (b. prob. Covington County, MS, ca. 1840-d. Covington County, MS, bef. 1900), Co. G ("Covington Sharpshooters," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, on May 14, 1862, at age 22. Absent on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Ditto on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Ditto on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file. His widow, Becky Jane Graves, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County in 1916, in which she stated that her husband served in the "7th Miss.," though he actually served in the 7th Battalion MS Infantry. Grave site not found, though it probably lies in Jeff Davis County, MS

Pvt./2nd Corp. Louis W. Gray [found as "Lewis W. Gray" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1836-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1916), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 2nd Corp. ca. Sept. 11, 1861, in Covington County, MS, at age 25. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Appears on a Jan. 21, 1863, "Report of officer and men from the various regiments of Withers' Division, suitable for enrolling conscripts, etc.," with report dated Shelbyville, TN. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present as private on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "reduced from 2nd Corp. [on] Feb. 10, 1864, by order Lt. Col. Johns." Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Gray does not have a war's-end parole or any other records with this consolidated unit. His widow, Fannie Gray, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County in 1921. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker, though some databases state that he has a Confederate marker.

Pvt. B. William Griffith (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1824-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1903), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted March 1, 1864, at Mt. Carmel, Lawrence County, MS, at age 39. Absent on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "on detached service [at] Canton [Madison County], Miss." The 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were consolidated on April 9, 1865, into one unit -- the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Regiments Consolidated MS Cavalry -- and Pvt. Griffith does not have a war's end parole with that unit. No further information in his military file. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Hiram Thomas Griffith (b. Copiah County, MS, 1849-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1932), Co. A ("Capt. Marshall's Company," raised in Rankin County, MS), 1st Battalion MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Sept. 10, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, as a "recruit" at age 14. Present on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, located down a dirt road that turns N off of Oak Grove Road at a point appr. 1000 feet E of that road's juncture with McCormick Lane, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Hiram Thomas Griffith (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1829-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1913), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 33. Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll. Probably rejected for service by enrolling/inspecting officer. Enlisted a second time [as "H. Griffith"] into the same company, again at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, on May 19, 1863. On Sept. 14, 1863, Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry was enlarged to become the 4th MS Cavalry. Pvt. Griffith served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards") of this expanded command. Absent on July 1, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "sick at Canton [Madison County, MS] Hospital." No further information in his military file with this unit. Buried in the Thompson Cemetery, 31.70440 -89.78470, located on the W side of Clem Road, at a point on that road that lies appr. 1200 feet S of that road's intersection with Hartzog-Magee Road, Clem, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Joseph Fontaine "Fountain" Griffith (b. TN, 1820-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1881), Co. K ("Dixie Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), 36th MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 24, 1862, in Copiah County, MS, at age 41. Present on March 28, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "absent [at] Okolona [Chickasaw County, MS] Hospital [since] Sept. 26, 1862." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Discharged April 14, 1863, on account of having served out his original term of enlistment and, since he was overage, not being required to re-enlist. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Fountain Griffith Cemetery, 653 Sugar Ridge Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined, though some databases state that he has a private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. A.H. [Alexander Hamilton?] Hall (b. Copiah or Covington County, MS, 1848-d. Covington County, MS, after 1910), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted July 18, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 14 or 15. Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged July 23, 1862," almost certainly because of being underage under the terms of the Conscript Act. However, this brave young Southron wasn't done serving his new nation. He enlisted again, this time as a private in Co. B ("Barnes' Company," raised in Covington & Simpson Counties, MS), Yerger's MS Cavalry. He was a late-war enlistee, so he has no enlistment date/data. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of CS forces in the mid-Confederacy (i.e., the "Western Theater") at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Jackson, MS, on May 17, 1865. Notation on paroled states "residence: Simpson [County], Miss." Southern Patriot! Pvt. Hall filed a Confederate Pension application in Covington County, MS, in 1904, stating that he was a soldier in "Wood's Regt." This regiment would be Wood's Confederate Cavalry or the 1st MS Cavalry (Adams'/Wood's). No records exist for A.H. Hall in either unit. However, Pvt. Hall said that he enlisted in Covington County, MS, and served under Capt. Barnes, so, by deduction, he served in Capt. Barnes' Company of Yerger's MS Cavalry. He did not mention his earlier service in the 2nd MS Infantry in his pension application. His widow, Annie Jane Hall, filed Confederate Widows Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1911 & 1916, in which she stated that her husband served in "Wood's Regt." Burial site not found.

Pvt. Robert Hall (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1847-d. Covington County, MS, 1905), Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). No enlistment date/data. Probably enlisted ca. Aug. 31, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 17. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT MATERIALLY SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY. Judge Alexander S. [Samuel?] Harper (b. Wilkinson County, MS, 1808-d. Covington County, MS, 1893) sold fodder and oats to the Confederate army at Santee, Covington County, MS, in 1863, and sold wool to the Confederate Army at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, in 1864. Buried in the Harper Cemetery, 31.51140 -89.70000, located appr. 500 ft. from the terminus of C.T. Price Lane, or about 2000 ft. N of the intersection of that road with Graves Keys Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt./1st Corp. Samuel Jackson Harper, Sr. (b. Covington County, MS, ca. 1839-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, after 1937), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. B, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 21. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. July 1862 Regimental Return states "disease...[sent to] Interior Hospital...July 19 [1862 by] order of Brigade Surgeon." Aug. 1862 company muster roll states "absent at Jackson [MS] Hospital [since] July 25, 1862." Ditto on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Ditto on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Does not seem to have served at the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, which was surrendered on July 4, 1863. Present as corporal on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "reported in Parole Camp [on] Nov. 6, 1863." [Parole camps were Confederate military camps where soldiers continued to train until they were "exchanged" on paper for a like number of Yankee who had also been captured and paroled. Such soldiers could not perform any active military duty until they were exchanged on paper.] Present as 1st Corp. on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file. Corp. Harper filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1917 & 1924 in which he stated that he was home on furlough when his regiment surrendered. Buried in the Bassfield City Cemetery, 585 Bassfield Cemetery Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker that does, however, carry the stylized Maltese cross typically found on VA-issued Confederate headstones. [Note: A VA headstone was ordered for him and shipped to the UDC in 1937, so maybe the unusual, flat marker with the CSA-type Maltese Cross is a VA marker of a type that this researcher is not familiar with.] [Note: He is listed in some databases and in some genealogies as being the 4th Sgt. S.J. Harper of Co. B ("Coahoma Invincibles," raised in Coahoma County, MS), 11th MS Infantry, but that man is a different soldier.]

Pvt. George W. [Washington?] Hartzog (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1837-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1900), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became the 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted on March 31, 1862, at Handsboro [Gulfport], Harrison County, MS, at age 25. Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll, where he appears temporarily in another company ("Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS) of Stockdale's Battalion. On Sept. 14, 1863, Stockdale's Battalion was enlarged to become the 4th MS Cavalry. Pvt. Hartzog served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS) of this expanded command. July 1, 1864, company muster roll states "transferred to [the] 38th Miss. [Infanntry (Mounted)]." Served in Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). June 30, 1864, company muster roll for Co. E, 38th MS Infantry (Mounted) states "transferred [from] Co. B, 4th Miss. [Cavalry on] June 1, 1864; [now] on detached service." [Also listed as 24 years-old on this muster roll, but military ages are notoriously inaccurate.] No further information in his military file with this unit. Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, located down a dirt road that turns N off of Oak Grove Road at a point appr. 1000 feet E of that road's juncture with McCormick Lane, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Thomas Powell Harvey, Jr. (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1829-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1915), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd (Quinn's) MS Infantry (Minute Men) (State Troops). Enlisted June 9, 1862, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 32. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave since Nov. 24th 1862; conscripted [i.e., drafted] Dec. 29th 1862." No further information in his military file. No information in Mississippi Conscripts files. Pvt. Harvey filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1911. ["T.J. Harvey" on pension application, with a thick "P." written over the original (and erroneous) "J."] Pvt. Harvey stated in his pension application that he served in Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry, but he has no service records in that unit. He stated that he was transferred from that unit (after 18 months' of service) into Co. A of a militia unit, but he has no records in any unit other than 2nd (Quinn's) MS Infantry (Minute Men) (State Troops). He stated that, at war's end, he had been absent from his command for only ten days, which statement is not borne out by his actual service record. Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he served in Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry, but he has no service records in that unit. Similarly, he is not the Pvt. Thomas Harvey of Co. A ("Mississippi Rangers," raised in Carroll County, MS), 5th MS Cavalry.]

Pvt. Wade Hamilton Harvey (b. Scott County, MS, 1848-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1910), Co. C ("Capt. Harris' Company," raised in Scott County, MS), 1st Battalion MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 22, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 16. Present on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, located down a dirt road that turns N off of Oak Grove Road at a point appr. 1000 feet E of that road's juncture with McCormick Lane, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

MEMORIAL MARKER ONLY. Pvt. John G. Hathorn (b. Covington County, MS, 1840-d. in service, Escambia County, FL, 1862), Co. F ("Covington Fencibles," raised in Covington County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted May 6, 1861, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 21. Present on Nov. 5, 1861, company muster roll. Jan. 1862 Regimental Return states "died, Jan. 13, 1862, [in] Hospital." The regiment was stationed at Pensacola, Escambia County, FL, at the time. No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Probably buried in an unmarked grave in the Pensacola area.

Pvt./4th Corp. Milton Wood Hathorn (b. Covington County, MS, 1845-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1920), Co. G ("Capt. Hargrove's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry. Enlisted as 4th Corp. on Sept. 26, 1863, in Covington County, MS, at age 18. Present on Feb. 2, 1864, company muster roll. Now Pvt. Hathorn is shown as absent on the Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "deserted Feb. 25, 1864, at Philadelphia, Miss." No further information in his military file. Pvt. Hathorn filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916, in which he stated that he enlisted in Oct. 1863 into Co. B, "7th Regiment," under "Hodge" and Capt. "Bates" and that he had been "absent on hast."/"absent with hast." for five days when the surrender came. However, he has no service records in that unit. His widow, India Hathorn, filed Confederate Widows Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1921 & 1924, in which she stated that her husband served under "Capt. J.M. Bates" and "Col. Powers," but her husband has no service records in Powers' MS Cavalry. Buried in the Hathorn Cemetery, about 150 feet S of Goodhope Road at a point on that road appr. 1200 feet W of that road's intersection with Willie Fortenberry Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a broken private marker. (No better directions available.) [Note: In spite of his statements to the contrary in his pension application, Pvt. Hathorn did not serve in the 7th MS Infantry.]

MEMORIAL STONE ONLY. Pvt./3rd Corp./4th Sgt./3rd Sgt./2nd Sgt. William W. Hathorn (b. Covington County, MS, 1842-d. in service of wounds at the Battle of Chickamauga, GA, 1863), Co. F ("Covington Fencibles," raised in Covington County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 10, 1861, in Covington County, MS, at age 28. Absent on Nov. 5, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "on furlough." Appointed 3rd Corp. sometime before June 7, 1862. Present on July 1, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "appointed sergeant [on] 7 June [1862]" and further notation "was on detached service from 14 April [1862] to 7 June [1862]." Present as 4th Sgt. on Nov. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Now 3rd Sgt. Hathorn absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "wounded in Battle of Murfreesboro [TN], Dec. 31, 1862, and sent to hospital by order of Surgeon." A casualty report for Walthall's Brigade for the Battle of Murfreesboro states that he was severely wounded in the head at the "Cedar Thicket." Paid Jan. 10, 1863, at Atlanta, GA, while on wounded furlough. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "wounded in battle at Murfreesboro, 31 Dec. 1862, and [placed] on furlough, and [said] furlough expired 8 Feb. 1863." Present as 2nd Sgt. on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Mortally wounded at the Battle of Chickamauga, GA, Sept. 19, 1863, and died on Sept. 22, 1863. No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hathorn Cemetery, on the E side of Hathorn Cemetery Road (aka, Stringer Cemetery?), about halfway between its intersection with Bass-Burkett Road and its intersection with Speights Road, with two private markers which state his Confederate service and death. (No better directions available.)

Pvt. Armistead E. Haynes (b. Wilkinson County, MS, ca. 1814-d. Lawrence County, MS, ca. 1890), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on July 28, 1862, at age 48. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Sept. 23, 1862-Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave to Oct. 28th [1862]." Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "discharged Nov. 17th, 1862, by Gen. Smedes for being Miller & Millwright." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Haynes Cemetery, 31.40580 -89.91860, located appr. 400 ft. NW of the intersection of a gravel/dirt road Hathorn Road, said intersection lying appr. 2000 ft. S of the intersection of Hathorn Road and Owen Cole Road, or said intersection lying appr. 300 ft. N of the powerline right-of-way that crosses Hathorn Road appr. 2300 ft. S of the intersection of Hathorn Road and Owen Cole Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a group family marker.

Pvt. Charles B. Haynes (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1821-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, ca. 1915), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted Oct. 31, 1863, at Raymond, Hinds County, MS, at age 41. Present on July 1, 1864, company muster roll. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Lawrence County, MS." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Haynes Cemetery, 31.40580 -89.91860, located appr. 400 ft. NW of the intersection of a gravel/dirt road Hathorn Road, said intersection lying appr. 2000 ft. S of the intersection of Hathorn Road and Owen Cole Road, or said intersection lying appr. 300 ft. N of the powerline right-of-way that crosses Hathorn Road appr. 2300 ft. S of the intersection of Hathorn Road and Owen Cole Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a group family marker.

Pvt. Richard Henry Henderson (b. Franklin County, AL, 1838\*\*\*-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1899), Co. H ("Defenders," raised in Smith County, MS), 16th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. April 29, 1861, at Raleigh, Smith County, MS, at age 23. Oct. 1861 company muster roll states "sick, [in] hospital, Warrenton, Va." Admitted to C.S.A. General Hospital, Charlottesville, VA, on Jan. 7, 1862, suffering from pneumonia, and returned to duty on Jan. 23, 1862. Admitted to C.S.A. General Hospital, Charlottesville, VA, on Jan. 9, 1863, suffering from typhoid fever. Discharged March 30, 1863, from General Hospital, Charlottesville, VA, because of a chronic ulcer of the leg. Southern Patriot! His widow, Arminda Ann Henderson, filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916 and in Lawrence County, MS, in 1923. Buried in the Bethel-Thompson/Thompson-Buckley Cemetery, Rodeo Road, New Hebron, Lawrence County, MS, with a private marker. [\*\*\*Note: Either the family or the army has his birth year wrong (probably the army). The family says he was born in 1828, but army records indicate a birth year of 1838.] [INCLUDED HERE BECAUSE SOME DATABASES INCORRECTLY PLACE THE CEMETERY IN WHICH HE IS BURIED IN JEFF DAVIS COUNTY, MS.]

Pvt. Enoch Washington Herrington (b. Perry County, MS, 1823-d. Covington County, MS, 1900), Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). No enlistment date. Enlisted at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, probably ca. Aug. 31, 1864, at age 41. Absent on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "not [yet] reported [to camp]." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Terrell Cemetery (aka, Tarell Cemetery), 31.60030 -89.73810, located at the end of a dirt road that runs S from a point on Terrell Road that is appr. 250 feet E of that road's junction with Johnson Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

CONFEDERATE AND YANKEE SOLDIER. Pvt. Francis Marion Herrington (b. Covington County, MS, 1836-d. Smith County, MS, 1911), Co. G ("Covington Sharpshooters," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 26. Absent on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Ditto on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave at home." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "in arrest; was absent without leave from 8th April [1863] to 12th November [1863]." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent in arrest." On Feb. 24, 1864, General Order No. 12, Dept. of AL, MS, and East LA, Headquarters [at] Demopolis, AL, issued under authority of Gen. Leonidas Polk, sentenced him to be court-martialed. Captured June 19, 1864, at Marietta, GA, and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, and then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY. Forwarded from Louisville, KY, to notorious Camp Morton, Indiana, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to render them unfit for field service upon exchange. Arrived at Camp Morton, Indiana, POW Camp on June 28, 1864. Appears on an undated "Roll of Prisoners of War at Camp Morton, Indianapolis, Indiana," with notation "enlisted in US Service [on] March 24, 1865." Herrington (as Francis M. Harrington) enlisted into Co. G, 6th US Volunteer Infantry, which served strictly on the US frontier and was never used against Confederate troops. The unit served at Fort Leavenworth, KS, Fort Kearny, NE, the Oregon Trail, Camp Douglas, UT, Fort Rankin, CO, Fort Bridger, WY, Columbus, NE, Fort Wallace, KS, and Fort Laramie, Dakota Territory. Mustered out at Fort Kearny, Nebraska Territory, on Oct. 10, 1866. Buried in the Terrell Cemetery (aka, Tarell Cemetery), 31.60030 -89.73810, located at the end of a dirt road that runs S from a point on Terrell Road that is appr. 250 feet E of that road's junction with Johnson Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt./1st Corp. Jacob Hollander (b. France, 1828-d. Covington County, MS, 1871), Co. A ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted March 3, 1862, at Handsboro, Harrison County, MS, at age 34. Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll, on which he appears temporarily as a member of Co. B ("Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. On Sept. 14, 1863, Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry was expanded to become the 4th MS Cavalry. Pvt. Hollander served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS) of this expanded command. Present as 1st Corp. on July 1, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "promoted to 1st Corp. [on] April 1, 1864." No further information in his military file. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a fallen private marker.

Pvt. Mark Hamilton "Mack" Hollifield [found as "Mac Hollyfield" in the military records] (b. AL, ca. 1849-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1907), Capt. Zimmerman's Company of AL Volunteers, which became Co. B, 2nd Regiment AL Reserves, which became Co. B, 63rd AL Infantry. Enlisted April 24, 1864, in Montgomery County, AL, at a stated age of 16 (but was probably 14 or 15). No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hathorn Cemetery (aka, Stringer Cemetery?), located on the E side of Hathorn Cemetery Road, about halfway between its intersection with Bass-Burkett Road and its intersection with Speights Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: 1900 US Census for Perry County, AL, proves his birth in AL and approximates his birth year.]

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT MATERIALLY SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY. Fielding O. Holloway (b. GA, 1808-d. Covington County, MS, 1885) sold 1908 lbs. of fodder at 2 cents a lb. to the Confederate government and was paid $38.16 for same in Covington County, MS, on Oct. 18, 1863. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT MATERIALLY SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY. George Green Holloway (b. Covington County, MS, 1817-d. Covington County, MS, 1904) was paid on Oct. 30, 1863, at Mount Carmel, Covington County, MS, for the hire of two wagons, two drivers, and six yoke of oxen (12 oxen) to haul sugar from Osyka, Pike County, MS, to Mount Carmel, Covington County, MS, which trip took 9 days and for which hires he received $144 in total payment. In addition, G.G. Holloway entered into an agreement with the Confederate States of America on Aug. 20, 1864, to provide hundreds of leather cow hides from his tannery in Covington County, MS, to Confederate authorities at Summit, Pike County, MS, from the date of the contract to Jan. 1, 1865. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Henry Clay Holloway (b. Covington County, MS, 1837-d. Covington County, MS, 1895), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Sept. 27, 1861, at Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, MS, at age 24 (but possibly enlisted into the company a few weeks earlier in Covington County, MS). Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "wounded May 4 [1862] and absent on Surgeon's Certificate since [then]." [Note: I have been unable to substantiate just where Pvt. Holloway was when he received his wound or what the nature of his wound was. He possibly received the wound at Jackson, TN, possibly while on picket duty, but this is simply conjecture.] Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "discharged by furnishing a substitute, Dec. 12, 1862." Appears on a "Report of furloughed and discharged men, in Reserve Division, Polk's Corps, Army of Tennessee," with notation "discharged" on Dec. 4, 1862, "by reason of furnishing [a] substitute [soldier]," but this date is in error. [Discharge date given on his discharge paper is Dec. 12, 1862.] Discharged at Murfreesboro, TN. Occupation given on discharge paper as "tanner." [Note: Pvt. Holloway's substitute was Pvt. Jacob Hively/Heibly, who was wounded at the Battle of Murfreesboro and who died in service on March 21 or April 1, 1863, at Fairgrounds Hospital, Atlanta, GA, of gangrene. Buried in Oakland Cemetery, Atlanta, Fulton County, GA. Southern Patriot!] Pvt. Holloway is buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./3rd Corp. James Archibald Hubbard (b. Marlboro County, SC, 1831-d. Simpson County, MS, 1919), Co. F ("Pearl River Guards," raised in Simpson County, MS), 39th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 30, 1862, in Simpson County, MS, at age 30. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 3rd Corp. on April 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 48-day Siege of Port Hudson, LA, on July 9, 1863. [Though he has no parole camp records, he would have been required to report to a parole camp. Parole camps were Confederate military camps where soldiers continued to train until they were "exchanged" on paper for a like number of Yankee who had also been captured and paroled. Such soldiers could not perform any active military duty until they were exchanged on paper.] Dec. 1863 company muster roll states "absent without leave since about 18 Nov. 1863." Returned to service, because Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "deserted from his command at Mobile, Ala., Feb. 14, 1864." Absent as private on Aug. 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "deserted his command Feb. 15, 1864; rejoined April 23, 1864; prisoner of war since Aug. 6, 1864." Captured during the Siege of Atlanta, GA, on Aug. 6, 1864. Forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then Louisville, KY, and, finally, to horrific Camp Chase, OH, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's so as to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Chase on Sept. 3, 1864. Released from Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp at war's end, June 26, 1865, after first taking the required Oath of Allegiance to the United States. (Residence given on POW records as Simpson County, MS.) Apparently given transportation to Louisville, KY, as he was admitted on June 27, 1865, to Branch A, Post Hospital, Louisville, KY, suffering from scurvy [thanks to being starved by the Yankees!], with notation "paroled Confederate prisoner." Released from hospital on July 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hopewell Cemetery, located at the intersection of Mount Olive Road and Wiggington Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt./Corp. William Jackson Hubbard (b. Simpson County, MS, 1844-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1928), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. Sept. 11, 1861, in Covington County, MS, at age 17. Present on Sept. 17, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 5, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862, company muster roll, with notation "on extra duty since Sept. 16, 1862, by order [of] Col. Bishop." Ditto on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on extra duty since Sept. 16, 1862, by order [of] Col. Bishop, assisting Ordnance Sgt." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on special service in Ordnance Department since Sept. 16, 1862, [on] order [of] Col. Bishop." Ditto on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. Promoted to Corporal sometime between Aug. 31, 1864, and Dec. 16, 1864. Captured at the Battle of Nashville, TN, on Dec. 16, 1864, and forwarded as a POW to Louisville, KY, and then to horrific Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service upon exchange. Arrived at Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on Jan. 6, 1865. Released from Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp at war's end on June 12, 1865, after first taking the required Oath of Allegiance to the United States. (Residence given on parole as Simpson County, MS.) Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hopewell Cemetery, located at the intersection of Mount Olive Road and Wiggington Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./2nd Corp./1st Corp. Anthony Hutching (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1829-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1903), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted as 1st Corp. on April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 32. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present as private on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital at Saltillo [Lee County, MS], Sept. 5th [1862]." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled as a Corp. at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Absent as 2nd Corp. on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave [since] Aug. 23 [1863]; paroled at Vicksburg." [Note: Parole camps were Confederate military camps where soldiers continued to train until they were "exchanged" on paper for a like number of Yankee who had also been captured and paroled. Such soldiers could not perform any active military duty until they were exchanged on paper.] 2nd Corp. absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Corp. on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave Aug. 23rd 1863 to Jan. 26th 1864." No further records with this unit. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but Corp. Hutchins does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. Buried in the Hutchins Cemetery, 31.72500 -89.92830, located on the S side of Old Hebron Road, appr. 800 ft. E of the intersection of Old Hebron Road and Norwood Lane, with a private marker.

Pvt. John Hutchins (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1827-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1916), Camp Guard, Camp of Instruction for Conscripts, Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS. Enlisted Jan. 7, 1863, at Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS, at age 35. Term of service not stated. Present on March 1, 1863, camp muster roll. Appears only on the foregoing muster roll. Pvt. Hutchins enlisted a second time, this time as a private into Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted Feb. 12, 1864, at Mount Carmel, Covington County, MS, at age 36. June 30, 1864, company muster roll states "absent on detached service [at] Canton [Madison County], Miss." No further records with this unit. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Hutchins does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. Pvt. Hutchins filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1909, in which he stated that he enlisted in 1863 and served two years. Buried in the Hutchins Cemetery, located on the S side of Old Hebron Road, appr. 500 feet E of that road's junction with Norwood Lane, New Hebron, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Edward Lafayette Jones (b. Coffee County, AL, 1846-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1914), Chunchula Guards (aka "Capt. Benjamin Toomer's Company," AL Local Defense and Special Service Troops, which became "Capt. Benjamin Toomer's Company," AL Reserves, which became Co. G, 4th AL Reserves), raised in Mobile County, AL. Enlisted at Chunchula, Mobile County, AL, on Aug. 15, 1863, at age 16. Present on Oct. 31, 1864, company muster roll, which notes that the company "is now doing duty as Co. D, in [Mobile] City Battalion [aka "1st Regiment Mobile Volunteers]." No further records in this unit. Southern Patriot! His widow, Ellen Jones, filed Confederate Pension applications in Lawrence County, MS, in 1916 & 1924, in which she stated that Pvt. Jones served in Co. B, 42nd AL Infantry, but she was mistaken in her remembrance, as he never served in that unit. Buried in the Masonic Cemetery, appr. 5900 Robin Wood Road, Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, with a private marker. [INCLUDED HERE BECAUSE SOME DATABASES INCORRECTLY PLACE THE CEMETERY IN WHICH HE IS BURIED IN JEFF DAVIS COUNTY, MS.]

Pvt./Corp. M. William Keen (b. Simpson County, MS, 1839-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1902), Co. H ("Simpson Fencibles," raised in Simpson County, MS), 6th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. July 9, 1861, at Westville, Simpson County, MS, at age 22. Enlisted into Confederate service at Grenada, Grenada County, MS, on Aug. 24, 1861. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Jan. 1, 1863, company muster roll. Absent on June 30, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "on detached service at Vicksburg [Warren County, MS]." Surrendered and paroled after the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "surrendered with Vicksburg [garrison], July 4, 1863, [and] at home on parole." Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "paroled at Vicksburg, 4th July 1863." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "paroled at Vicksburg, 4th July 1863; absent with leave." Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in North Carolina, portions of the 6th MS Infantry, the 15th MS Infantry, the 20th MS Infantry, and the 23rd MS Infantry were consolidated into one unit -- the 15th Consolidated MS Infantry. M.W. Keen served as a Corp. in that consolidated command. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and the Army of the South on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Greensboro, NC, ca. May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. James Lawrence King [found as "James King" in the military records] (b. Smith County, MS, ca. 1850-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1920), Co. B ("Capt. Nixon's Company," raised in Jasper, Jones, & Smith Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves. Late-war enlistee. No enlistment date/data. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Columbus, MS, on May 16, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Taylorsville, Smith County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in Old Greens Creek Cemetery, 31.47330 -89.84330, located appr. 800 feet due E of a point on Smith Lane that is appr. 1200 feet N of that road's junction with Blackwell Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. John Marion King (b. Covington County, MS, 1836-d. Covington County, MS, 1905), Co. G ("Covington Sharpshooters," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 25. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. No further records in his military file with this unit. Buried in the Richard King Cemetery, 31.55506 -89.66703, located appr. 600 ft. NE of 1338 Santee Methodist Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Erastus C. Laird (b. MS, 1839-d. Covington County, MS, 1898), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. B, 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 22. Originally enlisted into Co. A ("Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS) of Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, but seems to have shortly thereafter been transferred to Co. A ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), which became Co. B, Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Present or absent not stated on May 27, l862, company muster roll. No further information in his military file. It is likely that he was rejected for service by the enrolling/inspecting officer. His widow, Lizzie Laird, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1922, in which she stated that her husband was not in active service at the surrender because of "perminant (sic) wounds." However, his service record contains no mention of any wounds. Buried in the Blount Cemetery (aka, Laird Cemetery), located on the east side of North Carson Road, appr. 1 mile S of the intersection of North Carson Road and East St. Stephens Road, Carson, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker that is, however, shaped like a VA-issued Confederate marker.

Pvt. Horatio Gates Laird (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1833-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1890), Co. B ("Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 29. Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll. On Sept. 14, 1863, Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry was enlarged to become the 4th MS Cavalry. Pvt. Laird served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards") of this expanded unit. Present on July 1, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. James T. Laird (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1832-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1902), Co. A ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. B, 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted Nov. 28, 1861, at Pass Christian, Harrison County, MS, at age 29. Brought his own horse into the service. Present or absent not stated on Jan. 19, 1862, company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Feb. 1, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "brought into service 1 horse, valued at $240." Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll. On Sept. 14, 1863, Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry was enlarged to become the 4th MS Cavalry. Pvt. Laird served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards") of this expanded unit. Present on July 1, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file. Pvt. Laird's widow, Elizabeth Laird, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Perry County, MS, in 1906. Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Robert P. Laird (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1842-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1900), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted Jan. 19, 1862, at Pass Christian, Harrison County, MS, at age 19. For some reason, he is shown as a member of the "Terrell Dragoons" (also sometimes called Co. B), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, on a May 27, 1862, company muster roll. In Sept. 1863, Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry was consolidated with other units to become the 4th MS Cavalry. Pvt. Laird served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS) of this enlarged unit. Present or absent not specified on July 1, 1864, company muster roll, but notation states "[on] detached service." At this point in his military file, Pvt. R.P. Laird's records become those of a Pvt. Samuel Laird, aka Pvt. R.S. Laird, who was captured and spent the rest of the war in Northern POW hellholes. Samuel Laird was a private in Co. D ("McLean's Company," raised in Claiborn County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry. Insofar as I can determine, Pvt. R.P. Laird has no service records beyond the July 1, 1864, company muster roll mentioned above. His widow, Amanda Laird, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916, stating that her husband served in the "3rd MS Cavalry," but he has no service records in that unit. Buried in the Tyrone Cemetery (aka, Bethany Cemetery), located at the intersection of Bethany Church Road and Old Hwy. 13 South, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

William C. Laird [found as "William Laird" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1848-d. prob. Covington County, MS, bef. 1870), Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). No enlistment date/data. Probably enlisted ca. Aug. 31, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 16. Absent on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "not [yet] reported [to camp]." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./3rd Corp. Dempsey ["Demsey" in wife's pension application] Langston (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1825-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1875), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd (Quinn's) MS Infantry (Minute Men) (State Troops). Enlisted July 16, 1862, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 37, and promoted to 3rd Corp. the same day. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave since Dec. 10th 1862." No further information in his military file. His widow, Elizabeth A. Langston, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1910. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: This soldier is sometimes confused with Pvt. D. Langston, Co. E, 1st MS Cavalry, but that D. Langston was Davis Polk Langston (1844-1920) who lived in Calhoun County, MS, at the time of the War for Southern Independence and is buried in the New Liberty Cemetery, Vardaman, Calhoun County, MS. Neither is Dempsey Langston the "D.N Langston" of Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry, because that soldier is David N. Langston.]

Pvt./2nd Sgt./2nd Lt. William Askew Langston (b. Hinds County, MS, 1822-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1879), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd (Quinn's) MS Infantry (Minute Men) (State Troops). Enlisted as a private on July 28, 1862, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 40. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 2nd Lt. on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from Dec. 10th [1862] to Dec. 28th 1862; 2nd Sgt. to Nov. 26th [1862]; elected [2nd] Lt. [on] 27th Nov. [1862]." No further information in his military file for this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Thomas H. Lee (b. GA, 1836-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1925), Co. A ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted Jan. 19, 1862, at Pass Christian, Harrison County, MS, at age 25. Present or absent not stated on Feb. 1, 1862, company muster roll, which has notation "brought into service 1 horse, valued at $170." On Sept. 14, 1863, Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry was enlarged to become the 4th MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Lee has no service records in this expanded command. No further information in his military file. Pvt. Lee filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924, in which he stated that he served until war's end, a contention that is not borne out by his actual service records. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker that states "In graceful remembrance of our Confederate dead. A friend to his country and a believer in Christ."

Pvt. Wilson Jasper Lee [found as "W.J. Lee" in the military records, but found as "Wilson Jasper Lee" in H. Grady Howell's best-ever index to MS CS soldiers] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1846-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1920), Co. B ("Poitevent's Company," raised in Hancock County, MS), 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted April 10, 1862, at Camp Huddleston [location unknown], at age 15. Present on May 10, 1862, company muster roll. No further information in his military file. On Dec. 24, 1863, this unit was consolidated with additional units to become the 9th MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Lee has no service records with that expanded command. His widow, Mary Winnie Lee, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924, stating that her husband served in "Stubbs' Battalion," but he did not serve in that unit. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Lee served in Co. A, Stubbs' Battalion MS Cavalry, Co. E, 31st MS Infantry, and/or Co. A, 33rd MS Infantry, but he did not serve in any of those units.]

NAME MISTAKEN. "Richard C. Lloyd" (buried at Double Churches Cemetery [aka, Victory Cemetery], North Williamsburg Road, appr. 2000 feet N of the intersection of North Williamsburg Road and Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker) is actually Richard C. Floyd (whom see).

Pvt. John Peter Loflin (b. GA, 1817-d. Covington County, MS, 1883), Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted Aug. 31, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 47. Present on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Loflin-Applewhite Cemetery, 31.52060 -89.71860, located appr. 800 ft. SSE of the S terminus of Graves Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Leonard Lee Loftin [found as "L.L. Loftin"/"L.L. Lofton" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1823-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1875), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on July 28, 1862, at age 39. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "absent without leave to Oct. 27 [1862]." Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave since Dec. 10th, 1862." No further information in his military file. I think there is a good possibility that he is also the Pvt. "L. Loftin" of Co. B ("Capt. Hudnall's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Late-war enlistment, with no enlistment date/data in his file. Known only from his war's-end parole. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Columbus, MS, on May 17, 1865, as one of the "enlisted men reporting to Commandant of Post," Columbus, MS. No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Residence given on parole as Marion County, MS, but I think this was the area where Marion, Lawrence, and Covington Counties' borders converged before the creation of Jeff Davis County. Buried in the Leonard Lee Loftin Cemetery, 31.47360 -89.87670, located appr. 200 ft. due S of a point on Jack Loftin Road that lies appr. 1000 ft. W of that road's intersection with Percy Bates Road or appr. 500 ft. E of the West Fork of Green's Creek, Oak, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases list the William A. Lott of the 27th/24th MS Infantries as William Alexander Lott, but his middle name is given nowhere in his military records. I firmly believe that William A. Lott of the 27th/24th MS Infantries is William Arthur Lott.]

Pvt./3rd Corp. William Arthur Lott (b. Covington County, MS, 1838-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1909), Co. F ("Covington Fencibles," raised in Covington County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 13, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 24. Present on Nov. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Appears on a Jan. 16, 1863, "List of men, placed in charge of Capt. J.W. Hubbard, to report to Gen. [Braxton] Bragg's Headquarters at Tulahoma, Tenn.," with the list being dated Chattanooga, TN. [Nature of duty for these men not specified.] Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "furloughed home [on] 26 March 1863 on Surgeon's Certificate." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Was apparently a patient at S.P. Moore Hospital, Griffin, GA, sometime between Sept. 30, 1863, and Dec. 1, 1863, and was "returned to duty" sometime within that time frame. [No additional details on cause for hospitalization.] On extra duty as a Quartermaster teamster, Sept. 1, 1863, through Jan. 31, 1864, at Morristown, TN [with the exception of time in hospital at Griffin, GA]. [Note: This Morristown, TN, must be a now extinct community in the Chattanooga, TN, area and not the current city in Hamblen County, TN.] Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Received clothing issue at undisclosed locations on April 30, 1864, and on May 31, 1864. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 27th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 24th MS Infantry, the 29th MS Infantry, the 30th MS Infantry, & the 34th MS Infantry to form the 24th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Lott served as 3rd Corp. in Co. G of this consolidated unit. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and the Army of the South on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Old Melba Cemetery, 31.44500 -89.64830, located appr. 400 ft. due S of a point on Broome Road that lies appr. 800 ft. W of that road's intersection with State Hwy. 42, Melba, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Pvt. Lott, perhaps while waiting for the "Covington Fencibles" to take the field, apparently enlisted into a second company -- Co. G ("Covington Sharpshooters," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. He is consistently shown as AWOL from this second company and consistently noted as having joined another company (i.e., the "Covington Fencibles"). His records with the 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry are: Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 24. Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "absent without leave." Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "absent without leave & joined another company." Ditto on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with the 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry, but he clearly served honorably and nobly the entire war with the 27th MS Infantry.]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Laban "Lake" Luper (b. prob. Marion County, MS, 1827-d. in service, Lowndes County, MS, 1862), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 35. June 30, 1862, company muster roll states "died in Hospital at Columbus [Lowndes County, MS], June 25, 1862." A "Register containing a record of the Property of Deceased Confederate Soldiers," states that he died June 25, 1862, at Foard Hospital, Columbus, MS. Various registers of effects left by Confederate soldiers state that he left clothing that was sold for $1.00 and that he left $50.00 in cash. The cash was turned over to "his [unnamed] father-in-law." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! His widow, Sarah Luper Bryant filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924. Burial site not found, but probably buried in an unmarked grave in or near Columbus, Lowndes County, MS.

Pvt. Daniel McArthur (b. MS, 1810-d. Wayne County\*\*\*, MS, 1877), Co. B ("Rosin Heels," raised in Jones County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 10, 1861, in Jones County, MS, at age 51. Present on Sept. 10, 1861, company muster roll. On extra duty as carpenter at Warrenton, FL, "building hospital" from Jan. 1, 1862-Jan. 19, 1862. Jan. 1862 Regimental Return states "on extra duty [as] Carpenter at Branch Hospital." On extra duty as teamster at Warrenton, FL, from Jan. 20, 1862-Jan. 31, 1862. July 1, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged by reason of Disability at Corinth [Tishomingo County, MS] while on extra duty [on] 18th May 1862." However, his discharge date as given on his final payday is May 12, 1862. His discharge paper states that he was being discharged on account of "age and general debility" and gives the place of discharge as Camp Benloh [Beulah?], AL. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [\*\*\*Note: Birth county (previously undocumented) is taken from his army discharge paper.]

BURIED IN CARROLL COUNTY. Pvt. William B. McDaniel [records misfiled under "William B. McDonald"] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1842-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1923), Co. B ("Beauregard Defenders," raised in Jones & Perry Counties, MS), 7th Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 3, 1862, in Covington County, MS, at age 20. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sick at hospital." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled after the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Reported to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on Oct. 29, 1863. [Parole camps were Confederate military camps where soldiers continued to train until they were "exchanged" on paper for a like number of Yankee who had also been captured and paroled. Such soldiers could not perform any active military duty until they were exchanged on paper.] Present on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. "Appears on a Report of Officers and Men of Sears' Brigade who reached the main line of the enemy's works at [the horrific Battle of] Franklin, Tenn., Nov. 30, 1864," with report dated Dec. 14, 1864, Nashville, TN [the day before the start of the horrific two-day Battle of Nashville, TN, Dec. 15-16, 1864]. No further information in his military file. Pvt. McDaniel filed a Confederate Pension application in Carroll County, MS, in 1916, in which he stated that he was "out on detail duty" near Mobile, AL, when his command surrendered at that place. His widow filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Carroll County, MS, in 1940. Buried in the Harmony Cemetery, Carroll County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he is buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, but I think this is in error.] [Note: He is included in this list of Jeff Davis County, MS, burials because of the mistaken notion that he is actually buried in Jeff Davis County, MS.]

Pvt./5th Sgt. James Powell McGehee [also found as "McGeeHee" in the military records] (b. Washington Parish, LA, 1830-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1914), Co. A ("Capt. John J. Slocum's Company," raised in Washington Parish, LA), 9th Battalion LA Partisan Rangers, which became Co. A, 3rd (Wingfield's) LA Cavalry. Enlisted as 5th Sgt. on May 13, 1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 32. Present on Oct. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on undated company muster roll, taken ca. Nov. 1, 1862, with notation that he was paid 40 cents per day for the use of his own private horse. Assigned to duty as a private in Co. E ("Natchez Rebels," raised in Adams County, MS), 4th Battalion LA Infantry, on April 4, 1865. Present on April 1865 company muster roll, with notation "to be paid as Sergeant in [the] Cavalry from 31st Dec. 1863 to the 24 (sic) of July 1864." Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Meridian, MS, on May 10, 1865, as a private in Co. G [formed by the consolidation of Companies C, E, & F of the 4th Battalion LA Infantry], LA Pelican Regiment. Notation on parole gives residence as Franklinton, Washington Parish, LA. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Blount (aka, Laird) Cemetery, located on the east side of North Carson Road, appr. 1 mile S of the intersection of North Carson Road and East St. Stephens Road, Carson, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Leonard Bullagrew [also given in family histories as Leonard Bradford McGrew] McGrew, Sr. (b. Marion County, MS, 1842-d. Covington County, MS, 1903), Co. F ("Covington Fencibles," raised in Covington County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 10, 1861, in Covington County, MS, at age 19. Present or absent not stated on Aug. 26, 1861, company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Oct. 19, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Nov. 5, 1861, company muster roll. Present on July 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Nov. 1, 1862, company muster roll. "Wounded severely in the hip and knee" on Dec. 31, 1862, in the corn field at the Battle of Murfreesboro (aka Stones River), TN. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "absent, sick in hospital." April 1863 company muster roll states "discharged by order of Post Surgeon Pim, Rome, Ga., 11 April 1863." Discharged not because of his wounds, but because of tuberculosis (called at the time "phthisis pulmonalis," or "consumption of the lungs"), with the surgeons stating, "in our opinion, he never will be fit for service." However, Pvt. McGrew did return to service. He enlisted late in the war into Co. E ("Capt. Gillis' Company," raised in Perry County, MS), 3rd Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. No enlistment date/data. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Columbus, MS, on May 16, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Covington County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the St. James Catholic Church Cemetery, located at the intersection of Catholic Cemetery Road and Terrell Loop, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. John McInnis, Jr. (b. Richmond County, NC, 1816-d. Covington County, MS, 1864), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted Aug. 11, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 46. Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged Aug. 15th [1862]." Southern Patriot! No further information in his military file with this unit. Buried in the John McInnis Cemetery, 31.72120 -89.76604, located appr. 2000 ft. due S of a point on Clem Road that is appr. 1500 ft. W of that road's intersection with Strickland Road, Clem, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Conscript Joseph McInnis [found as "J. McInis" in the military (b. Covington County, MS, 1828-d. Covington County, MS, 1888), Commissary Department, 5th District, Department of Mississippi & East Louisiana, Confederate States of America. No conscription date/data. Known only from his war's end parole. Probably conscripted and detailed in the Commissary Department because of clerical skills. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Jackson, MS, on May 14, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Covington County, MS. Buried in the Joseph McInnis Cemetery, 31.71420 -89.78000, on the S side of Clem Road/State Hwy. 541, about 2500 ft. E of that road's intersection with Clem School Road, Clem, Jefferson Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

2nd Lt./1st Lt. Hugh Alexander McLeod (b. Covington County, MS, 1823-d. Covington County, MS, 1893), Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted as 2nd Lt. on Aug. 31, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 41. Present on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "2nd Lieut. H.A. McLeod was promoted to 1st Lieut. of Co. B, 1st Bat. Ms. C. [on] Sept. 2nd 1864." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Loflin-Applewhite Cemetery, 31.52060 -89.71860, located appr. 800 ft. SSE of the S terminus of Graves Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. A.J. [Andrew Jackson?] McNease (b. possibly Lawrence County, MS, 1845-d. possibly Jeff Davis County, MS, 1921) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. A ("Capt. C.J. Barnes' Company," county of origin unclear), Stubbs' Battalion MS Cavalry. However, no service records have been found for him in that or any other MS CS unit. Grave site not found, but said to be buried in the Antioch Church Cemetery, 843 Granby Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, probably in an unmarked grave (though some databases state that he has a private marker).

Pvt./Sgt. John Rufus McNease (b. LA, 1840-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1913), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Note: His military records do not appear under Fold3.com, even though there are markers there for those records, so he is a bona fide Confederate veteran. Sgt. McNease filed a Confederate Pension application in Covington County, MS, in 1905, in which he stated that he enlisted into Co. E in May 1862 and served until July 1863. He was disabled for service by being wounded during the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, his wounding taking place on June 24, 1863, when his "right eye [was] shot out." Southern Patriot! His widow, Ann McNease, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1914. Buried in the Antioch Church Cemetery, 843 Granby Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that J.R. McNease served in Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry, but no J.R. McNease (or name variants) ever served in that unit.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. William J. McNease (b. unknown, 1846-d. prob. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1919). His widow, Martha McNease, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1919, stating that he served from late 1864 until war's end under "Capt. Lampkin." This could only mean Capt. Lamkin of Co. E ("Neshoba Guards," raised in Neshoba County, MS), 5th MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863) (Robinson's), but William J. McNease (and variant spellings) has no service records in that unit. Plus, he was living in Lawrence County at the time. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Henry Adam David McNeil [aka, Henry Adam David McNure -- verified via genealogy -- and found in the military records as "H.A.D. McNure"] (b. Lexington County, SC, 1841-d. Simpson County, MS, 1924), (Old) Co. D/(New) Co. C ("True Confederates," aka, "Capt. William T. Ward's Company," raised in Smith County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. Enlisted June 1, 1861, at Raleigh, Smith County, MS, at age 19. Present on Oct. 5, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. "Severely wounded in the bowels" at the Battle of Murfreesboro, TN, on Dec. 31, 1862. Paroled for 30 days from an unspecified hospital in Atlanta, GA, on March 2, 1863. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "in hospital." Absent on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on detached service." Ditto on June 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. On extra duty as a teamster at unspecified location, Sept. 1-15, 1863, at pay rate of 25 cents per day. Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "absent on furlough." Present on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation, "one month's pay to be deducted for absence without leave." On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 8th MS Infantry, the 5th MS Infantry, the 22nd MS Infantry, and 3rd Battalion MS Infantry were consolidated into the 8th Battalion Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. McNure served in Co. B of this consolidated unit. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and the Army of the South on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hopewell Cemetery, located at the intersection of Mount Olive Road and Wiggington Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Allen M. McPhail (b. Covington County, MS, 1845-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1920), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted Feb. 20, 1864, at Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS, at age 18. Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but Pvt. McPhail does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. Pvt. McPhail filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916, in which he stated that he was on "detail duty" at Jackson, MS, when the surrender came, but this assertion is not borne out by his service record. His widow, Amanda McPhail, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1921. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker that has a Southern Cross of Honor (Maltese cross) inscribed thereon.

Pvt. Joseph P. McPhail (b. Covington County, MS, 1843-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1924), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 18. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent at Clinton [Hinds County, MS] Hospital [since] July 19, 1862." Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "furloughed for 20 days by Brigade Surgeon [on] Oct. 4, 1862." On Dec. 2, 1862, the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry was expanded to become the 46th MS Infantry, in which unit Pvt. McPhail served in Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS). Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "furloughed for 20 days by Brigade Surgeon [on] Oct. 4, 1862." Ditto on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled after the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "absent without leave since Aug. 23, 1863." No further information in his military file. Pvt. McPhail filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916 & 1919, in which he claimed to have served until war's end, to have been wounded in the wrist at Marietta, GA, and to have surrendered with his regiment at Fort Blakely, AL, at war's end, none of which assertions are borne out by his actual service records. His widow, Polly McPhail, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Emanuel Jackson Magee (b. Covington County, MS, 1830-d. Covington County, MS, 1889), Co. B ("Terrell's Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 32. Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll. Seems to have been rejected for service on medical grounds by the enrolling/inspecting officer. No further records in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Magee Cemetery, located appr. 600 feet S of a point on Mt. Olive Road that is appr. halfway between the junction of that road with Wiggington Road and the junction of Mt. Olive Road with Clem Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

3rd Corp./1st Corp./Color Corp. George Washington Magee (b. Simpson County, MS, 1838-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1907), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. B, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 3rd Corp. on Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 23. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 1st Corp. on June 1862 company muster roll. Aug. 1862 company muster roll states "absent at hospital, Jackson [MS], [since] Aug. 21, 1862." Ditto on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. On Dec. 2, 1862, the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry was enlarged to become the 46th MS Infantry. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll as both 1st Corp. and "Color Corporal," a position of extreme honor that constituted part of the regimental color guard. Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll states "deserted April 13th 1863." No further information in his military file. Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but this is not shown on his find-a-grave page.] [Note: Some databases state that he served in Co. F ("Tallahatchie Rifles," raised in Tallahatchie County, MS), 21st MS Infantry, but the G.W. Magee who served in that company is an entirely different man, who was single and living in Tallahatchie County, MS, in 1860, while the George Washington Magee under consideration here was living in South MS at the time and was married with children.]

Pvt. Hiram R. Magee ["High" in wife's pension application] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1845-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1914), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted Dec. 9, 1863, at Bayou Manchac, SE of Baton Rouge, LA. Present on July 1, 1864, company muster roll. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole gives his residence as Covington County, MS. Southern Patriot! His widow, Amanda O. Magee, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1918. Buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he is buried in the Polk Cemetery No. 2, but he is not. Also, some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but, if he has one, it is not depicted on his find-a-grave page.]

Pvt./4th Sgt. Hugh Rufus Magee (b. Covington County, MS, 1833-d. Covington County, MS, 1900), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted as 4th Sgt. on Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 28. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. June 1862 company muster roll states "discharged at Meridian [Lauderdale County, MS], May 18, 1862, by Dr. McCormick, Battalion Surgeon." Southern Patriot! [Note: Some databases and family histories state that Sgt. Magee served in the 46th MS Infantry, but this is incorrect. While it is true that the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry was enlarged to become the 46th MS Infantry, this expansion did not take place until Dec. 2, 1862, nearly half a year after Sgt. Magee was discharged from the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry.] [Note: Some databases state that H.R. Magee served in Co. C ("Hancock Rebels," raised in Hancock County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), but he has no service records with that unit.] [Note: Some family sources state that he served in the 4th MS Cavalry, but the H.R. Magee in that unit was Pvt. Hiram R. Magee.] Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Jackson Calvin Magee (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1831-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1905), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 31. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to rear from Baldwin [i.e., Baldwyn, Lee & Prentiss County, MS, on] Sept. 24 [1862]." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [on] Sept. 11 [1862]." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [on] Sept. 11 [1862]." Returned to service and was surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave [from] Aug. 23, 1863, to Feb. 15, 1864." No further records in this unit. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Magee does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Magee served in the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became the 46th MS Infantry, but he never served in that command.]

Pvt. Nehemiah Mier Magee [found as "Mier Magee," "Mire Magee," and "Myre Magee" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1837-d. Lawrence County, MS, July 1865), Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Enlisted April 27, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 24. Present on June 27, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Admitted March 20, 1862, to 1st Mississippi C.S.A. Hospital, Jackson, Hinds County, MS, suffering from debility and returned to duty on April 4, 1862. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. July 25, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave since July 16, 1863." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Jan. 5, 1864, company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "to [i.e., "pay docked"] one bayonet scabbard, $1.00." Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Feb. 28, 1865, company muster roll states "absent without leave; detailed to attend Capt. Given from Franklin, Tenn., home." On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 22nd MS Infantry, the 1st MS Infantry, the 33rd MS Infantry, and the 1st Battalion MS Infantry were consolidated to form the 22nd Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Magee served in Co. H of this consolidated unit. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Greensboro, NC, April 28, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Tobias Magee Cemetery (aka, Magee Cemetery), located appr. 600 feet N of a point on E St. Stephens Road that is appr. 600 feet E of the intersection of St. Stephens Road and J.E. Johnson Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with both a Confederate and a private marker. (No better directions available.) [Name appears as "Mieer (sic) Magee" on Confederate marker.]

(Dr.) Pvt./2nd Sgt./2nd Lt./1st Lt. Robert J. Magee (b. Simpson County, MS, 1844-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1888), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became the 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted Jan. 19, 1862, at Pass Christian, Harrison County, MS, at age 17. Jan. 19, 1862, company muster roll states "brought 1 horse into service." Present or absent not stated on Feb. 1, 1862, company muster roll, but additional notation states "brought into service 1 horse valued at $250." Appears as 2nd Sgt., with present or absent not stated, on May 27, 1862, company muster roll, which indicates that he enlisted into the "Terrell Dragoons" of Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry at Camp Moore on May 14, 1862, but this is simply a clerical error, as he was a member of the "Copiah Horse Guards" of the same battalion. On Sept. 14, 1863, Stockdale's Battalion was expanded to become the 4th MS Cavalry. 2nd Sgt. Magee served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards") of this expanded command. A "Roster of the 4th Mississippi Cavalry," dated July 1864, states that he was elected 2nd Lt. on Feb. 16, 1864. Present as 2nd Lt. on July 1, 1864, company muster roll. A "Roster of Officers in Mabry's Brigade," dated Grenada, Grenada County, MS, Sept. 21, 1864, shows 2nd Lt. Magee absent, on orders of Gen. Chalmers, "collecting absentees." Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, 31.62000 -89.94110, entry road for cemetery located on the N side of Oak Grove Road, at a point that lies appr. 1000 ft. E of that road's intersection with McCormick Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Robert Philip Magee (b. MS, 1832-d. Covington County, MS, 1898), Co. B ("Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became the 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, on May 14, 1862, at age 30. Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this unit. He was probably rejected for service by the enrolling/inspecting officer. Never made the transition to the 4th MS Cavalry. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Malloy Cemetery (aka, Milloy Cemetery), located at 1191 Mt. Olive Road (at the intersection of Mt. Olive Road and Cut Off Road), Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but, if present, it is not shown on his find-a-grave page.] [Note: Some databases list this soldier as "B.P. Magee," but he is Robert P. Magee.]

Pvt. Thomas Jefferson Magee (b. Simpson County, MS, 1839-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1915), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. B, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 22. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "furloughed for thirty days by Brigade Surgeon [on] Sept. 18, 1862." Ditto on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Must have returned to service, as Oct. 30, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave from Aug. 23, 1863." Dec. 1863 company muster roll states "absent without leave since March 1, 1863." Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "absent without leave since Aug. 23, 1863." No further information in his military file. Buried in the Magee-Sullivan Cemetery, 31.45810 -89.72560, located appr. 300 feet W of a point on Thompson Road that is appr. 2000 feet N of the junction of Thompson Road with McNease Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Capt./Major Turpin Dickson Magee (b. Covington County, MS, 1824-d. Covington County, MS, 1879), Capt., Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. B, 46th MS Infantry, and Major, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted as captain of Co. B on Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 38. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. July 1862 Regimental Return states "absent, [in] Covington County [MS], sick in hospital since July 11, 1862." Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. The 6th Battalion was enlarged to become the 46th MS Infantry on Dec. 2, 1862. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent on special detail by order of Maj. Gen. Smith." Surrendered and paroled after the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent on detached service since Sept. 12, 1863." Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent on detached service since Jan. 28, 1864." Detailed for unspecified duty on March 3, 1864, at unknown location. Appointed major of the 46th MS Infantry before Nov. 30, 1864. Severely wounded at the horrific Battle of Franklin, TN, on Nov. 30, 1864. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Jackson, MS, on May 15, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Covington County, MS. Signed his parole as major [not colonel] of the 46th MS Infantry. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Magee Cemetery, located appr. 600 feet S of a point on Mt. Olive Road that is appr. halfway between the junction of that road with Wiggington Road and the junction of Mt. Olive Road with Clem Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with both a private marker and a second private marker that states "Colonel, C.S.A.," but without specifying his unit. [Note: He was never a colonel.]

Pvt./2nd Lt./Capt. Neil Mathison (b. Twiggs County, GA, 1818-d. Covington County, MS, 1911), Co. B ("Capt. A.O. Cox's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted as a 2nd Lt. on June 9, 1862, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 44. Present on Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent with leave from the 26th Feb. 1863 to the 28th Feb. 1863." [Note: Since the captain of this company resigned in Jan. 1863 and the 1st Lt. was AWOL from Jan. 1, 1863, onwards, it appears that Lt. Mathison was either promoted or breveted captain of the company. This would explain his appearing in other records as Capt. Neill (sic) Mathison, Co. B, 2nd MS Infantry, 3rd Brigade, Minute Men, which I believe is an alternate name for Co. B, 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's), and for which unit I can find no separate records.] No further information in his military file with this short-term command. When his term of enlistment with Quinn's was up, Neil Mathison joined a second command, this time as a private. He enlisted sometime shortly before the war ended (no enlistment date/data) into Co. E ("Capt. Gillis' Company," raised in Perry & other counties in South MS), 3rd Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Columbus, MS, on May 16, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Covington County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Jared B. May (b. Pike County, MS, 1828-d. Marion County, MS, 1907), Co. E ("Quitman Guards," raised in Pike County, MS), 16th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 23, 1861, at Holmesville, Pike County, MS, at age 33. Present on May 27, 1861, company muster roll. Present on June 12, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 31, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "sick in camp at Corinth [Tishomingo County, MS], June 10, 1861, [and now] on sick leave at home." Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "sick in hospital at Warrenton, Va." Jan. 1862 Regimental Return states "absent; left sick at Warrenton, Va., 28th Nov. 1862." Admitted Feb. 27, 1862, to C.S.A. General Hospital, Charlottesville, VA, suffering from "sequelae of typhoid fever" and returned to duty on May 3, 1862. Absent on Feb. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sick at hospital." Present on April 1862 company muster roll. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sick in hospital [from] May 3 [1862]; return[ed] May 27 [1862]; [and] sick in hospital [again since] June 8 [1862]." Admitted to C.S.A. General Hospital, Charlottesville, VA, on July 26, 1862, suffering from debility, and returned to duty on July 27, 1862. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on April 1864 company muster roll, but notation on same states "sick in hospital [since] May 4, 1864." Absent on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "in Hospital [since] May 4, 1864." Returned to duty June 2, 1864, from Wayside Hospital, Farmville, VA. Admitted June 5, 1864, to General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, and transferred to Convalescent Camp. Received clothing issue on June 29, 1864, at 3rd Division General Hospital (formerly Small Pox Hospital), Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA. Admitted July 1, 1864, to General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, and transferred on July 14, 1864, to 3rd Div. General Hospital. Admitted Aug. 20, 1864, to General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, suffering from chronic diarrhea, and transferred on Sept. 22, 1864, to Stuart Hospital. Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "in Hospital [from] May 4, 1864; returned since [being marked absent for this] muster and paid [on] 30 June 1864." Returned to duty from Stuart General Hospital, Richmond, VA, on Sept. 29, 1864. Present on Oct. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "in Hospital [from] May 4, 1864, and returned Oct. 17, 1864." Present on Dec. 1864 company muster roll. Served till war's end. Captured April 7, 1865, at the Battle of Harper's Farm (part of the larger Battle of Sayler's Creek), VA, near the end of the Appomattox Campaign, and forwarded as a POW to Point Lookout, MD, POW camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to render them unfit for field service. Released from Point Lookout, MD, POW camp on June 29, 1865, after taking the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Note on parole give his residence as Pike County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker that states, "A Confederate Soldier of the 16th Miss. Regiment, Company Quitman Guard[s]."

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. L.F. Merritt (b. possibly Hancock County, MS, 1839-d. possibly Covington County, MS, 1893) is said to have been a Confederate soldier in Co. F ("Shieldsboro Rifles," raised in Hancock County, MS), 3rd MS Infantry, but no service records exist for him in that or any other MS CS command. No genealogy found. Burial site not found, but said to be buried in the Wilks/Wilkes Cemetery, located on the E side of South Williamsburg Road, about 2000 feet N of that road's intersection with Cavanaugh Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Some databases say that he has a private marker.]

Pvt. Albert Marion Mikell (b. TN, 1843-d. in service, prob. Grenada County, MS, 1862), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 18. June 30, 1862, company muster roll states "absent sick in Hospital at Columbus [Lowndes County, MS]." Aug. 1862 company muster roll states "absent, sent on detached service by Col. Adams, July 12 [1862] at Lawrence County [MS], sick." Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "absent, sent to Hospital from Waterford [Marshall County, MS], Oct. 28th [1862]." Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "died Dec. 19 [1862]." [Note: Family genealogies state that he actually died on Dec. 18, 1862.] [Note: Pvt. Mikell probably died at Grenada, Grenada County, MS, since his regiment would have most likely been stationed there at the time of his death.] No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, 31.62000 -89.94110, entry road for cemetery located on the N side of Oak Grove Road, at a point that lies appr. 1000 ft. E of that road's intersection with McCormick Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Benjamin F. [Franklin?] Mikell (b. MS, 1838-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1862), Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Company was enlisted into State service on April 27, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, when Pvt. Mikell would have been 22 years old; however, he would have joined the company proper locally a few weeks earlier. Present or absent not stated on April 27, 1861, company muster roll, which means that he was probably rejected for service on medical grounds by the State enrolling/inspecting officer. No further records in his military file with this unit. However, this young Southron was not yet done serving his new nation. Having recovered his health, he enlisted a second time, again as a private, into Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry, on or sometime prior to Aug. 3, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS. Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll states "absent; received furlough from Sept. 25 [1861] to Oct. 10 [1861]; sent [with?] Certificate of sickness." Nov. 1861 Regimental Return states that he was discharged at Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, MS, on Nov. 10, 1861, for disability. No further information in his military file. Family sources state that he returned home and died shortly thereafter, Feb. 17, 1862, which death was surely attributable to illness contracted while in the service of the Confederate States of America. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, 31.62000 -89.94110, entry road for cemetery located on the N side of Oak Grove Road, at a point that lies appr. 1000 ft. E of that road's intersection with McCormick Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. George W. [Washington?] Mikell (b. Lawrence County, MS,\*\*\* 1841-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1903), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Company was enlisted into State service on Sept. 27, 1861, at Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, MS, when Pvt. Mikell was age 20, but he would have originally enlisted into the company proper a few weeks earlier in Lawrence County, MS. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Nov. 1861 Regimental Return states "absent sick in Lawrence County [MS]." Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent on sick furlough since Feb. 25th [1862]; extension of furlough for 60 days [beginning on] June 15th [1862] by order of Post Surgeon." [Post not specified but possibly Tupelo, Lee County, MS.] Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged for disability by order of Gen. [Braxton] Bragg, Sept. 1, 1862." Final Statement states that he was discharged near Pikeville, Bledsoe County, TN, on Sept. 4, 1862. The Surgeon of the 7th MS Infantry described his health thusly: "I...find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of dyspepsia, general debility, & spinal imitation [sic -- could not find a clear definition for this ailment], the effect of an attack of measles in November last on a previously feeble constitution." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, 31.62000 -89.94110, entry road for cemetery located on the N side of Oak Grove Road, at a point that lies appr. 1000 ft. E of that road's intersection with McCormick Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: \*\*\*Place of birth from army discharge paper. Family genealogy says that he was born in TN.] [Note: Some databases state that he served in Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), but he has no service records in that command.]

Pvt. Ira H. Mikell [found as "Irah Michael" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1846-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1886), Capt. H.C. Gibson's Independent Company of MS Cavalry (raised in Lawrence County, MS). Enlisted Nov. 14, 1863, at Westville, Simpson County, MS, at age 16. Appears only on an undated muster-in roll for this company. No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, 31.62000 -89.94110, entry road for cemetery located on the N side of Oak Grove Road, at a point that lies appr. 1000 ft. E of that road's intersection with McCormick Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY. James J. Mikell [Justice of the Peace & Clerk of Court in Lawrence County, MS] (b. Shelby County, TN, 1807-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1874) was paid $252 on Oct. 30, 1863, for the hire of three of his wagons, drivers, and 11 yoke of oxen (i.e., 22 oxen) to haul sugar from Summit, Pike County, MS, to Mount Carmel, Covington County, MS, for the Confederate Commissary Department. The trip took 9 days, with $8 a day being paid per wagon per day, yielding $252. Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, 31.62000 -89.94110, entry road for cemetery located on the N side of Oak Grove Road, at a point that lies appr. 1000 ft. E of that road's intersection with McCormick Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt./4th Sgt./1st Sgt. John J. Mikell (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1829-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1882), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted as 1st Sgt. on April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 32. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 4th Sgt. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with no reason stated for demotion in rank. Detached Feb. 23, 1863, to serve as a courier for the Magnolia Leather Works, Magnolia, Pike County, MS, which was conducting operations for the Confederate military, making shoes, etc. Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "absent on detached service." Oct. 31, 1863, shows now Pvt. Mikell "absent without leave [since] April 20 [1863]." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on April 1864 company muster roll. The 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were consolidated on April 9, 1865, into one unit -- the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Regiments Consolidated MS Cavalry -- and Pvt. Mikell does not have a war's end parole with that unit. No further information in his military file. His widow, Laurany/Luraney Mikell, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1906, 1915, & 1916, in which she claimed that he was discharged at Magnolia, MS, at war' end, a contention which is not borne out by his actual service record. Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, 31.62000 -89.94110, entry road for cemetery located on the N side of Oak Grove Road, at a point that lies appr. 1000 ft. E of that road's intersection with McCormick Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker.]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Pvt. J.W. Miller (b. MS,\*\*\* 1832+++-d. probably Covington County, MS, 1904), Co. G ("Colyell Guards," raised in Livingston Parish, LA), 9th LA Infantry. Enlisted March 15, 1862, at Amite Springs [now Denham Springs], Livingston Parish, LA, at appr. age 22. Received clothing issue at General Hospital, Farmville, VA, on Jan. 26, 1862. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present or absent not stated on Nov. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent with leave." Absent on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent with leave." Absent on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since May 1, 1863." Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since May 23, 1863." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Jan. 1, 1863." A "Record" of the 9th LA Infantry, dated Feb. 21, 1865, "in the trenches near Petersburg, Va., states that Pvt. Miller was born in MS, was age 30 when he enlisted, enlisted at Denham Springs, LA, and "deserted on furlough in April 1864." No further information in his military file. Grave site not found, but said to be buried in the Blount Cemetery (aka, Laird Cemetery), located on the east side of North Carson Road, appr. 1 mile S of the intersection of North Carson Road and East St. Stephens Road, Carson, Jeff Davis County, MS, supposedly with a private marker. [\*\*\*Note: Birth state taken from army enlistment papers.] [+++Note: Birth year taken from army enlistment papers.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Samuel Kingston Miller (b. MS, 1844-d. Covington County, MS, 1919) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry, but he has no service records in that command or the 7th Battalion MS Infantry or the 7th MS Cavalry or any other MS CS unit. His widow, Sarah Serena Miller, filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Covington County, MS, in 1923, 1924, & 1928, in which she stated that her husband, Sam K. Miller, enlisted in May 1863 and had been a Confederate soldier in Stubbs' Battalion MS Cavalry and served under Capt. Nathan Barnes, but, again, he has not service records in any of these commands. Had he enlisted in May 1863, there would be surviving military service records for him, but there are none. I do not think that Samuel Kingston Miller was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Terrell Cemetery (aka, Tarell Cemetery), 31.60030 -89.73810, located at the end of a dirt road that runs S from a point on Terrell Road that is appr. 250 feet E of that road's junction with Johnson Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Seaborn Kingston Miller [found as "Seaborn Miller" and "Sebron Miller" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1814-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1866), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted Aug. 11, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 48. Present on Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 9th Nov. 1862." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Buried in the Terrell Cemetery (aka, Tarell Cemetery), 31.60030 -89.73810, located at the end of a dirt road that runs S from a point on Terrell Road that is appr. 250 feet E of that road's junction with Johnson Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Duncan Milloy [found as "Duncan Malloy" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1845-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1924), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted April 21, 1864, at Port Gibson, Claiborne County, MS, at age 18. Present on July 1, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file, but no notice of desertion or AWOL. Pvt. Milloy filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1922 & 1924, in which he stated that he was in active service until war's end, but was "at home on furlough" when the final surrender came, a contention that is not borne out by his service records. His widow, Mattie Milloy, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1925. Buried in the Malloy Cemetery (aka, Milloy Cemetery), located at 1191 Mt. Olive Road (at the intersection of Mt. Olive Road and Cut Off Road), Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but this is not depicted on his find-a-grave page.]

(Dr.) 4th Sgt./Acting 2nd Sgt. John Milloy (b. Fayette County, NC, 1837-d. in service, Rankin County, MS, 1862), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted as Acting 2nd Sgt. on Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 24. Present as 2nd Sgt. on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 4th Sgt. on June 1862 company muster roll, which states "acted 2nd Sgt. to 14 May [1862]; appointed on May 18 [1862 to] 4th Sergeant." Regimental Return for July 1862 states that he died at "Brandon, Miss." of "disease unknown." Aug. 1862 company muster roll states "died at Brandon [Rankin County, MS, on] July 12, 1862." A "Register of Officers and Soldiers of the Army of the Confederate States who were killed in battle, or who died of wounds or disease" states that he died of typhoid in hospital at Brandon, Rankin County, MS. Final Statement from his captain says that he died in Brandon Hospital of "typhoid fever." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Malloy Cemetery (aka, Milloy Cemetery), located at 1191 Mt. Olive Road (at the intersection of Mt. Olive Road and Cut Off Road), Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Frederick Mills (b. Craven County, NC, 1827-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1917), Co. I ("Harris Rebels," raised in Leake County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Probably enlisted at Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS, on Sept. 20, 1861. Jan. 1862 Regimental Return states "on sick furlough for 20 days from Jan. 20th 1862." Seems to have been discharged from the service because of illness, as confirmed by his post-war Confederate Pension application. Does not appear again in the records until the Aug. 1863 company muster roll, which states that he enlisted on April 17, 1863, at which time he would have been 35 years old. This would have been his second enlistment into the same company, again as confirmed by his post-war Confederate Pension application. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "absent, wounded at [the Battle of] Chickamauga [GA], Sept. 19, 1863, and sent to Hospital by order [of the] Brigade Surgeon." An unclear record states that "Pvt. F. Mills, Co. F [should be 'I'], 27th Miss.," was paid "commutation for rations" [i.e., reimbursement for having to provide his own food while away from his command] on "Sept. 30," with no year given. This is probably an 1863 record of Pvt. Mills receiving money for food in hospital post-Chickamauga. No further records in his military file. Pvt. Mills may have been too disabled from his Chickamauga wound to ever again be fit enough for field duty. Southern Patriot! Pvt. Mills filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916. Buried in the Lowland Cemetery (aka, Mills Cemetery), 2904 Gates Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but this is not depicted on his find-a-grave page.]

Pvt. Benjamin Franklin Mobley (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1833-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1918), Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Enlisted April 7, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 27. [Note: Military records say he enlisted at age 25, but said records are notoriously "off" when it comes to age.] Present on July 27, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. April 30, 1862, company muster roll states "absent, sick in hospital." Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "absent, sick." Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "at home, absent without leave." Present for pay on Feb. 10, 1863, at unspecified location, but probably near Edwards, Hinds County, MS]. June 1863 company muster roll states "absent, sick." Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserter; at home since February [1863]." Admitted ca. July 22, 1864, to Floyd & Ocmulgee Hospitals, Macon, GA, suffering from a gunshot wound to the right leg. Aug. 1864 company muster roll states "absent, wounded July 20, 1864 [at the Battle of Peachtree Creek, Atlanta, GA, and] sent to Hospital." Appears on an undated "List of casualties, in Featherston's Brigade, in the engagement near Peach Tree Creek, Ga., July 20, 1864," with notation "severely wounded." Feb. 28, 1865, company muster roll states "absent, sick, wounded in Battle [of] Peachtree Creek, July 20, 1864." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot (if somewhat reluctantly)! His widow, Elizabeth Mobley, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924. Buried in the Mobley Cemetery, 31.67140 -89.97280, located on the NW side of Mobley Road, appr. 3000 feet SW of the intersection of that road and Zion Hill Church Road, New Hebron, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but no marker of any type is shown on his find-a-grave page.]

Pvt. William W. Mobley (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1845-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1908), Co. E ("Ramsey's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted Sept. 21, 1862, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 16. Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Lawrence County, MS." Southern Patriot! His widow, F.A. Mobley, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Servant Tom Morris filed a Confederate Servants Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1931. He stated that he served a master whom he called "Bill Morris" in one place in his application and "Robert Morris" in another place in his application. Servant Morris stated that Master Morris enlisted in Lawrence County, MS, and was killed during the war, after which time a man named "Dan Newsom" brought Servant Morris home. Checking companies raised in Lawrence County, MS, I can find no "Robert Morris" or "William Morris" who died in service; however, I do find (from adjacent Simpson County, MS) a Pvt. Robert J. Morris, Co. B ("Westville Guards," raised in Simpson County, MS), 16th MS Infantry, who had a heroic career as a Confederate soldier and was finally mortally wounded in a battle on the Weldon Railroad, near Petersburg, VA, on Aug. 21, 1864, was captured, and died as a POW in the hands of the enemy on Aug. 28, 1864, in General Hospital (US), Alexandria, VA. He is buried in the Confederate Mound (mass grave) at Old Chris Church Cemetery, Alexandria City, VA. I would not postulate this soldier as Servant Morris' owner, except that a Pvt. Daniel Lewis Newsom also served in Co. B, 16th MS Infantry, and is likely the man who brought Servant Morris home from VA after his master was captured and died in captivity. Grave site not found. [Pvt. Daniel Lewis Newsom is buried in the Newsom/Bush Cemetery, appr. 5534 Hwy. 43 South, appr. 100 feet ESE of the pond that is 200 feet due E of that address, New Hebron, Lawrence County, MS, with a private marker.]

TENTATIVE. Pvt. John Wilkin Myers, Sr. (b. Union County, TN, 1815-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1872), Co. E ("Capt. Ramsey's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry. Apparently attempted to enlist in this company, but was rejected by enrolling/inspecting officer. Became a civilian employee in the Quartermaster's Dept. of the 4th MS Cavalry. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. An undated Confederate War Dept. note states "One J.W. Myers says he was captured at Vicksburg, Miss., as a discharged soldier, and has not been exchanged. Requests not to be sent to the 'Parole Camp at Enterprise, Miss.,' but, when exchanged, to be allowed to reenlist." Formally enlisted as a soldier (private) into the company on Sept. 16, 1863, in Lawrence County, MS, at age 48 (if I have the right man). "Absent sick" on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. No further records in his military file. Buried in the Myers Cemetery, 31.73670 -89.93390, located appr. 800 ft. due S of a point on Sonat Road that lies appr. 6000 ft. SW of the intersection of that road with Atkisson Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. John Wilkin Myers, Jr. (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1845-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1870), Co. A ("Capt. Marshall's Company," raised in Rankin County, MS), 1st Battalion MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 20, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 18 (if I have the right man). Present on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Myers Cemetery, 31.73670 -89.93390, located appr. 800 ft. due S of a point on Sonat Road that lies appr. 6000 ft. SW of the intersection of that road with Atkisson Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a fallen private marker.

Pvt. Christopher Columbus Nelson (b. Covington County, MS, 1819-d. Covington County, MS, 1896), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted Jan. 5, 1863, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 43. Present on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with two private markers.

Pvt./4th Corp./3rd Corp. Henry Pitts Nelson (b. FL, 1828-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1907), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted as 4th Corp. on April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 33. Absent on June 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. 3rd Corp. shown as absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital at Iuka [Tishomingo County, MS, on] Sept. 17 [1862]." Captured and paroled at the Battle of Iuka, Tishomingo County, MS, on Sept. 19, 1862. [Note: As a paroled prisoner, he would not have been liable for field service until exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW; however, he would have been required, if ordered, to report to a Confederate parole camp.] Now Pvt. Nelson shown as absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "paroled prisoner." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "paroled prisoner now absent without leave." Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave [since] Sept. 20, 1862." Dec. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted Sept. 20, 1862." June 30, 1864, company muster roll states "absent without leave Sept. 25, 1862, to May 10, 1864 [and now] on detached service at Canton [Madison County, MS]." No further records with this command. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Nelson does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. His widow, Elizabeth Nelson, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1910. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Lewis J. Newsome (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1844-d. Marion County, MS, 1899), Co. F ("Marion's Men," raised in Marion County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 24, 1861, at Little River Church, Marion County, MS, at age 16 or 17. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Nov. 1861 Regimental Return states "absent sick at home in Marion County [MS]." Dec. 1861 Regimental Return states "absent [from] 12th Nov. [1861 for] 15 days." Present on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "joined from desertion since last muster." June 1862 Regimental Return states "joined from desertion [on] May 22, 1862 [at] Corinth [Tishomingo County, MS]." Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Newsom served in Co. A of this consolidated unit. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and the Army of the South on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Servant George Newton (b. prob. Lawrence County, MS, ca. 1842-d. prob. Jeff Davis County, MS, after 1911) filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1911, in which he stated that he served a master named "Isaac Newton" who served in the 7th MS Infantry. He stated that he served from "June 1861 to April 1865." Indeed, Ordnance Sgt. Isaac Newton (see immediately below) served in Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Servant Newton's grave site has not been found.

Pvt./Ordnance Sgt. Isaac Newton (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1830-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1905), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 3, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 31. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. 5th Sgt. present on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "Acting Ordnance Sergt. of Regt. by order Col. Goode." Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "transferred to the Col.'s staff, August 15, 1862, by order of Col. Bishop." Ordnance Sgt. present on Oct. 31, 1862, Field & Staff muster roll for the 7th MS Infantry, with notation "appointed Ordnance Sergeant by [the Confederate] Secretary of War, Sept. 13, 1862." [Note: Pay rate for Ordnance Sergeants was $17 per month; ordinary privates made $11 per month.] Present on Dec. 1862 Field & Staff muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 Field & Staff muster roll. Present on April 1863 Field & Staff muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 Field & Staff muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 Field & Staff muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 Field & Staff muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 Field & Staff muster roll. Present on April 1864 Field & Staff muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, Field & Staff muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Sgt. Newton does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. Buried in the Newton Cemetery, 31.64830 -89.85440, located appr. 600 feet NE of the most NE portion of Irvine Lane, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Owen C. Newton (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1838-d. in service, Lafayette County, MS, 1862), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry.

Enlisted March 24, 1862, at Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, at age 23. June 1862 company muster roll states "died of Typhoid Fever about the 25th of May 1862." A "Report of deaths in the organization named above [7th MS Infantry]" notes that he died May 25, 1862, at Oxford, Lafayette County, MS, of "fever" and that he left "no effects." However, another unusual (and somewhat vague) document seems to indicate that Pvt. Newton's leftover clothes ("clothing sundries") were sold for cash, raising $30.50. [One wonders how many additional soldiers contracted typhoid from wearing Pvt. Newton's old clothes!] Another vague document states that he died in University Hospital, 1862, which would seem to mean the hospital established on the campus of the University of Mississippi ("Ole Miss"), at Oxford, Lafayette County, MS. No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Newton Cemetery, 31.64830 -89.85440, located appr. 600 feet NE of the most NE portion of Irvine Lane, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Some databases state that he has a private marker.]

Pvt. Isaiah Norwood [found as "Isah Norwood" in the military records] (b. Darlington County, SC, 1812-d. Covington County, MS, 1887), Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted Sept. 3, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 52. Absent on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent on 5 days pass from Sept. 9th 1864." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Magee Cemetery, located appr. 600 feet S of a point on Mt. Olive Road that is appr. halfway between the junction of that road with Wiggington Road and the junction of Mt. Olive Road with Clem Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. John L. Odum (b. Covington County, MS, 1845-d. Covington County, MS, 1895)

Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted Feb. 1, 1864, at Mount Carmel, Covington County, MS, at age 18. Absent on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent on detached service [at] Canton [Madison County], Miss." On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Odum does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. No further information in his military file. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Zimmerman Parish ["Zinamon" on Confederate marker] (b. SC, 1818/1820-d. Covington County, MS, 1880), Co. F ("Capt. Larkin's Company," raised in Simpson County, MS), 1st (Harper's) Battalion MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (1862-1863). Enlisted Aug. 23, 1862, in Simpson County, MS, at age 42/44. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. l863 company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hopewell Cemetery, located at the intersection of Mount Olive Road and Wiggington Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Surg. Dr. Joseph Jayne Parker (b. either AL or Rankin County, MS, 1844-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1925) is listed on some databases as having served at "CSA Hospital, Brandon, Rankin County, MS," but I have been unable to find any Confederate service records for him. Buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Edward Butler Parkman (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1844-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1922), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. B, 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, at age 17. Capt. James M. Norman commanded this company. Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll. Does not appear on any subsequent rolls and has no records in any other MS or CS unit. I think that he was probably rejected for service by the enrolling/inspecting officer or surgeon. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Antioch Church Cemetery, 843 Granby Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Joseph Boyd Parkman (b. TN, 1817-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1887), Co. C ("Capt. Robert D. Lanier's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). No enlistment date/data, but this company was formed on Aug. 30 & Sept. 1, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, so he would have enlisted at that time at age 47. Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll states "discharged Sept. 14th 1864." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Joseph Randolph Parkman [found as "J.R. Parkman" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1842-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1919), Co. A ("Missisippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Enlisted May 8, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 18. Present on July 27, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "exchanged Sept. 8, 1862, for W.H. Brown." Discharged from the 22nd MS Infantry on Sept. 4, 1862, at Sulphur Springs, Rankin County, MS, and "transferred to Capt. V.L. Terrell's Cavalry Company at Port Hudson, La.," in exchange for Pvt. W.H. Brown of the latter unit. Capt. Terrell's Company was also known as the "Terrell Dragoons" and was raised in Copiah County, MS, and was part of Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry and, later, became Co. A, 4th MS Cavalry. No records survive for Pvt. Parkman in either Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry or the 4th MS Cavalry. Served till war's end. Probably transferred back to the 22nd MS Infantry shortly before war's end, but no records survive. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 22nd MS Infantry, the 1st MS Infantry, the 33rd MS Infantry, and the 1st Battalion MS Infantry were consolidated to form the 22nd Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Parkman served in Co. E of this consolidated command. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and the Army of the South on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Tyrone Cemetery (aka, Bethany Cemetery), located at the intersection of Bethany Church Road and Old Hwy. 13 South, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./3rd Sgt./3rd Lt. Sanders E. Parkman (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1832-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1913), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 29. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 3rd Sgt. on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Captured Oct. 3-5, 1862, at the Battle of Corinth, MS, but reported on the Oct. 1862 company muster roll as "absent without leave [since] Oct. 1st [1862]" because the company did not know that he was a POW. Appears on a Federal "List of Prisoners of War captured and paroled" by the Yankees at the Battles of Iuka, MS, Corinth, MS, and Hatchie River Bridge, MS, with list dated Corinth, MS, Oct. 13, 1862. Appears on a Federal "List of paroled Confederate Prisoners, wounded and nurses, delivered at Iuka, Miss., to Surgeon J.B. Bond, C.S. Army, on account of his Government; captured at the Battle of Corinth [MS], October 3rd and 4th, 1862," with list dated Oct. 19, 1862. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "paroled prisoner." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Elected by his company as Jr. 2nd Lt. (i.e., 3rd Lt.) on March 15, 1863. Surrendered and paroled after the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Oct. 31, 1863 company muster roll shows now "Jr. 2nd Lt." (i.e., 3rd Lt.) "absent without leave [since] Aug. 23 [1863]." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "3rd Lt. ordered to have his name dropped from the Roll as an officer of the C.S. Army for prolonged absence from duty without leave, by command of the Secretary of War." Further documentation shows that he was actually dropped from the rolls on Feb. 24, 1864. No further information in his military file with this unit. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry, but now Pvt. Parkman does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. Pvt. Parkman filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1913 in which he stated that he served in the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted) for four years, a contention that is not borne out by his actual service record. Buried in the Parkman Cemetery, located at the intersection of Park Fortenberry Road and MS Hwy. 43, SE of Oakvale, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private stone that is shaped like a VA-issued Confederate marker.

Pvt. Archibald Arclay "Archie" Patterson (b. Simpson County, MS, 1840-d. Simpson County, MS, 1916), Co. H ("Simpson Fencibles," raised in Simpson County, MS), 6th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 24, 1861, at Grenada, MS, at age 21. June 30, 1863, company muster roll states "absent, at home wounded, on parole." Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "absent without leave since Aug. 1, 1863." Present again with company in Aug. 1864. The 6th MS Infantry, the 15th MS Infantry, the 20th MS Infantry, and the 23rd MS Infantry were consolidated on April 9, 1865, into one unit -- the 15th Consolidated MS Infantry -- and Pvt. Patterson does not have a war's end parole with that unit. No further records in his military file. Buried in the Hopewell Cemetery, located at the intersection of Mount Olive Road and Wiggington Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. James Kelly Patterson (b. Simpson County, MS, 1818-d. Simpson County, MS, 1898), Co. A ("Lee's Company," raised in Rankin County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted (along with brother, Stephen Hitchcock Lemly Berry) on Aug. 30, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 46. Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll states "absent, sick, since Sept. 10th [1864]." No further records in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hopewell Cemetery, located at the intersection of Mount Olive Road and Wiggington Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William T. Patterson (b. Simpson County, MS, 1844-d. Simpson County, MS, 1898), Co. H ("Simpson Fencibles," raised in Simpson County, MS), 6th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 15, 1863, at Jackson, Hinds County, MS, at age 19. Must have been captured in one of the early engagements of the Vicksburg Campaign in April or May 1863 (Port Gibson, Big Black, etc.) and was apparently paroled in the field, as he is shown as "absent" on the June 30, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "at home on parole." [And he did not serve at the Siege of Vicksburg, so he must have been captured before that siege began on May 17, 1863.] Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "absent without leave since Aug. 1, 1863." Ditto on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file. Buried in the Hopewell Cemetery, located at the intersection of Mount Olive Road and Wiggington Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. John A. Pittman (b. MS, 1845-d. Covington County, MS, 1917) filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1908 (when he said he served in the 7th MS Cavalry) & in 1916 (when he said he served in "Wood's" [sic], which would have been "Woods' Regiment Confederate Cavalry, aka, 1st MS Cavalry). However, he has no service records in either of those regiments. I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Barwick Cemetery, located appr. 150 feet E of a point on Henry Brown Road that is appr. 1000 feet S of that road's intersection with George Deen Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that he is buried in the King Cemetery, 1492 Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, but I don't find him listed there. Some databases also state that he has a Confederate marker, which, however, is not pictured on his find-a-grave page.]

Pvt./Corp. (Dr.) John G.D. Pittman/Pitman (b. Randolph County, GA, 1837-d. Covington County, MS, 1918), Co. I ("Quitman Greys," raised in Quitman & Randolph Counties, GA), 11th GA Infantry. Enlisted July 3, 1861, at Atlanta, GA, at age 24. Aug. 31, 1861, company muster roll states "absent, sick at Warrenton [VA] Hospital, sent [there] Aug. 29, 1861." Discharged on Surgeon's Certificate at Camp Bartow, VA, or General Hospital, Warrenton, VA, on Sept. 18, 1861, because of "a serious attack of pneumonia" and "general physical disability with a strong tendency to tuberculosis disease of the lungs." Discharge paper states that he was by occupation a physician. Oct. 1861 company muster roll states "discharged by order Sec. of War as Corporal." This was surely an honorable, medical discharge. This loyal Southron re-elisted into the same company and regiment on May 12, 1862, at Georgetown, Quitman County, GA. Wounded on Aug. 30, 1862, at the 2nd Battle of Manassas, VA, and sent to general hospital at Warrenton, VA. Taken prisoner and paroled at Warrenton, VA, on Sept. 29, 1862. April 1, 1864, company muster roll states "absent by wounds." April 1864 company muster roll states "absent, sick, sent to General Hospital, Sept. 15, 1863." Detailed Aug. 3, 1864 (detail not specified) by Special Order No. 182/44. Aug. 1864 company muster roll states "detailed in hospital at Macon, Ga., as forager." Paid Sept. 17, 1864, at Camp Cooper, Macon, GA, at the incredible rate of $1.25 per day for unspecified services (surely as forager for hospital). [Pay for a typical field soldier was just $11 per month!] No war's end parole yet found. May have been discharged ca. July 1864 and then worked as a private forager for Macon, GA, area hospitals, as a voucher for J.G.D. Pittman as, apparently, a private citizen, survives, dated July 30, 1864, wherein he received payment for delivering to City Hall Hospital 38 chickens (@ $1.90 each), 33 dozen eggs (@ $ 2.33 a dozen), 13.5 pounds of lard (@ $3 per pound), 14.5 pounds of bacon (@ $ 2.00 per pound), and 2 pounds of butter (@ $ 3.00 a pound). Of course, he may have continued in service and never received a war's-end parole. Southern Patriot! Corp. Pittman filed Confederate Pension applications in Covington County, MS, in 1908, 1916, & 1917, in which he gave details of his wound: "upper & posterior portion [3-4 words illegible] severed from bone by fragment of shell" and "all of gluteal muscles cut away by ball," so he was clearly wounded in the behind. His widow, Amelia Pittman, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Covington County, MS, in 1918. Buried in the Deen Cemetery, located about 200 feet south of George Deen Road, about 700 feet E of the intersection of George Deen Road and Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. John M. Pittman (b. Covington County, MS, 1845-d. Covington County, MS, 1917), Co. I ("Yazoo Rebels," aka "Capt. John M. Sharp's Company," raised in Yazoo County, MS), 3rd MS Infantry. Enlisted Jan. 14, 1863, at Brookhaven, MS, at age 17. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick from June 20, 1864." Absent on Feb. 28, 1865, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Wounded in the last Confederate charge of the war at the Battle of Bentonville, NC, March 19-20, 1865. Admitted to Pettigrew General Hospital No. 13, Raleigh, NC, on March 21, 1865, suffering from a gunshot wound to the left leg that fractured that leg, with residence given as Marion County, MS. Captured in hospital at Raleigh, NC, on April 13, 1865, when that city fell to the Yankees. Received clothing at Pettigrew General Hospital No. 13, Raleigh, NC, on April 17, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Andrew Wilkin Polk (b. East Feliciana Parish, LA, 1819-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1884), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Dec. 28, 1862, at age 44. Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "deserted Feb. 19th 1863." No further records with this short-term unit. Buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Elias Polk (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1844-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1931), Co. F ("Marion's Men," raised in Marion County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. [Note: The service records of Elias Polk and Elisha Polk are mixed together as if they are one and the same man, but they are two different men, though both served in the same company and regiment. Elisha Polk enlisted before Elias Polk and was discharged before Elias Polk enlisted. Elisha Polk was 25 years old when discharged in 1862, while Elias Polk was only 18 when he enlisted in 1863. The following service records are for Elias Polk.] Enlisted March 1, 1863, in Marion County, MS, at age 18. Present on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "enlisted in company since last muster." Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital at Atlanta, Ga., on Surgeon's Certificate, May 17, 1863." Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital at Rome, Ga., by order [of the] Chief Surgeon, May 17, 1863." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to General Hospital by order Chief Surgeon, May 17, 1863." Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "dropped from the Roll as a Deserter [on] Feb. 4, 1864, after having been reported 7 days absent without leave." No further information in his military file. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Franklin Milton Polk (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1844-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1908), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Dec. 28, 1862, at age 18. Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "deserted Feb. 19th 1863." No further records with this short-term unit. However, Pvt. Polk was not done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, again as a private, into Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 10, 1864, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 19. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. Served till war's end. Wounded during Hood's Middle TN Campaign, either at the Battle of Franklin, TN, Nov. 30, 1864, or at the Battle of Nashville, TN, Dec. 15-16, 1864. Admitted to Way Hospital, Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on Jan. 19, 1865, suffering from a "wound" which could only have been received during the Middle TN Campaign. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled while on detached service at Meridian, MS, on May 10, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Lawrence County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Loyd Polk Cemetery, located appr. 200 feet N of a point on Adelle Lane that lies 2000 feet W of that road's intersection with MS Hwy. 13 N (driving from Prentiss), Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker.]

Pvt. Franklin Milton Polk (b. Covington County, MS, 1820-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1907\*\*\*), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Sept. 11, 1861, at Shieldsboro (Bay St. Louis), Hancock County, MS, at age 41, but probably enlisted a few weeks earlier into the company proper in Covington County, MS. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, which states "discharged on account of expiration of [term of] service [on] Dec. 5, 1862." However, this loyal Southerner was not yet done serving his new nation, as he enlisted into the same company a second time on May 29, 1863, in Covington County, MS, still holding the rank of private. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. Captured (possibly in hospital) at Franklin, TN, on Dec. 17, 1864, as the Army of TN fell back from the disastrous Battle of Nashville, TN (Dec. 15-16, 1864). Forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, the military prison at Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious Camp Douglas, IL, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to render them unfit for field service upon being exchanged. Arrived at Camp Douglas on Dec. 22, 1864. Transferred to Point Lookout, MD, POW Camp (equally as horrible as Camp Douglas) on March 23, 1865, for exchange, but was never exchanged. Released from Point Lookout, MD, POW Camp at war's end on June 16, 1865, after first taking the required Oath of Allegiance to the U.S. Southern Patriot! His widow, Lavisa Polk, filed Confederate Widows Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1918, 1924, & 1926, in which she mentioned her husband's incarceration in POW camps at the North. Buried in the Loyd Polk Cemetery, located appr. 200 feet N of a point on Adelle Lane that lies 2000 feet W of that road's intersection with MS Hwy. 13 N (driving from Prentiss), Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [\*\*\*Death year from widow's Confederate Widow's Pension application.]

Pvt. George Washington Polk (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1832-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1906), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 30. Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "deserted Sept. 24th, 1862." However, he was probably just AWOL, as he returned to service, as the Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "present," with no indication of punishment for actual desertion. Surrendered and paroled after the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. June 30, 1864, company muster roll states "present, [but was] absent without leave Aug. 23, 1863, to Jan. 26, 1864." [Note: Most of the soldiers surrendered at the Siege of Vicksburg were AWOL from Aug. 23, 1863, until Nov. 1863.] Approved April 3, 1865, by a Medical Examining Board at Meridian, MS, for "light post duty" because of "contusions of the spine [caused] by a fall from a horse, complicated with chronic rheumatism impairing use of right leg, unfitting him for field service." Served till war's end. Surrendered, but as a member of Co. I ("Columbia Guards," raised in Marion County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Jackson, MS, on May 12, 1865. [Note: Co. "I" could be a clerical error, with Co. "E" being intended.] Notation on parole gives residence as Simpson County, MS. Southern Patriot! His widow, Unity/Eunity Polk, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Covington County, MS, in 1912. Buried in the McPhail Cemetery, East St. Stephens Road, about 500 feet W of its intersection with North Carson Road, Carson, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. James Madison Polk (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1840-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1914), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. Sept. 11, 1861, in Covington County, MS, at age 21. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick on Surgeon's Certificate since May 27, 1862." Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. Captured near Franklin, TN, Dec. 17, 1864, in the aftermath of the horrific Battle of Nashville, TN, Dec. 14-16, 1864, under the name "Jno. M. Polk, Pvt., Co. I, 7th Regt. Miss.," but a cross-reference in the records states that this man is James M. Polk. No further information in his military file, which is unusual (if, in fact, he was captured at Franklin, TN), because Federal POW records are usually both accurate and profuse. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Polk does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated command, which would be expected if he were, in fact, captured at Franklin, TN. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Stewart Cemetery, 31.70190 -89.79110, located at the end (about 1200 ft.) of a dirt road that runs S of a point on Hartzog-Magee Road that lies appr. 2200 ft. W of the intersection of that road with State Hwy. 541, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. James Knox Polk (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1845-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1922), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry.

Enlisted May 6, 1863, at Williams Bridge, on the Amite River, near Port Hudson, East Baton Rouge Parish, LA, at age 17. Present on July 1, 1864, company muster roll. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Lawrence County, MS." Southern Patriot! Pvt. Polk filed a Confederate Pension application in Lawrence County, MS, in 1916. His widow, Fannie Polk, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. John Polk (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1832-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1914), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 29. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital from Saltillo [Lee County, MS, on] Sept. 5 [1862]." Received two months' pay at undisclosed location (probably hospital), Jackson, Hinds County, MS, on Oct. 15, 1862. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [on] Sept. 5 [1862]." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [on] Sept. 5th 1862." Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Absent on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "on detached service at Canton [Madison County], Miss." No further information in his military file with this unit. On March 3, 1865, the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were combined to form the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Consolidated MS Cavalry. Pvt. Bass does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. Pvt. Polk filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1909, in which he stated that he received a slight flesh wound in the arm at the Siege of Vicksburg. His widow, Susan Polk, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916. Buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. John Denson Polk (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1849-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1932), Co. C ("Capt. Robert D. Lanier's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). No enlistment date/data, but this company was formed on Aug. 30 & Sept. 1, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, so he would have enlisted at that time at age 15. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Jonathan Hampton/Hamilton Polk (b. Marion County, MS, 1827-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1908), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd (Quinn's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (Minute Men). Enlisted Aug. 15, 1862, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 34 (if I have the right man). Absent on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "furloughed from Aug. 28th [1862] to Sept. 12th [1862]." Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave to Oct. 27 [1862]." Absent on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Dec. 10th 1862." No further information in his military file with this unit. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker, though some databases state that he has a Confederate marker.

Pvt. John L. Polk (b. MS, 1825-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1904), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted Feb. 24, 1862, at Handsboro [i.e., Gulfport], Harrison County, MS, at age 36. For some unexplained reason, he is shown as a member of "Terrell's Dragoons" (raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, on a May 27, 1862, company muster roll for that company. Signed for pay on Jan. 15, 1863, at Port Hudson, LA. On Sept. 14, 1863, Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry was consolidated with other units to create the 4th MS Cavalry. Pvt. Polk served in Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS) of the 4th MS Cavalry. July 1, 1864, company muster roll states "transferred to 38th Miss. [Infantry (Mounted)]." Pvt. Polk served in Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "transferred [from] Co. B, 4th Miss. [Cavalry, on] June 1st 1864." The 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were consolidated on April 9, 1865, into one unit -- the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Regiments Consolidated MS Cavalry -- and Pvt. Polk does not have a war's end parole with that unit. No further information in his military file. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker.]

Pvt. Joseph Travis Polk (b. Darlington District, SC, 1818-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1898), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on July 28, 1862, at age 44. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Josephus S. Polk (b. Covington County, MS, 1827-d. in service, Bolton, Hinds County, MS, 1862), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on July 28, 1862, at age 35. Though he is listed as "present" on the Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll, the roll also contains the notation "sick at Hospital." Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "died about 10th Sept. at Bolton [Hinds County, MS]." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Pvt. Polk did not die, as some have suggested, during the Siege of Vicksburg, MS, as that military action took place May 17, 1863-July 4, 1863, several months after Pvt. Polk died. Also, the stone in the Prentiss Cemetery is actually a grave marker, and not a memorial stone, as Pvt. Polk's body would easily have been transported home from Bolton for burial as the Yankees, at the time of his death, had not yet cut off the Vicksburg-Jackson corridor.]

DID NOT SERVE IN THE CONFEDERATE MILITARY, BUT MATERIALLY SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY. Loyd Polk (b. East Feliciana Parish, LA, 1806-d. Covington County, MS, 1878) was paid on Oct. 30, 1863, for the hire of four of his wagons, drivers, and 12 yoke of oxen (i.e., 24 oxen) to haul sugar from Summit, Pike County, MS, to Mount Carmel, Covington County, MS. The trip took 9 days, with $8 a day being paid per wagon per day, yielding $288 for Loyd Polk. Buried in the Loyd Polk Cemetery, located appr. 200 feet N of a point on Adelle Lane that lies 2000 feet W of that road's intersection with MS Hwy. 13 N (driving from Prentiss), Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Simon Polk (b. Darlington District, SC, 1810-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1885), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted into State service at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Aug. 3, 1861, at age 51, but would have enlisted into the company proper locally several weeks earlier. Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll states "received furlough from Sept. 26 to Oct. 11th [1861, on] Surgeon's Certificate of sickness; discharged." A later "Register of Payments to Discharged Soldiers" states that he was actually discharged on Nov. 10, 1861, at an unspecified location. However, Pvt. Polk was not yet done serving his new country, as he enlisted a second time, this time into Co. C ("Capt. Robert D. Lanier's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). No enlistment date/data, but this company was formed on Aug. 30 & Sept. 1, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, so he would have enlisted at that time at age 54. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William Wallace Polk (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1834-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1914), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). No service records exist for W.W. Polk in this command. However, as he is listed in H. Grady Howell's best-ever index to known MS Confederate soldiers as having served in this unit, he must have served in same. [Note that there is also a Pvt. W.W. Polk who served in Co. B, 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became the 46th MS Infantry. This W.W. Polk enlisted Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. June 1862 company muster roll states "discharged...June 7, 1862, by Brigade Surgeon." There is also a Pvt. W.W. Polk, who was a Camp Guard, Camp of Instruction for Conscripts, Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS. Enlisted Dec. 31, 1862. Present on Dec. 1862 camp muster roll. Present on March 1, 1863, camp muster roll. No further records in his military file with this command.] Pvt. Polk filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1911 in which he stated that he served in Co. E, 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Southern Patriot! Buried in the Tyrone Cemetery (aka, Bethany Cemetery), located at the intersection of Bethany Church Road and Old Hwy. 13 South, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Charles Frances Prine, Sr. (b. Wayne County, MS, 1839-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1909), Co. G ("Yancey Guards," raised in Smith County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 1, 1862, in Smith County, MS, at age 22. Present on May 7, 1862 company muster roll, with notation "furloughed from April 26, 1862, for 20 days [and now] returned." Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "deserted at Vaughn Station [prob. Vaughan, Yazoo County, MS], Dec. 28, 1862; has been tried by the proper authorities, acquitted, and is now on duty with the Company." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent in arrest; joined from desertion [on] Jan. 26, 1864." March 4, 1864, Special Order No. 37 from Headquarters, Dept. of MS and East LA, Demopolis, AL, indicates that he was again court-martialed. A telegram from Maj. Gen. Dabney H. Maury at Mobile, AL, to Gen. Leonidas Polk [who was probably at Demopolis, AL], dated [April] "27" [1864] states: "I recommend that the sentence of General Court Martial in the case of Private Charles F. Prine, Company G, Thirty-seventh Miss., sentenced to be Shot on May third (3rd) sixty-four be remitted. He was reprieved until that time by your order telegraph[ed] twenty-third (23d) Inst. [i.e., the 23rd of April 1864]." He was clearly reprieved, but no further information exists in his military file with this command. His widow, Elzy Prine, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Marion County, MS, in 1921, in which she stated that her husband served until war's end, a contention that is not borne out by his actual service records. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William W. Ramsey (b. Jackson County, MS, ca. 1840-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1924), Co. A ("Steede's Company," raised in Jackson County, MS), 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry (aka, the "Lovell Rangers"). Enlisted March 29, 1862, in Jackson County, MS, at appr. age 22. Present on June 30, 1863, company muster roll for Co. E ("Mayers' Company," raised in Harrison County, MS), with notation "transferred from Co. A [on] March 1st 1863." Again present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll for Co. A ("Steede's Company," raised in Jackson County, MS). On Dec. 24, 1863, Steede's Battalion was enlarged to become the 9th MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Ramsey has no service records with the enlarged unit. It should be noted that there is no mention of desertion or AWOL in his records. Pvt. Ramsey filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924, in which he stated that he was never discharged from service and that he served until war's end, which contention is not borne out by his service record. Buried in the Double Churches Cemetery (aka, Victory Cemetery), North Williamsburg Road, appr. 2000 feet N of the intersection of North Williamsburg Road and Santee Methodist Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Simeon Rayborn [found as "Simeon Rabon" and "Simion Raborn" in the military records] (b. Amite County, MS, 1829-d. Marion County, MS, 1913), "Capt. T.C. Rhodes' Company Partisan Rangers, MS Cavalry" (raised in Pike County, MS), which became Co. F, 14th Confederate Cavalry. Enlisted July 18, 1862, at Osyka, Pike County, MS, at age 33. April 30, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave." In Sept. 1863, Rhodes' Company became Co. F of the new 14th Confederate Cavalry. Absent on the Nov. 4, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." No further information in his military file. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, (supposedly) with marker type (if any) undetermined.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Angus Raynes (b. AL, 1853-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, after 1910) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. C, Stubbs' Battalion MS Cavalry, or in Wood's MS Cavalry. However, he has no service records in those or any other MS CS units. Additionally, he would only have been 11 or 12 years old when the war ended (even though a very small handful of Confederate soldiers that young did serve). Grave not found, but said to be in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, probably in an unmarked grave.

Pvt. John C. Raynes [found in the military records as "John C. Raines" and "J.C. Raynes"] (b. prob. Taylor County, GA, 1817-d. prob. Smith County, MS, ca. 1864), Co. A ("Yankee Terrors," aka "Capt. William Watkins' Company," raised in Smith County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. Enlisted June 1, 1861, at Raleigh, Smith County, MS, at age 45 (according to military records). Present or absent not stated on Oct. 1, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 18, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 18, 1861, company muster roll, taken when the company was mustered into Confederate (as opposed to State) service, with notation "on furlough." Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged Aug. 22, 1862; final statement [i.e., discharge paper] given." Age noted as 46 on this roll. Discharge paper states that he was born in "Butler County, Georgia," but I think this should read either "Butler, Taylor County, GA" or "Butler County, AL." Same paper states that he "is now entitled to a discharge by reason of derangement of [the] mind & disability." Discharged at Chattanooga, TN. No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Godfrey Ridge (b. SC, 1815-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1910), Co. G ("Orr Guards," raised in Pontotoc County, MS), 31st (Orr's) MS Infantry. Enlisted March 8, 1862, in Pontotoc County, MS, at appr. age 47. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "appointed Hospital Nurse [on] May 12 [1862]." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick; [sick] furlough expires Jan. 5, 1863." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Ditto on April 1863 company muster roll. Absent on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 17 July 1863." Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "returned to his Command [on] Sept. 28, 1863; [was] absent without leave from July 17, 1863, to the date of his return; restored [to the rolls] since [last] muster." Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. April 1864 company muster roll states "discharged April 2, 1864, by order of Lt. Gen. [Leonidas] Polk, and Final Statement [i.e., discharge papers] given." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Siloam Baptist Church Cemetery, no location found, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. James Absalom Robbins (b. Columbus County, NC, 1815-d. in service, Lawrence County, MS, 1863), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on July 28, 1862, at age 47. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave [from] Dec. 10th 1862; died at home Jan. 19th 1863." Thus, he was only AWOL because he was literally mortally ill. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Robbins Cemetery, 31.35890 -89.83810, located appr. 1500 ft. due W of a point on Wiley Dyess Road that lies appr. 3000 ft. N of that road's intersection with Candy Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

VERY TENTATIVE. Pvt. John Willis Robbins [found as "J.W. Robins" (sic) in the military records] (b. Edgecombe County, NC, 1812-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1896), Co. A, Camp Guard, Camp of Instruction for Conscripts, Enterprise, Clarke County, MS. Enlisted on March 11, 1863, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at appr. age 50 (if I have the right man). Dec. 11, 1863, company muster roll states "deserted," with no date given. No further information in his military file. Buried in Old Greens Creek Cemetery, 31.47330 -89.84330, located appr. 800 feet due E of a point on Smith Lane that is appr. 1200 feet N of that road's junction with Blackwell Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William Francis Robbins (b. Lawence County, MS, 1847-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1929), Co. C ("Capt. Robert D. Lanier's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted Sept. 13, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 17. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, but noted on that roll as a "recruit." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Pvt. Robbins filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1922, naming no unit, but correctly naming his commanding officers in Capt. Lanier's Company and stating that he had served in the "militia." His widow, Joanna Robbins, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1929, stating that her husband, "W.F. Robbins," served in the "militia" under "Capt. Bob Leniere" (i.e. Robert Lanier). Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Dennis Roberts (b. supposedly Covington County, MS, 1829-d. supposedly Lawrence County, MS, 1881) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry, but no service records have been found for him in that or any other MS CS unit. Grave site not found, but said to be buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with (supposedly) a private marker.

Pvt. Phillip Roberts/Robberts (b. prob. Simpson County, MS, 1835-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1903/1904), Co. H ("Simpson Fencibles," raised in Simpson County, MS), 6th MS Infantry. Enlisted May 14, 1862, at Westville, Simpson County, MS, at age 27. Often absent sick. Dec. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted Aug. 1, 1863." However, he had not deserted, as he was present on the Aug. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file. His widow, Sarah Amanda Roberts, filed a Confederate Pension application in Covington County, MS, in 1904, in which she stated that he served until war's end, a contention that is not borne out by his actual service record. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt./Corp. James John Davis Robertson [found as "John Robertson" in the military records] (b. SC, MS, 1816-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1891), Co. K ("Quitman Rifles," raised in Franklin County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted July 7, 1862, at Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS, at age 41. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sick in quarters." Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick, sent to Hospital [on] Dec. 21, 1863, by order [of the Regimental or Brigade] Surgeon." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick, sent to Hospital [on] Dec. 23, 1863, by order [of the Regimental or Brigade] Surgeon." Absent on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick, sent to Hospital [on] Dec. 6, 1863, by order [of the Regimental or Brigade] Surgeon." Absent on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick, sent to Hospital [on] Dec. 6, 1863, by order [of the Regimental or Brigade] Surgeon." Seems to be the "Corp. J.E. Robertson, Co. K, 7th Regt. Miss." who was captured [in hospital?] at Selma, AL, on April 2, 1865, and whose capture record is filed with Pvt. John Robertson's military records; however, there would normally -- but not always -- be additional POW and/or war's end parole documents in his file if this were the case. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William M. Robertson (b. unknown, 1823-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1887), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted into the service of the State of MS on Aug. 3, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 37, but probably joined the company proper a few weeks earlier. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Paid ca. April 30, 1862, at Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, for extra duty as teamster for the month of April 1862 at the rate of 25 cents per day. Present on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on extra duty as regimental teamster [since] April 8th [1862] by order [of] Col. Mayson." Absent on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "detailed as teamster by order of Col. Mayson [on] April 8, 1862." Paid Nov. 1, 1862, at Knoxville, TN, for extra duty as teamster from Aug. 24, 1862-Nov. 1, 1862; signed for pay with his "x" mark. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as teamster, April 8, 1862, by order Col. Mayson." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as teamster by order of Col. Mayson [on] April 8th 1862." Present on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as Regimental Teamster [on] April 8, 1862, by order of Col. Mayson." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as teamster [on] April 8, 1862, by order Col. Mayson." Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital sick [on] Oct. 2, 1863, by order of Surgeon." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Detailed March 10, 1864, as "an orderly in the Surgical Reserve Corps" at Walker Hospital, Columbus, GA. Still shown as "absent, sent to hospital sick" on April 1864 and Aug. 31, 1864, company muster rolls. No further information in his military file with this unit. Probably served in hospitals the rest of the war, but has no war's-end parole. Southern Patriot! His widow, Sarah Caroline Robertson, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Marion County, MS, in 1900. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with two private markers, one of which states "An Old Veteran," and the other of which states "Veteran of the Mexican War and the Civil War." [Note: In an index to LA Mexican War soldiers, I find: Pvt. William Robertson, Co. C, 5th LA Militia Infantry, and Pvt. William Robertson, Co. G, 6th LA Militia Volunteers, but I do not have access to their full service records. Wm. M. Robertson supposedly was living in LA during the 1840's, so one of these men is surely him.]

Pvt. John Jackson Rogers [also given as Jackson John Rogers in some records] (b. prob. Lawrence County, MS, 1836-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1914), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 26. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "at Hospital in Oxford [Lafayette County, MS]." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [on] Nov. 29 [1862]." Ditto on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Dec. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted Nov. 29, 1862." The 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were consolidated on April 9, 1865, into one unit -- the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Regiments Consolidated MS Cavalry -- and Pvt. Rogers does not have a war's end parole with that unit. No further information in his military file. His widow, Margaret Lavinia Rogers, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924, in which she stated that her husband served until the end of the war, a contention that is not borne out by his actual service records. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Rogers served in Co. B ("Dixie Rangers," raised in Carroll County, MS), 28th MS Cavalry, but he never served in that unit and has no service records in same.]

CONFEDERATE SOLDIER WITH YANKEE HEADSTONE. Pvt. George Washington Ross (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1847-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1922), Co. C ("Capt. James D. Burke's Company," formed from Companies C, H, & I of the 11th AR Infantry), 11th & 17th Consolidated AR Infantry (Mounted), CSA. Enlisted in July 1864, probably at Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS, at age 16. [Note: The 11th & 17th Consolidated AR Infantry(Mounted) was trapped on the E side of the Mississippi River after the Yankees gained control of that river in mid-1863 and afterwards recruited men from MS and LA.] Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of troops in the Western Theater on May 4, 1865, and paroled at war's end at Jackson, Hinds County, MS, on May 13, 1865, with notation on parole giving residence as Lawrence County, MS. Southern Patriot! Pvt. Ross filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916, stating that his unit was the "11th & 17th Ark." Buried in the Ross Cemetery, located about 250 feet W of a point on Zion Hill Church Road that is appr. 700 feet N of Fiddler's Creek or appr. 1300 feet S of the intersection of Zion Hill Church Road and Smith Drive, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a US Federal/Yankee marker, BUT HE WAS NEVER A YANKEE SOLDIER. [Why a Federal/Yankee headstone? When his son, Lawrence Lafette Ross, ordered a VA Confederate marker for his father in 1939, the VA, not seeing "CSA" or "Confederate" written on the form, assumed that George Ross had served in a US/Yankee regiment. Someone at the VA even scratched out the "11th &" portion of "11th & 17th Ark. Reg.," leaving just "17th Ark.," which is what is (inaccurately) inscribed on the maker. The inscribers even inscribed the "4" in his birth year backwards. THIS STONE SHOULD BE REPLACED WITH A CONFEDERATE MARKER!!!]

Pvt. Thomas Jefferson Ross (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1822-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1913), Co. C ("Capt. Robert D. Lanier's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted Sept. 5, 1864, almost certainly at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 42. Absent on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, which states "furloughed [on] 7 Sept. [1864] for 30 days." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Ross Cemetery, 31.66810 -89.97420, located appr. 200 ft. due E of appr. 774 Daughdrill Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type undetermined, but probably a private marker.

Pvt. Augustus Benjamin Sanders (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1847-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1910), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted March 1, 1864, at Mt. Carmel, Covington County, MS, at age 16. Present or absent not stated on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Monticello, Covington County, MS." Southern Patriot! Pvt. Sanders filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1907. His widow, Nancy E. Sanders, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1911. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, supposedly with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Simeon Thomas Sanders (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1839/1840-d. Beauvoir Confederate Soldiers Home, Harrision County, MS, 1926), Co. A, 22nd MS Infantry. Pvt. Sanders filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1910 and another application in Marion County, MS, in 1915. Buried in the Beauvoir Confederate Soldiers Home Cemetery, Beauvoir, Hwy. 90, Biloxi, Harrison County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: Some databases state that he is buried in the Oakvale Cemetery, Oakvale, Lawrence County, MS, with a private marker, but this is in error.] [Note: He is included in this listing of Jefferson Davis County burials because some databases erroneously place his grave site in that county.] [Note: He is also erroneously listed in some databases as "Simeon F. Sanders."]

Pvt. Darius Scarborough (b. Burke County, GA, 1811-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1898), Co. C ("Capt. Robert D. Lanier's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). No enlistment date/data, but this company was formed on Aug. 30 & Sept. 1, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, so he would have enlisted at that time at age 52. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William Shivers (b. Rankin County, MS, 1841-d. Covington County, MS, 1893), Co. F ("Covington Fencibles," raised in Covington County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 13, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 20. Present on July 1, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Nov. 1, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent, sick." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sick in Hospital by order of Regimental Surgeon [since] 30 April 1863." Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted; furloughed from Hospital [at] Dalton, Ga., [on] 30 May 1863 for 30 days and dropped from the roll for continued absence." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "furloughed for 22 days [on] 19 Feb. 1863 [1864?] [by] General Order 14." In an undated "Report of target practice of Cos. F & K, 27th Miss. Reg't.," using a "long Enfield" gun, he was "too low" at 200 yards; "too low" at 250 yards; "1 ft. 1/4 in. left, 1 ft. 10 in. above" the target at 300 yards; and, "too high" at 400 yards. Signed for clothing issue at unspecified locations on April 30, 1864 [probably at Dalton, GA], and June 30, 1864 [probably near Marietta, GA]. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 27th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 24th MS Infantry, the 29th MS Infantry, the 30th MS Infantry, & the 34th MS Infantry to form the 24th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Shivers does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. No further information in his military file with these units, but no notice of desertion or AWOL, so it is possible (though unconfirmed) that he enlisted into a second unit -- as a private in Co. A ("Lee's Company," raised in Rankin County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted on Aug. 30, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 23 (if I have the right man). Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll states "absent on special duty since Sept. 12th [1864]." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. [Note: This soldier in McNair's Battalion could also be a William Riley Shivers (1812-1878) of Simpson County, MS; no way to differentiate between them.] Buried in the Speights Cemetery, 31.44890 -89.75310, located in the woods, 100 ft. N of a point on McNease Road that lies appr. 1800 ft. due W of that road's intersection with South Williamsburg Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE, BUT MATERIALLY SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY. Berry Slater (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1819-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1887) was paid $24.00 for 24 lbs. of wool at Jackson, Hinds County, MS, on Sept. 19, 1862. Buried in the Slater Cemetery, 31.73590 -89.88560, located on the N side of Old Hebron Road, appr. 4000 ft. W of the intersection of that road with State Hwy. 13 and Mt. Olive Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Warren Slater (b. Screven County, GA, 1817-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1900), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Dec. 28, 1862, at age 45. Present on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! His widow, Mary Slater, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1907, stating that her husband had served in "Yerger's Cavalry," but he has no service records in that command. Buried in the Slater Cemetery, 31.73590 -89.88560, located on the N side of Old Hebron Road, appr. 4000 ft. W of the intersection of that road with State Hwy. 13 and Mt. Olive Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. James Neal Smith (b. NC, 1842-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1920), Co. A ("Simpson Greys," raised in Simpson County, MS), 39th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 5, 1862, at Westville, Simpson County, MS, at age 19 (according to his military papers). Present on Dec. 21, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sick at Clinton [Hinds County, MS] Hospital." No further information in his military file. Pvt. Smith filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1906 & 1916 in which he stated that he enlisted in April 1861 and served until his unit surrendered at Fort Blakely, AL, at war's end; however, he did not enlist until April 1862 and there is no proof that he served until war's end. [Note: There is a James N. Smith in the same company who did serve until war's end and who was captured at Fort Blakely, AL, but that man was twenty-one years older than the James N. Smith under consideration here.] Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, located down a dirt road that turns N off of Oak Grove Road at a point appr. 1000 feet E of that road's juncture with McCormick Lane, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Martin Smith (b. Rankin County, MS, 1836-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1913), Co. C ("Capt. John Wilkinson's Company," raised in Covington and other counties in South MS), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 1, 1864, at Mt. Carmel, Covington County, MS, at age 28. Present on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. June 1864 company muster roll for Co. C states "transferred to Co. A, Moorman's Battalion." Present on June 1864 company muster roll for (1st) Co. A. (aka, "Capt. James P. Beasley's Company," raised in Covington and other South MS counties), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. [Note: This company later became Co. E, 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry.] Absent on Oct. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent with leave of Genl. Adams since 29 Oct. 1864." No further information in his military file. Pvt. Smith filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1908, in which he stated that he served in "Co. A" of the "7th Battalion" under "Woods" and Capt. "Beasley," but no service records exist for him in that organization; he surely meant to say that he served in the "24th Battalion MS Cavalry," as he correctly named his company letter and his company and brigade commanders for that organization. Buried in Old Greens Creek Cemetery, 31.47330 -89.84330, located appr. 800 feet due E of a point on Smith Lane that is appr. 1200 feet N of that road's junction with Blackwell Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note that there is also a second Greens Creek Cemetery in this county.]

Pvt. William J.S. Smith (b. Washington County, TN, 1834-d. Covington County, MS, after 1910), Co. G ("Camden Knights, No. 2," raised in Ouchita County, AR), 11th Arkansas Infantry. Enlisted into State service on July 23, 1861, at Little Rock, Pulaski County, AR, at age 27. Captured at the Battle of Island No. 10 [located in the Mississippi River between New Madrid, MO, and Lake County, TN] on April 7, 1862, and transported as a POW to Camp Chase, OH, arriving there on April 13, 1862. A mistake in the records at Camp Chase caused Pvt. Smith to be mistaken for a captain, so he was transported to Johnson's Island, OH, POW Camp, which was largely reserved for captured Confederate officers. Transferred back to Camp Chase, OH, on May 1, 1862. Transferred for exchange from Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on Aug. 25, 1862. Physically exchanged on Sept. 11, 1862, at Vicksburg, MS, from the US Steamer Jno. H. Done. Present on Sept. 22, 1862, company muster roll. In late Dec. 1862 or early Jan. 1863, the 11th AR Infantry and the 17th AR Infantry were consolidated to form the 11th & 17th Consolidated AR Infantry. Pvt. Smith served in Co. G of this consolidated unit. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Captured by Illinois cavalry near Port Hudson, LA, on Jan. 12, 1864, and sent to New Orleans, LA, as a POW. Imprisoned at the Custom House POW Camp, New Orleans, LA, on Jan. 15, 1864. Sent, as a POW, to St. Louis Hospital [probably housed in St. Louis Cathedral], New Orleans, LA, on May 4, 1864. Appears on a "Roll of Prisoners of War at New Orleans, La., Roll dated Office of Commissary of Prisoners, Dept. of the Gulf, New Orleans, La., July 7, 1864." No further information in his military file with these regiments. [Note: There are so many score of records in the various Misc. files for men with similar names that has been impossible for this researcher to find possible, additional records for Pvt. Smith.] Buried in the Smith Cemetery, 31.64920 -89.91580, located appr. 700 ft. SW of the terminus of Daughdrill Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Archibald Stephen Speights (b. MS, 1848-d. Covington County, MS, 1925) filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924, in which he stated that he served in the "7th Battalion" MS Infantry, but he has not records in that or any other MS CS unit. When his son, Michael O'Rourke Speights, filed for a VA headstone for his father in 1934, the VA could not confirm Speights' service (since he has no service records), so the VA asked the State of MS to verify that he had received a Confederate Pension, which the State of MS did because Speights' Confederate Pension application had been rubberstamped at the county level, as was typical, county pension boards having no access to a given soldier's service records. Michael Speights also stated that his father served in "Capt. Nathan Barnes' Company" of the 7th Battalion MS Infantry, but there was never a Capt. Barnes in that unit. [Note: Capt. Nathan Barnes commanded Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Speights has no service records in this unit, either.] I do not believe that Archibald S. Speights was ever a Confederate soldier. [Note that a Pvt. A.W. Speights served in Co. G, 7th MS Infantry Regiment, but he is a different man.] His widow, Margaret Speights, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1925. Buried in the Speights Cemetery, located about 300 feet N of a point on Speights Road that is appr. 700 feet E of that road's intersection with Hathorn Cemetery Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: There are four Speights Cemeteries in Jefferson Davis County, MS.]

Pvt. Henry A. Stamps (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1836-d. prob. in service, prob. Lee County, MS, 1864), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 25. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to rear from Baldwin [i.e., "Baldwyn," Lee County, MS], Sept. 11 [1862]." Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "absent without leave [since] Sept. 25 [1862]." Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "absent without leave [since] Sept. 25th 1862." Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll states "absent without leave [since] Sept. 20th 1862." Dec. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted Sept. 20, 1862." Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave [from] Sept. 24th, 1862, to May 10, 1864." The 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were consolidated on April 9, 1865, into one unit -- the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Regiments Consolidated MS Cavalry -- and Pvt. Stamps does not have a war's end parole with that unit. No further information in his military file. However, as family sources state that he died on Oct. 14, 1864, it is my conviction that Pvt. Stamps was mortally wounded [wound not reported] at the Battle of Harrisburg [Tupelo, Lee County, MS] on July 14, 1864, while serving under famed Confederate Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest, as the 38th MS Infantry is known to have suffered horrific casualties at that battle. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Stamps Cemetery, 31.56000 -89.89170, located in the woods, appr. 400 ft. due W of a point on State Hwy. 13 that lies appr. 500 ft. due N of that road's intersection with Moody Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Joseph Allen Stamps (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1834-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1902), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Mustered into State service at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Aug. 3, 1861, at age 27, but would have enlisted into the company proper some weeks prior to this date. This company was incorporated into the 7th MS Infantry on Sept. 27, 1861, at Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, MS. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. June 1862 company muster roll states "transferred to Capt. West's Sharp Shooters [on] June 23, 1862, by order Col. Bishop." June 1862 Regimental Return states "transferred to Battalion Sharp Shooters [on] June 23, 1862, [at] Tupelo [Lee County] Miss." Pvt. Stamps served in Co. C, 1st Battalion MS Sharpshooters, which became Co. C, 9th (Chalmers') Battalion MS Sharpshooters. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "detailed and left as nurse at Munfordville, KY, Sept. 17, 1862" [to care for the wounded after a large battle there]. Captured at Munfordville, KY, on Sept. 18, 1862, and forwarded to Military Prison, Louisville, KY. Forwarded March 20, 1863, to Camp Butler, IL, POW camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to render them unfit for field service upon exchange. Arrived at Camp Butler, IL, on March 23, 1863. Forwarded to Fort Monroe, VA, and paroled there on April 14, 1863. Present again with his company of sharpshooters on April 1863 company muster roll. After his service with the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, Pvt. Stamps was again assigned to G ("Goode Rifles"), 7th MS Infantry. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital, sick, [on] Nov. 15, 1863, by order of Surgeon." Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Stamps served in Co. A of this consolidated command. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and the Army of the South on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William S. Stamps (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1831-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1877), Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Enlisted May 4, 1862, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 30. Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "absent, sick." Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Paid on March 9, 1863, by the Quartermaster at Edwards Depot, Hinds County, MS, for four months' service and clothing allowance (with payment witnessed by 1st Lt. -- later Capt. -- Sylvester Gwin of his own company). July 25, 1863, company muster roll states "absent, on detail, [in] Quartermaster's Department." Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserter, Feb. 1863," but this is difficult to understand, given that his own Lt. confirmed his presence the following month. No further information in his military file. Buried in the Stamps Cemetery, located appr. 600 feet NW of the intersection of Moody Lane and State Hwy. 13, or about 250 feet due W of a point on Hwy. 13 that lies appr. 450 feet N of the intersection of Moody Lane and State Hwy. 13, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. However, a marker has been placed for him at Tyrone Cemetery (aka, Bethany Cemetery), located at the intersection of Bethany Church Road and Old Hwy. 13 South, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS. [Note: There is another Stamps Cemetery in Jeff Davis County, MS, the second being located appr. 2500 feet due E of a point on Old Highway 13 S (from Prentiss) that lies appr. 1500 feet S of that road's junction with Tom Bullock Road.]

Pvt. Charles Dougal Stewart (b. NC, 1818-d. Covington County, MS, 1884), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted Aug. 11, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 44. Present on Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 10 Dec. 1862." No further information in his military file with this very short-term unit. Buried in the Stewart Cemetery, 31.70190 -89.79110, located at the end (about 1200 ft.) of a dirt road that runs S of a point on Hartzog-Magee Road that lies appr. 2200 ft. W of the intersection of that road with State Hwy. 541, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Alexander W. Stringer [also listed as "A.W. Streiger" in the military records] (b. prob. Lawrence County, MS, 1839-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1902), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted into State service at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Aug. 3, 1861, at age 22, but would have enlisted into the company proper locally several weeks earlier. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Oct. 5, 1861, company muster roll. Nov. 1, 1861, Regimental Return states "discharged for disability, Nov. 30 [1861]" at Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, MS. However, this young Southron was not done serving his new country. He enlisted a second time, this time as 1st Sgt., Co. C ("Capt. Robert D. Lanier's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). No enlistment date/data, but this company was formed on Aug. 30 & Sept. 1, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, so he would have enlisted at that time at age 25. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. Enoch W. Stuckey [found as "E. Stuckey" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1843-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1922), Co. B ("Capt. Sutton's Company," raised in Rankin County, MS), 1st Battalion MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 26, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 21 (if I have the right man). Absent on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "furloughed to 4th (sic) Sept. [1864]." No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he served in Co. I ("Columbia Guards," raised in Marion County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), but he has no service records in that command.]

Pvt. Ephraim Thomas Sullivan (b. Smith County, MS, 1843-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1931), Co. C ("True Confederates," raised in Smith County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. Enlisted into State service Oct. 18, 1861, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 17, but may have originally enlisted into the company when it was formed on June 1, 1861, at Raleigh, Smith County, MS. June 1863 company muster roll states "on extra duty." Present on the April 1864 company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 8th MS Infantry, the 5th MS Infantry, the 22nd MS Infantry, and 3rd Battalion MS Infantry were consolidated into the 8th Battalion Consolidated MS Infantry, but Pvt. Sullivan does not have a war's end parole on file with this consolidated unit. No further records in his military file. Pvt. Sullivan filed Confederate Pension applications in Covington County, MS, in 1912, 1914, 1916, 1923, and 1924 in which he stated that he was never absent from his command, that he was with his command at the surrender, and that he was "shot in hip" at the Battle of Murphreesboro, TN (Dec. 31, 1862). None of these contentions are borne out by his actual service record. [Regarding his being shot, in some of his pension applications he answered "no" to the question of whether he was ever wounded in during the war.] Buried in the Hopewell Cemetery, located at the intersection of Mount Olive Road and Wiggington Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Loughton [aka "Loten" and "Loden"] Sullivan [found as "L. Sullivan" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1844-d. Covington County, MS, 1898), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. B, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 17. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled as Corp. at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Oct. 1863 company muster roll states "wounded slightly [in the] thigh [at the Siege of] Vicksburg; absent without leave from Aug. 23, 1863." Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "reported in Parole Camp [on] Nov. 9, 1863." [Parole camps were Confederate military camps where soldiers continued to train until they were "exchanged" on paper for a like number of Yankee who had also been captured and paroled. Such soldiers could not perform any active military duty until they were exchanged on paper.] Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "absent without leave since Feb. 9, 1864." No further information in his military file. Buried in the Magee-Sullivan Cemetery, 31.45810 -89.72560, located appr. 300 feet E of a point on Thompson Road that is appr. 2000 feet N of the junction of Thompson Road with McNease Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker (the Confederate marker having fallen over and being almost completely sunk into the ground).

Pvt. James Madison Sutton (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1846-killed in action, Battle of Harrisburg, Lee County, MS, 1864), Co. G ("Capt. E.J. Runnels' Company," raised in Neshoba County, MS), 6th (Harrison's) MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 4, 1864, at "[Mrs.?] Andings," county not specified, at age 17. Absent on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "on detached service. Appears on a "Report of killed and wounded in the Second Division of [famed Confederate Gen. Nathan Bedford] Forrest's Cavalry, including Mabry's Brigade, in the Battle of Harrisburg [Lee County,] Miss.," July 14, 1864, with notation "missing in action." No further information in his military file. However, family histories confirm that Pvt. Sutton was actually killed in action at this battle. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Sutton Cemetery, located about 100 feet due S of a point on John Smith Cutoff Road that lies appr. 1600 feet E of the intersection of that road and Sophia Sutton Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker that states "Killed in battle at Harrisburg." [Note: Some databases state that he served in Co. G, 20th MS Infantry, but they are mistaken. The J.M. Sutton of that unit was a resident of Tippah County, MS, deserted, and was passed to St. Louis, MO, in Aug. 1863. One of his two cards states that he was actually a member of Co. G, 20th MO (not MS) Infantry. The James Madison Sutton under consideration here was definitely a member of Co. G, 6th MS Cavalry.]

Pvt. Jesse Oscar Sutton (b. Candler County, GA, 1815-d. Simpson County, MS, 1863), Co. F ("Capt. Larkin's Company," raised in Simpson County, MS), 1st Battalion MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (1862-1863) (Harper's). Enlisted Aug. 23, 1862, in Simpson County, MS, at age 47. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on sick furlough." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on sick furlough." No further information in his military file. Family sources state he died on April 17, 1863, in Simpson County, MS, which would have been after his six-month term of enlistment in the 1st Battalion was over, but he clearly died of the disease he contracted while in service. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Sutton Cemetery, located about 100 feet due S of a point on John Smith Cutoff Road that lies appr. 1600 feet E of the intersection of that road and Sophia Sutton Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker that states "A Confederate Soldier."

Pvt. Edward Taylor (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1838-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1924), Co. C ("Capt. Robert D. Lanier's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted Sept. 13, 1864, almost certainly at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 26. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, but noted on that roll as a "recruit." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Edward Taylor filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1920 & 1924, in which he did not mention his unit, but mentioned serving under "Jim Warner," whom I have not been able to identify (and whose name Pvt. Taylor may be confused about). Buried in the Taylor Cemetery, 31.51310 -89.93440, located appr. 700 feet due S of a point on Taylor Lucas Road that lies 400 ft. W of the middle of the 90-degree curve on that road, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Lemuel W. "Lemon" Taylor [found as "Lemon W. Taylor" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1833-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1915), Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Enlisted April 27, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 27. Present on July 27, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "left sick at Camp Beauregard, Ky." Absent on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "detailed Dec. 16 [1862] to carry sick [soldiers] to Hospital and is at home without leave." Absent on July 25, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since July 7, 1863." Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserter, July 9, 1863." Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "deserted July 7, 1863; rejoined Oct. 17, 1863; [AWOL] 3 months [and] 10 days." Present on Jan. 5, 1864, company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 28, 1865, company muster roll, with notation "left his company without authority at Shubuta, Miss., Feb. 1, 1865." On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 22nd MS Infantry, the 1st MS Infantry, the 33rd MS Infantry, and the 1st Battalion MS Infantry were consolidated to form the 22nd Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Taylor does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated command. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

(Dr.) 2nd Lt. Jasper DeKalb Terrell (b. Covington County, MS, 1841-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1905), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted with the company into the service of the State of MS on Sept. 17, 1861, but would have enlisted in to the company locally in Covington County, MS, some weeks earlier at age 20. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present as company officer on Nov. 1861 Regimental Return. Dec. 1861 Regimental Return states "absent on furlough in Covington County [MS]." It is unclear whether Lt. Terrell resigned his commission as an officer or whether another officer was elected in his place in early May 1862, as documents conflict. "Special Order No. 57-1, Army of Miss., 2nd Army Corps, May 6, 1862," notes that 2nd Lt. Terrell's resignation from his command has been accepted. An undated "Register containing Rosters of Commissioned Officers [of the] Provisional Army [of the] Confederate States" has the notation "dropped [i.e., not re-elected as an officer, on] May 8, 1862." No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Terrell Cemetery (aka, Tarell Cemetery), 31.60030 -89.73810, located at the end of a dirt road that runs S from a point on Terrell Road that is appr. 250 feet E of that road's junction with Johnson Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Samuel G. Terrell [found as "S.G. Terrel" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1829-d. Covington County, MS, 1878), Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). No enlistment date/data. Probably enlisted ca. Aug. 31, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 35. Absent on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "not [yet] reported [to camp]." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Buried in the Terrell Cemetery (aka, Tarell Cemetery), 31.60030 -89.73810, located at the end of a dirt road that runs S from a point on Terrell Road that is appr. 250 feet E of that road's junction with Johnson Lane, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Jesse F. Thompson (b. Marion County, MS, 1848-d. Marion County, MS, 1915) filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1912 in which he stated that he enlisted in Marion County, MS, in 1864 and served in Co. C ("Capt. N.B. Barnes' Company"), Stubbs' Battalion MS Cavalry. He also mentioned Woods' Regiment MS Cavalry, but he has no service records in either of those units. He also stated that he was transferred to the "State Troops" in Feb. 1865, but, again, I can find no service records for him in any MS CS unit. I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. His widow, "Mrs. J.F. Thompson," filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924, in which she stated that her husband served in "Stubbs' Battalion," but, again, he has no service records in that or any other MS CS unit. Buried in the Blount Cemetery (aka, Laird Cemetery), located on the east side of North Carson Road, appr. 1 mile S of the intersection of North Carson Road and East St. Stephens Road, Carson, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt./4th Corp. John W. Thompson (b. prob. Pike County, MS, 1827-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1912), Co. F ("Marion's Men," raised in Marion County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted some weeks prior to Aug. 10, 1861, at Columbia, Marion County, MS, at age 34. Present on Aug. 10, 1861, company muster roll, when the company was mustered into the service of the State of MS. Absent on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "at Hospital sick & has been since the 20th Inst. [i.e., the 20th of October 1861]." Nov. 1861 Regimental Return states "sick at home in Marion County [MS]." Dec. 1861 Regimental Return states "absent [on furlough since] 12th Nov. [1861] for 30 days." Present as private on June 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "left at Tyner Hospital [Tyner's Station, TN] sick on Surgeon's Certificate, Aug. 20, 1862." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "wounded in battle at Murfreesboro [i.e., the Battle of Stones River], Dec. 31, 1862, [and] sent to Hospital at Chattanooga [TN]." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "wounded in battle at Murfreesboro [i.e., the Battle of Stones River], Dec. 31, 1862, [and] sent to Hospital." Appears on a "List of soldiers furloughed" from "hospitals at Rome, Ga.," with notation "furloughed on the 5 March 1863, [for] 30 days, Columbia P.O. [post office], Marion County, Miss." Paid for two months' service on March 9, 1863, at Meridian, MS. Absent on April 1863 company muster roll with notation "wounded in battle at Murfreesboro [i.e., the Battle of Stones River], Dec. 31, 1862, [and] sent to Hospital." Ditto on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "dropped from the roll as a Deserter [on] Feb. 4, 1864, after having been reported [for] 7 days [as] absent without leave." No further information in his military file. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. George W. Thurman (b. Simpson County, MS, 1844-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1910), Co. H ("Simpson Fencibles," raised in Simpson County, MS), 6th MS Infantry [found as "George Thermon" in the military records for this unit]. Enlisted prob. at Westville, Simpson County, MS, on July 9, 1861, at age 16. Mustered into State service on Aug. 24, 1861, at Grenada, Grenada County, MS, by Gen. West. Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll states "absent, sick at home." Present or absent not stated on Sept. 25, 1861, company muster roll. No further records with this unit. However, he seems to have been transferred to another Simpson County company, as he also appears as Pvt. G.W. Thurman in Co. A ("Simpson Greys," raised in Simpson County, MS), 39th MS Infantry, with the same State service mustering information as for Pvt. George Thermon (above). [Note: Cross-referencing in National Archives records confirms that these two soldiers are one and the same man.] Dec. 31, 1862, company muster roll (for Co. A, 39th MS Infantry) states "absent at home on sick furlough." Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 48-day Siege of Port Hudson, LA, on July 9, 1863. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "not yet reported to [parole] camps. [Parole camps were Confederate military camps where soldiers continued to train until they were "exchanged" on paper for a like number of Yankee who had also been captured and paroled. Such soldiers could not perform any active military duty until they were exchanged on paper.] Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "not reported [to parole camps] since paroled and, by order of Gen. [Leonidas] Polk [declared] a deserter." However, he returned to service and was reported "absent sick" on the Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from Sept. 15, 1863, to May 30, 1864; [now] sick at hospital." No further information in his military file. His widow, Susie Thurman, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1911, in which she stated that her husband had served in the 39th MS Infantry. Buried in the Hathorn Cemetery (aka, Stringer Cemetery?), located on the E side of Hathorn Cemetery Road, about halfway between its intersection with Bass-Burkett Road and its intersection with Speights Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker depicting his service in the 6th MS Infantry.

Pvt. Isaiah Tolar/Toler/Toller (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1833-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1922), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 3, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, at age 28. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sick at Hazlehurst Hospital [since] May 27 [1862] by order [of the] Post Surgeon." Absent on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital at Chattanooga, Tenn., Aug. 31, 1862, by order of Surgeon." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sick in quarters." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted on the 20th of August 1863 at Bridgeport, Ala." "Appears on a Roll of Deserters from the Rebel Army forwarded from Stevenson, Ala., Aug. 23, 1863, to be released at Louisville [KY]," roll dated Nashville, TN, Aug. 23, 1863, with notation "came to our lines [at] Stevenson, Ala., [on] Aug. 20, 1863," and "took the Oath of Alleginace [to the United States on] Aug. 22, 1863." An undated "Roll of Deserters from the Rebel Army," taken at Louisville, KY, has notation "received Aug. 25, 1863...discharged [i.e., released from Yankee custody] Sept. 11, 1863...[took] Oath [of Allegiance to the United States] & Sent North." [Note: Deserters were required to swear that they would stay north of the Ohio River until the end of the war.] "Name appears as a signature to an Oath of Allegiance to the United States, subscribed and sworn to at [Federal] Military Prison, Louisville, Ky., Sept. 11, 1863," with notation "place of residence -- Lawrence County, Miss." No further information in his military file. Pvt. Tolar filed Confederate Pension applications in Marion County, MS, in 1912, 1915, and 1917 in which he claimed to have only been absent from his command "about 12 months [while] on parole," but this is a misleading statement, as he was only paroled after deserting. He claimed to have been absent because he was a prisoner, which is also misleading. And he stated that he was never discharged, which is true because he deserted. Buried in the Parkman Cemetery, intersection of Hwy. 43 and Park Fortenberry Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Mills Preston Turnage, Sr. (b. Chesterfield County, SC, 1843-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1929), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Sept. 27, 1861, at Shieldsboro (Bay St. Louis), Hancock County, MS, at age 19. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick on Surgeon's Certificate since Aug. 20, 1862." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Received clothing on May 20, 1864, at Madison Hospital, Montgomery, AL. (It is not stated, whether he was a patient or not.) Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Turnage served in Co. A of this consolidated command. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and the Army of the South on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Pvt. Turnage filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924. His widow, Sarah Turnage, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1929. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT MATERIALLY SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY. Rev. Roland R. Turnage (b. Duplin County, NC, 1831-d. Marion County, MS, 1913). "Plantation of Joseph Mays, Lawrence County, Miss., Aug. 22, 1863. Received of R.R. Turnage, 25 bushels corn, and Seven hundred (700) pounds Fodder for the use of 10th Battalion Louisiana Cavalry, command of Lt. Col. Wilbern, attached to the command of Genl. Gideon J. Pillow. (signed) G.B. [last name illegible], A.Q.M., 10th Battalion Louisiana Cavalry." Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. William Randolph Turnage [found as "William Turnage" and "W.J. Turnage"\*\*\* in the military records] (b. Chesterfield County, SC, 1824-d. Covington County, MS, 1904), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted Sept. 27, 1861, at Shieldsboro (Bay St. Louis), Hancock County, MS, at age 37, but seems to have been rejected for service by the enrolling/inspecting officer. Enlisted a second time, into the same company, on April 21, 1864, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 39. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, the 7th MS Infantry, 9th MS Infantry, 10th MS Infantry, 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry were consolidated into the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Turnage served in Co. A of this consolidated command. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and the Army of the South on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! His widow, Mary Elizabeth Turnage, filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Covington County, MS, in 1914, 1916, & 1924, all of which were approved, claiming that her husband enlisted in 1862 and served in Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry in Capt. Terrell's Company. No one name Turnage served in that unit and, had he enlisted in 1862, there would be surviving company record for him. I think she was simply confused about her husband's service. Alternately, it could be that Pvt. Turnage attempted to enlist into Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry/4th MS Cavalry and was again rejected for service by the enrolling/inspecting officer. Buried in the Mt. Zion Methodist Cemetery, 31.63140 -89.79330, located on the N side of Hamilton Road, 600 feet W of the intersection of Hamilton Road and Mt. Carmel Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker. [\*\*\*I believe the "J." in the one record in which he appears as "W.J. Turnage" to be a transcription error and that it should be an "R."]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. J.F. Turnbough (b. MS, ca. 1846-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, ca. 1920) filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1907 & 1916, in which he stated that he served in "Drew's Battery" of "Dunlap's Battalion," and that he enlisted at Houma, LA, in 1864. However, no such battery or battalion has been identified and no service records for Turnbough (and variant spellings) in any LA or MS CS unit have been found. His widow, Leander Turnbough, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1923, restating the same service info as found on her husband's pension applications. I do not believe that Turnbough was ever a Confederate soldier. Grave site not found.

Pvt. Hartwell Harrison Tyrone (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1824-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1898), Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Records conflict over whether he enlisted or was conscripted (i.e., drafted). Some records say that he enlisted Dec. 29, 1862, at Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS, while other records state that he was conscripted Jan. 1, 1863, at Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS, at age 38. June 1863 company muster roll states "absent, sick." Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "absent, sent to Hospital sick [on] July 4, 1863." Aug. 31, 1863, muster roll for Breckinridge's Division Hospital No. 1, Lauderdale Springs, Lauderdale County, MS, shows Pvt. Tyrone present as a nurse, with notation "attached to Hospital Aug, 4, 1863" as a "nurse," and further notation "detailed by Surgeon J.W. Thompson." Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Jan. 5, 1864, company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "[charged for] 1 Bayonet Scabbard [lost], $1.00." Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 28, 1865, company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 22nd MS Infantry, the 1st MS Infantry, the 33rd MS Infantry, and the 1st Battalion MS Infantry were consolidated to form the 22nd Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Tyrone served in Co. H of this consolidated unit. Admitted to C.S.A. General Hospital No. 11, Charlotte, NC, shortly before war's end (exact date not given), suffering from "rheumatism." Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of Confederate troops in the Carolinas on April 26, 1865, and paroled at Charlotte, NC, as a patient in General Hospital No. 11, Charlotte, NC. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Henderson Griffin Tyrone [found as "H.G. Tyrone" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1822-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1899), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Dec. 28, 1862, at age 40. Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll states "discharged for disability [on] Jan. 30, 1863." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. However, this older patriot was not done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, again as a private into Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). No enlistment date/data. Probably enlisted ca. Aug. 31, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 41. Absent on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent with leave for 20 days by [order of Major] J.E. McNair from Sept. 2nd 1864." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Tyrone Cemetery (aka, Bethany Cemetery), located at the intersection of Bethany Church Road and Old Hwy. 13 South, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Parkman Tyrone (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1842-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1924), Co. A ("Mississippi Greys," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Enlisted sometime prior to April 27, 1861, when the company was entered into State service, at age 18. However, he does not appear in any regimental paperwork after that date, so he was almost certainly rejected for service by the enrolling/inspecting State officer, which was typically done for health reasons. Not to be deterred in his patriotic duty, Pvt. Tyrone enlisted a second time shortly thereafter (probably after having recovered his health), this time into Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry, enlisting with that company into State service at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on Aug. 3, 1861, at age 18, but would have enlisted into the company proper locally several weeks earlier. Absent on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "received furlough from October 28th [1861] to 7th November [1861]." Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Oct. 5, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "wounded at [the] Battle of Murfreesboro [TN on] Dec. 31, 1862, & sent to Hospital." A "List of killed, wounded, and missing of the 7th Mississippi Regiment in the Battle before Murfreesboro, Tenn.," states "nature of wound: severe" and "wound was received on 1st Charge 400 yards in front of [the enemy's] Breastworks." A "List of killed, wounded, and missing in Chalmer's Brigade" states "wounded severely." Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "wounded at [the] Battle [of] Murfreesboro [TN on] Dec. 31, 1862, and sent to Hospital [on] order [of] Surgeon." April 1863 company muster roll states "wounded at [the] Battle [of] Murfreesboro [TN on] Dec. 31, 1862, and sent to Interior Hospital." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Captured at the Battle of Lookout Mountain, TN, on Nov. 24, 1863, and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, and then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY. Sent from Louisville, KY, to horrific Rock Island, IL, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate soldiers so as to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on Dec. 5, 1863. Transferred for exchange from Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on March 20, 1865. Physically exchanged at Boulware's Wharf, VA, on March 27, 1865, just two weeks before Gen. Robert E. Lee surrendered to end the war in the VA Theater. Pvt. Tyrone was probably sent to Camp Lee, Richmond, VA, to recuperate from harsh Yankee treatment, but was furloughed before war ended (according to his pension applications). The war ended before he could be re-united with his command. No further information in his military file. Southern Patriot! Pvt. Tyrone filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1910, 1916, & 1920 in which he described his Murfreesboro wound as a "flesh wound" to the thigh. He also spent three months in the hospital at Beauvoir Confederate Soldiers Home in Biloxi, Harrison County, MS, sometime between 1917 and 1920. Buried in the Brady Cemetery, 887 Progress Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. William Tillery Tyrone (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1819-d. Lawence County, MS, 1895), Co. A ("Capt. Wilson's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS, on July 12, 1862, at age 42. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave to Oct. 10th [1862]." Absent on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from Dec. 10th [1862] to Dec. 28th [1862]; deserted Feb. 19th 1863." No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Buried in the Tyrone Cemetery, 31.59190 -89.85970, located 300 ft. due SW of the intersection of J.E. Johnson Road and East St. Stephens Road, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Daniel W. Walker (b. Covington County, MS, 1844-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, between 1924 and 1929), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. Sept. 11, 1861, in Covington County, MS, at age 17. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick on Surgeon's Certificate since Aug. 20, 1862." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sick in quarters." Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital, Aug. 26, 1863, by order [of the] Surgeon [of the] 7th [MS Infantry]." Present or absent not stated on the Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital, Aug. 31, 1864, [on the] order [of the] Surgeon [of the] 7th Miss. Regt." No further information in his military file. Pvt. Walker filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1911 & 1924 in which he variously stated that he either served until war's end or was only absent at the end (sick) for twenty days -- contentions that are not borne out by his service records. His widow, "Mrs. D.W. Walker," filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1929. Buried in Prentiss Cemetery, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Thomas H. Walker (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1846-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1920), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted Feb. 1, 1864, at Mt. Carmel, Covington County, MS, at age 17. Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. The 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were consolidated on April 9, 1865, into one unit -- the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Regiments Consolidated MS Cavalry -- and Pvt. Walker does not have a war's end parole with that unit. No further information in his military file. Pvt. Walker filed Confederate Pension applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1910 & 1916, in which he stated that he served till war's end, a contention which is not borne out by his actual service records. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. James C. Ward (b. prob. Lawrence County, MS, 1841-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1916), Co. A ("Mississippi Grey's," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry. Company incorporated into the 22nd MS Infantry on July 31, 1861, at Iuka, Tishomingo County, MS, but Pvt. Ward probably joined the company locally ca. April 27, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS. Absent on July 31, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "left sick at Camp Beauregard [Graves County, KY]." Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Ditto on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on July 25, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since July 16, 1863" [the last day of the Siege of Jackson, Hinds County, MS]. Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted July 17, 1863." However, he returned to service and was present on the Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Jan. 4, 1864, company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "to [i.e., pay docked for] 1 bayonet scabbard, $1.00." Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 28, 1865, company muster roll, with notation "left with authority at Shubuta [Clarke County], Miss., Feb. 1st 1865." On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 22nd MS Infantry, the 1st MS Infantry, the 33rd MS Infantry, and the 1st Battalion MS Infantry were consolidated to form the 22nd Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Ward does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated unit. His widow, Amanda Ward, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband served in the "22nd Regiment" and that he served till war's end, surrendering in NC. However, there is no evidence that he served till war's end or surrendered in NC. Buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, supposedly with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that he served in Co. E ("Pettus Rebels," raised in Winston County, MS), 5th MS Infantry, but the J.C. Ward in that unit is an entirely different man.]

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Servant George Weathersby (b. Copiah County, MS, ca. 1841-d. Lawrence County, MS, after 1911) filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1911, stating that he served a T.B. Weathersby of Co. A, "4th Miss.," from 1862 until war's end, which appears to be true, as Pvt. T.B. Weathersby did serve in Co. A, 4th MS Cavalry, until war's end. Grave site not found.

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. IDENTITY CLARIFIED. James F. White (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1830-d. Lincoln County, MS, 1900) is listed on some databases as having been the captain of Co. I ("Lula White Rebels," raised in Monroe County, MS), 2nd MS Cavalry, but the James F. White who was captain of that company was a resident of Aberdeen, Monroe County, MS, in 1860, while the James F. White under consideration here lived in Lawrence County, MS, at the time. The James White under consideration here is almost certainly Pvt. James White, "Capt. F.M. Little's Company" (raised in Copiah Countyo, MS), 3rd (Peyton's/Cooper's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted April 5, 1864, at Bahala [now Beauregard], Copiah County, MS, at age 34. "Absent" on the single, undated company muster roll in his military file for this very short-term unit, with notation "absent without leave." This command was discharged on March 15, 1865. Grave site not found, but said to be buried in the White Sand Cemetery, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of White Sand Church Road with Sugar Ridge Road, N of Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, supposedly with no marker.

1st Corp. Abner James Wilkes (b. Marion County, MS, 1835-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1908), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. B, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 1st Corp. on Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 26. Present on April 20, 1862, company muster roll. Present as private on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled as Corp. at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "absent without leave since Aug. 23, 1863." Returned to service before war's end, but was not with his company when it surrendered at Fort Blakely, Mobile, AL. Surrendered at war's end at the general surrender of troops in the Western Theater on May 4, 1865, and paroled at war's end at Jackson, Hinds County, MS, on May 20, 1865, with notation on parole giving residence as Covington County, MS. Southern Patriot! Pvt. Wilkes filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1906. His widow, Martha O. Wilkes, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1908. As Martha A. Wilks (sic), she filed an additional application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916. Buried in the Buckley Cemetery (aka, Abner Wilkes Cemetery?), 31.46420 -89.89140, located appr. 400 ft. due E of a point on State Hwy. 13 that lies appr. 2200 ft. S of that highway's intersection with Bournham Road and Jack Loftin Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker, but this is not shown on his find-a-grave page.]

Pvt. Stephen Hitchcock Pinckney Wilkes (b. Marion County, MS, 1837-d. Marion County, MS, 1898), Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. B, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 22, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 34. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "discharged by furnishing a non-conscript & to the manor born as a Substitute [on] Nov. 27th 1862." Pvt. Wilkes, though not required to do so, re-enlisted at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, on Feb. 16, 1863 and was again in service with his company during the horrific, 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, as he was surrendered and paroled there on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. Absent on the Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Aug. 23, 1863." No further information in his military file. [Note: Pvt. Wilkes' substitute, John Rufus Barnes, served with distinction for the rest of the war, first in the 46th MS Infantry, then in the 7th MS Infantry, finally surrendering in NC at war's end as a member of the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry.] Pvt. Wilkes is buried in the Wilks/Wilkes Cemetery, located on the E side of South Williamsburg Road, about 2000 feet N of that road's intersection with Cavanaugh Road, Bassfield, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined, but supposedly with a private marker.

Pvt. Hiram Griffith Williams (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1842-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1874), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. B, 4th MS Cavalry. Enlisted Jan. 19, 1862, at Pass Christian, Harrison County, MS, at age 19. Present on Jan. 19, 1862, company muster, with notation "brought 1 horse into service." Present or absent not stated on Feb. 1, 1862, company muster roll, but notation states "brought into service 1 horse valued at $250." Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll taken at Camp Moore, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, for Co. A ("Terrell Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, into which company Pvt. Williams was apparently temporarily transferred. No further information in his military file with this unit. However, there is no mention of AWOL or desertion in his records, so it may be that when Stockdale's Battalion was reorganizing at Camp Moore, LA, the enrolling/inspecting officer rejected Pvt. Williams for further service. Since Williams died young (in 1874), it is likely that he was in generally poor health during the war. Stockdale's Battalion was enlarged to become the 4th MS Cavalry on Sept. 14, 1863, but Pvt. Williams has no service records with the expanded unit. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Brinson Cemetery, 31.73500 -89.87220, located appr. 150 ft. W of a point on State Hwy. 13 that lies appr. 1100 ft. S of the intersection of that highway with Old Hebron Road and Mt. Olive Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

VERY TENTATIVE. Pvt. Isaac Milton Williams [found as "I. Williams" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1849-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1937), Co. G ("Capt. Hargrove's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry. No enlistment date/data. Known only from a "Report of Prisoners of War paroled at Memphis, Tenn., for six days ending May 31, 1865. Probably enlisted in late 1864 or early 1865 at appr. age 15 or 16 (if I have the right man). Buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, 31.60470 -89.86670, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. John Holley Williams [found as "J.H. Williams" in the military records] (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1835-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1909), Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops). Enlisted Aug. 31, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 34 (if I have the right man). Present on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. Buried in the Prentiss Cemetery, 31.60470 -89.86670, located between Isabella Street and Mississippi Avenue, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. John Isaac Williams (b. Covington County, MS, 1847-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1917) is listed on some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. B ("Capt. Easton's Company," county of origin not specified), Stubbs' MS Cavalry, but no service records have been found for him in any MS CS unit. Williams filed a Confederate Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1916, in which he did not mention his unit. (Pension application not found in MS Dept. of Archives & History online MS Confederate Pension applications.) His widow, Leona S. Williams, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1924, in which she also stated that her husband served in "Stubbs' Regiment." Buried in the Mikell Cemetery, located down a dirt road that turns N off of Oak Grove Road at a point appr. 1000 feet E of that road's juncture with McCormick Lane, Prentiss, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that he has a Confederate marker.]

TENTATIVE. Pvt. John J. Williams (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1825-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1887), Co. E ("White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 36. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, and required to return to service after being duly exchanged on paper for a like Yankee POW. June 30, 1864, company muster roll states "absent without leave [since] Aug. 23, 1863," and gives his age as 34. [Ages are often off by a few years in these records.] The 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were consolidated on April 9, 1865, into one unit -- the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Regiments Consolidated MS Cavalry -- and Pvt. Williams does not have a war's end parole with that unit. No further information in his military file. Buried in the Lee Cemetery, 31.69940 -89.88420, located on the W side of J.E. Hall Lane, appr. 1300 ft. N of that road's intersection with West Whitesand Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William C. Williams (b. prob. Lawrence County, MS, 1831-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1912), Co. I ("Covington Rifles," aka "Covington Rangers," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. Sept. 11, 1861, in Covington County, MS, at age 30. Present on Sept. 17, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Appears on a "Report of the Killed, Wounded, and Missing of the Second Corps, Army of the Miss., at the Battle of Shiloh," with notation that he was wounded on April 6th, at 10 AM, while on the "Right Wing," and that the nature of his wound was "shoulder slightly." Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "absent wounded [at the] Battle [of] Murfreesboro [TN], Dec. 31, 1862, [and] sent to hospital same day." Admitted to 1st Mississippi C.S.A. Hospital, Jackson, Hinds County, MS, on Jan. 13, 1863, and furloughed from same on Jan. 16, 1863, for 25 days, by a Medical Examining Board. Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "absent, wounded at Murfreesboro, Dec. 31, 1862, and sent to interior hospital." Appears on a "List of killed, wounded, and missing of the 7th Mississippi Regiment in the battle before [i.e., "of"] Murfreesboro, Tenn.," with the notation that his wound was "slight" and that he was wounded "in [the] first charge, 400 yards in front of [the Yankee] Breast Works." Present on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sick in quarters." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. Captured at the Battle of Nashville, TN, Dec. 16, 1864, and forwarded as a POW to Louisville, KY, and then to horrific Camp Chase, OH, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's so as to make them unfit for military service upon being exchanged. Arrived at Camp Chase, OH, POW camp on Jan. 6, 1865. Released from Camp Chase POW Camp at war's end on June 12, 1865, after first taking the required Oath of Allegiance to the U.S. Age listed on parole as 33. [Ages in these records are often off by a few years.] Occupation listed as farmer. Place of residence given as Covington County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Lee Cemetery, 31.69940 -89.88420, located on the W side of J.E. Hall Lane, appr. 1300 ft. N of that road's intersection with West Whitesand Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. William H. Williams (b. Covington County, MS, 1846-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, after 1924), Co. B ("Copiah Horse Guards," raised in Copiah County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry. July 1864 company muster roll states "deserted; transferred from 38th Miss." [i.e., the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted)]. [Note: He has no records in the 38th MS Infantry (Mounted).] Returned to service and served till war's end. Has two war's-end paroles -- one on paper and one real one. Surrendered on paper at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and paroled on paper with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Covington County, MS." However, it is his second parole that he was actually present for: "Appears on a Roll of Prisoners of War of patients in Hospital, Jackson, Miss., Confederate States Army, commanded by Surgeon J.L. Carter, surrendered at Citronelle, Ala., by Lieut. Gen. R. Taylor, C.S.A., to Maj. Gen. E.R.S. Canby, U.S.A., May 4, 1865, and paroled at Jackson, Miss., May 12, 1865." Notation on parole gives residence as Covington County, MS. Southern Patriot! Pvt. Williams filed Confederate Pension Applications in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1917 & 1924, in which he gave his enlistment date as April 1, 1864. Grave site not found, but said to be buried in the White Sand Cemetery, 31.68610 -89.85330, located on White Sand Church Road, just E of the intersection of that road with Sugar Ridge Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Everett Lewis Williamson [found as "E.L. Williamson" in the military records] (b. Marion County, MS, 1824-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1890), Co. I ("Capt. Magee's Company," raised in Pike County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted June 5, 1862, at Holmesville, Pike County, MS, at age 38. Present on Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since the 6th November [1862]." No further information in his military file with this short-term command. His widow, Mahaly P. Williamson, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1910, but did not mention her husband's unit. Buried in the Williamson Cemetery, 31.42560 -89.90190, located appr. 200 ft. due S of a point on State Hwy. 43 that lies appr. 3000 ft. W of that highway's intersection with State Hwy. 13, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Henry P. Williamson (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1826-d. Lawrence County, MS, 1909), Co. G ("Goode Rifles," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 7th MS Infantry. Company enlisted into the service of the State of MS on Aug. 3, 1861, at Monticello, Lawrence County, MS. Pvt. Williamson would have enlisted a few weeks earlier in the same county at age 35. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent on sick furlough [since] May 27th [1862] by order Post [prob. Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS] Surgeon." June 1862 Regimental Return states "absent, sick, since May 27th 1862 at Hazlehurst [Copiah County, MS] Hospital [on] Surgeon's Certificate." Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Admitted Nov. 28, 1862, to C.S.A. Post Hospital, Dalton, GA, suffering from anasarca [extreme edema] and returned to duty on Dec. 17, 1862. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "[pay] stoppage for one [lost] muskett (sic) and [one lost] bayonet." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted on the 20 of August 1863 at Bridgeport, Ala." Appears on a "Roll of Deserters from the Rebel Army, forwarded from Stevenson, Ala., Aug. 23, 1863, to be released at Louisville [KY]" Roll dated Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 23, 1863," with notations "came into our lines [at] Stevenson, Ala., [on] Aug. 20, 1863," and "took the Oath of Allegiance [to the US on] Aug. 22, 1863." Appears on a "Register of Prisoners of War," at Nashville, TN, forwarded to Louisville, KY, on Aug. 23, 1863, with notation "deserted, paroled, [and] has taken Oath of Allegiance." Discharged from Military Prison, Louisville, KY, on Sept. 9, 1863, with notation "Oath & parole." A second "Roll of Deserters from the Rebel Army," dated Louisville, KY, states that he was "discharged" [i.e., released] on Sept. 12, 1863, after having taken the Oath of Allegiance to the US, and was "sent North," typically having promised to remain north of the Ohio River until the war was over. "Name appears as a signature to an Oath of Allegiance to the United States, subscribed and sworn to at Military Prison, Louisville, Ky., Sept. 12, 1863," with notation "place of residence Lawrence County, Miss." No further information in his military file. Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, 31.40690 -89.88940, located at the intersection of Society Hill Road and MS Hwy. 13, Society Hill, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Isham W. Williamson (b. Lawrence County, MS, 1830-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1919), Co. E ("Lula White Rebels," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 38th MS Infantry (Mounted). Enlisted April 24, 1862, at Silver Creek, Lawrence County, MS, at age 32. Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "absent without leave Feb. 18, 1863." Dec. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted Feb. 18, 1863." June 30, 1864, company muster roll states "absent without leave Feb. 18, 1863, to April 2, 1864," but also notes his return to service with the notation "absent [on] detached service" [nature and location of 'detached service' not stated]. The 38th MS Infantry (Mounted), the 14th Confederate Cavalry, and the 3rd MS Cavalry were consolidated on April 9, 1865, into one unit -- the 38th, 14th, and 3rd Regiments Consolidated MS Cavalry -- and Pvt. Williamson does not have a war's end parole with that unit. No further records in his military file. His widow, Susan Frances Williamson, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Marion County, MS, in 1923, in which she stated that her husband was not in active service at the surrender because he had "come home on furlough with measles and had not returned." Buried in the Society Hill Cemetery, Society Hill Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Wiley W. Williamson (b. Covington County, MS, 1836-d. Covington County, MS, 1865), Co. F ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted on April 13, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 26. Present on July 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Nov. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "wounded [at the] Battle [of] Chickamauga [GA on] 19 Sept. 1863 & sent to Hospital [on] order [of] Brigade Surgeon." Paid on Nov. 28, 1863, "for commutation of Rations while on sick [i.e., wounded] furlough," at Montgomery, AL. Received clothing issue on April 30, 1864, and on June 30, 1864, both at unspecified locations. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 27th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 24th MS Infantry, the 29th MS Infantry, the 30th MS Infantry, & the 34th MS Infantry to form the 24th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Williamson does not have a war's-end parole with this unit. However, it is likely that he was so severely wounded at the Battle of Chickamauga that he was never again fit enough for field service, especially in light of the fact that he died in Oct. 1865, shortly after the war ended. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Wiley Williamson Cemetery, located in the NW 1/4 of Section 36, Township 6 N, Range 17 W, appr. 1 mile W of Melba, Jeff Davis County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Thomas Worthy (b. Covington County, MS, 1825-d. Covington County, MS, ca. 1895), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted Aug. 11, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 36. Present on Sept. 4, 1864, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term unit. However, Pvt. Worthy (being a worthy Southron!) enlisted a second time, late in the war, into Co. D ("Capt. Bridges' Company," raised in Adams & Pike Counties, MS), Powers' MS Cavalry (sometimes also referred to as the 23rd Battalion MS Cavalry). No enlistment date/data. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, AL, on May 12, 1865. Notation on parole states "Residence: Covington County, MS." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hathorn Cemetery, 31.52690 -89.66220, located appr. 300 ft. due S of a point on Goodhope Road that is appr. 1500 ft. W of that road's intersection with Willie Fortenberry Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William Martin Worthy, Jr. (b. Covington County, MS, 1828-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1909), Co. G ("Covington Sharpshooters," raised in Covington County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted March 14, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 33. Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "absent without leave & joined another company." This same information is repeated on all other rolls on which he is carried with this unit, ending with the Feb. 1864 roll. Pvt. Worthy did, in fact, join another company, enlisting on Jan. 16, 1864, into Co. G ("Capt. John L. Hargrove's Company," raised in Lawrence County, MS), 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry, in Covington County, MS, at age 35. Present on Feb. 2, 1864, company muster roll. No further records with this unit, but no mention of AWOL or desertion. Buried in the Antioch Church Cemetery, 843 Granby Road, Jeff Davis County, MS, supposedly with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Worthy served in Co. B ("Covington Rebels," raised in Covington County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. B, 46th MS Infantry, but he has no service records in that unit.]

Pvt. Jacob Yates (b. unknown, 1826-d. Jeff Davis County, MS, 1906), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (Quinn's). Enlisted July 18, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 36. Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged August 12th [1862]." No further records in his military file. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Blount Cemetery, located on the east side of North Carson Road, appr. 1 mile S of the intersection of North Carson Road and East St. Stephens Road, Carson, Jeff Davis County, MS, with a private marker.

GRAVE SITE NOT FOUND. William Martin Yates (b. Covington County, MS, 1844-d. Covington County, MS, 1881), Co. B ("Barnes' Company," raised in Covington & Simpson Counties, MS), Yerger's MS Cavalry. Was a late-war enlistee, as there is no enlistment date/data in his brief military file. Served till war's end. Surrendered at the general surrender of CS forces in the mid-Confederacy (i.e., the "Western Theater") at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled at Jackson, MS, on May 17, 1865. Parole has notation "Residence: Covington County, MS." Southern Patriot! His widow, Catherine Yates, filed a Confederate Widows Pension application in Jeff Davis County, MS, in 1912, in which she stated that her husband served in the "26th MS," but she was mistaken about his unit some 31 years after his death. Grave site not found, but his widow later lived at Beauvoir Confederate Soldiers Home in Biloxi, MS, married Iverson Wren Hughes there in 1917, died there in 1928, and is buried there in the Beauvoir Confederate Cemetery.

END OF LIST OF JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY CONFEDERATE VETERAN BURIALS

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POSSIBLE JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY CONFEDERATE VETERANS WHOSE STATUS AS VETERANS HAS NOT YET BEEN RESOLVED:

ARMSTRONG CEMETERY

Ransom Armstrong, 1826-1895

BASS-BURKETT CEMETERY

John Burkett Bass, 1835-1920 [Think this is Joan (not John) Burkett Bass.]

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH CEMETERY (AKA BASSFIELD CATHOLIC)

James Mixon Clark, 1849-1925

Angus V. Vincent Gunn, 1817-1890

John Keveny (Kavanay/Kavanah/etc.?), ca. 1830-1896

Michael O'Rorke, Sr., 1817-1889

Michael O'Rorke, 1818-1902

James Calvin Reddoch, 1825-1861

BASSFIELD CITY CEMETERY

M. McCue, ????-1913

BETHANY CEMETERY

Elisha S. Stamps, 1798-1861

BLOUNT CEMETERY

Henry Newton Loftin, 1847-1922

John L. Rhodes, 1848-1917

Richard Lemuel Yates, 1845-1916

BOND CEMETERY

Peter Isham Bond, 1828-1885

BOOTH CEMETERY

Marion Booth, 1850-1918

BOURNE CEMETERY

Jesse S. Carter, 1823-1885

BRADY CEMETERY

Richard Talley Berry, 1810-1894

(Judge) John Stephen Bozeman, Sr., (1850-1926) [Unlikely to be Pvt. Stephen Bozeman, Co. A, 22nd MS Infantry]

James Franklin Braddy (sic), 1808-1880

Thomas Robert Brady, 1849-1932

John William Burrow, 1801-1892

John William Chance, 1850-1906

Dr. H. Gregory, 1822-1905

Levi Stringer, 1801-1870

John Tyrone, 1794-1867

L.C. Tyrone, ????-????

R.E. Tyrone, ????-????

R.L. Tyrone, ????-????

BRIDGES-MILLER CEMETERY

Lewis M. Bridges, 1816-1900

BUCKLEY CEMETERY

Noel Story Buckley, 1813-1878

BULLOCK CEMETERY

Joseph R. Bullock, 1827-1870

BURKETT CEMETERY

Primus Burkett, 1832-1892

CHANCE CEMETERY

Isaiah/Isah/Isaac/Isach Chance, 1842-1925

COLE CEMETERY

Mark Allen Cole, 1850-1907

COLE CEMETERY (II)

John Cole, 1801-1877

DANIEL MCINNIS CEMETERY

Daniel W. McInnis, 1818-1893

DANIEL R. KING CEMETERY

Charles Junior King, ????-????

DURR CEMETERY

William Weathersby, ????-????

EZEKIEL LOFTIN CEMETERY

James Riley Loftin, 1831-1861

Martin Elias Loftin, 1818-????

HATHORN CEMETERY

James A. Hathorn, 1846-1868

Nevin Clowney Hathorn, 1809-1877

Samuel Baskin Hathorn, 1836-1877

Simon N. Robbins, 1850-1899

HEBRON CEMETERY

J. Sill Berry, ????-????

Samuel Loyd/Lloyd, 1836-1873

Sheridan James Myers, 1847-1924

Joe Spurlock, 1839-1898

Duncan Weathersby, 1835-????

Isom Weathersby, 1823-1887

(Dr.) Willis Garner Weathersby, 1828-1868

HEMBY CEMETERY

Joseph Boggan Caraway, 1848-1904

J.E. Hemby, ????-????

John Weathersby, 1819-1863

Noah L. Weathersby, ????-????

HOPEWELL CEMETERY

Dr. Lafayette Carr, 1814-1896

Moses Layton, 1848-1909

Peter Salters, 1846/1850-1928

JACOB MCPHAIL CEMETERY

Jacob Alexander McPhail, 1811-1884

JOHN MCINNIS CEMETERY

Christian McInnis, 1822-1896

JOSEPH MCINNIS CEMETERY

Archibald McInnis, 1837 (1857?)-1900

LEE CEMETERY

Allen Lee, 1827-"1860's"

George Columbus Jackson Lee, 1849-1929

Needham Wesley Lee, Sr., 1814-1863

Isaac R. Williams, 1834-1920

LOFLIN-APPLEWHITE CEMETERY

Wesley A. Loflin, 1831-1862

Alexander McLeod, 1800-1891

MAGEE CEMETERY

Michael Durr, 1810-1876

MALLOY (AKA, MILLOY) CEMETERY

John N. Magee, 1843-1904

Archibald Milloy, 1803-1878

MCPHAIL CEMETERY

Albert McPhail, 1847-1928

MIKELL CEMETERY

James J. Mikell, 1807-1874

MOBLEY CEMETERY

Wilson Turner Daughdrill, 1850-1927

MOUNT OLIVE CEMETERY

George Duckworth, 1846-1929

MOUNT ZION METHODIST CEMETERY

Thomas Beavers, 1809-1873

Andrew Jackson Broom, 1845-1883

J. Broom, 1847-1888

James Broom, 1820-1866

John Adams Broom, 1843-1878

Stephen Jefferson Garner, 1793-1883

William Wesley Gray, 1811-1862

(Dr.) Alexander Hamilton Hall, 1815-1895

Robert Laird, 1801-1871

Daniel Marion Loftin, 1849-1927

Allen McPhail, 1807-1878

Dennis Robberts (sic), 1841-1881

James Bassel Russell, Sr., 1823-1873

David Turnage, 1816-1862

NEWTON CEMETERY

Benjamin Franklin Haile, 1810-1887

Rufus Haile, 1849-1896

OATIS CEMETERY

Stephen Anderson Speights, 1820-1893

OLD GREENS CREEK CEMETERY

Thomas Edgar Dyess, 1849-1902

Jonathan Polk, 1785-1864

Andrew Jackson Robbins, 1844-????

OLD MELBA CEMETERY

James M. Deen, 1849-1919

PAINE CEMETERY

Solomon Hawks, 1808-1890

PARKMAN CEMETERY

Clarence Bryant, ????-????

Leslie Bryant, ????-????

Mathew Bryant, 1808-1871

PARKMAN CEMETERY (II)

Frances F. Parkman, 1840-1862 [might be a woman]

John Robberts (sic), 1818-1895

Ira Speights, ????-????

???? White, ????-????

POINT PLEASANT CEMETERY

N.A. James, ????-????

POLK CEMETERY

W.P. Polk, 1848-1897

PRENTISS CEMETERY

Dawson G. Smith, 1846-1918

RICHARD KING CEMETERY

Richard King, 1797-1875

ROBBINS CEMETERY II

Simon Alexander Robbins, ????-????

ROCK HILL CEMETERY

Charles E. Holloway, ????-????

SOCIETY HILL CEMETERY

M.M.B., ????-????

Albert Barnes, 1848-1928

P.A. Barnes, 1845-1909

S.F. Bennett, 1839-1913

John Jack Bourn, 1810-1874

John B. Bourn, ????-????

Simon B. [Bolivar?] Branton, 1822-1884

George W. [Washington?] Brewton, 1848-1931

George Monroe Buckley, 1848-1923

John W. Currie, 1803-1878

John F. Edwards, ????-????

John H. Evans, 1850-1889

James B. Fortenberry, 1848-1906

J.E. Garrison, 1848-1899

George W. Hancock, 1845-1924

Frank D. Hathorn, ????-????

Hugh Hathorn, Sr., 1825-1900

James C. Hathorn, 1849-1916

Hardy Holmes Herrington, 1810-1877

Boose Langston, ????-????

Homer Langston, ????-????

John W. Langston, 1849-1938

John G. Newsome, 1849-1922

Jasper C. Parkman, 1835-1899

Littleton Patterson, ????-????

John Reddick Pierce, 1807-1880

Louis Franklin Pierce, 1847-1900

Redrick Pierce, ????-????

Wade Polk, 1850-1925

Daniel Prine, 1826-1897

Frank Prine, ????-????

Simon Charles Franklin Prine, 1850-1903

John Raynes, 1850-1874

Jacob Robbins, 1845-1890

James Monroe Robbins, ????-1923

William M. Robbins, 1801-1880

James John Davis Robertson, 1816-1891

S.C. Robertson, ????-1924

M.E.T., ????-????

R.B.T., ????-????

Robert Goolsberry Tolar, 1821-1898

Nat A. Wagley, 1848-1935

Lewis W. Williamson, 1849-1913

S. Williamson, 1826-1908

Sampson Williamson, ????-????

SPEIGHTS CEMETERY

Lamon Speights, 1794-1869

Stephen M. Speights, Jr., 1801-1872

STAMPS CEMETERY

Elisha S. Stamps, 1798-1861

B.S.A. Wilks, ????-????

STEWART CEMETERY

John Price, 1847-1883

Hulon Hugh Stewart, 1850-1927

SUTTON CEMETERY

Shadrach Sutton, 1849-1893

TAYLOR CEMETERY (II)

W.V. Hinton, ????-????

TERRELL CEMETERY

(Rev. Joseph Laurens Warren, 1807-1886

THOMPSON CEMETERY

John Carr McInnis, 1850-1925

TYRONE CEMETERY

Henry H. Tyrone, 1823-1867

WARD CEMETERY

Lawrence Blackwell, 1796-1863

WEATHERSBY CEMETERY

Steve Weathersby, ????-1924

WHITE SAND CEMETERY

Irvin C. Cole, 1844-1904

Milton Franklin Griffith, 1850-1921

William Griffith, 1848-1918

William Graham Polk, 1850-1828

Richard William Williams, 1846-1926

WHITEHEAD CEMETERY

Jesse Whitehead, ????-????

Marvin Whitehead, ????-????

WILLIAMS CEMETERY

Isaac Williams, 1809-1903

WILLIAMSON CEMETERY

Everett Williamson, 1824-????

ZION HILL

Charles Knight, ????-????

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END OF JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY CONFEDERATE VETERAN BURIALS REPORT

Respectfully submitted, April 10, 2017, by Jim Huffman, Adjutant, Gainesville Vols, Sons of Confederate Veterans Camp 373, Pearl River County, MS