

WAYNE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, CONFEDERATE BURIALS

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Approximately 325 Wayne County, MS, confirmed and probable Confederate burials (as well as approximately 22 Confederate Servants' service information) 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 180 Wayne 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

Wayne County was formed in 1809 (when Mississippi was still a territory) and is named for Revolutionary War hero Gen. "Mad Anthony" Wayne.

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 this 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 this county.

There are probably several Confederate sailors buried in the 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 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 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 this county turned out to be situated in other locales, mostly in MS. Most of these burials were originally thought to have taken place in this county because the veteran or his widow filed a Confederate Pension application in this county or other researchers assumed (for a variety of reasons) that a given soldier was buried in this county when, in fact, they were buried elsewhere. Also, some veterans were buried in this 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 (if found) are so identified. 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

WAYNE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, CONFEDERATE VETERAN BURIALS:

Pvt. John Thomas Ainsworth (b. AL, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1910), Co. H ("Defenders," raised in Smith County, MS), 16th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 19, 1861, at Raleigh, Smith County, MS, at age 22. Present or absent not stated on Aug. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Oct. 1861 company muster roll states "absent, sick [in] Hospital [at] Warrenton [Fauquier County], VA." Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "sick in camp." Present on Feb. 6, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "sick in Camp." Absent on April 1862

company muster roll, with notation "sick in General Hospital." Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Sept. 1, 1862, hospital muster roll for General Hospital No. 16, Richmond, VA, with no indication of medical complaint. Present on a Sept. 28, 1862, Morning Report for General Hospital No. 16, Richmond, VA, with no indication of medical complaint. Returned to duty on Oct. 15, 1862, from General Hospital No. 16. 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. Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "wounded [at the Battle of Gettysburg, PA, on] July 3 [1863] & in General Hospital." Signed (with his "x" mark) for clothing issue at General Hospital No. 2, Lynchburg, VA, in Aug. 1863. Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Ditto on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Ditto on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Ditto on April 1864 company muster roll. Ditto on June 1864 company muster roll. Ditto on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Nov. 8, 1863." No further information in his military file with this command. "J.T. Ainsworth" filed Confederate Pension applications in Covington County, MS, in 1902 and in Wayne County, MS, in 1906, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. H, 16th MS Infantry, that he was never absent from his command without leave, and that he served till war's end, surrendering at Appomattox Courthouse with his regiment. However, his actual service records show him to have been AWOL from Nov. 8, 1863, until war's end. He also claimed to have been wounded four times, including being wounded in the head and hand, but only his Battle of Gettysburg wound is verified in his service records. Buried in the Salem Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.553992 -88.875643, on the S side of Strickland Road, appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Salem Road, Wayne County, MS. with a Confederate marker that incorrectly states that he served in Co. A, rather than the correct Co. H. [Note: Co. H was stipulated on the VA order form for his marker, which was ordered for him in 1956.] [Note: There are three churches in Wayne County, MS, that contain the word "Salem" in their names. These are: (1) Salem Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.553992 -88.875643, on the S side of Strickland Road, appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Salem Road, Wayne County, MS. (2) Salem United Methodist Cemetery, 31.794796 -88.508008, located on the E side of Tokio-Frost Bridge Road, appr. 4000 ft. down Tokio-Frost Bridge Road from that road's intersection with Matherville-Frost Bridge Road, Frost Bridge, Wayne County, MS. (3) Salem Cemetery, 31.800566 -88.490608, located in the woods, appr. 800 ft. N of a point on Matherville-Frost Bridge Road that lies appr. 200 ft. E of the center of the Chickasawhay River on that same road.]

Pvt./3rd Sgt./1st Sgt./2nd Lt. Benjamein Jacoway Allen, Sr. [found as "Benjamin J. Allen" in the military records] (b. Neshoba County, MS, 1844-d. Hamilton County, TN, 1918), (Old) Co. H/(New) Co. C ("Cole Guards," aka "Capt. James M. Hicks' Company," raised in Lauderdale County, MS), 41st MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 8, 1862, at Marion Station, Lauderdale County, MS, at age 17. Present on May 28, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 3rd Sgt. on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 3rd Sgt. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as Sgt. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Sgt. on April 1863 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Sgt. on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Sgt. on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 1st Sgt. on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "promoted to 1[st] Sgt. [on] Dec. 1, 1863." Present as 1st Sgt. on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Elected 2nd Lt. on April 9, 1864, near Dalton, Whitfield County, GA, by a vote of 59 to 1, with an Examining Board on the same day giving him "good" marks for knowledge of tactics, competency to command, and sobriety. Absent as 2nd Lt. on April 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "elected 2nd Lt. [on] April 9, 1864; on leave of absence by order of Gen. [Joseph E.] Johnston for 25 days from April 17, 1864." Absent as 2nd Lt. on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "pay due as 1st Sgt. from Dec. 31, 1863, to April 9, 1864; now at Hospital, sent by Chief Surgeon [on] July 10, 1864." Absent on July 18, 1864, Inspection Report of Tucker's Brigade, near Atlanta, GA, with notation that he was absent by authority of the Brigade Surgeon since July 6, 1864. Absent on Sept. 18, 1864, Inspection Report of Tucker's Brigade, near Lovejoy Station, GA, with notation that he was absent by authority of the Brigade Surgeon since July 23, 1864. No further information in his military file with this command. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in the Carolina's at war's end, the 41st MS Infantry was consolidated with the 7th MS Infantry, the 9th MS Infantry, the 10th MS Infantry, the 44th MS Infantry, & the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters to form the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. 2nd Lt. Allen has no service records in this consolidated command. Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Burrell Byrd Arrington [found as "Burwell Arrington" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1818-d. Wayne County, MS, 1892), Co. B ("Jasper County Minute Men," aka "Capt. William C. Porter's Company," raised in Jasper County, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863). Enlisted

Oct. 11, 1862, probably in Jasper County, MS, at age 43. Absent on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] indefinite furlough [since] Oct. 20, 1862." No further information in his military file with this short-term command. Enlisted a second time, this time into Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company of MS Cavalry ("for the support of the Bureau of Conscription"), raised in Jasper County, MS (which company later became Co. G, 9th MS Cavalry, but Pvt. Arrington was no longer a member of the company when it became part of the 9th MS Cavalry). Enlisted Aug. 12, 1863, at Paulding, Jasper County, MS, at age 44. Assigned to Capt. Jennings' Company at its formation. Absent on Nov. 6, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent since 20th Oct. [1863]." No further information in his military file with this command. This Southern stalwart enlisted a third time (!) into Co. F ("Capt. Lankford's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 20, 1864, in Clarke County, MS, at age 45. Absent on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] sick furlough [of] 8 days [commencing on] Sept. 13, 1864." No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! [Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Arrington served in Co. B ("Home Guards," raised in Marshall County, MS), 9th MS Infantry, but he never served in that company and command and has no service records in same.] Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker. [Note: His VA Confederate marker states that he served in Co. B ("Capt. James Miller's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 9th MS Cavalry, but, he never served in that company or that command.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. James Andrew Ashby (b. unknown place, unknown date-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1931) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1931, in which he did not state his command, but stated that he enlisted under Col. Holland at Dalton, GA, in Oct. 1864 and served under Lt. Col. Samuel H. Terral, and 1st Lt. Martin L. Moody. His command could, therefore, only have been Co. C, 37th MS Infantry, but he has no service records in that command. He was probably related to the Thomas H. Ashby who actually did serve in Co. C, 37th MS Infantry. I do not believe that James Andrew Ashby was ever a Confederate soldier. [Note: A Pvt. James A. Ashby served in Co. A ("Buena Vista Rifles," aka "Capt. Timothy L. Rogers' Company," and aka "Capt. Andrew J. Pulliam's Company," raised in Chickasaw County, MS), 17th MS Infantry, but he lived in Chickasaw County, MS, enlisted very early in the war, was horribly wounded, had his arm amputated,

and was discharged in 1862 -- before the James Andrew Ashby under consideration here supposedly even enlisted. Burial site not found.

Pvt. William Alexander Atkinson [found as "W.A. Adkinson (sic)" and "William Aitkinson" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, betw. 1906 & 1909***), Co. A ("Capt. Abner C. Steede's Company," aka "Capt. Murdock McInnis' Company," raised in Jackson County, MS), 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 10, 1862, in Hancock County, MS, at age 18. In late April 1863, Co. A was temporarily dismounted and attached to the 14th MS Infantry. In late June 1863, it was attached (as Co. D) to the 1st Confederate Infantry Battalion. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on detached service [since] Dec. 1, 1863, by order of Gen. [Joseph E.] Johnston." On Dec. 24, 1863, Co. A of Steede's Battalion became Co. A, 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry. Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." No further information in his military file with this command. However, there is a Pvt. William Aitkinson (sic), Co. B ("Capt. N. Monet's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry, who is known only from his war's-end parole and whom I believe to be Pvt. William Atkinson. Pvt. William Aitkinson 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Southern Patriot! Caroline Atkinson filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, 1915, & 1917, in which she stated that her husband ("William A. Atkinson") was a Confederate soldier in the 9th MS Cavalry and gave differing dates for his death: "Nov. 30, 1906," "Nov. 7, 1907," and "1909." [***Note: Differing death dates for Pvt. Atkinson come from his wife's three different Confederate Widow's Pension applications.] Buried in the Atkinson Cemetery, 31.802192 -88.651858, located in the woods appr. 1200 ft. W of the 90-degree bend in Chapparral-Hiwanee Road that occurs appr. 3000 ft. S of that road's intersection with Hayes-Nute Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type undetermined, but said to be buried in an unmarked grave.

Confederate Servant John Barker (b. prob. Noxubee County, MS, ca. 1843-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1900) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which he stated that he served Pvt. Walter B. Barker, who was a private in Co. B ("Gulf City Guards," aka "Capt. Hartwell's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 3rd AL Infantry, but was transferred to Co. F ("Noxubee Rifles," raised in Noxubee County, MS), 11th MS Infantry, and who was paroled with Gen. Robert E. Lee and the Army of Northern VA at war's end

on April 9, 1865, at Appomattox Courthouse, VA. It is likely that Confederate Servant John Barker with at Appomattox Courthouse, too. Servant Barker's burial site has not been found.

Pvt. Benjamin Franklin Barrett [found as "B.F. Barrett," "B.F.A. Barrett," and "B.F.A. Barratt" in the military records] (b. Jones County, MS, 1835-. Wayne County, MS, 1916), Co. F ("DeSoto Rifles," aka "Capt. Cicero Columbus Ferrill's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 22, 1862, at De Soto, Wayne County, MS, at age 26. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, hospital muster roll for General Hospital, Marion, Lauderdale County, MS, but with notation "entry cancelled." Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "discharged [on] Oct. 12, 1862." However, a Feb. 18, 1863, hospital muster roll for General Hospital, Marion, Lauderdale County, MS, states "absent; furloughed [for] 30 days [on] Dec. 11 [1862, and] not returned." Appears on an undated "Register of Payments to Discharged Soldiers," with notation "date of discharge -- Sept. 23, 1863." No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! "B.F. Barrett" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS, but I cannot find this pension application online (where it should be) on the MS Dept. of Archives & History website. Tranquilla Barrett filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which she stated that her husband ("Benjamin F. Barrett") was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 - 88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. James D. Baygents (b. Pike County, AL, 1849-d. Wayne County, MS, 1933) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1931, in which he did not state his command, but stated that he enlisted in Jan. 1865 at Troy, Pike County, AL, into a company led by George Y. Malone and that he was in active service at the surrender. The only company and command that George Y. Malone officered was Co. F ("Brundidge Guards," aka "Capt. Benjamin H. Lewis' Company," and aka "Capt. George Y. Malone's Company," raised in Pike County, AL), 15th AL Infantry, but J.D. Baygents has no service records in that command and Capt. Malone resigned from same nearly two years before J.D. Baygents claimed to have enlisted, so he never served under

Capt. George Y. Malone. I do not believe that James David Baygents was ever a Confederate soldier. [However, his father, Rufus F. Baygents, served in Hilliard's AL Legion and died in service.] Buried in the Dyess Cemetery, 31.637843 - 88.691813, located at the N terminus of Baygents Cemetery Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. "J. Shellen Beesley" (b. prob. MS or AL, ca. 1838-d. possibly Wayne County, MS, after 1916) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. I ("Capt. Matthew Calvert's Company," aka "Capt. Wells Thompson's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 36th AL Infantry, that he enlisted in Wayne County, MS, in 1862, that he served two years in said command, and that he was in active service with his command at war's end when it surrendered at Gainesville, AL. However, J.S. Beesley has no service records in the 36th AL Infantry. I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. Burial site not found.

Pvt. Harbard*** Best (b. Wayne County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1923), "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves, which became Co. H, 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves on Sept. 3, 1864. Enlisted April 16, 1864, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 17. Present on May 1, 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 17, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! "Harbed Best" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the "Denny's Regiment" [i.e., Denis' Regiment], that he enlisted in 1863 [should read 1864], that he served till the end of the war, and that he served in Co. H under Capt. McGriff. Buried in the Corinth Free Will Baptist Church Cemetery (aka Pine Grove Cemetery), 31.509030 - 88.803681, located on the S side of 2426 Camp Eight Road, Pine Grove, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: This soldier's first name is spelled in a variety of ways -- "Harbard" (CS military records & many family researchers), "Harbed" (CS Pension application), and "Harbert" (find-a-grave memorial page).]

Pvt. Robert B. Bishop (b. Chickasaw County, MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1899), "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS]," which was "on special duty in support of [the]

Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted July 22, 1864, at unspecified location, but probably Wayne County, MS, at age 20. The Aug. 1864 company muster roll states "discharged by Surgeon's Certificate of Disability," with neither date nor cause for discharge specified, but had to have been discharged prior to the Aug. 1864 muster roll, which was probably taken ca. Aug. 31, 1864. Southern Patriot! [Note: On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (2nd) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company," [also called Co. E]), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry, but Pvt. R.B. Bishop was discharged from service before his company became part of the 24th Battalion MS Cavalry.] Allace (sic) Bishop filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("R.B. Bishop") was a Confederate soldier in "Capt. Miller's Company" of the "24th Miss. Regiment." Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Some databases state that Robert B. Bishop served in Co. A ("Washington Guards," raised in Mobile County, AL), 24th AL Infantry, but he never served in that command and has no service records in same.]

Pvt. Stanmore Clark Bishop [found as "Stanmore Bishop" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1903), "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS)]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted Aug. 20, 1864, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 17. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (2nd) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company," 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. [Note: This company was also referred to as Co. E.] Present on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Stanmore Clark Bishop also supported the Confederacy economically by selling six beef cattle for \$80 each to the Confederate Commissary of Subsistence at St. Stephens, Washington County, AL, on Oct. 30, 1863. Sallie E. Bishop filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Forrest County, MS, in 1914, 1916, 1921, & 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("S.C. Bishop") was a Confederate soldier in the 24th [Battalion] MS Cavalry. Two of his former fellow soldiers in the 24th Battalion MS Cavalry attested to his service in his wife's pension application, even stating falsely that Pvt. Bishop fought at the Battle of Harrisburg, Lee County, MS, on

July 14-July 15, 1864, which was impossible, since S.C. Bishop did not enlist until more than a month after that battle was fought. Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: The other Co. E of this battalion was Co. E ("Capt. James P. Beesley's Company," raised in Copiah & Franklin Counties, MS), 24th Battalion MS Cavalry, which Pvt. Bishop never served in.]

Pvt. Thomas Frank Bishop (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907***). Enlisted Aug. 20, 1863, in Wayne County, MS, at age 18. However, he did not enlist directly into a company. He apparently enlisted at an enrollment office, as he was not assigned to a specific company until Oct. 28, 1863, when he was assigned to Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company of MS Cavalry ("for the support of the Bureau of Conscription"), raised in Jasper County, MS. Present on Nov. 6, 1863, company muster roll. On Dec. 24, 1863, Capt. Jennings' Company became Co. G of the newly-formed 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry. Received "one hat" at Selma, Dallas County, AL, on May 17, 1864, and received "one Jacket" at the same place on May 25, 1864. Absent on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 10th May 1864." Dec. 1864 company muster roll states "transferred July 1, 1864, to [the] infantry." Transferred to (Old) Co. B/(New) Co. D, ("Chunky Heroes," aka "Capt. W.B. Johnson's Company," and aka "Capt. William E. Thomas' Company," raised in Newton County, MS), 3rd MS Infantry. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "dismounted & joined company by transfer [on] Aug. 12, 1864." Absent on Feb. 28, 1865, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick since Oct. 1864 at [the] Hospital." 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 11, 1865. Parole gives residence as Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! Fannie Bishop filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1909, 1916, & 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("T.F. Bishop") was a Confederate soldier in the 9th MS Cavalry, not mentioning his service in the 3rd MS Infantry. Buried in the Duvall Cemetery, 31.839338 -88.681535, located at the E terminus of Cemetery Road, Shubuta, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker that denotes his service in the 3rd MS Infantry. [Note: His VA Confederate marker was ordered for him in 1931 by his son, Erasmus Hiram Bishop.] [***Note: Death date taken from widow's Confederate Pension application and son's VA Confederate marker application.]

SERVICE CLARIFIED. Pvt. James Knox Polk Blair [found as "James K.P. Blair" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS,

1905), "Capt. E.A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry (raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), which became (2nd) Co. A ("Miller's Company," [also called Co. E]), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted Sept. 1, 1864, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 20. Present on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll. Present on the Oct. 31, 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Jennie Blair filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Clarke County, MS, in 1916 & 1924, in which she completely misidentified her husband's ("Polk Blair") commanding officers and unit, stating that he serve under Capt. W.H. Crook, Col. Wilkinson, and Gen. Cleburn in Co. C of the "8th Miss." Pvt. J.K. P. Blair never served in Co. C ("True Confederates," aka "Capt. William T. Ward's Company," raised in Smith County, MS), 8th MS Infantry, and has no service records in same. [Note: Some databases state that Pvt. J.K.P. Blair served in Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry, but the only Blair in that command was 2nd Lt. John A. Blair, and he died in service at Vicksburg, MS, in 1863. They are not one and the same man.] Buried in the Clear Creek Cemetery, 31.790369 -88.730415, located on the E side of Waynesboro-Shubuta Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1 mile N of that road's intersection with Mabry Graham Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE CLARIFIED***. Pvt. Allen Rosha/Robertus Bonner [found as "A.R. Bonner"^^^ in the military records] (b. Choctaw County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1918), Co. C ("Marengo Rifles," aka "Capt. James M. Rembert's Company," aka "Capt. Frank N. Smith's Company," raised in Marengo County, AL), 21st AL Infantry. Late-war enlistee, as he has no enlistment date/data. Probably enlisted in late 1864 at age 17 or in early 1865 at age 18. Captured at Fort Blakely, Mobile, AL, on April 9, 1865, and forwarded as a POW to Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, arriving there on April 15, 1865. Transferred for exchange from Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, via New Orleans, LA, to Vicksburg, MS, beginning on May 1, 1865. Physically exchanged at Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS, on May 6, 1865. Since Confederate forces in this part of the Confederacy surrendered on May 4, 1865, Pvt. Bonner served till war's end. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's

intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Bonner served in Co. A ("Copiah Horse Guards," aka "Capt. James M. Norman's Company," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry, which company became Co. A, 4th MS Cavalry, but that soldier was Pvt. Alex Bonner of Lawrence Co., MS. Pvt. Allen R. Bonner never served in Stockdale's Battalion or the 4th MS Cavalry and has no service records in those commands.] [^^^Note: This man is confirmed as Allen Rosha/Robertus Bonner by notes in the AL Dept. of Archives & History which state that his wife was Mary Jane Utsey (which is true), that he was born on Jan. 30, 1847, and that he died at Waynesboro, MS, on March 5, 1918.]

Pvt. Daniel Burton Boutwell, Sr. [found as "Daniel Boutwell" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1843-d. Wayne County, MS, 1922), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry. Officially listed as having enlisted at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 9, 1862, but this was when the battalion was organized. Co. A was actually organized on Oct. 17, 1861, in Wayne County, MS, and served for a time at New Orleans, LA. Pvt. Boutwell's enlistment, therefore, could have been as early as Oct. 17, 1861, or as late as May 9, 1862. No matter which date is correct, he would have been 18 years old when he enlisted. 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 at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) on Oct. 2, 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 Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from 9th Feb. 1864." Appears on a July 1, 1864, "Roll of Rebel Deserters who have taken the Oath of Amnesty at Chattanooga, Tenn.," and also "appears as a signature [his 'x' mark] to an Oath of Allegiance to the United States, subscribed and sworn to at Chattanooga, Tenn.," on the same day. Forwarded to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, arriving there on or before July 8, 1864 [though a conflicting document states that he arrived on July 14, 1864]. "Appears as a signature to an Oath of Allegiance to the United States subscribed and sworn to at [Military Prison] Louisville [KY], July 8, 1864," with notation that

he was a resident of "Waine Co., Miss.," and notation that he had been sent to Louisville "from the [US Army's] Dept. of the Cumberland to be released north of the Ohio River." Discharged from Military Prison, Louisville, KY, on July 16, 1864, with notation "[has taken the] Oath to remain north [of the] Ohio River [for the duration of the war]." Buried in the Shirley Place Cemetery (aka, Shirley Church Cemetery), 31.608320 -88.797687, located on the S side of Clara Strengthford Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 7000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND, BUT CONJECTURED. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Pvt. John A. Boutwell (b. prob. Lauderdale County, MS, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1881), Co. A ("Mississippi Boys," aka "Capt. William S. Patton's Company," and aka "Capt. William P. Evans' Company," raised in Clarke & Lauderdale Counties, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 8, 1862, at Marion Station, Lauderdale County, MS, at appr. age 35/36. Present on April 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. Reported to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on Aug. 23, 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, with notation "reported [to parole camps at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on] Aug. 23 [1863]." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent with leave." Absent on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "captured at [the Battle of] New Hope Church [GA] on May 27, 1864." [Note: The Battle of New Hope Church, GA, was fought May 26-May 27, 1864, a few miles NE of Dallas, Paulding County, GA.] Forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious Rock Island, IL, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on June 9, 1864. Forwarded for exchange from Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on May 3, 1865, to the "Department of West Mississippi" via New Orleans, LA. Confined at New Orleans, Orleans Parish, LA, on May 17, 1865. "Transferred to the Commissioner for Exchange, May 23, 1865, from New Orleans, La., by order of Maj. Gen. E.R.S. Canby." [Note: This exchange would have taken place at Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS.] Since the war in the central Confederacy was over, Pvt. Boutwell served till war's end. Southern Patriot!

Burial site not found, but said to be buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, in an unmarked grave.

Capt. James William Boykin, Jr. (b. prob. Washington County, AL, 1829-d. Wayne County, MS, 1888), "Capt. James Boykin's Company of Independent AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Boykin's Company of Mounted Men (AL)," aka "Capt. Boykin's Company," and aka "Capt. Boykin's Cavalry Company," raised in Mobile County, AL. Enlisted prob. Nov. 19, 1861, at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, when the company was organized. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Does not appear on any later rolls, probably having been elected Wayne County Clerk of Court. However, an AL Dept. of Archives & History note states that Capt. Williams resigned at Hall's Mills, Mobile County, AL, on July 1, 1862. [Note: James William Boykin's brother, James Owen Boykin (three Boykin brothers all had the first name "James"!), served in his brother's company.] [Note: The company became Capt. Thomas N. Lenoir's Independent Company of AL Cavalry (Lenoir having earlier been a 2nd Lt. to Capt. Boykin). Still later, this company became Co. I, 3rd AL Cavalry.] James William Boykin also supported the Confederacy economically by bartering four pounds of washed wool (much-needed for uniforms for Confederate soldiers) in exchange for four pounds of cotton yarn with the Confederate Quartermaster at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, on May 12, 1864. Southern Patriot! [Note: James William Boykin also wrote to commanding MS General John C. Pemberton on March 10, 1863, asking permission to transport 600 bushels of corn on the Mobile & Ohio Railroad for the use of himself and his neighbors, promising that "neither I nor they want the corn for trade speculation [a huge problem throughout the war] but for our own use."] [Note: James William Boykin, Jr., is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. H ("Brown Rebels," aka "Capt. Albert Gallatin Brown's Company," and aka "Capt. John F. Rimes' Company," raised in Hinds County, MS), 18th MS Infantry, but he has no service records in that command and never served in same.] Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Joseph Thomas Boyles (b. Jones County, MS, 1849-d. Wayne County, MS, 1935) is listed in some databases as the Pvt. "J.T. Boyles" in Co. E ("Oktibbeha Minute Men," aka "Capt. James W. Ervin's Company," raised

in Oktibbeha County, MS), 3rd (Burgin's) Battalion MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops) (1862-1863), but he is not. The "J.T. Boyles" of the 3rd Battalion was 45 years-old when he enlisted at Starkville, MS, in 1862, and was born in AL. He is definitely not the Joseph Thomas Boyles under consideration here. However, the Joseph Thomas Boyles under consideration here did claim to be a Confederate soldier. "Joe T. Boyles" filed a Confederate Pension application in Jones County, MS, in 1922, in which he stated that he enlisted in Jones County, MS, in July 1864 into a company led by "Capt. Barkley" and that he served until the final surrender. I can find no records for "Capt. Barkley," but he may well have been the leader of a local Home Guard command whose records either never existed or have disappeared. It is impossible from existing records to determine whether this command actually ever existed or whether Joseph Thomas Boyles was actually ever a Confederate soldier. His daughter, Rhonda Jane Boyles West, applied for a VA Confederate marker for him in 1938, not long after his death, and she stated in her marker application that her father served as a private in the "Home Guard" under "Capt. Barkley." The VA (like me) could find no Confederate service records for Joseph Thomas Boyles, so the VA asked the Auditor of Public Accounts in Jackson whether Joseph had ever received a Confederate Pension. Since he had received a typically rubber-stamped Confederate Pension in Jones County (local Pension Boards having no access to Confederate military records), the Auditor confirmed that Joseph had received a Confederate Pension. With that "proof" of Confederate service, the VA issued the stone, but, rather than inscribing his command on the stone (since he had no official unit), the VA simply inscribed "Confederate States Army" on the marker. Buried in the Boyles Chapel Cemetery, 31.701099 -88.821713, located on the W side of Boyles Chapel Road, near the N terminus of that road, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a generic Confederate marker.

(Dr.) Pvt. George Washington Bradley [found as "G.W. Bradley" and "T.W. Bradley" in the military records] (b. Perry County, MS, 1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1904), Co. F ("Capt. Stevens' Company," raised in Greene & Perry Counties, MS), 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted on May 14, 1862, at Enon, Perry County, MS, at age 27. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. On Dec. 24, 1863, Steede's Battalion was expanded to become the 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry. Capt. Stevens' Company became Co. D of Miller's MS Cavalry. Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Returned to service. 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 Mobile, Mobile County, AL, on May 23, 1865. Parole gives residence as Perry County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the

Salem Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.553996 -88.875630, located on the S side of Strickland Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 2500 ft. E of that road's intersection with Salem Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined (but said to lie in an unmarked grave).

Pvt. William M. Brashier [found as "W.M. Brezier," "William M. Brazier," & "William M. Brashier" in the military records] (b. Marlboro County, SC, 1828-d. Wayne County, MS, 1911), (Old) Co. K/(New) Co. F ("Clarke County Rangers," aka "Capt. J.T. Gates' Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. Enlisted July 27, 1861, at Beaver Dam, Clarke County, MS, at age 32. Absent on Oct. 18, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "on furlough." Absent on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "absent on sick furlough for 20 days commencing on the 25 inst. [i.e., the 2th of Dec. 1861] and ending 14 Jan. 1862." Jan. 1862 Regimental Return states that he was reported as a deserter per General Orders on Jan. 24, 1862, at Warrenton, Escambia County, FL. Absent on Feb. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "deserted, failing to return on the 14 Jan. [1862] at the expiration of his sick furlough; he was reported a deserter according to 'Orders.'" Present on April 1862 company muster roll, with notation "not having returned at the expiration of [his] sick furlough, he was reported [as] a deserter on last roll, according to orders; he rejoined his company [on] 2nd March; he is reported [as] joined from desertion." Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on extra duty." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Paid \$9.90 at Montgomery, Montgomery County, AL, on Oct. 30, 1863, "for commutation [i.e., reimbursement] of rations while on Sick Furlough from 2nd Oct. [1863] to 31st Oct. [1863], inclusive, 30 days @ 33 cents [per day]." Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Captured at the Battle of Rocky Face Ridge, May 13, 1864, near Dalton, Whitfield County, GA, and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious Camp Morton, IN, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Morton, IN, POW Camp on May 22, 1864. Transferred for exchange from Camp Morton, IN, POW Camp on March 15, 1865, to Point Lookout, MD, POW Camp. Physically exchanged on March 23, 1865, at Boulware's & Cox's Wharf, VA, on the James River, some 25 miles downstream from Richmond, VA, and admitted same day to Receiving and Wayside Hospital, or General Hospital No. 9, Richmond, VA. Forwarded to Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, on March 24, 1865, and admitted same day to

General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA. Furloughed from same hospital for 60 days on April 1, 1865, to Abbeville, SC. As the war would end just a few days later, Pvt. Brashier clearly served till war's end. Southern Patriot! "Willlliam Brazier" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1907 & 1911, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 8th MS Infantry and that he was wounded at the Battle of Murfreesboro, TN, and the Battle of Chickamauga, GA, in the foot and shoulder. Dr. W.A. McNeill, attesting to Pvt. Brashier's inability to work, stated that Pvt. Brashier was "wounded in shoulder and foot during the four years he was in war." [Note: These two supposed wounds are not recorded in his military record.] Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 -88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Daniel M. Britton [found as "D.M. Britton" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1825-d. Wayne County, MS, after 1880), "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted Sept. 23, 1862, at Camp Forney, Mobile County, AL, at appr. age 37. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on detachment to constr[uction]." Present for payment of enlistment bounty on Dec. 29, 1862, at Hall's Mill, Mobile County, MS. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 30, 1863, company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry), with Co. D of Murphy's Battalion becoming Co. K of the 15th Confederate Cavalry. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 12, 1863, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached [service]." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent; descriptive list furnished [on] Dec. 11 [1863]; [on] detached [service]." [Note: Payment "on Descriptive List" typically happened when a soldier was away from his command, either on detail, detached duty, or in hospital.] Present on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church

Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. David Britton (b. Marlboro, SC, 1825-d. Wayne County, MS, 1881) sold "two cows, weight 490 lbs. @ 18 cts. [per lb.]" for \$88.20 to the Confederate Quartermaster at "Mr. Pitman's, Wayne County [MS]" on Oct. 29, 1863. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Francis Asbury Britton [found as "F. Britton" in the military records, but he was the only adult "F. Britton" living in Wayne Co., MS, in the 1860 US Census] (b. Marlboro District, SC, 1810-d. Wayne County, MS, 1881), Co. B ("Capt. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Sept. 1, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at age appr. age 54! Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Francis B. Britton, Sr. (b. Wayne County, MS, 1836-d. Wayne County, MS, 1893), "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted Sept. 23, 1862, at Camp Forney, Mobile County, AL, at appr. age 26 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was 28). Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present for payment of enlistment bounty on Dec. 29, 1862, at Hall's Mill, Mobile County, MS. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on April 30, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from April 25 [1863]." Present on June 1863 company muster roll. In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry), with Co. D of Murphy's Battalion becoming Co. K of the 15th Confederate Cavalry. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 12, 1863, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file

with this command. Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. John B. Britton (b. prob. AL, ca. 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1893***). Martha Britton filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1915, in which she stated that her husband ("J.B. Brittan") enlisted in 1862 in Wayne County, MS, into the 15th Confederate Cavalry, served under "Capt. McKellar" and "Col. Maury," and served until war's end, surrendering in April 1865 at Gainesville, AL. This could only mean "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, which finally became Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry. [In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry). However, John B. Britton has no service records in the 15th Confederate Cavalry or any MS or AL CS command. [Note: F.B. Britton and D.M. Britton did served in Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry.] Burial site not fund, but said to be buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, in an unmarked grave. [***Note: Death year taken from wife's Confederate Widow's Pension application. Other sources state that he died in 1876.]

Pvt./Capt. Little John Britton [found as "Little John Britton" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1876), Co. I ("Capt. Matthew Calvert's Company," aka "Capt. Wells Thompson's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 36th AL Infantry. Enlisted as a private on May 2, 1862, at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, at age 24. Discharged on June 6, 1862, at Mount Vernon Arsenal, Mobile County, AL, because he was (in Capt. Matt Calvert's words) "unable to do military duty or to perform the duties of a soldier on account of Hernia caused by fall from a horse, the extent of his injury being such as to require the continual use of a Truss." 36th AL Surgeon D. Herndon wrote "[I] find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of double hernia. He was ruptured before he was enlisted." Pvt. Britton was also required to pay back his enlistment bounty. However, L.J. Britton recovered his health and served as captain of Co. E, Clarke County [AL] Reserves, being elected to that office on Sept. 14, 1864. It is likely that he raised the company, too. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -

88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Tobias Brock (alias Tobias Harrison) (b. prob. Choctaw County, AL, ca. 1835-d. after 1904, prob. Wayne County, MS) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1904, in which he stated that he was living in Choctaw County, AL, when he became a Confederate Servant to Capt. W.R. Rutherford, Acting Assistant Commissary. Servant Brock stated that he served Capt. Rutherford from Dec. 1864 until May 1865. "W.R. Rutherford" turns out to be Capt. William E. Rutherford, who was the commissary officer for Fort Gaines, Mobile County, AL, and who served until war's end, being paroled at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, on April 25, 1865. Servant Brock's burial site has not been found.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Sam Brown (b. prob. AL, ca. 1843-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1904) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1904, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. A, 46th MS Infantry, that he served under Capt. Nick Pace and Col. Sears, and that he served until war's end, but was absent from his command for about a month before the war ended because he was at home sick. The only company and command that Sam Brown could have been referencing is Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. On Dec. 2, 1862, the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, was enlarged to become the 46th MS Infantry, with Co. A of Balfour's Battalion becoming Co. A of the 46th MS Infantry. However, Sam Brown has no service records in this command. Burial site not found.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. William H. Brown (b. Simpson County, MS, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1904) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. H ("Simpson Fencibles," raised in Simpson County, MS), 6th MS Infantry. However, the Pvt. W.H. Brown of that command was actually William Henry Brown (1839-1913), who was already 22 years old when he enlisted in 1861 and who is buried in the Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery, Mendenhall, Simpson County, MS, with a Confederate marker. I have been unable to confirm Confederate service for William H. Brown of Winchester Cemetery. Note, however, that there are so many men in MS and AL CS service with names like "W. Brown," "W.H. Brown," "William Brown," etc., that it is entirely likely

that he service in some as yet undetermined command. Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 - 88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined (but said to have a private marker).

Pvt. John Wesley Brownlee (b. Wayne County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1931***), "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. Enlisted April 16, 1864, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 17. Present on May 1, 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 Mobile, Mobile County, AL, on June 1, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! In their old age, John W. Brownlee and his wife were residents of the "Jefferson Davis Beauvoir Soldiers' Home" in Biloxi, MS, until Aug. 22, 1928, when they were honorably discharged, with their discharge reading: "Honorable Discharge of J.W. Brownlee & Wife. To who (sic) it may concern: This is to certify that Mr. J.W. Brownlee, Confederate Soldier and inmate of the Jefferson Davis Soldiers Home, has, this day, of his own free will and accord, taken an honorable discharge from said home. We are pleased to state that Mr. Brownlee was a good inmate and that he was obedient to the rules and regulations of the institution. We regret to have Mr. Brownlee leave us and wish for him the best in this life. Very truly yours, Jefferson Davis Soldiers Home, E. [Elnathan] Tartt, Superintendent." "John W. Brownlee" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1920, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 1st MS Cavalry. Clara J. Brownlee filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1931 and in Jones County, MS, in 1940, in which she stated that her husband ("John W. Brownlee") was a Confederate soldier under Col. Denis and Capt. McGriff. Buried in the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church Cemetery (aka, Pleasant Grove Cemetery), 31.708333 -88.922330, located on the W side of Pleasant Grove Sandersville Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 500 ft. S of that road's junction with Old US Hwy. 84 (on the S side of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church), Pleasant Grove, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: Some databases state that John Wesley Brownlee was a Confederate soldier in "Co. H, 8th MS Infantry (State Troops)," but there was no such organization. John Wesley Brownlee only served in the 1st MS Cavalry Reserves.] [***Note: The year of his death on his tombstone

("1932") is incorrect, as he died on April 5, 1931, according to his VA headstone application, which was filed by his son. John Oscar Brownlee, on March 18, 1932.]

Pvt. John Wiley Bullard [found as "J.W. Bullard" in the military records] (b. Autauga Co., AL, ca. 1821-d. Wayne County, MS, 1900), Co. D ("Clarke Minute Men," raised in Clarke County, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863). Enlisted Aug. 20, 1862, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at appr. age 41. Oct. 1, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged by reason [of there being an] excess of numbers [on] Sept. 12, 1862." He was later conscripted ("drafted") and served till war's end, possibly in the Quartermaster's Corps. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! Susan Elizabeth Bullard filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1920, in which she did not state her husband's ("John Wiley Bullard") command, but stated that he enlisted in the summer of 1862 and served till war's end, serving in the "Q.M.C." [Quartermasters Corps]. Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 - 88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Albert Gordon Bunch [found as "A.G. Burch," "A.G. Bunch," "A.J. Bunch," and "Albert G. Bunch" in the military records] (b. MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1914), Co. D ("Rankin Farmers," raised in Rankin County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted March 1, 1862, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 17. Absent on July 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "absent sick [word illegible] July 24 [1862], Interior Hospital [on] order of Brigade Surgeon." Present 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, with Co. D of Balfour's Battalion becoming Co. D of the 46th MS Infantry. 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. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) on Oct. 30 or 31, 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, with notation "absent without leave [from] Aug. 23, 1863, to Oct. 30, 1863." Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Feb. 9, 1864." No further information in his military file with this

command. Albert G. Bunch" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1905, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS, that he served the whole war, and that he was absent from his command at war's end because he was on furlough. His assertion that he served till war's end is not borne out by his actual service records. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Gabriel Bunch [found as "Gabriel Burch," "G. Bunce," and "Gabriel Bunch" in the military records] (b. MS, 1815-d. Wayne County, MS, 1901), Co. D ("Rankin Farmers," raised in Rankin County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted March 1, 1862, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 46. Absent on July 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "absent sick [word illegible] July 24 [1862], Interior Hospital [on] order of Brigade Surgeon." Present 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, with Co. D of Balfour's Battalion becoming Co. D of the 46th MS Infantry. 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. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) on Oct. 30 or 31, 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, with notation "absent without leave [from] Aug. 23, 1863, to Oct. 30, 1863." Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "[on] detail as company cook [since] Dec. 1, 1863." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Feb. 9, 1864." Returned to service. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 17, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! "Gabriel Bunch" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS, that he served the entire war, and that he was with his command when it surrendered at Mobile, Mobile County, AL. Martha Bunch filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1902, in which she stated that her husband ("Gabriel Bunch") was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS. Buried in the White House

Cemetery (aka the Whitehouse Cemetery and aka the Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, with a Confederate marker.

IDENTIFY CLARIFIED. DID NOT SERVE. Gillis A. Bunch (b. Wayne County, MS, 1838-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. A, 6th Battalion MS Infantry, & Co. I, 46th MS Infantry, but she (sic) turns out to actually be Gillie Anne Bunch, the daughter of David George Bunch and Elizabeth Bunch. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Recent research has, however, turned up some 1000 ladies, North & South, who donned the Gray or the Blue and served in the ranks, albeit in disguise!]

Pvt./4th Sgt./3rd Sgt. Lovick Bunch [found as "Lovic Bunch" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1823-d. Wayne County, MS, 1892). Enlisted Aug. 4, 1863, in Wayne County, MS, at age 40. However, he did not enlist directly into a company. He apparently enlisted at an enrollment office, as he was not assigned to a specific company until Aug. 19, 1863, when he was assigned (as 4th Sgt.) to Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company of MS Cavalry ("for the support of the Bureau of Conscription"), raised in Jasper County, MS. Present on Nov. 6, 1863, company muster roll. On Dec. 24, 1863, Capt. Jennings' Company became Co. G, 9th MS Cavalry. Present as 3rd Sgt. on June 1864 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Sgt. on Dec. 1864 company muster roll. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence simply as "Mississippi." Southern Patriot! Elizabeth "Elizzie" Bunch filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which she did not state her husband's (name hard to decipher -- "Lovie Bunch"? "Lavie Bunch"? "Lusrick Bunch"? "Luvick Bunch"?) command, but stated that he served under Capt. Jennings. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, with a private marker that is, however, shaped like an upright VA Confederate marker. [Note: Some sources state that he is buried in the Bunch Cemetery, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.]

SERVICE CLARIFIED. Pvt. William Asbury Bunch [found as "William Bunch" in the military records] (b. LA, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1919) (as "William A. Bunch"), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted in Wayne County, MS, on Aug. 30, 1864, but was absent on the Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. And, for this volunteer service alone, W.A. Bunch should be considered a Southern Patriot. However, when William Asbury Bunch filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1912 & 1918, he padded his resume, so to speak. He stated that he enlisted in the summer of 1863 into Capt. B.T. Harris' Company [this was actually 1st Lt. B.T. Harris of Co. B, 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864)], which was the truth. However, he then stated that he was transferred six months later to Capt. James Bowack's Company Co. B of the 46th MS Infantry [which is probably Capt. James A. Barwick of Co. D, 46th MS Infantry], which was not true, as he has no service records in that command. He further stated that he was absent with the measles from the time his command marched out after the fall of Vicksburg until the final surrender. He claimed to have been in hospital at Macon, GA (or, alternately, in SC), when the final surrender came. As he has no service records in the 46th MS Infantry or any other MS CS command, none of his statements bear the stamp of truth. W.A. Bunch was simply repeating (to the best of his recollection) the facts of his father's (Gabriel Bunch) and brother's (Albert Gordon Bunch) service in Co. D ("Rankin Farmers," raised in Rankin County, MS), 46th MS Infantry. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, with a Confederate marker that depicts service in the 46th MS Infantry, in which he did not serve, rather than the 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864), in which he actually did serve. The VA could not confirm his Confederate military service in the 46th MS Infantry when his son, James Oscar Bunch ordered a VA Confederate marker for him in 1940, so the VA appealed to the MS Dept. of Archives & History for confirmation of a Confederate pension, which W.A. Bunch received because his local pension board simply rubber-stamped his pension application, having no access to Confederate military records. This was a common occurrence with local pension boards. The board could have confirmed his service with the 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864) if they had had access to such records.

SERVICE CLARIFIED. Pvt./Corp. Richard Sutherland Burke [found as "R.S. Burke" in the military records] (b. NY, NY, 1839-d. Wayne County, MS, 1911),

4th Company ("Capt. B.F. Eshleman's Company," aka "Capt. Joseph Norcom's Company," raised in Orleans Parish, LA), Battalion Washington Artillery (LA). Enlisted March 11, 1862, in New Orleans, Orleans Parish, LA, at age 23. Present or absent not stated on April 1862 company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. "Slightly wounded" at the Battle of 2nd Manassas, VA, on Aug. 30, 1862. 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 as Corp. (degree not specified) on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "promoted to Corporal [on] Aug. 1, 1863." 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 June 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent on furlough [of] 30 days [commencing] Oct. 25, 1864." Ordered to appear at a Military Court by General Order No. 6-1, Army of Northern Virginia, 3rd Army Corps, dated Feb. 24, 1865, probably as a witness, as there is no indication that he was himself being court-martialed. Present on Feb. 1865 company muster roll. A "Record" of the company, dated ca. Jan. 31, 1865, states that Corp. Burke was born in New York, was an unmarried clerk when he enlisted at New Orleans, Orleans Parish, LA, and was "slightly wounded" at 2nd Manassas. Same "Record" shows that he was present for virtually every major battle of the Army of Northern VA. Served till war's end. Captured during the final Appomattox Campaign and paroled between April 11-April 21, 1865, at Farmville, Prince Edward & Cumberland Counties, VA. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that Corp. Burke served in "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry" [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS)], which became Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry, but he has no service records in that company and command and never served in same.]

Corp. James Shelton Busby (b. Washington County, AL, 1836-d. Wayne County, MS, 1917), Co. I ("Capt. Matthew Calvert's Company," aka "Capt. Wells Thompson's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 36th AL Infantry. Enlisted March 26, 1862, in Wayne County, MS, at age 25. [AL Dept. of Archives & History says he enlisted May 13, 1862, at Mount Vernon Arsenal, Mobile County, AL.] Discharged May 3, 1863, at camp near Tullahoma, Coffee & Franklin Counties, TN, on Certificate of Disability for Discharge. In Corp. Busby's

discharge paper, Capt. Calvert wrote: "The said Corp. James S. Busby was taken sick about Aug. 10, 1862, with an attack of typhoid fever at Dog River Factory, Ala., since which time he has been totally unfit for service; he has returned to duty several different times, but never did duty more than 1 day of three days before he was again taken sick." Regimental & Brigade Surgeon D. Herndon wrote of Corp. Busby: "I find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of Double Hernia & also of broken health, the effects of frequently repeated & violent attacks of sickness. In my opinion, he is unfit for service in any department, and I therefore respectfully recommend that he be discharged." However, James Shelton Busby was not yet done at least trying to serve his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time into "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted as a private on July 1, 1864, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 27. Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Absent on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Absent on Oct. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick on Surgeon's Certificate; due [back to command on] 1 Nov. 1864." No further information in his military file with this command, but no notice of AWOL or desertion. Claimed in his CS Pension application to have been on sick furlough when the final surrender came and, given his sickness throughout his military career, I see no reason to doubt him. (Sickly) Southern Patriot! "J. Shelton Busby" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1913, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. I, 36th AL Infantry, that he enlisted in April 1862, that he was discharged after two years' service because of a double hernia, that he enlisted a second time into the 24th Battalion MS Cavalry under Moorman, that he served till war's end, but had been absent from his command for about two weeks on sick furlough when it surrendered at Gainesville, AL, at war's end. Salena Busby filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1918, in which she stated that her husband ("J. Shelton Busby") was a Confederate soldier in the 36th AL. Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./4th Sgt./3rd Sgt. Jehu H. Busby [found as "J.H. Busby" and "Jehu Busby" in the military records] (b. Washington County, AL, 1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1895), (Old) Co. B/(New) Co. H ("Southern Sentinels," aka "Capt. W.C. Day's Company," and aka "Capt. James Lasley's Company," raised in Lauderdale

County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 27, 1861, at Marion Station, Lauderdale County, MS, at age 26 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- say he was 24). Present for pay on Oct. 18, 1861, probably at Marion Station, Lauderdale County, MS. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent, sick in Hospital [at] Tyner's Station [now part of Chattanooga, Hamilton County, TN]." Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached service." Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present as 4th Sgt. on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "appointed from Private to 4th Sgt. on May 1, 1863." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Absent as 3rd Sgt. on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present on Feb. 1864 hospital muster roll for Blackie Hospital, Madison, Morgan County, GA, with no indication of whether he was a patient, guard, nurse, etc. 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 (as a private) at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 11, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Jeremiah Jessie Busby, Jr. [found as "Jeremiah Busby" and as "Jeremiah Busty" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1823-d. Wayne County, MS, 1897), "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS)]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted Nov. 24, 1863, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 39. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Present on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "detailed by Maj. Richardson; due [back to the command on] Nov. 12, 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Cherry Busby filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, 1916, & 1924, in which she stated that her husband (given as both "Jerrymiah Busby" and "Jessie Busby") served in the 24th MS Cavalry under "Capt. Miller" and "Col. Morman." Buried in the Shirley Place Cemetery (aka, Shirley Church Cemetery), 31.608320 -

88.797687, located on the S side of Clara Strengthford Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 7000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Corp. John S. Busby [found as "S.J. Busby" in the military records] (b. AL, 1843-d. Wayne County, MS, 1937), Co. I ("Capt. Matthew Calvert's Company," aka "Capt. Wells Thompson's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 36th AL Infantry. No enlistment date/data. The sole document pertaining to him is a ca. Jan. 23, 1863, list of officers and men of the 36th AL Infantry [including Corp. S.J. (sic) Busby] who are being detailed to go back to the area in which the regiment was raised and both recruit new men and arrest any other men who are absent without leave from whatever commands they belong to. No further information in his military file with this command. "John S. Busby" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which he stated that he enlisted in Wayne County, MS, in Feb. 1862, into Co. I, 36th AL Infantry, and served in that command until war's end. Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: I do not think that John S. Busby was ever a Confederate soldier. I think the military records mentioned in connection with him actually belong to Corp. James Shelton Busby (above). The fact that John S. Busby received a Confederate pension is not proof of service, as many such pensions were rubber-stamped by local Pension Boards who did not have access to Confederate military records. In turn, these "approved" CS pensions were used at "proof of service" when descendants -- not knowing that their kinsman hadn't really served -- ordered Confederate markers from the VA.]

SERVICE CLARIFIED. Pvt. Martin Luther Busby [found as "L. Busby" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1850-d. Wayne County, MS, 1913), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 30, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at age 14. Absent on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] 30 days furlough [since] Sept. 1st 1864." [Note: 2nd Lt. B.T. Harris was an officer in this company.] No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Some databases give the following information about Pvt. M.L. Busby: "private under Capt. Harris. No regiment. Enlisted April 15, 1864." This information is taken from M.L. Busby's Confederate Pension application, which he (as "Martin L. Busby") filed in Wayne County, MS, in 1913. In that application, Pvt. Busby did not state his command, but stated that he enlisted "about 1863" in Wayne County, MS, not into a regiment,

but into a company commanded by "Capt. B.T. Harris," that he was "stationed here [probably meaning in Wayne County, MS] waiting for orders," that he served for 10 or 11 months, that his command surrendered at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at war's end, and that he had been absent from his command on furlough for a few days when the final surrender came. I am absolutely certain that "Capt. B.T. Harris" is 2nd Lt. B.T. Harris of Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864), and that the "Pvt. L. Busby" of that same command is Pvt. Martin Luther Busby. Buried in the Shirley Place Cemetery (aka, Shirley Church Cemetery), 31.608320 - 88.797687, located on the S side of Clara Strengthford Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 7000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker that simply reads "Confederate Soldier," with no unit specified, because the VA could not determine which unit he served in when his, William Hudson Busby, ordered his VA Confederate marker in 1940. The MS Dept. of Archives & History confirmed to the VA that Pvt. Busby had received a Confederate pension (which pension application, too, did not specify his command). [Note: There is a Pvt. "L. Busby" who enlisted in 1863 into Co. H ("Capt. Angus Ray Fairly's Company," raised in Jones & Wayne Counties, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863), but I believe this "L. Busby" to be M.L. Busby's uncle, Leonard Busby.]

Sgt. Orin A. [Ossary?] Busby (b. AL, 1842-d. Wayne County, MS, 1924), Co. I ("Capt. Matthew Calvert's Company," aka "Capt. Wells Thompson's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 36th AL Infantry. Enlisted May 13, 1862, at Mount Vernon Arsenal, Mobile County, AL, at appr. age 20 (though military records -- often "off" by a couple of years -- say that he was 24). Enlistment data comes from the AL Dept. of Archives & History from an apparently original company muster roll. However, Orin Busby has no service records whatsoever in National Archives microfilms of the service records of the soldiers of the 36th AL Infantry. He likely was rejected for service by the enrolling and inspecting officer at the time of the company's mustering-in. "Oren Busby" filed Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1910 & 1916, in which he stated that he enlisted in Feb. 1862 in Wayne County, MS, into Co. I, 36th AL Infantry, serving under Capt. Thompson, that he served for 3.5 years, and that he served till war's end, surrendering with his command at Meridian, MS. These assertions (excepting only that he did enlist) are not borne out by any actual service records. Saline Alice Busby filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1924, in which she did not state her husband's ("Orren Busby") command. Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205,

located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. William J. Busby (b. Wayne County, MS, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1922), "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted Aug. 1, 1864, in Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 18. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Present on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! "William J. Busby" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1919, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. A, 24th MS Cavalry. Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Daniel Washington Buxton [found as "Daniel W. Buxton" in the military records] (b. prob. Clarke County, AL, 1838-d. Wayne County, MS, 1914), Co. E ("Capt. Joel S. Jones' Company," aka "Capt. Allen G. Watters' Company," raised in Marengo County, AL), 43rd AL Infantry. Enlisted April 5, 1862, in Marengo County, AL, at age 23 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was 24). Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Admitted Sept. 12, 1862, to C.S.A. Post Hospital, Dalton, Whitfield County, GA, suffering from pneumonia. Absent on Dec. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "sent [to] hospital [at] Dalton [Whitfield County], Ga., [on] July 24 [1862]." His "Certificate of disability for Discharge," dated Nov. 28, 1862, at "Station Dalton, Ga.," incorrectly states that he was enlisted at "Ringgold, Miss.," which understandable, given the similar sound of "Ringgold" and "Marengo." It also states that he had been unfit for duty for the last sixty days. On the same discharge paper, the regimental surgeon wrote that "I find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of ascites [i.e., a painful buildup of fluid in the abdominal cavity, typically caused by cirrhosis]. We further declare our belief that he will never be fit for service in the field or in any department of the Government." Discharged (probably on paper) at Chattanooga, Hamilton County, TN, on Dec. 5, 1862. Discharge paper gives his residence as Morvin, Clarke County, AL. A record from

C.S.A. Post Hospital, Dalton, Whitfield County, GA, states that he was "discharged from [military] service [on] Dec. 5, 1862." [Note: It is unclear whether he was physically discharged at Chattanooga, TN, or at Dalton, GA, but it is likely that he was physically discharged at the latter place and that his discharge paperwork was prepared at Chattanooga.] Southern Patriot! Buried in the Tom Mills Cemetery, 31.557321 -88.632144, located appr. 400 ft. down a dirt road that branches off to the NE from a point on Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road that lies appr. 2500 ft. S of that road's intersection with John Dennis Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./1st Corp./1st Sgt. John Campbell (b. Wayne County, MS, 1833-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which (on Dec. 2, 1862) became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 1st Corp. on Oct. 15, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 28. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "[was earlier] absent on sick furlough; on the 19th day of February 1862 he was granted a furlough for ten days; while at home he was taken with the measles and his furlough was, by authority of the Adjutant General, extended 10 days from the 28th Feb. 1862, but returned [sooner] & was paid on pay day." He was apparently reduced to the ranks, as he is shown as such and absent on the June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Mississippi Springs [Hinds County, MS, on] June 21, 1862." [Note: Non-commissioned officers were often reduced to the ranks when absent on medical leave because the company needed a full complement of such officers present for duty at all time.] Present as private on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present as private on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present as private on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as private on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled as 1st Sgt. at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) on Sept. 15, 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 Sgt. on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "reported [to parole camp on] Sept. 15 [1863]; absent without leave from 7 Oct. to 17th Oct. [1863]." Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command, but no notice of AWOL or desertion, either. Luanza J. Campbell filed a Confederate Widow's Pension

application in Wayne County, MS, in 1908, in which she stated that her husband ("John Campbell") was a Confederate soldier in the 45th (sic) MS. L.J. Campbell filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1917, 1923, 1924, & 1927, in which she stated that her husband ("John Campbell") was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS and that he served until war's end (a contention that is not borne out by his existing service records). Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Yancy Columbus Caver [found as "Y.C. Caver" and as "G.C. Caver" in the military records] (b. Orangeburg District, SC, 1822-d. Wayne County, MS, 1908), (1st) Co. D/(2nd) Co. I/(3rd) Co. E ("Stars of Equality," aka "Capt. Hillory H. Ham's Company," aka "Capt. William R. Roberts' Company," and aka "Capt. James B. Landers Company," raised in Union Parish, LA), 19th LA Infantry. Enlisted Nov. 9, 1863, at Chattanooga, Hamilton County, TN, at age 41. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 28, 1865, company muster roll, with notation "absent without permission since Feb. 11, 1865." Returned to service. Absent on April 1865 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since April 11, 1865." Returned to service. Served till war's end. In early April 1865, Co. E (and other companies of the 19th LA Infantry) were consolidated to form Co. A, Pelican Regiment (Consolidated) LA Infantry, in which company Pvt. Caver served. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! [Note: A Pvt. "G.C. Caver" enlisted on March 19, 1863, at "Win" (possibly "Winchester***, Wayne County, MS") into Co. H ("Capt. Angus Ray Fairly's Company," raised in Jones & Wayne Counties, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863), but deserted on March 26, 1863. Given the confusion over the initials "Y.C." and "G.C." in the 19th LA Infantry, it is possible, but by no means certain, that the Pvt. "G.C." Caver of the 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry is also Yancy Columbus Caver.] Buried in the Powe Cemetery, 31.547971 -88.546221, located appr. 2000 ft. WSW of the juncture of an unnamed dirt road with Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road at a point on the latter road that lies appr. 800 ft. S of that road's intersection with McCann Farm Road, Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) unknown. [***Note: Y.C. Caver and his wife were married at Winchester, Wayne County, MS, in 1859.]

Pvt. Alexander James Chapman [found as "Alexander J. Chapman" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1912), "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted March 1, 1864, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 17. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (2nd) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company," [also called Co. E]), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Absent on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent on furlough." Present on Oct. 31, 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Alexander James Chapman is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. A ("Live Oak Rifles," aka "Capt. James B. McRae's Company," raised in Jackson County, MS), 3rd MS Infantry, but he has no service records in that command and never served in same.]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Allen Chapman (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1836-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1904) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1904, in which he stated that he served "Gip" Chapman of Capt. McKellar's Co. K, 15th Confederate Infantry, during 1864 and 1865, surrendering with that command at "Gainesville, Miss." (i.e., Gainesville, AL) at war's end. The referenced command could only be "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, which finally became Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry. [In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry). "Gip" Chapman could only be Pvt. T.W. Chapman, who was the only Chapman to serve in Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry. T.W. Chapman enlisted at Hall's Ferry, Mobile County, AL, on April 19, 1863, and was paroled at Gainesville, AL, with Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry command on May 14, 1865. Servant Chapman's burial site has not found.

3rd Lt. [aka, Jr. 2nd Lt.] Hugh Craig Chapman [found as "H.C. Chapman" in the military records] (b. Chesterfield District, SC, 1814-d. Wayne County, MS, 1904), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 23, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at age 50. Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [NOTE: He is not, as some family researchers have concluded, the Hugh C. Chapman of Co. A, 4th (Rutledge's) SC Cavalry, as that Hugh C. Chapman (1828-1879) is buried in the Chesterfield Cemetery, Chesterfield County, SC.]

Pvt. James Alexander Chapman [found as "James A. Chapman" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1839-d. Wayne County, MS, 1927), Co. A ("Shubuta Rifles," aka "Capt. Robert J. Lawrence's Company," and aka "Capt. Edward F. Martiniere's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Enlisted sometime between March 28, 1861, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, and May 29, 1861, at Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, at age 21 (age according to military records). June 8, 1861, company muster roll states "honorably discharged on account of bad health." No further information in his military file with this command. However, Pvt. Chapman was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time on Aug. 20, 1863, in Wayne County, MS, at age 24 (age according to military records). He did not enlist directly into a company, however. He apparently enlisted at an enrollment office, as he was not assigned to a specific company until Oct. 28, 1863, when he was assigned to Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company of MS Cavalry ("for the support of the Bureau of Conscription"), raised in Jasper County, MS. Present on Nov. 6, 1863, company muster roll. On Dec. 24, 1863, Capt. Jennings' Company became Co. G of the newly-formed 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry. Present on June 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "sent home to re-mount himself [on] Nov. 26, 1864, and ordered to report to Carthage [Hale County], AL." 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence simply as "Miss." Southern Patriot! "James A. Chapman" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1909, 1916, 1923, & 1924, in which he stated that he enlisted in Wayne County, MS, in the fall of 1862 (alternately stated as 1863), that he served in Co. D of the "9th Miss. Regiment of Cavalry," under "Capt. Jennings," "Col. Miller," and "Col. Boyd," that he was never discharged

from his command, that he never enlisted into a second command, that he was never absent without leave, that he was in active service at the surrender, that his command surrendered "near Milledgeville, GA" (alternately stated as "Selma, AL"), and that he "was struck by a piece of Bomb Shell on the knee, and my knee is stiff now" and that he was "struck by piece of shell on [the] knee, [which] crippled me." Bettie Stanford Chapman filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1940, in which she stated that her husband ("James Alexander Chapman") was a Confederate soldier in the 9th MS. Buried in the Billie Field Cemetery, 31.807718 -88.621366, located at the S terminus of Oil Field Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker that carries the wrong company designation, stating (erroneously) that Pvt. Chapman served in Co. B ("Capt. James Miller's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 9th MS Cavalry, instead of the correct "Co. G." [Note: Some databases also incorrectly list him as having been a member of Co. B, a company in which he never served and in which he has no service records.] [Note: To get to this cemetery, turn E onto Oil Field Road from Pleasant Grove-Chapparral Road at a point on Pleasant Grove-Chapparral Road that lies appr. 100 ft. S of that road's intersection with Mamie Weaver Drive. Continue E on Oil Field Road for appr. 2000 ft., where the road takes a sharp, 90-degree turn to the S. Continue S to the S terminus of the road to the cemetery.]

Pvt./5th Corp./3rd Corp. Seaborn Jefferson Chason (b. Cumberland County, NC, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907), Co. F ("Capt. H. Sidney Smith's Company," aka "Capt. Thomas S. Fry's Company," raised in Mobile, Washington, & Choctaw Counties, AL), 32nd AL Infantry. Enlisted March 31, 1862, in Choctaw County, AL, at age 24. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Corp. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 5th (sic) Corp. on April 1863 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Corp. on June 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "taken prisoner at Clinton [Hinds County], MS, [on] July 9, 1863." Present with his command again on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Captured Aug. 4, 1864, at Atlanta, GA, and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and then to notorious 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 once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on Aug. 14, 1864. Transferred to Point Lookout, MD, POW Camp on March 18, 1865, for purposes of exchange. Physically exchanged at Boulware's Wharf (down the James River from Richmond about 25 miles) on March 27, 1865. No further information in his military file with this command, as the war in the Eastern Theater would end less

than two weeks later. However, it is likely that Corp. Chason was taken to Receiving and Wayside Hospital in Richmond for a medical check-up (after his kind treatment by the Yankees) and then either furloughed home to MS to recuperate or sent to Camp Lee, Richmond, VA, to recuperate, train, and await being sent back to his command. Southern Patriot! "Seaborn J. Chason" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 32nd AL. Elenor B. Chason filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1907, in which she stated that her husband ("Seaborn J. Chason") was a Confederate soldier in the 36th (sic) AL. Buried in the Chason Cemetery, 31.531322 -88.494664, located on the E side of Chason-Eret Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 9000 ft. S of that road's intersection with Buckatunna-Millry Road, Buckatunna, Wayne Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE CLARIFIED. Pvt. Francis Marion Clark(e) (b. SC, ca. 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1924) is listed in some databases as having served in Co. A ("Rankin Rough & Readies," raised in Rankin County, MS), 6th MS Infantry, but the Pvt. F.M. Clark of that command died in service and is not the Francis Marion Clark(e) under consideration here. The F.M. Clark(e) under consideration here served in "Capt. Gillis' Company MS Cavalry Reserves." [Note: This company is identical to "Capt. Gillis' Company Independent MS Cavalry" (raised in Perry County, MS), which became Co. E, 3rd Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves.] He enlisted in Wayne County, MS, probably in 1864, at age 17/18, and 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 Mobile, Mobile County, AL, on June 1, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Francis Marion Clarke filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1911 & 1920, in which he stated that he enlisted in 1864 in Wayne County, MS, into "Capt. Gillis' Company," in which he served for twelve months (and, alternately, "about 18 months"), surrendering with his command at war's end at Scooba, Kemper County, MS. Salena Clark filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1924, in which she did not state her husband's ("Marion F. Clark") command. Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. George Washington Clark (b. Union District, SC, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906) is listed in some databases as being the Pvt. "G.W. Clark" who served in Co. E ("Lake Rebels," raised in Scott County, MS),

6th MS Infantry. This "G.W. Clark" enlisted at Canton, Madison County, MS, on Oct. 18, 1863, and is present on the Oct. 1863 company muster roll, but does not appear on any other company/regimental records. I do not think that the George Washington Clarke under consideration here is the G.W. Clark of the 6th MS Infantry, as the George Washington Clarke under consideration here was living in Wayne County, MS, in 1860. Additionally, there is a George W. Clark (1841-1891) who is buried in the Pearl River Cemetery, Madison, Madison County, MS, who is almost certainly the G.W. Clark of the 6th MS Infantry. I have been unable to determine whether the G.W. Clark of Zion Rest Cemetery was a Confederate soldier, but, given the numerous name and initial variations, it is certainly possible that he served in a MS, an AL, or a Confederate National command. Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 - 88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

VERY, VERY TENTATIVE. Pvt. Stephen A. Clark [found as "S.H. Clark"*** in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1904), "Capt. Gillis' Company Independent MS Cavalry" (raised in Perry County, MS), which became Co. E, 3rd Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. Known only from his war's-end parole. 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 Mobile, AL, on June 1, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! [***Note: This soldier was 17 years-old when paroled on June 1, 1865, the same age as Stephen A. Clark. His residence, as given on his parole, was Wayne County, MS. I believe that it is possible that the "H." in "S.H. Clark" is a transcription error for "S.A. Clark" and that this soldier is actually Stephen A. Clark. Additionally, I have been unable to identify any "S.H. Clark" who was living in Wayne County at this time.] Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a broken, private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt./Chief Aide-de-Camp (possibly with the rank of colonel) to Gen. Braxton Bragg: John David Cochran [found as "John Cochran" in the military records] (b. Abbeville District, SC, ca. 1809-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906), (Old) Co. I/(New) Co. B ("Eufaula Rifles," aka "Capt. David Wardlaw Ramsey's Company," raised in Barbour County, AL), 1st AL Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 9 (or 19), 1861, at Eufaula, Barbour County, AL, at age 48 (according to military records). Misc. Confederate officers' records show John Cochran as an aide-de-

camp to Gen. Braxton Bragg at Pensacola, Escambia County, FL, on April 19, 1861. Absent on June 30, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "[on] detail as aid[e] to Genl. [Braxton] Bragg [and, therefore,] absent with indefinite leave." A undated note from the AL Dept. of Archives & History states "transferred to Gen. Bragg's staff as aide-de-camp." Absent on Aug. 1, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "absent; attached to staff of Genl. Bragg as aid[e]; no. and date of order not known; absent on furlough since [no date specified]; no. & date of order not known." Absent on Oct. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "absent; attached to staff of Genl. Bragg as aid[e]; no. and date of order not known; absent with indefinite leave by authority of General commanding." Absent on Dec. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "absent; attached to staff of Genl. Bragg as aid[e]; no. and date of order not known; absent on furlough by authority of commanding General." Absent on Jan. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "absent on furlough at Eufaula [Barbour County], Ala., since 22 Dec. 1861; furlough unlimited." No further information in his military file with this command. A 1902 Compiled Roll of Co. B, 1st AL Infantry, states "dead" (meaning that he was dead by 1902), but this could simply be a mistake, since John Cochran had already moved to Wayne County, MS, and his yet living might simply have been unknown to the compiler (who also served in the company). Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. William Drakeford Cochran (b. Greene County, MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1914). Olivia Cochran filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1922, in which she stated that her husband ("William D. Cochran") [William Drakeford Cochran] was a Confederate soldier Co. G ("Capt. Malcolm Patterson's Company," aka "Capt. Jonathan B. Jordan's Company," raised in Monroe County, AL), 36th AL Infantry, under Col. L.T. [Lewis T.] Woodruff. However, he has no service records in that command and never served in same. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 - 88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./5th Sgt. William Riley Cochran [found as "William R. Cochran" and "W.R. Cochran" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1928), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company,"

and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted as a private on Oct. 15, 1861, in Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 20 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- say he was 19). Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 5th Sgt. on June 1862 company muster roll. Present as 5th Sgt. on Aug. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "promoted [to 5th Sgt. on] the 1st May 1862." Present as 5th Sgt. 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, with Co. A of Balfour's Battalion becoming Co. A of the 46th MS Infantry. Present as 5th Sgt. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 5th Sgt. 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. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) sometime before Sept. 23, 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.] Absent as 5th Sgt. on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent as private on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "reduced to [the] ranks from Sergeant by order of the Colonel on the 23rd Oct. 1863; absent without leave since the 23rd Sept. 1863." Absent as private on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from 23rd Sept. 1863." Paroled on June 1, 1865, at Mobile, Mobile County, AL. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. "W.R. Cochran" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1922, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS Infantry and that he was in active service with his command when the war ended. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Gallant C. Coker [mis-indexed as "Cooker" in some databases] (b. Choctaw County, AL, 1828-d. Wayne County, MS, 1908), Co. I ("Capt. Matthew Calvert's Company," aka "Capt. Wells Thompson's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 36th AL Infantry. Enlisted April 22, 1862, in Wayne County, MS, at age 34. Discharged on March 10, 1863, with his Certificate of Disability for Discharge (made out by Capt. Calvert) reading, in part: "Brigade Camp, near Mobile, Ala., March 10th 1863...The said Gallant C. Coker was taken sick about the 25th day of July last [1862] at Choctaw Bluff, Ala., was brought to Mobile about 1st of August

& sent to General Hospital, was transferred to Regimental Hospital at Dog River Factory [Mobile County, AL] on 16th of Sept. and furloughed on 13th of Oct., returned to camp on 8th of Nov., was sent to Hospital on 13th of Nov., & had a severe attack of Typhoid Pneumonia. He was again furloughed on the 8th of Dec. and returned to camp on the 4th inst. [i.e., the 4th of March, 1863], still in feeble health & unable to do any duty. Thus, for nearly eight months, said soldier has done not a single days duty." The brigade surgeon, D. Herndon, concurred with Capt. Calvert's assessment of Pvt. Coker, writing "I find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of Disease of his Lungs, induced by a severe attack of Pneumonia. He has been on the sick list for seven or eight months. In my opinion, he is not fit for service in any department & I respectfully recommend that he be discharged." After being discharged, he was paid on March 23, 1863, for commutation for rations while on medical furlough from Dec. 14, 1862, to March 4, 1863. However, still trying to serve his new nation, Pvt. Coker reenlisted and was present for a clothing issue for the 2nd quarter of 1864, with exact date not given and location not specified, but almost certainly northern GA. Appears on a Nov. 4, 1864 Report of Absentees and Deserters from the 36th AL Infantry, with notation "these men are supposed to be lying around their homes." No further information in his military file with this command. His third wife & widow, T.A. Coker (Tressie Ann Coker), filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Jones County, MS, in 1916 & 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("G.C. Coker") served until war's end, surrendering at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, but this assertion is not borne out by his actual service record. Buried in the Lowery Cemetery, 31.729209 -88.763501, located behind Lowery Church on the S side of 53 Clara West Road, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker (that was installed by your humble researcher and his lovely bride).

Pvt. James Collins (b. Wayne County, MS, 1831-d. Wayne County, MS, 1880), "Capt. Gillis' Company Independent MS Cavalry" (raised in Perry County, MS), which became Co. E, 3rd Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. Late-war enlistee, known only from his war's-end parole. If he enlisted in late 1864-1865, he would have been appr. 33-34 years old. 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, Lowndes County, MS, on May 16, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Martha J. Collins filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1907 & 1920, in which she did not state her husband's ("James Collins") command, but stated that he was living in Wayne County, MS, when enlisted in 1864 into Capt. Gillis' Company, that he also served

under Lt. Baylis, that he served for 15 months (until the war ended), and that he died in 1880. Buried in the Sellers Cemetery, 31.696280 -88.893550, located on the W side of Sellers Cooley Drive at a point on that road that lies 300 ft. S of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, with a Confederate marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Thomas H. Collins (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1923) filed a Confederate Pension application (as "Thomas Collins") in Wayne County, MS, in 1923, in which he did not state his command, but gave his commanding officers as "Capt. McGriff" and "Col. Denny," which could only mean "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves, which became Co. H, 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves on Sept. 3, 1864. However, Thomas H. Collins has no records in that command (though he may be related to some of the other Collin's in that command) and he is not the Thomas H. Collins of the 44th MS Infantry and the 12th MS Cavalry. I do not believe that the Thomas H. Collins under consideration here was ever a Confederate soldier. Susan Collins filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1929, in which she did not state her husband's ("Thomas Collins") command. Buried in the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church Cemetery (aka, Pleasant Grove Cemetery), 31.708333 -88.922330, located on the W side of Pleasant Grove Sandersville Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 500 ft. S of that road's junction with Old US Hwy. 84 (on the S side of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church), Pleasant Grove, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Aaron W. Cooley (b. prob. Clarke County, MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1930), Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. March 13, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 18. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Aug. 1862 company muster roll states "discharged Aug. 2, 1862." Dr. Izard, Surgeon of the 37th MS Infantry, found him "incapable of performing military duty in consequence of Effects from Measles, producing Bronchitis & general debility. I further declare my belief that he will not be able to perform the duties of a soldier for a considerable time and recommend that he be discharged from the Service of the Confederate States of America." Discharged at Columbus, Lowndes County, MS. "Aaron W. Cooley" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1912 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS, was discharged because of sickness, enlisted a second time (on Nov. 21, 1864), and was on the way with friends to join Lee's army in Northern VA when he

and his friends were captured at Atlanta, GA, by the Yankees and put into military prison until war's end. ["Was on way to Lee's Army and we were not organized. Our crowd had not been organized into companies when we were stopped at Atlanta and put on duty and were captured before we could get to the army where we were to be assigned to companies."] Another version has him being "transferred to [Gen. Robert E.] Lee's Army" and then being captured while on the way to that army. While Pvt. Cooley certainly served in the 37th MS Infantry, his story about being captured with friends on the way to Lee's army simply does not hold water. Had he enlisted, he would have been transported to VA by Confederate authorities, not have been sent on his own (or with his crowd) to find Lee's army. He has no Federal POW records, which would certainly have been the case, had he been captured by the Yankees. Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Albert F. Cooley (b. Wayne County, MS, 1827-d. Wayne County, MS, 1885), (Old) Co. K/(New) Co. F ("Clarke County Rangers," aka "Capt. J.T. Gates' Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. [Note: Albert F. Cooley's military records are concatenated with those of a much younger Harbert Cooley, who served in the same company and regiment. No records for Albert F. Cooley exist in this command until his capture at Marietta, Cobb County, GA.] No enlistment date/data. Enlisted before June 15, 1864, almost certainly in Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 37. Captured near Marietta, Cobb County, GA, on June 15, 1864 (probably during operations between Pine Mountain, GA, and Kennesaw Mountain, GA). Forwarded as a POW from Marietta, GA, to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious Rock Island, IL, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on June 24, 1864. Released from Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on June 20, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Age given on parole as 38 and place of residence given as Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Shirley Place Cemetery (aka, Shirley Church Cemetery), 31.608320 -88.797687, located on the S side of Clara Strengthford Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 7000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. Harbard [aka "Harburd" and aka "Herbert"] Cooley [found in the civilian records as "Harvard Cooley," "Howard Cooley," and "H. Cooley"] (b. Darlington District, SC, 1806-d. Wayne County, MS, 1867) often bartered with or sold goods to Confederate Quartermasters during the War for Southern Independence. Oct. 28, 1863, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS: sold three head of beef cattle. Nov. 11, 1863, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS: sold four head of beef cattle. Nov. 12, 1863, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS: sold one steer. May 10, 1864, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS: bartered 10 lbs. of washed wool for ten lbs. of cotton yarn. This wool was much needed in order to make woolen uniforms for Confederate soldiers. May 13, 1864, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS: bartered 3.25 lbs. unwashed wool for 3.25 lbs. of cotton yarn. July 12, 1864, Shubuta Clarke County, MS: bartered 13 lbs. washed wool for 15 lbs. of cotton yarn. July 28, 1864, Enterprise, Clarke County, MS: bartered 4.5 lbs. washed wool for 15.5 yards of cotton cloth. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Shirley Place Cemetery (aka, Shirley Church Cemetery), 31.608320 -88.797687, located on the S side of Clara Strengthford Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 7000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. James N. Cooley (b. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1836-d. Wayne County, MS, 1916), Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Probably enlisted on March 13, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at appr. age 25. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Appears on a Sept. 30, 1862, hospital muster roll for General Hospital, Lauderdale Springs, Lauderdale County, MS, with reason for hospitalization not stated. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in Hospital." 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. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) sometime before Oct. 31, 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 Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Admitted Jan. 13, 1865, to St. Mary's Hospital, West Point, Lowndes County, MS, suffering from diarrhea. [Note: Most hospitalizations at this time and place were for soldiers returning from Gen. John Bell Hood's

disastrous Middle TN Campaign of late 1864.] Served till war's end. Paroled at war's end on May 13, 1865, at Cannon Hospital, Enterprise, Clarke County, MS. Parole incorrectly notes his command as "37th Regt. MS Cavalry," rather than the 37th MS Infantry. Parole notes his residence as "Red Bluff, Miss." Southern Patriot! "J.N. Cooley" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1911 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. C, 37th MS Infantry, and that he was absent from his command at war's end because he was in the hospital. Buried in the Cooley Cemetery, location unknown, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined, but almost certainly with a VA Confederate marker, as one was ordered for him (for placement in the "Cooley Cemetery") in 1939 by a relation named "J.I. Cooley."

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. John A. Cooley (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1908) is listed in some databases as having served as a private in Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. However, the Pvt. "John Cooley" who served in that company and command died in service in Sept. 1862 and, so, cannot be the John A. Cooley under consideration here. Burial site not found, but said to be buried in the Evergreen Baptist Cemetery Cemetery, 31.784757 -88.814500, located at 788 Shubuta Eucutta Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Martin Van Buren Cooley, Sr. [found as "Martin V. Cooley" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1898), Co. C ("Jones County Rebels," aka "Capt. Alney M. Dozier's Company," raised in Jones County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 12, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, into this Jones County, MS, company, at age 20. Present at Jackson, Hinds County, MS, on July 7, 1862, for payment of enlistment bounty. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent, M.V. Cooley sent to Hospital." 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 report to parole camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, after a 30-day furlough of all Vicksburg troops. [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. However, because Vicksburg garrison commander Gen. John C. Pemberton did not issue a proper order for the troops to reassemble, many

soldiers were initially described as AWOL on the subsequent Oct. 1863 company muster roll, when, in fact, they had not been properly ordered to reassemble. After this first muster roll, however, the troops knew that they were to return to their commands and any who failed to do so were legitimately AWOL.] Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Reported to Parole Camp, Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on Nov. 1, 1863 (but this conflicts with later AWOL report.) Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 23rd Aug. 1863." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Returned to service and was captured June 19, 1864, near Marietta, Cobb County, GA, during operations in the vicinity of Kennesaw Mountain, GA, and forwarded as a POW to notorious Camp Morton, IN, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Morton, IN, POW Camp on June 28, 1864. Forwarded for exchange on March 4, 1865, to Baltimore, MD, and physically exchanged at Boulware's & Cox's Wharves, on the James River, some 25 miles below Richmond, VA, sometime between March 10-12, 1865. No further information in his military file with this command, but he was probably sent to hospital at Richmond, VA, and then either furloughed home to MS to recuperate or sent to Camp Lee, Richmond, VA, to recuperate and be readied for return to his command in the field. However, the war in VA would end just three weeks later, so he probably has no further military records. Southern Patriot! Sarah Ann Cooley filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1912, 1916, & 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("M.V.B. Cooley") was a Confederate soldier in the 7th MS Battalion. [Note In her 1912 pension application, she mis-stated her husband's command as the 37th MS Infantry.] Buried in the Shirley Place Cemetery (aka, Shirley Church Cemetery), 31.608320 -88.797687, located on the S side of Clara Strengthford Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 7000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Moses Cooley, Sr. [found in the military records as "Moses Cooley" and "Mosses Cooley"] (b. Choctaw County, AL, 1832-d. Wayne County, MS, 1922), Co. C ("Jones County Rebels," aka "Capt. Alney M. Dozier's Company," raised in Jones County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 12, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, just two days before his 30th birthday, but probably enrolled in the company a few weeks earlier in Jones County, MS. Present on July 7, 1862, at Jackson, Hinds County, MS, for receipt of enlistment bounty. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "Moses Cooley sent to Hospital." 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 report to parole camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, after a 30-day furlough of all Vicksburg troops. [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.] However, because Vicksburg garrison commander Gen. John C. Pemberton did not issue a proper order for the troops to reassemble, many soldiers were initially described as AWOL on the subsequent Oct. 1863 company muster roll, when, in fact, they had not been properly ordered to reassemble. After this first muster roll, however, the troops knew that they were to return to their commands and any who failed to do so were legitimately AWOL. Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Reported to parole camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on Nov. 1, 1863. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 23rd Aug. 1863." [Note: Pvt. Cooley was not declared as officially exchanged until Dec. 1863, which may explain his absence from parole camp.] Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Returned to service. Captured in the aftermath of the Battle of Dallas [Paulding County], GA, on June 5, 1864, and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious Rock Island, IL, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on June 16, 1864. Transferred for exchange from Rock Island, IL, POW Camp to New Orleans, LA, beginning on May 3, 1865. Confined at New Orleans, LA, on May 17, 1865. "Appears on a Roll of Prisoners of War transferred to the Commissioner for Exchange" on May 23, 1865, from New Orleans, LA, meaning that he was sent from New Orleans, LA, to Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS, for exchange, probably being exchanged at the latter place within a week or so. At this point, the war in this section of the Confederacy was over, so Pvt. Cooley served till war's end. Southern Patriot! "Moses Cooley, Sr.," filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, 1908, 1915, & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the "7th Miss. Battalion" and that "I was in Northern prison [for] 11 months & exposed to disease & extreme cold & became disabled from the effects of it." Buried in the Hollis Creek Church Cemetery, 31.531468 -88.832866, located on the N side of the road at 310 Pine Grove Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Wesley A. Cooley (b. Wayne County, MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1930) is listed in some

databases as having been a private in Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry, but he has no service records in that command. Burial site not found, but said to be buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. James C. Cooper*** (b. prob. Hancock County, MS, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906), Co. B ("Capt. Poitevent's Company," raised in Hancock County, MS), 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 10, 1862, at Gainesville, Hancock County, MS, at age 25. Present on May 10, 1862, company muster roll. Does not appear on any additional documents in this command. On Dec. 24, 1863, Steede's Battalion was enlarged to become the 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry, and the men of Capt. Poitevent's Company were distributed among the companies of that new command, but James C. Cooper does not have any service records in this expanded command, either. It is likely that James C. Cooper joined Co. B of Steede's Battalion, but was rejected for service by the enrolling or inspecting officer. Still, he was a Southern Patriot for trying to serve! [***Note: Some databases carry this man as "John C. Cooper," but he is James C. Cooper.] L.A. [Lucinda Ann] Cooper filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1907, in which she stated that her husband ("J.G. Cooper") was a Confederate soldier in the "9th MS Battalion," that he enlisted in Hancock County, MS, in 1861, that he served under Capt. Poitevent and Col. Steede, that he served the entire war, and that he was with his command in active service when the final surrender came. His actual military records, however, do not bear out her assertion regarding his having served till war's end. [Note: a 4th Corp. James Cooper served in Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). He enlisted Aug. 30, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, and was present on the Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. It is possible (but impossible to prove) that this James Cooper is also James C. Cooper of Steede's Battalion. However, this would beg the question why didn't Lucinda Ann Cooper mention her husband's service in this command in her Confederate Widow's Pension application?] Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 - 88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. William Vanderson Covington (b. Wayne County, MS, 1832-d. Wayne County, MS, 1869). Elizabeth Weaver filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1915, in which she stated that her husband ("William V. Covington") enlisted in Wayne County, MS, in 1862, served under "Capt. Jennings" and "Colonel Miller" in the "9th Miss. Regt.," was discharged in 1865, and died at home in Wayne County, MS. Elizabeth Covington filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1917, in which she stated that her husband ("William B. Covington") enlisted in Wayne County, MS, in July 1862, served under "Capt. Gennins" (i.e., "Capt. Jennings"), was discharged in VA before the war ended because he was "sick with cancer," and died in 1869 in Wayne County, MS. Elizabeth Weaver (sic) filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1918, in which she stated that her husband ("William V. Covington") was a Confederate soldier in the 9th MS. Elizabeth Covington filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1931, in which she did not state her husband's ("William D. Covington") command, but stated that he enlisted in July 1862, served under "Capt. Gennins" (i.e., "Capt. Jennings"), and was sent home suffering from "a cancer." All of these pension point to service in "Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company MS Cavalry for the support of the Bureau of Conscription [i.e., draft enforcement], " raised in Jasper County, MS), which became Co. G, 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry, but there are no Covington's in that command. Buried in the Atkinson Cemetery, 31.802192 -88.651858, located in the woods appr. 1200 ft. W of the 90-degree bend in Chapparral-Hiwanee Road that occurs appr. 3000 ft. S of that road's intersection with Hayes-Nute Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Bishop Cupp (b. prob. Greene County, MS, 1831-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906), "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted April 24, 1862, in Washington County, AL, at age 30. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "detached to arrest conscripts in Washington County, AL." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent, detached on conscript service." Present on April 30, 1863, company muster roll. Absent on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent on detached duty as a scout." In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry), with Co. D of Murphy's Battalion becoming Co. K of the 15th

Confederate Cavalry. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 12, 1863, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached [service]." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent; Descriptive list furnished [on] Dec. 19 [1863]; detailed [on unspecified service]." [Note: Payment "on Descriptive List" typically happened when a soldier was away from his command, either on detail, detached duty, or in hospital.] Paid on descriptive list on Dec. 19, 1863, at unspecified location, but probably Halls Mills, Mobile County, AL. Absent on April 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "detached at Halls Mills" [now a suburb of Mobile, Mobile County, AL]. Present on June 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Washington County, AL. Southern Patriot! "Bishop Cupp" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1902, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 15th Confederate Cavalry. Elizabeth L. Cupp filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1906, in which she stated that her husband ("Bishop Cupp") was a Confederate soldier in the 15th Cavalry. Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Michael J. Cupp (b. Greene County, MS, 1836-d. 1906***, Wayne County, MS), Co. K ("Capt. Duncan McKellar's Company," raised in Choctaw County, AL), 15th Confederate Cavalry. Enlisted Nov. 29, 1863, at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, at age 27. Admitted on Dec. 23, 1863, to Ross Hospital, Mobile, Mobile County, AL, suffering from intermittent fever, and returned to duty on Dec. 27, 1863. Absent on April 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Present for clothing issue on Aug. 28, 1864, with place of issue not specified, but probably at Mobile, Mobile County, AL. 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Washington County, AL. Southern Patriot! Mary Cupp filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1906, in which she stated that her husband ("Mike Cupp") was a Confederate soldier in the 15th Cavalry. Burial site not found, but it is possible that he is buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the

road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, in an unmarked grave. [***Note: Death year taken from widow's 1906 Confederate Widow's Pension application.]

TENTATIVE. Richard Daniels [found as "Richard P. Daniels" and "R.P. Daniels" in the Confederate military and civilian records] (b. GA, 1840-d. Wayne County, MS, 1910) may be the Assistant Surgeon, Field & Staff, 5th AL Infantry. Appointed Assistant Surgeon of the 5th AL Infantry by "Special Order 90 (AGO), April 14, 1862." Another document gives order and date as "Special Order Number 90/23, Adjutant & Inspector General's Office, Confederate States," dated April 19, 1862." Paid Aug. 2, 1864, at unspecified location for two months' service as surgeon. Richard P. Daniels also apparently worked for one Richard Potts, "Surgeon and Medical Purveyor, CS Army," as a "Traveling Agent," and, as such, was active throughout 1862, 1863, and 1864, all over MS and AL, buying and delivering goods for that department, from oats, to chamber pots, to telegraphing, to hauling, to cloth, to steam engines. Literally dozens and dozens of his receipts and vouchers can be found under "Confederate Citizens Papers" in the National Archives Civil War papers. A report from the Surgeon General's Office, CSA, dated Oct. 17, 1864, lists men detailed with the Medical Purveyor's Office at Montgomery, Montgomery County, AL, who are serving under Surgeon Richard Potts, and includes reference to "R.P. Daniels," conscript [i.e., a draftee], serving as a courier, age 26, and described as unfit for field service [i.e., unfit to be a regular soldier], rated as disabled, and whose services were necessary to the department. Employed at Mobile, AL, as a courier by Surgeon Potts as late as Feb. 11, 1865. Southern Patriot! [Note: I could find but little genealogy on this man, so I am not at all sure that the Richard Daniels buried in Waller Ridge Cemetery is the Richard P. Daniels who was a Confederate Surgeon and Medical Purveyor. I wanted to include information on the surgeon here in case it helps other researchers further investigate Richard Daniels of Waller Ridge Cemetery.] Buried in the Waller Ridge Cemetery, 31.777173 -88.755116, located on the E side of Waller Ridge Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's juncture with J.B. Waller Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Benjamin Butler Davis (b. FL***, 1824-d. Wayne County, MS, 1896) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. B ("Johnson Partisans," raised in Chickasaw County, MS), 2nd MS Cavalry (State Troops), but that soldier is Bradford Buhl Davis (1822-1863), who is buried in the Palestine Cemetery, Montpelier, Clay County, MS. They are not one and the same man. After a diligent search, I have been unable to identify Benjamin Butler Davis as having been a Confederate soldier in any CS command whatsoever. Buried in the Hollis Creek Church Cemetery, 31.531468 -88.832866,

located on the N side of the road at 310 Pine Grove Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: Birth state taken from 1860 US Census, which also show him living with wife Harriet in Wayne County, MS.]

Pvt. James Madison Davis [found as "James M. Davis" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1919), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 19, but was enrolled at "Jackson, Miss." on March 9, 1861 [though it is not clear whether "Jackson, Miss.," means the city of Jackson, Hinds County, MS, or Jackson County, MS]. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 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. Captured at the 2nd Battle of Fredericksburg, VA, on May 3, 1863, and forwarded to Old Capitol Prison, Washington, DC, and then to Fort Delaware, DE, POW Camp. Exchanged at City Point, VA [on the James River, some 30 miles downstream from Richmond, VA], on May 23, 1863. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Captured on Nov. 29, 1863, at the Battle of Fort Sanders, Knoxville, Knox County, TN [part of the overall Knoxville Campaign], and forwarded as a POW to Knoxville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious 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 once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on Jan. 6, 1864. Released from Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp at war's end on June 18, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Parole gives his residence as "Wainsborough, Wayne County, MS." Southern Patriot! "James M. Davis" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 13th MS. Lacy Ann Davis filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1920, in which she stated that her husband ("James M. Davis") was a Confederate soldier in the 13th MS. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Davis served in Co. B, 13th MS Cavalry, but there never was a 13th MS Cavalry. This is simply a transcription error. "13th MS Cavalry" should read "13th MS Infantry."]

Pvt. James W. Davis [found as "James W. Davis" in the military records and referred to as "James W.B. Davis" by some family researchers] (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1909), (1st) Co. H ("Capt. Benjamin M. Long's Company," prob. raised in Fayette County, TN), 8th (Looney's) TN Infantry, which became the 38th TN Infantry. Enlisted Sept. 23, 1861, at Camp Abbington, Fayette County, TN, at age 16. On April 3, 1862, Co. H was transferred to the 5th (Golladay's) Battalion AL Infantry, which became the 26th AL Infantry and then the 50th AL Infantry, where Capt. Long's Company served as Co. I (aka "Capt. Thomas Whooten's Company," aka "Capt. James F. Sowell's Company," and aka "Capt. Robert Donnell's Company"). No records found for Pvt. Davis in this command, though he is said to have served in same. Pvt. Davis may have been discharged, perhaps for medical reasons. At any rate, he enlisted again, this time into Co. D ("Capt. William McGill's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 56th AL Partisan Rangers. Enlisted Aug. 25, 1863, in Pontotoc County, MS, at age 18. Present on Aug. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Present on an Oct. 31, 1863, hospital muster roll for Loring's Division Hospital, Macon, Noxubee County, MS, with confusing notation that he was admitted to the hospital (sick) on July 12, 1863, which date precedes his enlistment into the company, but may indicate that he was still a member of the 50th AL Infantry at that time. Notation on hospital muster roll states "furnished his own horse," i.e., he brought his own horse with him into the service. Present on Dec. 25, 1863, company muster roll. Present at Okolona, Chickasaw County, MS, for payment of enlistment bounty (\$50) on Nov. 22, 1863. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 16, 1865. Parole gives residence as Greene County, MS. Southern Patriot! Kate Davis filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Greene County, MS, in 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("James W. Davis") was a Confederate soldier in the 56th AL, but I have been unable to locate her pension application. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. John H. Davis (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1910). S.J. [Sophronia Jemima] Davis filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1910 & 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("John H. Davis") was a Confederate soldier under "Capt. McGill" in "McGill's Cavalry Company" or in "McGriff's Battalion" under "Capt. B.T. Harris," that he enlisted alternately in 1863 or 1864 in Wayne County, MS, and that he served till war's end. Sophronia J. Davis filed a Confederate

Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which she stated that her husband ("John H. Davis") was a Confederate soldier in "McGill's Cavalry." The only commands she could have intended [that I have been able to deduce] are (1) "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry" (raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), which became Co. H, 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves, which was later expanded to become the 1st (Denis') Regiment MS Cavalry Reserves, and, (2), Co. B, 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864)], in which command there was a 1st Lt. B.T. Harris. John H. Davis has no service records in these commands. I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. However, there are so many men with names "J. Davis," "John Davis," "J.H. Davis," etc. in commands from both MS and neighboring AL (over 150 such men), that it is certainly possible that John H. Davis served in some command from one of these states. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a VA Confederate marker that does not specify any given command, but simply says "Confederate States Army." This is because the VA, too, could not verify any Confederate military service for him when his marker was applied for in 1940 by Sam W. Cochran. The VA asked the Wayne County Chancery Court whether John H. Davis or his widow had ever received a Confederate Pension, and, since his widow's applications had been rubber-stamped by the local pension board (the board not having access to Confederate military records), the VA issued the stone, but without a specific CS command inscribed thereon.

Pvt. Reese Davis, Jr. (b. Jasper County, MS, 1846-d. Clarke County, MS, 1928), "Capt. William S. Reynolds' Company of Cavalry, MS Reserves," aka "Capt. W.S. Reynolds' Company of [MS] Cavalry, Mounted Exempts" (raised in Clarke & Lauderdale Counties, MS), , which became Co. A, 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. Enlisted Dec. 19, 1863, at Chunkeyville, Lauderdale County, MS, at age 17. Present on March 1, 1864, company muster roll. On Sept. 3, 1864, Denis' Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves became the 1st (Denis') Regiment MS Cavalry Reserves, with Co. A of the battalion continuing as Co. A of the regiment. 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, Lowndes County, MS, on May 16, 1865. Parole gives residence as Jasper County, MS. Southern Patriot! "Reese Davis" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1920, in which he incorrectly (and inexplicably) stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the "8th

Mississippi," while correctly naming his captain and colonel from the 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves. He never served in the 8th MS Infantry. Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 - 88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./3rd Sgt. Thomas Davis, Sr. (b. Wayne County, MS, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1903), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted Oct. 15, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 35. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 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. Promoted to Sgt. sometime between Feb. 28, 1863, and July 4, 1863. Surrendered and paroled as a Sgt. at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) sometime before Oct. 31, 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.] Absent as 3rd Sgt. on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." On Oct. 27, 1863, Sgt. Davis was requested to be detailed as a commissary employee at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, by a Capt. O.B. Fish, but this request was made under the mistaken impression that Sgt. Davis was a private and in poor health. His captain asked on Nov. 3, 1863, that the request for detail be rescinded, since Davis was not a private and was able-bodied; the request was rescinded. Present as private on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "reduced to [the] ranks from Sgt. by order of the Colonel on the 1st Dec. 1863." [Note: In cases like this, being reduced to the ranks was a typical consequence for a non-commissioned officer's having been AWOL.] Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Admitted on unspecified date to St. Mary's Hospital, LaGrange, Troup County, GA, suffering from unspecified wound or disease or debility. Received clothing issue on July 4, 1864, at St. Mary's Hospital, LaGrange, Troup County, GA, and returned to duty from said hospital on July 14, 1864. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Parole gives

residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! [Note: His parole information says he was a member of Co. H, but I think this is just a transcription error and should read "Co. A."] Margaret Davis filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1903, in which she stated that her husband ("Thomas Davis") was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS. Margret (sic) Davis filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("Thomas Davis") was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS. Buried in the Clear Creek Cemetery, 31.790369 -88.730415, located on the E side of Waynesboro-Shubuta Road at a point on that road that lies apprx. 1 mile N of that road's intersection with Mabry Graham Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker and almost certainly a Confederate marker, as one was ordered for him from the VA in 1939 by Q.W. Davis.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Thomas Davis (b. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1925). "Thomas Davis" (b. ca. 1846) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1912, in which he stated that he enlisted in Wayne County, MS, in 1862, into Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry, that he served under "Capt. McGriff," served till war's end, and was with his command when it surrendered at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS. However, there is only one Thomas Davis in the 46th MS Infantry and he is 3rd Sgt. Thomas Davis, Sr. (see above), who was already 35 years old in 1861, when he enlisted. Additionally, there was no "Capt. McGriff" in the 6th Battalion/46th MS Infantry and the command did not surrender at Waynesboro, MS. Finally, Thomas Davis (ca. 1846-1925) has no service records in the 6th Battalion/46th MS Infantry. I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the White House Cemetery (aka the Whitehouse Cemetery and aka the Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 - 88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, with a Confederate marker that belongs on another man's grave. [Note: The VA Confederate marker for the Thomas Davis of White House Cemetery would have been issued because the VA would have found a Thomas Davis in the 46th MS Infantry when they checked service records, but they would not have known that the marker would be put on the wrong Thomas Davis' grave.] [Note: This man is likely to be identical to the Thomas Davis immediately below.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. "Thomas Davis" (b. ca. 1846) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1919, in which he stated that he was

a Confederate soldier, that he enlisted in Wayne County, MS, in May 1862 into Co. A, Capt. "McGrith," Steede's Battalion, where he served 10 months, before "I was put out to herd beef cattle [from] Feb. 1864 to May 1865." However, he has no service records in either the 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry or its successor command, the 9th MS Cavalry. This man is likely the same man as the Thomas Davis immediately above.

3rd Lt. [i.e., Jr. 2nd Lt.]/Brevet 2nd Lt./2nd Lt. William Stanson Davis [found as "William S. Davis" in the military records] (b. Pike County, AL, 1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1912), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted as a 3rd Lt. on April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 26, but was enrolled at "Jackson, Miss." on March 9, 1861 [though it is not clear whether "Jackson, Miss.," means the city of Jackson, Hinds County, MS, or Jackson County, MS]. Present as Brevet 2nd Lt. on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. [Note: Generally, "brevet" titles were awarded for gallantry on the field.] Present as 3rd Lt. on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Lt. on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present as Brevet 2nd Lt. on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present as Brevet 2nd Lt. on April 1862 company muster roll. The records are conflicting, but, according to an undated "Register, containing Rosters of Commissioned Officers, Provisional Army [of the] Confederate States," he was appointed a full 2nd Lt. on April 26, 1862. Wounded at the Battle of Malvern Hill, Henrico County, VA, on July 1, 1862, with details of wound not specified. Present as (full) 2nd Lt. on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Dec. 1862 company muster roll states (now) 3rd Lt. Davis "resigned [on] Nov. 15, 1862, being elected to a civil office in Mississippi." His resignation letter, dated "Oct. 30, 1862, Camp 13th Miss. Regt.," reads, in part "Dear Sir, Having been recently elected to the office of Circuit and Probate Clerk of Wayne County, Mississippi, I hereby respectfully (sic) tender my resignation as Second Lieutenant of Co. 'B' 13th Miss. Regt. I enclose a copy of [the] Sheriff's Certificate of Election. (signed) W.S. Davis, 2nd Lt., Co. (B) (sic), 13th Miss. Regt." His resignation was forwarded (with approval implied) by Gen. Lafayette McLaws, Gen. James Longstreet, and Gen. Robert E. Lee. Southern Patriot! E.J. [Eliza Jane Ward] Davis filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("W.S. Davis") was a Confederate soldier in the 13th MS. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker that reads, in part, "A soldier of the South from First Manassas to close of 1862."

Pvt. Thomas Dearman [misspelled as "Dearmon" on his homemade marker and found as "Thomas Dearman" in the military records and in his widow's Confederate Pension application] (b. prob. Perry County, MS, 1844-d. Forrest County, MS, 1904***), Co. F ("Capt. Stevens' Company," raised in Greene & Perry Counties, MS), 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted Aug. 20, 1862, in Perry County, MS, at appr. age 17 or 18. Transferred to Co. E ("Capt. Mayers' Company," raised in Harrison County, MS), 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry, on March 1, 1863. Absent on June 30, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "sick in hospital at Holmesville [Pike County], Miss., [since] May 8, 1863." On Dec. 24, 1863, Steede's Battalion was augmented to become the 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry. Capt. Mayers' Company of Steede's Battalion MS Cavalry became Co. C of Miller's MS Cavalry. Appears on a Nov. 20, 1864, Receipt Roll for clothing issue at "Conv. Camp Wright," which seems to mean a convalescent camp named Camp Wright. This is likely to be Camp Wright, Macon, Bibb County, GA, as the 9th MS Cavalry was in that general area at the time, opposing Sherman's infamous war crime known as the "March to the Sea." Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in Hospital." Returned to service and 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 Mobile, AL, on May 23, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Perry County, MS. Southern Patriot! His widow, Martha E. Dearman, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Forrest County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("Thomas Dearman") was a Confederate soldier in the 9th MS Cavalry and that he died on July 6, 1904. Buried in the Salem Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.553992 -88.875643, on the S side of Strickland Road, appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Salem Road, Wayne County, MS. with a homemade marker. [***Note: His death year is given as 1928 on his homemade marker, but his wife stated in her Confederate Widow's Pension application that he died on July 6, 1904. The 1928 death year seems to be in confusion with her death year, which was ca. 1927.]

3rd Sgt./2nd Sgt. John Calhoun Doby (b. AL, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, after 1905), "Capt. William S. Reynolds' Company of Cavalry, MS Reserves," aka "Capt. W.S. Reynolds' Company of [MS] Cavalry, Mounted Exempts" (raised in Clarke & Lauderdale Counties, MS). Enlisted as 3rd Sgt. on Dec. 19, 1863, at Chunkeyville, Lauderdale County, MS, at appr. age 17. Capt. Reynolds' Company became Co. A, 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves, which, on Sept. 3, 1864, became the 1st (Denis') Regiment MS Cavalry Reserves, with Capt. Reynolds' Company continuing as Co. A. Present on March 1, 1864, company

muster roll. Served till war's end. Surrendered as a 2nd Sgt. 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, Lowndes County, MS, on May 16, 1865. Parole gives residence as Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! "J.C. Doby" filed a Confederate Pension application in Clarke County, MS, in 1905, in which he stated that he served in the 1st MS Cavalry Reserves. Buried in the Mulberry Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.481736 -88.845285, located on the S side of the church at the intersection of Camp 8 Road and Hollis Creek Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt./2nd Corp. William Simpson Doby [found as "William S. Doby" in the military records] (b. SC, 1836-d. Wayne County, MS, 1917), Co. B ("McLain Rifles," aka "Capt. William W. Wier's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 8, 1862, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 25 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was 22). Present on May 7, 1862, company muster roll. Present as private on June 1862 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Corp. on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Wounded at the Battle of Corinth, MS, Oct. 3-5, 1862, with nature of wound not specified. Present as 2nd Corp. on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Corp. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Corp. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as Wagon Master [on] Feb. 25, 1863." Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) sometime before Oct. 31, 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 private on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Present as private on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as Wagon Master." Paid \$15.25 on Dec. 3, 1863, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, "For Services Rendered as Wagon Master of the 37th Miss. Inf., from March 1st to April 30, 1863, being 61 days at 25 cents per day," signing in his own hand as "Wm. S. Doby." Paid \$7.75 on Dec. 3, 1863, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, "For Services Rendered as Wagon & Forage Master from Oct. 1st to Nov. 1st [1863], being 31 days at 25 cents per day," signing in his own hand as "Wm. S. Doby." Present as private on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as Wagon Master." Present as private on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "detailed as Wagon Master." Signed for corn and fodder for the 16 horses of the 37th MS Infantry at Talladega, Talladega County, AL, on Oct. 24,

1864, signing as "W.S. Dobby (sic), Acting Quartermaster" [i.e., Acting Quartermaster for the 37th MS Infantry], but it appears as if the signature is not in his hand, but in the hand of Jonathan S. Dabbs, Acting Quartermaster at Post Talladega. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in NC at war's end, the 37th MS Infantry was consolidated into a battalion of four companies and designated the 37th Battalion MS Infantry, but Pvt./Corp. Doby has no war's-end parole with that command. As a civilian, William S. Doby sold 150 bushels of "Chos. Coal" [choice coal?] to the Confederate Quartermaster at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, for 15 cents a bushel (at a total cost of \$22.50) on Aug. 15, 1863, signing the receipt as "Wm. S. Doby" in his own hand. "William S. Doby" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1909 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS, that he served the whole war, that he was never absent except while on leave, that he wasn't discharged before war's end, that he was wounded slightly in the hip at the Battle of Corinth, MS, and that he was with his command when it surrendered at (alternately) "Greenville, NC," or "Charlotte, SC." [His command actually surrendered at Greensboro, NC.] However, Corp. Doby's claim to have been in service till war's end is not borne out by his actual service record. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Charles Stanhope Doherty [found as "C.S. Doherty" and "C.S. Dority" in the military records] (b. AL, 1825-d. Wayne County, MS, 1892), Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company of MS Cavalry ("for the support of the Bureau of Conscription"), raised in Jasper County, MS. Enlisted Sept. 3, 1863, at Paulding, Jasper County, MS, at age 37. Present on Nov. 6, 1863, company muster roll. On Dec. 24, 1863, Capt. Jennings' Company became Co. G, 9th MS Cavalry. Present on June 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Carthage [Leake County, MS] with disabled horse." 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Family researchers state that he is the Sgt. Charles Doherty who served in Co. D ("Red Eagles," raised in Mobile County, AL), 1st AL Infantry, which company was disbanded in 1862, but I have no way to confirm or deny this assertion, as his actual service records with this organization are not available to me via any of my

sources. It is entirely possible that he served in the 1st AL Infantry before enlisting in Capt. Jennings' Company.]

DID NOT SERVE, BUT.... Felix W. Doherty (b. MS, 1854-d. Wayne County, MS, 1914), whose father, James W. Doherty, served in the 9th MS Cavalry, has a headstone that is perfectly-shaped and colored like a VA Confederate headstone, but it is a civilian headstone. Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 - 88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. James Wilson Doherty [found as "J.W. Dougherty" and "J.W. Doherty" in the military records] (b. Mecklenburg County, NC, 1822-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907). Enlisted Aug. 6, 1863, in Wayne County, MS, at age 41. On Aug. 19, 1863, he was assigned to "Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company MS Cavalry for the support of the Bureau of Conscription [i.e., draft enforcement]," raised in Jasper County, MS). Present on Nov. 6, 1863, company muster roll. On Dec. 24, 1863, Capt. Jennings' Company became Co. G, 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry. Present on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "detailed with Assistant Surgeon R.T. Hurt." Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "detailed home to remount himself [on] Nov. 26, 1864; to report back [to command] at Carthage [Hale County], Ala." 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Southern Patriot! Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker that was ordered for him in 1931 by Mrs. J.J. Holcombe. [Note: There is also a Pvt. James W. Dougherty in Co. C ("Sarsfield Southrons," raised in Warren County, MS), 22nd MS Infantry, but he was killed in action at the Battle of Shiloh, TN, in 1862.]

Pvt. William Alexander Douglas [found as "William Douglas" in the military records] (b. Greene County, MS, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1900), Co. B ("Capt. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 30, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at age 37. Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hickory Grove Baptist Church Cemetery (aka, the Hickory Grove Cemetery, and aka the Brewer Cemetery), 31.451220 -88.771599, located on the E side of Brewertown Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1300 ft. N of that road's intersection with Boyd Brewer Drive, with a private marker.

Pvt. James Douglas*** [found as "James Douglas" in the military records] (b. GA, 1830-d. Wayne County, MS, 1893), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted Oct. 15, 1861, in at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 33 (according to military records, but age 31, according to family researchers and some census records). Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 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. On Dec. 2, 1862, the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, was enlarged to become the 46th MS Infantry, with Co. A of Balfour's Battalion becoming Co. A of the 46th MS Infantry. 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. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) on Oct. 23, 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. Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from 9th Feb. 1864." Captured in fighting "[in] front of [Fort] Blakely, Mobile, AL, on April 1, 1865, and forwarded as a POW to Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, arriving there on April 4, 1865. Transferred for exchange from Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, via New Orleans, LA, to Vicksburg, MS, beginning on May 1, 1865. Physically exchanged at Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS, on May 6, 1865. Since Confederate forces in this part of the Confederacy surrendered on May 4, 1865, Pvt. Douglas served till war's end. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: His name is "James Douglas," not "Douglas James," as reported on his find-a-grave page.]

DID NOT SERVE. John Ander Dunn, Sr. (b. Ireland, 1840-d. Wayne County, MS, 1919) has a Confederate headstone that indicates that he served in Co. I ("Adams Light Guard No. 1," aka "Capt. Douglas Walworth's Company," aka "Capt. James W. Lambert's Company," and aka "Capt. Robert Clark's Company," raised in Adams County, MS), 16th MS Infantry. However, the Pvt. John Dunn

[also found as "John Dunne" in the military records] of that company and command was age 26 when he enlisted in 1861 and was living in Adams County, MS, at the time. He was mortally wounded at the Battle of Second Manassas, VA, and died in 1862. Additionally, John Ander Dunn (according to family researchers) did not immigrate to the United States until 1866/1867 -- after the War for Southern Independence had ended. If family researchers are correct about his immigration date, John Ander Dunn was never a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Dunn Cemetery, 31.448784 -88.614077, located appr. 500 ft. due W of a point on Chicora State Line Road that lies appr. 100 ft. S of the first dirt road that branches off directly W from said road while traveling N from said road's intersection with Earl Dunn Road, with both a private and an unjustified Confederate marker. [Note: The referenced dirt road may itself have a branch road that leads to the cemetery.] [Note: John Ander Dunn has a Confederate marker because a well-meaning descendant simply found the name "John Dunn" in an index of MS CS soldiers and innocently (but incorrectly) assumed that said John Dunn was his/her ancestor.]

TENTATIVE. Pvt. William Christopher Columbus Dyess [found in the military records as "C. Dyess"] (b. Stewart County, GA, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906), Co. B ("Capt. Goodwyn Nixon's Company of Cavalry," raised in Jasper, Jones, & Smith Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves. No enlistment date/data. Late-war enlistee, known only from his war's-end parole, so he probably enlisted in late 1864 or early 1865 at age 17. 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, Lowndes County, MS, on May 16, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! [Note: I think it likely that "C. Dyess" is William Christopher Columbus Dyess because W.C.C. Dyess was known by the nickname "Lum," meaning that he was also known by his third name, "Columbus." Thus, it is entirely feasible that "C. Dyess" is "Columbus Dyess."] Buried in the Pleasant Grove Cemetery (aka, Pleasant Grove Methodist Church Cemetery), located on the E side of the road at 2 Jones Walker Loop Road (appr. 200 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dyess Bridge Road), Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William Christopher Dyess [found as "W.C. Dyers" in the military records] (b. Wilkinson County, GA, 1819-d. Wayne County, MS, 1885), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 23, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 45. Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! [Note:

Some researchers have concluded that the "Pvt. C. Dyess" of Co. B ("Capt. Goodwyn Nixon's Company of Cavalry," raised in Jasper, Jones, & Smith Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves, is the same man as William Christopher Dyess, but I don't think this is the case, because William Christopher Dyess is found as "W.C. Dyers" in other military records and was known as "Billy" throughout his lifetime. This makes me doubt that he would use his middle name (abbreviated "C." in the military records) for this presumed second enlistment in the Confederate armed forces. Perhaps "C. Dyess" is his son, William Christopher Columbus Dyess, if, in fact, W.C.C. Dyess went by his middle or third given name, but this is simply conjecture.] Buried in the Pleasant Grove Cemetery (aka, Pleasant Grove Methodist Church Cemetery), located on the E side of the road at 2 Jones Walker Loop Road (appr. 200 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dyess Bridge Road), Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./3rd Corp. William Emsley Eidson [found as "Emsley Edson" and "Emsley Eidson" in the military records] (b. prob. AL or SC, ca. 1824/1826-d. in service, 1864), Co. E ("Shubuta Guards," aka "Capt. T.T. Howze's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 8, 1862, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 36 (according to military records, which are often "off" by a few years). Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 30, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in hospital." 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. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) sometime before Oct. 31, 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. Mortally wounded at the Battle of Resaca, Gordon County, GA, on May 15, 1864. Promoted to 3rd Corp. sometime before Aug. 31, 1864. Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent wounded from G.S. [i.e., gunshot] at [the Battle of] Resaca [Gordon County, GA, on] May 15, 1864." Died in service at unspecified location sometime prior to Nov. 18, 1864, when his "name appears on 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," with specific death date not stated and "number of [death] certificate...6455 Q.M.R" [Quartermaster Returns?]. [Certificate not found.] Information for death came "from returns

furnished by Hospitals and Regimental and Company Officers." Appears on an 1864 [no more specific date] "Register of Effects [i.e., possessions] of Deceased Soldiers, turned over to Quartermasters, C.S.A.," with no effects or money listed. No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Boyles Chapel Cemetery, 31.701099 -88.821713, located on the W side of Boyles Chapel Road, near the N terminus of that road, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. William H. Elkins (b. Kemper County, MS, 1842-d. Wayne County, MS, 1908), (Old) Co. K/(New) Co. F ("Clarke County Rangers," aka "Capt. J.T. Gates' Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. Enlisted July 27, 1861, at Beaver Dam, Clarke County, MS, at age 19. Absent on Sept. 7, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "on furlough from the 7 of Sept. to the 12 [of Sept.] to see his parents." Absent on Oct. 18, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "on furlough." Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present for pay on Feb. 6, 1862, at unspecified location, but almost certainly Pensacola, Escambia County, FL. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sick in quarters." Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Sept. 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, with notation "on extra duty." Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent on furlough [for a] period [of] 20 days since Aug. 17, 1863." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "sick in hospital." Present on April 1864 company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender a war's end in NC, the 8th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 5th MS Infantry, the 32nd MS Infantry, and the 3rd Battalion MS Infantry to form the 8th Consolidated Battalion MS Infantry. Pvt. Elkins served in Co. B of this consolidated command. Surrendered at war's end in NC on April 26, 1865, with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South and physically paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Clear Creek Cemetery, 31.790369 -88.730415, located on the E side of Waynesboro-Shubuta Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1 mile N of that road's intersection with Mabry Graham Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Thomas Isaac Jefferson Elliott [found as "Isaac J. Elliott" in the military records] (b. prob. Neshoba County, MS, 1832-d. Wayne County, MS, 1899), Co. F ("Mississippi Tigers," aka "Neshoba Tigers," aka "Capt. A.M. Greer's Company," and aka "Capt. William L. Bassett's Company," raised in Neshoba County, MS), 40th MS Infantry. Enlisted May 7, 1862, in Neshoba County, MS, at age 30.

Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent on detached service." Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. [Note: Pvt. Elliot was not at the 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, with his command, but, because Gen. John C. Pemberton did not issue a proper order for the troops to reassemble after the fall of Vicksburg, MS, many soldiers were initially described as AWOL on the subsequent Oct. 1863 company muster roll, when, in fact, they had not been properly ordered to reassemble.] Present on the Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave [for] 81 days since last paid." Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." No further information in his military file with this command. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in the Carolina's at war's end, the 40th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 3rd MS Infantry and the 31st MS Infantry to form the 3rd Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Elliott has no war's-end parole with this consolidated command. Buried in the Waller Ridge Cemetery, 31.777173 -88.755116, located on the E side of Waller Ridge Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's juncture with J.B. Waller Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William Jasper Entrekin [found as "William Jasper Entrekin," "Jasper Enterkin," "William Enterkin," "W.J. Entican," and "W.J. Entrekin" in the military records] (b. Harrison County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907), Co. I ("Capt. D.P. Scarborough's Company," raised in Greene County, AL), 7th AL Cavalry. No enlistment date/data. [Note: Like so many AL CS commands, the 7th AL Cavalry is exceedingly poorly documented.] His first record in this command is his admission on Sept. 8, 1864, to Ross Hospital, Mobile, Mobile County, AL, suffering from intermittent fevers. It is likely that, given this hospitalization, he was enlisted in the summer of 1864, probably at Mobile, at age 16 or 17. Returned to duty from Ross Hospital, Mobile, Mobile County, AL, on Sept. 21, 1864. Admitted Jan. 10, 1865, to St. Mary's Hospital, West Point, Lowndes County, MS, suffering from chilblains (severe frostbite). Admitted Jan. 11, 1865, to Way Hospital, Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, suffering from a "wound" [type not specified] and medically furloughed. [Note: The 7th AL Cavalry was just coming off horrendous service and conditions during Hood's disastrous Middle TN Campaign, where many soldiers suffered from frostbite.] With incredible late-war casualties, it is likely that Co. I was consolidated with one or more other companies of the 7th AL Cavalry to form Co. A ("Capt. F.C. Randolph's Company," raised in Randolph County, AL), 7th AL Cavalry. Pvt. Entrekin was

serving in Co. A at 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 as a member of Co. A with famed Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Blakely, Baldwin County, AL. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Jr. 2nd Lt. [i.e., 3rd Lt.] Thomas Sterling Falconer (b. Clarke County, MS, 1836-d. Wayne County, MS, 1863), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted Oct. 15, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 26 (according to military records, which are often "off" by a few years, but at age 25, according to family researchers). Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Dec. 1861 Regimental Return shows him present at station Vicksburg, MS. Paid at New Orleans, LA, on Jan. 16, 1862. [Note: The "Gaines Invincibles" were on duty in New Orleans, LA, in early 1862 at an independent company not yet attached to the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry.] Paid at New Orleans, LA, on Feb. 10, 1862. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Paid at New Orleans, LA, on March 1, 1862. Authorized John J. McRae on Aug. 7, 1862, to receive his dead brother's ("William B. Falconer") back pay from the CS Government, signing authorization from "Red Bluff, Wayne County, Miss." Paid Feb. 6, 1863, in Wayne County, MS. Lt. West does not appear to have been re-elected as an officer once the 6th Battalion was augmented to become the 46th MS Infantry, ca. Dec. 1, 1862. He would, thus, have been effectively retired from the service on that date, though he would later be paid one last time for back pay on Feb. 6, 1863. Technically, he never served in the 46th MS Infantry. No further information in his military file with this command. However, Thomas S. Falconer continued to support the Confederacy economically. He was paid on Oct. 30, 1863, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, for expenses incurred while collecting and driving cattle for the Confederate Government. Thomas S. Falconer was paid at Red Bluff, Wayne County, MS, on Nov. 6, 1863, for 796 bushels of corn @ \$2 per bushel. Thomas S. Falconer was paid at Red Bluff, Wayne County, MS, on Nov. 6, 1863, for pasturing 1303 head of Government Cattle for ten days @ 5 cents per head per day and for "hire of hands [for] hunting cattle." Thomas S. Falconer was paid at Red Bluff, Wayne County, MS, on Nov. 8, 1863, for 17 bushels of corn @ \$2 a bushel, 7.5 bushels of (corn) meal @ \$2 a bushel, and 192 lbs. of fodder @ \$3 per cwt. (i.e., hundredweight). T.S. Falconer was paid at Red Bluff, Wayne

County, MS, on Nov. 10, 1863, for 17.5 bushels of corn @ \$2 a bushel. Family sources report that he died of disease on Nov. 17, 1863, just a week after his final patriotic sale of corn to the Confederate Government. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Falconer Cemetery, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker that reads in part "A devoted husband, an affectionate father, a true patriot, and an honorable man." Exact location not known, but with the following directions (courtesy of Jerry D. Mason): "Off Shubuta Waynesboro River Road, on land belonging to Ralph Stanley behind Cecil Graham's home." [Note: Lt. Falconer's widow, Rebecca Clara Ann Falconer, supported the Confederacy after her noble husband's death, as she sold two steers to the Confederate Quartermaster from "her residence" on Dec. 20, 1863.]

Jr. 2nd Lt. [i.e., 3rd Lt.]/Brevet 2nd Lt. William Bracey Falconer (b. Clarke County, AL, 1834-d. in service, Aug. 25, 1861), Co. A ("Shubuta Rifles," aka "Capt. Robert J. Lawrence's Company," and aka "Capt. Edward F. Martiniere's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Enlisted at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, on May 13, 1861, at age 26 (though military records say age 25). Present as 3rd Lt. on June 8, 1861, company muster roll, taken at Corinth, MS. Appointed 2nd Lt. on June 8, 1861. June 1861 Regimental Return does not state whether he was present or absent. Present as Brevet 2nd Lt. on Aug. 8, 1861, Regimental Return, taken at Union City, Obion County, TN. Present or absent not stated on Aug. 15, 1861, company muster roll. He died in service, apparently on Aug. 25, 1861, but there is no direct statement of this death date in his military records. There is, however, a pay statement in his file that seems to indicate this death date: "The Confederate States, To William B. Falconer, 2nd Lt. Jr., Co. A, 14th Miss Vols, Dr. [i.e., "debtor," or person being paid], to pay from the 1st day of July 1861 [last time he was paid] to the 25th day of August 1861, @ \$80.00 per month -- \$146.75." Family sources (and his headstone) state that he died of typhoid fever while in camp at Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS. No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! [Note: His brother, Sgt. John C. Falconer, same company/regiment, is said by some family researchers to have died the same day and place as W.B. Falconer, but John C. Falconer was discharged from the army for disability (after becoming sick himself after nursing his brother on his deathbed) on Oct. 24, 1861.] Buried in the Falconer Cemetery, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. Exact location not known, but with the following directions (courtesy of Jerry D. Mason): "Off Shubuta Waynesboro River Road, on land belonging to Ralph Stanley behind Cecil Graham's home."

Pvt. William D. Fortson (b. Tuscaloosa County, AL***, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1894), "Enfield Rifles," aka "Enfield Riflemen," and aka "Capt. John B. Sale's Company of Infantry," raised in Monroe County, MS. Enlisted Sept. 27, 1861, at Aberdeen, Monroe County, MS, at age 24. Absent on Nov. 30, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "absent at Aberdeen [Monroe County, MS] on sick furlough till Jan. 11, 1862." Absent on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll (probably taken at Mobile, Mobile County, AL), with notation "absent on sick furlough will Jan. 11, 1862." Feb. 1862 company muster roll states "discharged for disability [on] Jan. 1, 1862 & Discharge [paper] & Final Statement given." Discharged at "Camp Beulah, near Mobile [Mobile County], AL. Discharge papers gives his occupation as "planter," which generally meant a well-to-do farmer who owned 20 or more slaves. [Note: Shortly after Pvt. Fortson was discharged, the "Enfield Rifles" became Co. B 5th (Kilpatrick's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. K, 27th MS Infantry.] William D. Fortson also supported the Confederacy economically by hiring his slaves out to work on the fortifications around Columbus, Lowndes County, MS, and to load railroad cars, and by selling large amounts of corn to Confederate quartermasters. On Sept. 15, 1863, W.D. Fortson asked for a legitimate exemption from further Confederate military service on the basis of his being an overseer of 20 or more slaves (his own). [Note: As nearly as I can figure it, W.D. Fortson probably owned or, at least, oversaw some 50 slaves in 1860 in Monroe and Chickasaw Counties, MS, most of them technically still part of his recently-deceased father's estate.] Southern Patriot! Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined, but said to have a private marker. [***Note: Birth county/state taken from his Confederate Army discharge paper.]

Assistant Engineer/Capt. of Engineers Abner Strother Gaines (b. Marengo County, AL, 1832-d. Wayne County, MS, 1905). Raised a volunteer company of his own at State Line, MS, ca. Jan. 1862 (according to his father); this was possibly the "Gaines Invincibles," Co. A, 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry. March 18, 1862, applied for a position in the Confederate Army and application is endorsed by Pres. Jefferson Davis. Served as "Special Agent [and Engineer], Confederate States, in connection with the completion of the [MS & AL River Rail]road between Selma, AL, and Meridian, MS," time period not specified, but before Sept. 1862. Sept. 29, 1862, former MS Gov. (and current Confederate Congressman) John J. McRae recommends Gaines for a position in the Confederate Engineer Corps. In Dec. 1862, as Acting

Assistant Engineer, he was charged with supervising the building of the entrenchments around Mobile, AL, under Gen Ledbetter. Appointed Capt. of Engineers on April 27, 1863. Inspecting and working on "Buckatunna Bridge Defenses" [Wayne County, MS], July 18, 1863-Aug. 2, 1863, from base in Mobile, AL. Oct. 1863-Jan. 1864 -- charged with inspecting and repairing RR trestles and bridges between Tensas, AL, and Pollard, AL. On duty with Engineer Corps, Army of TN, at Army headquarters, Jan. 1864, in N GA. On duty in Engineers Office, Army of TN, Feb. 1864, in N GA. Received one horse, one saddle, and one saddle blanket at Dalton, Whitfield County, GA, on Feb. 29, 1864. On reconnaissance duty with the Engineer Corps, Army of TN, March 1864, in N GA. Granted leave from the Army of TN on April 7, 1864. On duty with the Army of TN, June-Aug. 1864. Appears on a report of staff officers belonging to Lee's Corps, Army of TN, at Atlanta, GA, dated Aug. 15, 1864, with notation that he was appointed on Jan. 22, 1864. On duty with the Army of TN, Sept. 1864, at unspecified location. On duty with Gen. M.L. Smith, Chief Engineer, Oct.-Nov. 1864, at unspecified location, but certainly MS. On duty at Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, Dec. 1864. On duty in the Deptment of the West, Jan.-March 1865, at unspecified location, but somewhere in MS. 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 10, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Gaines Family Cemetery, 31.449167 -88.462711, located appr. 500 ft. due W of a point in the S bound lanes of US Hwy. 45 that lies appr. 900 ft. N of that road's intersection with Kennedy Street, State Line, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker that reads "Sacred to the memory of Capt. Abner Strother Gaines, Corps of Engineers, PACS [i.e., Provisional Army of the Confederate States], Army of Tennessee, 1833-1905."

Pvt. Arthur Moore Gandy, Sr. [found as "A.M. Gandy" and "Author (sic) M. Gaudy" in the military records] (b. Butler County, AL, 1833-d. Wayne County, MS, 1905), Co. A ("Oak Bowery Invincibles," aka "Capt. Rufus A. Clayton's Company," and aka "Capt. Charles A. Huddleston's Company," raised in Jasper County, MS), 40th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 13, 1862, in Jasper County, MS, at age 29. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Captured either at the Battle of Iuka, Tishomingo County, MS, on Sept. 19-20, 1862, or at the Battle of Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, on Oct. 3-5, 1862. Forwarded as a POW from Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, to Columbus, KY, on Oct. 9, 1862. Exchanged from aboard the US Steamer Dacotah at Vicksburg, MS, on Oct. 18 or Nov. 8, 1862 (with the records not being clear regarding the date). Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation

"absent without leave." [Note: Pvt. Gandy may not have been AWOL at this time; he may simply not have yet made his way back to his command.] Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll states "deserted 12th May [1863]." Present on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "joined from desertion [on] 22 Jan. 1864." Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Absent on Feb. 28, 1865, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since the 9 Oct. 1864." Returned to service. 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 Mobile, AL, on June 8, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Jasper County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Gandy Cemetery, 31.814090 -88.587234, located on the S side of a dirt road (and appr. 1000 ft. down that dirt road) that branches off due W from a point on Waynesboro Matherville Road that lies appr. 4800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Wayne Hunting Club Road, with a Confederate marker.

2nd Lt./Ordnance Officer/Quartermaster/Acting Inspector General/Brevet Capt.*** William H. Gardner (b. GA, 1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1878^^^), Co. C ("Shelby Confederates,"+++ aka "Capt. Wiley H. Pope's Company," aka "Lt. W.M. Pledger's Company," raised in Shelby County, AL), 1st (Loomis') Battalion AL Infantry. [Note: Like most AL commands, this battalion and its successor regiment are exceedingly poorly documented.] No enlistment date/data, but, based on his first pay voucher, I think that he enlisted in the summer of 1861, in Shelby County, AL, at appr. age 27. Present on Sept. 1, 1861, Regimental Return, dated "near Fort Gaines, Ala." Present on Oct. 1861, Regimental Return, dated "near Fort Gaines, Ala." Present on Nov. 1861, Regimental Return, dated "near Barlow's Mills, Ala." This command was enlarged in late Dec. 1861 to become the 25th (Loomis') AL Infantry, with Co. C of Loomis' Battalion continuing as Co. C in the 25th (Loomis') AL Infantry. Absent on Dec. 1861 Regimental Return, dated "Barlows Mill, near Mobile, Ala.," with notation "absent on sick furlough." Absent non Jan. 1862 Regimental Return, with notaton "absent with leave." Present on Feb. 1862 Regimental Return. Present on March 1862 Regimental Return. Present on April 1862 Regimental Return, with station given as "in Camp near Corinth [Tishomingo County], Miss." Present on June 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "on special duty as Acting Quartermaster of the Regiment." Signed as Acting Quartermaster of the regiment for delivery of goods to another regiment at Saltillo, Lee County, MS, on July 12, 1862. Signed on Aug. 1, 1862, at Montgomery, Montgomery County, AL, for corn for the horses of the 25th AL "while enroute to Chattanooga, Tenn.," signing as Acting Assistant Quartermaster. Absent on Aug. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "[on] Detached Service as

Acting Inspector General for Brigadier General F. [Franklin Kitchell] Gardner from Aug. 26th 1862." However, a later [March 24, 1863] "Consolidated Report absentees with leave and on detached service, of Withers' Division, Polk's Corps, Army of Tennessee," states that, by orders dated Aug. 21, 1862, he was serving as Acting Ordnance Officer for the brigade at station Shelbyville, Bedford County, TN. He may have been handling both jobs.] Absent on Oct. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "[on] Detached Service as Inspector General for Brig. Gen. [Franklin Kitchell] Gardner by order of Brig. Gen. Gardner [dated] Aug. 20, 1862." Absent on Nov. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "on detached service since Aug. 26, 1862." Appears on an April 30, 1863 "Report of officers and men on detached service of Deas' Brigade," dated Shelbyville, Bedford County, TN, with notation that he was serving as Acting Ordnance Officer on orders of Brig. Gen. Franklin Gardner. Signed on June 18, 1863, for clothing for his men at Shelbyville, Bedford County, TN, signing as "'W.H. Gardner, Lieut., Commanding Co. C, 25th Ala. Regt." Signed for clothing for his men on July 29, 1863, and on Aug. 2, 1863, at camp near Chattanooga, TN. Appears on a Sept. 2, 1863, "Report showing the efficiency and competency of Field, Staff, and Company Officers of the Twenty-fifth Ala. Reg't.," with notation "faithful in discharge of duty." Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick -- wounded in [the] Battle [of] Chickamauga [Walker County, GA, on] Sept. 20, 1863, [and] sent to General Hospital by order [of] Dr. J.S. Fletcher." On a later pay voucher, Lt. Gardner mentioned that he had been absent from his command on account of having been "wounded in the knee at the Battle of Chickamauga." Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick -- wounded in [the] Battle [of] Chickamauga [Walker County, GA, on] Sept. 20, 1863, [and] sent to General Hospital by order [of] Dr. J.S. Fletcher." Lt. Gardner was granted "leave S.C.D." by Special Order 71/5, Dept. and Army of Tennessee, Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, dated March 13, 1864. [Note: I researched the term "S.C.D." for some time, eventually to find that it stands for "Syphilitic Chronic Disability." If he really had this disease, it would possibly explain his death at a very young age.] Absent sick since July 22, 1864, on an Aug. 19, 1864, Inspection Report of Deas' Brigade, dated "in the field, near Atlanta, Ga." 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 19, 1865. Southern Patriot! Mary A. Gardner filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1907, in which she stated that her husband ("W.H. Gardner") was a Confederate soldier in the 25th AL. She also stated erroneously that her husband served in Co. D, 25th AL Infantry, and that her husband's captain was W.L. Morris, but that gallant soldier was actually the captain of the said Co. D, 25th AL Infantry. [***Note:

None of his service papers call W.H. Gardner "captain," but he is listed as such in a separate compilation of the regiment's various officers. No soldier -- other than W.H. Gardner -- is listed as captain of Co. C after Capt. Wiley H. Pope resigned, so he may have been Brevet Captain of the company.] [^^^Note: Mary Gardner stated in her Confederate Pension application that Pvt. Gardner died in 1885.] [+++Note: His company's name -- "Shelby Confederates" -- appears on his first pay voucher, where he identifies himself as "2nd Lt. of Co. C, Shelby Confederates."] Buried in the Trigg Cemetery, location unknown, but said to be "near Waynesboro," Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Uriah Hugh Gatlin [found as "Hugh Gatlin" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1902), "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry" (raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS). Enlisted April 16, 1864, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 18 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was 17). Present on May 1, 1864, company muster roll. On Sept. 3, 1864, McGriff's Company became Co. H, 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves, which was later expanded to become the 1st (Denis') Regiment MS Cavalry Reserves. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 17, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Mary Gatlin filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1917, in which she did not state her husband's ("Hugh Gatlin") command. Mary Gatlin filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1924, in which she did not state her husband's ("Hugh Gatlin") command. Buried in the Sandhill Cemetery, 31.807411 -88.782924, located in the woods, appr. 4000 ft. due NW from the intersection of Shubuta Eucutta Road and Waller Ridge Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Jr. 2nd Lt. [aka, 3rd Lt.] George Washington Gavin (b. Jasper County, MS, 1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1918), Co. A ("Oak Bowery Invincibles," aka "Capt. Rufus A. Clayton's Company," and aka "Capt. Charles A. Huddleston's Company," raised in Jasper County, MS), 40th MS Infantry. Enlisted as a Jr. 2nd Lt. [aka, 3rd Lt.] on March 13, 1862, in Jasper County, MS, at age 27. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Resigned his commission as 3rd Lt. on July 22, 1862, from "Camp Meridian [Lauderdale County] Miss.," with resignation being accepted by the Confederate War Department on Sept. 2, 1862. His resignation was endorsed by famous Gen. Sterling Price of the Army of the West (which was actually a small MS army). B.N. Ward, Surgeon of the 40th MS Infantry, examined Lt.

Gavin and wrote: "[I] find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of Dyspepsia resulting from Torpidity of the Nervous System. This officer is much trouble with obstinate constipation & many other Symptoms of Indigestion, which have induced a state of Melancholia & general depression of spirits. I therefore recommend that the resignation of his officer be accepted." No further information in his military file with this command. However, G.W. Gavin was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, but he did not enlist directly into a company. Enlisted in Jasper County, MS, on Oct. 18, 1862, and clearly was in service from that date onward, as he was paid on April 30, 1863, by a Capt. Burriss (sic). However, he was not assigned to a specific company or command until Oct. 19, 1863, when he was assigned as a 3rd Corp. to Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company of MS Cavalry ("for the support of the Bureau of Conscription"), raised in Jasper County, MS, at age 28 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was 25 years-old). Present on Nov. 6, 1863, company muster roll. On Dec. 24, 1863, Capt. Jennings' Company became Co. G, 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry. Present on June 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Nov. 1, 1864." No further information in his military file with this command. Buried in the New Hope Cemetery, 31.753437 -88.707657, located on the SW side of Old River Road, at a point on that road that lies appr. 8000 ft. S and E of that road's junction with Marshall Doherty Drive, West King, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. Thomas Francis George [found as "Francis George" in the military records] (b. Mobile County, AL, 1848***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1924), "Mobile Enlisted Men, Beat No. 5, Home Guard" (raised in Mobile, Mobile County, AL). This information comes from the AL Dept. of Archives & History (ADAH), which notes that Francis George was "exempt" from military service, meaning he was either over- or underage. I think he is the underage Thomas Francis George, who was living in Mobile Count, AL, at this time. ADAH states that he appears on a company muster roll dated July 25, 1863, which would have made him appr. 14-15 years-old at the time of said muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: Birth year taken from 1860 US Census, Mobile County, AL. Later census records give him a birth year of appr. 1850, but I think this earlier census is likely to be the more accurate gauge of his birth year.]

Pvt. Pleasant Leroy Gilbert, Jr. (b. Choctaw County***, AL, 1842-d. Wayne County, MS, 1878), "Andy Moore Guards," aka "Capt. Joshua Morse's Company AL Volunteers," raised in Choctaw County, AL. Enlisted Sept. 8, 1861, at Butler, Choctaw County, AL, at age 18. Mustered into Confederate service at "Camp, near Memphis [TN]" on Oct. 15, 1861. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "sick." On Dec. 9, 1861, the "Andy Moore Guards" became Co. F, 4th Confederate Infantry (aka, 1st AL, TN, & MS Infantry), but Pvt. Gilbert has no records in that command. I suspect that he was discharged for disability before the 4th Confederate Infantry was formed, but this is simply conjecture. However, Pvt. Gilbert was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time into "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry^^^," raised in Choctaw County, AL. Enlisted March 17, 1862, in Washington County, AL, at age 19. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on sick furlough." Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "discharged for disability [on] Nov. 12, 1862, by order of Maj.-Gen. Forney." Discharged on Nov. 12, 1862, at Halls Mills, Mobile County, AL, with nature of disability not stated. Southern Patriot! [Note: A "P.L. Gilbert," no command stated, turned himself in to the Yankee Post Commander at Fort Barrancas, Pensacola, Escambia County, FL, on Feb. 11, 1865, as one of several "deserters from the Rebel army" who wanted to "enter the Union lines, take the Oath of Allegiance [to the US], and there [behind Union lines] to remain." However, Pleasant L. Gilbert was no longer in the Confederate Army, so this P.L. Gilbert must necessarily be a different man.] Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: County of birth taken from his Confederate discharge paper.] [^^^Note: Capt. White's Independent Company of AL Cavalry would eventually become Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, and, later still, become Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry, but these changes in the command happened after Pvt. Gilbert was discharged.] [Note: Amazingly, there is a Pvt. Pleasant L. Gilbert, same age, in the 3rd Battalion TX Cavalry, which became the 1st TX Cavalry, but he is definitely not the same man as the Pleasant L. Gilbert under consideration here!]

(Rev.) Chaplain James A. Godfrey (b. Maine, 1819***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1890), Field & Staff, 4th LA Infantry. Appointed ca. May 25, 1861, "at [the] organization [of the regiment]," at Camp Moore, St. Helena Parish, LA, at age 41. [Note: Official records show him as being appointed on June 1, 1861, as being confirmed in his appointment on Dec. 24, 1861, and as having his confirmation delivered to him on Sept. 17, 1861, at "Jackson, La.," which could mean Jackson,

East Feliciana Parish, LA, or Jackson Barracks, New Orleans, LA.] Received pay on Oct. 25, 1861, probably in the vicinity of Berwick City, St. Mary Parish, La. Received pay on Nov. 14, 1861, probably in the vicinity of Berwick City, St. Mary Parish, LA. Received pay on Dec. 21, 1861, almost certainly at Berwick City, St. Mary Parish, LA. Present on Dec. 1861 Regimental Return, at station Berwick City, St. Mary Parish, LA. Received pay on Jan. 11, 1862, probably at Berwick City, St. Mary Parish, LA. Present on Jan. 1862 Regimental Return, at station "Camp Lovell," Berwick City, St. Mary Parish, LA. Reimbursed \$40.00 on Feb. 20, 1863, at Port Hudson, East Baton Rouge Parish, LA, for having paid the wages of "woman Betsey as Laundress and hospital matron for hospital of 4th Regiment Louisiana Volunteers, C.S.A., at headquarters, Berwick City, La." [Note: "Betsey" was almost certainly a woman of color.] Received payment for commutation of rations (covering the period June 2, 1861-Jan. 1, 1863 -- 577 days @ 30 cents per day -- totaling \$173.10) on March 9, 1863, at Port Hudson, East Baton Rouge Parish, LA. Present for clothing issue on Aug. 15, 1863, possibly at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS. An Aug. 6, 1863, "Roster of the 4th Regiment of Louisiana Volunteers" contains an obvious postscript that states that Chap. Godfrey "resigned [on account of an] Act [of the Confederate] Congress," but I have been unable to find the specifics of this Act. Received pay on Sept. 3, 1863, possibly at Mobile, Mobile County, AL. [Note: Based on his being paid on Sept. 3, 1863, I think it likely that his resignation occurred on Sept. 1, 1863.] Received pay on Oct. 1, 1863, almost certainly at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, for services from Aug. 1, 1863, to Aug. 31, 1863. A March 5, 1864, "Roster of the 4th Regiment of Louisiana Volunteers" states that Chap. Godfrey "resigned [in] Sept. 1863." No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: "J. Godfrey," aged 41, b. Maine, 1819, no occupation given, was living in a boarding house in New Orleans, Orleans Parish, LA, according to the 1860 US Census. There is also a "James A. Godfrey," aged 40, b. New York, 1820, peddler, living in another boarding house in the same city at the same time. I think it more likely that the Rev. James A. Godfrey under consideration here is the former man ("J. Godfrey"), whose occupation is not stated.]

Pvt. John Allen Gorday (b. prob. Choctaw County, AL, 1836-d. Wayne County, MS, 1916), Co. E ("Washington Sharpshooters," aka "Capt. Richard J. Fletcher's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. Hudson's Company," raised in Washington County, AL), 11th AL Infantry. Enlisted Sept. 23, 1861, in Washington County, AL, at age 25. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "sworn in

Sept. the 15th [1861]," but the day is hard to make out. Admitted April 17, 1862, to Chimborazo Hospital No. 3, Richmond, VA, suffering from unspecified medical condition, and transferred to Camp Winder Hospital, Richmond, VA, on May 18, 1862. Present for clothing issue for the 2nd quarter of 1864 at unspecified location. Wounded at the Second Battle of Ream's Station (part of the Siege of Petersburg, VA), on Aug. 25, 1864. Admitted to General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, on Aug. 29, 1864, suffering from a "wound," and furloughed for 5 days (number of days hard to read) on Sept. 12, 1864. Present for clothing issue on Sept. 12, 1864, at Howard's Grove Hospital, Richmond, VA. Furloughed on Sept. 12, 1864, to Washington County, AL, from 2nd Division, General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA. Present on Oct. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "[was] absent on furlough; wounded Aug. 25, 1864; returned since muster [roll was taken]." No further information in his military file with this command. Filed Confederate Pension applications in AL in which he stated that he enlisted at St. Stephens, Washington County, AL, in 1861, was wounded once in the left shoulder ("shot through the left shoulder, near the collar bone, which has partly caused the loss [of the use] of his left arm"), and surrendered at Petersburg, VA, "on the Weldon Railroad." However, he has no war's-end parole. Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND, BUT CONJECTURED. 3rd Corp./2nd Corp. William Wesley Gordon [found as "William W. Gordon" and "Wesley W. Gordon" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1895), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 3rd Corp. on March 9, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 19. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. "On wounded furlough from the 17 July [1862] to the 16 Aug. 1862," with no mention of where wounded. [Possibly wounded while on picket duty after the Seven Days Battle near Richmond, VA.] Present for clothing issue on July 18, 1862, at Richmond, VA, probably while in hospital. Sept. 1862 Regimental Return states "left at Rapidan [located in both Culpepper & Orange Counties, VA] sick." Oct. 1862 Regimental Return states "absent, sick," but he is again present on the Oct. 1862 company

muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Paid on March 17, 1863, at Fredericksburg, VA, for commutation of rations while on wounded furlough from July 17, 1862, to Aug. 16, 1862. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Corp. on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as litter [i.e., stretcher] bearer." Present as 2nd Corp. on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "litter bearer." Present as 2nd Corp. on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Severely wounded at the Battle of Cedar Creek, Shenandoah County, VA, on Oct. 19, 1864. No further information in his military file with this command. However, a March 25, 1865, "Record" of the company does not mention his being discharged or his having deserted, which leads me to believe that he was on wounded furlough at war's end. Southern Patriot! Margaret Gordon filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1904, in which she stated that her husband ("W.W. Gordon") was a Confederate soldier in the 13th MS. Burial site not found, but probably buried with his wife (Margaret) in the State Line Cemetery, 31.43140 -88.47640, located at 112 Winchester Street, State Line, Greene County, MS, in an unmarked grave.

Pvt. Elbert David Graham [found as "Elbert Graham" in the military records] (b. Kemper County, MS, 1846***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1931), (Old) Co. K/(New) Co. F ("Clarke County Rangers," aka "Capt. J.T. Gates' Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. Enlisted July 27, 1861, at Beaver Dam, Clarke County, MS, at age 16 (age taken from military records, but confirms 1846 birth year). Present on Oct. 18, 1861, company muster roll at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, when the company was transferred from State to Confederate (national) service. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present for pay on Feb. 6, 1862, at unspecified location (but clearly had to be at Pensacola, Escambia County, FL). Present on Feb. 1862 Pensacola, Escambia County, FL, company muster roll. Present on April 1862 Pensacola, Escambia County, FL, company muster roll, with notation "1 musket and bayonet lost." Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 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, with notation "on extra duty." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "present, sick in quarters." Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Admitted June 1, 1864, to Ocmulgee Hospital, Macon, Bibb County, GA, suffering from ascites (fluid build-up in the abdomen) and "supervening chronic diarrhea" (i.e., diarrhea caused by the ascites). Appeared on June 17, 1864, before a Medical Examining Board for Floyd House & Ocmulgee

Hospitals, Macon, Bibb County, GA, and was medically furloughed for 60 days on June 22, 1864. [Residence given in hospital records as Clarke County, MS.] On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender a war's end in NC, the 8th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 5th MS Infantry, the 32nd MS Infantry, and the 3rd Battalion MS Infantry to form the 8th Consolidated Battalion MS Infantry. Pvt. Elbert Graham served in Co. B of this consolidated command. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end in NC on April 26, 1865, with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South and physically paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! "Elbert Graham" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. F, 8th MS Infantry. Buried in the Clear Creek Cemetery, 31.790369 -88.730415, located on the E side of Waynesboro-Shubuta Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1 mile N of that road's intersection with Mabry Graham Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [***Note: Birth year taken from family genealogists' research.]

1st Corp. James Graham (b. Ireland, 1815-d. Wayne County, MS, 1911), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 23, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 49. Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker ordered for him in 1931 by Erma Gay Graham.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. William Roderick Graham (b. MS, 1851-d. Wayne County, MS, 1943) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1929, in which he did not state his command, but stated that he enlisted in the "latter part of 1864" at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, and served till war's end under Capt. Dan McCall. However, no Capt. Dan McCall ever served in a MS CS command. I do not believe that William Roderick Graham was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker that does, however, have the inscription "UCV," which stands for "United Confederate Veterans," which was the major veterans organization for Confederate veterans after the war. [Note: Whether the UCV or W.R. Graham himself had this inscription placed on the stone is unknown. If the UCV paid for the inscription, then there is a better chance that W.R. Graham was a very young Confederate

soldier in an as yet unidentified home guard company commanded by an as yet unidentified Capt. Dan McCall.]

(Sheriff) Pvt. Henry (Harry) Gray (b. Wayne County, MS, 1818-d. Wayne County, MS, 1905), "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted Sept. 1, 1863, at Ellisville, Jones county, MS, at age 44. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (2nd) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company," [also called Co. E]), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Discharged Nov. 28, 1863, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, by reason of having been elected a State Representative for Wayne County. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Gray Cemetery, 31.738050 - 88.667520, located 500 ft. due W of the intersection of Jimmy Ramey Road and Gray Cemetery Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. John Larkin Gray (b. Wayne County, MS, 1816-d. Wayne County, MS, 1900) hired four "hands" [i.e., slaves] for six days to work for the Confederate Subsistence Department, for which he was paid \$78.00 at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, on Dec. 31, 1863. Buried in the Gray Cemetery, 31.738050 -88.667520, located 500 ft. due W of the intersection of Jimmy Ramey Road and Gray Cemetery Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. Charles Franklin Griffith [found as "C.F. Griffith" in the records] (b. Franklin County, TN, 1831-d. Wayne County, MS, 1878) was paid \$27 on Feb. 10, 1864, by the Confederate Quartermaster at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, for "9 days work in wagon shop @ \$3 [per day]." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Scotts Chapel Cemetery, 31.865585 -88.535685, with a private marker. Directions: From the intersection of John Allen Road and Matherville Poplar Springs Road, go S on John Allen Road for appr. 2500 ft. and turn E onto an unnamed dirt road. Scotts Chapel Cemetery will be on the N side of this dirt road at a point that lies appr. 400 ft. from its junction with John Allen Road.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Thomas H. Grisham (b. AL***, ca. 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, after 1916), (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. D ("Newton Rifles," aka "Capt. Montgomery Carleton's Company," and aka "Capt. Thomas W. Thurman's Company," raised in Newton County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. March 13, 1861, at Decatur, Newton County, MS, at age 16. Present on June 30, 1861,

company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on April 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on extra duty as teamster [since] April 3, 1862." Oct. 1862 company muster roll states "discharged [on] Oct. 12 [1862] not being included in Conscript Act." [Note: In other words, he was legally underage to serve in the military.] A "Record" of the company, dated Richmond, VA, March 1, 1865, states "discharged Sept. 5, 1862, non-conscript." No further information in his military file with this command. However, I believe he enlisted a second time. I think he is the Pvt. "T.H. Grisham" who enlisted on Aug. 15, 1863, at Decatur, Newton County, MS, at age 16/17 [if I have the right man], into Co. B ("Newton Rangers," aka "Capt. J.J. Perry's Company," and aka "Capt. M.E. Blalock's Company," raised in Newton County, MS), 4th MS Cavalry, which command, in early 1864, was re-designated as the 2nd MS Cavalry. [Note: This regiment was originally organized as Gordon's Battalion MS Cavalry on May 12, 1862. It was shortly increased to a regiment and re-named the 42nd MS Cavalry, but was shortly re-named the 4th MS Cavalry. Early in 1864, it was re-titled as the 2nd MS Cavalry to avoid confusion with an already existing 4th MS Cavalry.] Present on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "furloughed until Jan. 2, 1864." Present on June 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "[on] extra duty." Present on Oct. 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "on detail duty at Ordnance Dept. [since] May 1, 1864, by order of Maj. J.J. Perry." No further information in his military file with this command. "T.H. Grisham" filed a Confederate Pension application in Newton County, MS, in 1916. Effie Rowell filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1947, in which she stated that her husband ("") was a Confederate soldier in the 13th MS Infantry. Burial site not found. [***Note: Birth state taken from CS army records.]

Pvt./3rd Sgt./2nd Sgt./1st Sgt./Sgt. Major/3rd Lt. [aka, "Jr. 2nd Lt."] Lundy Reid Gunn [found as "Lundy R. Gunn" in the military records] (b. Tuscaloosa County, AL, 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1923), Co. A ("Buena Vista Rifles," aka "Capt. Timothy L. Rogers' Company," and aka "Capt. Andrew J. Pulliam's Company," raised in Chickasaw County, MS), 17th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. April 22, 1861, at Buena Vista, Chickasaw County, MS, at age 19. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present as 3rd Sgt. on Aug. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "[promoted to] 3rd Sgt. [on] Aug. 1, 1861." Present as 3rd Sgt. on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on May 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on June 1862 company muster roll. Present as 1st Sgt. on Aug. 1862 company

muster roll, with notation "promoted 1st Sgt. July 25, 1862." Present as 1st Sgt. on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 1st Sgt. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 1st Sgt. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present as Sgt. Major on April 1863 Non-commissioned Staff muster roll, with notation "promoted Sgt. Major [on] 18 April 1863." Present as Sgt. Major on June 1863 Non-commissioned Staff muster roll, with notation "promoted 3 (sic) Lieutenant [on] June 23, 1863; signs roll as Lt., Adjutant [and] also [signs] certificate as Inspector & Mustering Officer." Present as 3rd Lt. [aka, "Jr. 2nd Lt."] on June 1863 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Lt. on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "signs Certificate as Inspector & Mustering Officer and as Commanding [the] Company." Present as Jr. 2nd Lt. on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "signs roll [as] Commanding [the] Company." Unless there is a transcription error, Lt. Gunn seems to have been temporarily transferred (for one month) to Co. B ("Mississippi Rangers," raised in Marshall County, MS), 17th MS Infantry, as he appears as 2nd Lt. on the Oct. 1863 company muster roll for that company, with notation "signs [the] Roll as Commanding [the] Company." Present as Jr. 2nd Lt. on Co. A's Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Lt. on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Lt. on April 1864 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Lt. on June 1864 company muster roll, but with post-dated notation "resigned [on] Nov. 24, 1864." Present as 3rd Lt. on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Tendered his resignation on Oct. 18, 1864, from "Camp, 17th Miss. Regt., Fisher's Hill, Va." However, he did not resign in order to avoid the war. Rather, he resigned because there were too many officers ("supernumerary officers") in his shrunken company to justify his continuance in office. Also, he desired to return to MS to join Capt. Kizer's company of such supernumerary officers then operating in North MS. [Capt. Kizer's Company was probably Co. K ("Capt. Benjamin J. Kizer's Company," raised in Itawamba, Pontotoc, and Tishomingo Counties, MS), 26th MS Infantry.] Gen. Robert E. Lee approved his resignation. Lt. Gunn did return to MS and did enlist as second time, but not into Capt. Kizer's Company. Rather, he enlisted -- as a lowly private -- on an unspecified date (late 1864 or early 1865) into Co. B ("Capt. W.P. Pardue's Company," raised in Itawamba County, MS), Davenport's Battalion MS Cavalry, which became the 6th (Harrison's) MS 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Egypt Station [Chickasaw County], MS. Southern Patriot! "Lundy R. Gunn" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1921 & 1923, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 17th MS Infantry & the 6th MS Cavalry. Buried in the Waynesboro

Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker that contains an inscribed Confederate Cross of Honor.

Pvt. Enoch Everett Hand [found as "E.E. Hand" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1875), Co. D ("Capt. James A. Chapman's Company," raised in Jasper County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 23, 1864, at Paulding, Jasper County, MS, at age 38. Absent on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "furloughed Sept. 4 [1864] for 10 days and is sick now as per M.D. Certificate; [has with him] 1 canteen, [and] 1 haversack" [these items being Confederate Government property]. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

(Rev.) Pvt. John Dennis Harrison [found as "John Harrison" and "J.D. Harrison" in the military records] (b. Perry County, AL, 1842-d. Wayne County, MS, 1918), Co. H ("Meridian Invincibles," aka "Capt. William F. Crumpton's Company," raised in Lauderdale County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Enlisted June 8, 1861, at Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, where the regiment was organizing, at age 18. [Note: It is possible that he enlisted as early as May 1, 1861, at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, but the records are unclear.] Present on Dec. 30, 1861, company muster roll. Captured at the surrender of Fort Donelson, TN, on Feb. 16, 1862. Admitted April 1, 1862, to U.S.A. Prison Hospital, Camp Douglas, IL, suffering from fever, and returned to duty [i.e., returned to the POW population] on April 15, 1862. Present on a "Roll of Prisoners of War at Camp Douglas, Ill., Aug. 1, 1862." Forwarded for exchange from Camp Douglas, IL, to Vicksburg, MS, on Sept. 2, 1862. Physically exchanged from aboard the US Steamer John H. Done at Vicksburg, MS, on Sept. 20, 1862. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. The regiment was exchanged at Vicksburg, MS, in Sept. 1862 and reorganized. Present on Dec. 23, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "the whole command was surrendered on the 16th Feb. [1862, at Fort Donelson, TN]." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "left Grenada [Grenada County, MS, on] Feb. 1 [1863] on a furlough for 30 days." Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detached and sent to Morton [Scott County, MS]." Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1, 1864, company muster roll. Absent on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached service since April 16,

1864, to load [railroad] cars, with leave, at Newton Station [Newton County, MS], by order [of Brigadier] Gen. [John] Adams, date unknown." Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick [at] Division Hospital since Aug. 26, 1864." No further information in his military file with this command. For purposes of surrender at war's end, on April 9, 1865, the 14th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 43rd MS Infantry and parts of the 6th MS Infantry to form the 14th Consolidated MS Infantry, but Pvt. Harrison has no war's-end parole with that command. I do not believe that he served until war's end. "J.D. Harrison" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1904 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 14th MS Infantry, that he was wounded slightly twice ("22 July 1864, [in the Battle of Atlanta, GA] near Atlanta, slightly [in the] side of head & shoulder") and that he surrendered with his command at "Greensville, N.C." (alternately given as "Goldsboro, N.C."), at war's end, which last contention is not borne out by his actual service records. His supposedly being wounded (twice) is, likewise, not substantiated by his existing service records. [Note: No soldier named "Harrison" surrendered with the 14th Consolidated MS Infantry at war's end in NC.] Buried in the Shirley Place Cemetery (aka, Shirley Church Cemetery), 31.608320 -88.797687, located on the S side of Clara Strengthford Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 7000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Tobias Harrison (alias Tobias Brock) (b. prob. Choctaw County, AL, ca. 1835-d. after 1904, prob. Wayne County, MS) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1904, in which he stated that he was living in Choctaw County, AL, when he became a Confederate Servant to Capt. W.R. Rutherford, Acting Assistant Commissary. Servant Harrison stated that he served Capt. Rutherford from Dec. 1864 until May 1865. "W.R. Rutherford" turns out to be Capt. William E. Rutherford, who was the commissary officer for Fort Gaines, Mobile County, AL, and who served until war's end, being paroled at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, on April 25, 1865. Servant Harrison's burial site has not been found.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. William F. Hartley [found as "William Hartley" in the military records] (b. ca. 1839, possibly in Wayne County, MS-d. 1923, Wayne County, MS), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Probably enlisted ca. Oct. 17, 1861, in Wayne County, MS, at age 21/22. Present on June 1862

company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Mississippi Springs [Hinds County, MS, on] July 29, 1862." Present 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, with Co. A of Balfour's Battalion becoming Co. A of the 46th MS Infantry. 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. Required to report to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, by Sept. 23, 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.] Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Sept. 23, 1863." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from 23 Sept. 1863." No further information in his military file with this command. "William F. Hartley" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1909 & 1922, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 6th Battalion MS Infantry/46th MS Infantry and that he was absent the last three months of the war "because I was hungry and left and went home to get something to eat." However, his actual records show that he went AWOL on Sept. 23, 1863, and never returned to service. Burial site not found, but, as he is said to have died at Providence, Wayne County, MS, there is a chance that he is buried in the Providence United Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.464127 - 88.572906, located appr. 400 ft W of a point on Chicora Greene County Road that lies appr. 1000 ft. S of that road's intersection with Big Creek, Wayne County, MS. One ancestry.com family researcher has a photo of W.F. Hartley's homemade marker online, but that page does not specify the location of the cemetery in which he is buried.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Pvt. Elias Hayes [found as "Elias Hays" and "Elias Hayes" in the military records] (b. prob. Lafayette County, MS, ca. 1829-d. Wayne County, MS, 1915), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. H ("Lafayette Guards," aka "Capt. William Delay's Company," and aka "Capt. Martin C. Higgenbotham's Company," raised in Lafayette County, MS), 9th MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 23, 1861, at Oxford, Lafayette County, MS, at age 32 (according to military records). On extra duty as teamster at Warrenton, Escambia County, FL, from May 12, 1861, to May 21, 1861. Present on Aug. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on March 31, 1862, company muster roll. No

further information in his military file with this command, but he was clearly discharged from the 9th MS Infantry when it was reorganized ca. March 1862. [Note: Pvt. Hayes' original 12-month term of enlistment would have been up about this time.] However, Pvt. Hayes was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time into Co. E ("Polk Rangers," aka "Capt. E.G. Wheeler's Company," and aka "Capt. G.N. Wheeler's Comapny," 1st MS Cavalry. [Found as "Elias Haze" and "Elias Hayes" in the military records for the 1st MS Cavalry.] Enlisted Aug. 1, 1862, at Senatobia, De Soto [now Tate] County, MS, at appr. age 33. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 30, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "on extra duty." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on special duty; at present, sick in Hospital [since] Aug. 8 [1863, on] S.C. [Surgeon's Certificate]." Present on Dec. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "detailed to drive Government wagon." Present on June 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "on detached Service." Absent on Oct. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "on detached Service." 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, Lowndes County, MS, on May 18, 1865. Parole gives residence as Lafayette County, MS. Southern Patriot! Burial site not found, even though a VA marker was ordered for him in 1937 by Theodore S. Waldrom (sic) for placement in the "Waynesboro [Cemetery], Waynesboro, Miss.," but "Waynesboro [Cemetery]" is crossed out on the order form, leaving just "Waynesboro, Miss." [Note: It is possible that he is actually buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 - 88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, but that his Confederate marker is covered with vegetation or has fallen over, with the inscription side facing down.]

3rd Sgt./2nd Sgt./2nd Lt. Alfred Hays [found as "Alfred Hays" in the military records, but also called "Alford Hays" in some family histories] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1836-d. Wayne County, MS, 1870), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 3rd Sgt. on April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 24. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "[had been] absent sick [but] returned [on] June 1, 1862." Admitted to Chimborazo Hospital No. 4, Richmond, VA, on April 17, 1862, suffering from intermittent fevers, and returned to duty on

May 29, 1862. Present or absent not stated on April 1862 company muster roll (but we know that he was in hospital at Richmond, VA). Present for pay on July 12, 1862, at Richmond, VA, while absent sick. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present for pay on March 1, 1863, at Fredericksburg, VA. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, which contains several, post-muster notations, to-wit: "promoted to 2nd Sgt. [on] July 2, 1863; wounded at Chattanooga [Hamilton County, TN, on] Sept. 26, 1863." Sept. 1862 Regimental Return states "on furlough in Miss." Present as 2nd Sgt. on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "present sick." Present as 2nd Sgt. on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "present sick." Appears as Lt. [degree not specified] commanding Co. G ("Secessionists," raised in Clarke County, MS), 13th MS Infantry, on June 1864 company muster roll. [May have been breveted as a lieutenant in order to command this possibly temporarily officer-less company. On a list of battles that he participated in, he is listed as "present detailed" for much of the period May 6, 1864-Sept. 3, 1864, so he may have been commanding Co. G much of this time.] Appears again as 2nd Sgt. on Aug. 1864 company muster roll for Co. B. Present for clothing issue on Sept. 21, 1864, Nov. 5, 1864, and Nov. 26, 1864, at unspecified location, but almost certainly Petersburg, VA. A March 25, 1865, "Record" of Co. B states that he was promoted to 2nd Lt. on March 23, 1864. Surrendered at war's end at Appomattox Courthouse, VA, on April 9, 1865, with Gen. Robert E. Lee and the Army of Northern VA, and paroled in that vicinity on April 24, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. However, he has a metal, 5-pointed, star-shaped grave decoration that reads "C.S.A. Veteran, 1861-1865." This device has 13 stars, the same as many various types of Confederate battleflags.

Pvt. John H. Hedrick [found as "John H. Hedrick" in the military records, as "John H. Headrick" on his tombstone, and as "John H. Heddrick" in some databases] (b. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1825***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 17, 1861, in Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 36 (though military records state that he was 30 years old). [Note: This "30" could be a transcription error for "36." And, in fact, a "Record" of the company, dated March 25, 1865, states that Pvt. Hedrick was 38

years old when he enlisted.] June 1861 Regimental Return shows him "absent on detached service from 16 June [1861] to 8 July [1861 in] Wayne County, Miss." Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Nov. 1861 Regimental Return shows him serving as teamster. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. The Sept. 1862 Regimental Return states that he was discharged on Sept. 5, 1862, at Leesburg, Loudoun County, VA. He was admitted on Sept. 12, 1862, to C.S.A. General Hospital, Danville, VA, suffering from debilitas, and "returned to duty" on Sept. 17, 1862. It is likely, though, that this hospital admission was as a recently-discharged civilian and that the phrase "returned to duty" simply meant that he was being discharged from the hospital and not that he was returning to actual military duty. His discharge is confusing, however, as his actual discharge paper was not drawn up until Nov. 15, 1862, at Culpepper Courthouse, VA. This paper did note that he was only due pay until Sept. 6, 1862, the most likely date of his actual discharge. His discharge paper states that he was "entitled to discharge by reason of an Act [of the Confederate Congress] known as the Conscription Act." This was because Pvt. Hedrick was stated as being 37 years-old and the Conscription Act stipulated that men over 35 years of age were not liable for military service. Pvt. Hedrick was not actually paid for his final service (up to Sept. 6, 1862) until Jan. 3, 1862, at an unspecified location. However, this Southern Patriot was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time into "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS)]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscription Bureau" in MS. Enlisted on Sept. 1, 1863, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 38. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Absent on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent on furlough." Absent on Oct. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent with leave from Maj. Richardson; due [back on] 2 Nov. 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: Approximate birth year calculated from age being given as 37 in military discharge papers dated Nov. 1862, but no firm birth year is available for him.]

Pvt. Nicholas Heeny [found as "Nicholas Heeny," "Nicholas Heeney," "Nicholas Heaney," and "Nicholas Heany" in the military records] (b. unknown, ca. 1819-d. Wayne County, MS, 1899), Co. B ("Enterprise Guards," aka "Capt. R. Stuart Wier's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. April 18, 1861, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 42. Present or absent not stated on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Jan. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Captured at the fall of Fort Donelson, TN, and forwarded as a POW to notorious Camp Douglas, IL, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service upon exchange. Present on a "Roll of Prisoners of War at Camp Douglas, Ill., Aug. 1, 1862." Forwarded for exchange from Camp Douglas, IL, to Vicksburg, MS, on Sept. 2, 1862. Physically exchanged from aboard the US Steamer John H. Done at Vicksburg, MS, on Sept. 20, 1862. Present on Nov. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. For purposes of surrender at war's end, on April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in the Carolinas, the 14th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 43rd MS Infantry and parts of the 6th MS Infantry to form the 14th Consolidated MS Infantry, but Pvt. Heeny has no service records in this consolidated command. Buried in the Powe Cemetery, 31.547971 -88.546221, located appr. 2000 ft. WSW of the juncture of an unnamed dirt road with Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road at a point on the latter road that lies appr. 800 ft. S of that road's intersection with McCann Farm Road, Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Lafayette Laford Henderson [found as "Laiford Henderson" in the records of the 6th Battalion MS Infantry and as "Laford Henderson" in the military records of Steede's Battalion MS Cavalry, but mis-filed in Steede's Battalion as "Leford Henderson"] (b. Greene County, MS, 1838-d. Wayne County, MS, 1903***), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, on Oct. 15, 1861, at age 23, but was "absent sick" when the company was mustered into State service at Vicksburg, MS, on Nov. 2, 1861, and appears not to have actually been inducted into State service along with the rest of his messmates. However, he enlisted again, this time into Co. A ("Capt. Abner C. Steede's Company," aka "Capt. Murdock McInnis' Company," raised in Jackson County, MS), 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted May 9, 1862, in Hancock County, MS, at appr. age 24. Transferred on March 1, 1863, to Co. E ("Capt. Mayers'

Company," raised in Harrison County, MS), 17th (Steede's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Present on June 30, 1863, company muster roll. On Dec. 24, 1863, Co. E became Co. C, 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry. Pvt. "L. Henderson" was transferred back to Co. A (still "Capt. Murdock McInnis' Company"), 9th MS Cavalry, at some point prior to the Dec. 1864 company muster roll, on which roll he is shown as absent, with notation "absent without leave." No further information in his military file with this command. However, there is a good chance (but no guarantee) that the "Pvt. L. Henderson" of Co. E ("Capt. E.J. York's Company," raised in Leake, Neshoba, Newton, & Scott Counties, MS), Lay's MS Cavalry, aka 20th (Lay's) Confederate Cavalry, is actually the Lafayette Laford Henderson under consideration here. Enlisted June 3, 1864, at Summit, Pike County, MS, at age 23 (with Confederate military ages often being a few years "off"). Present or absent not stated on July 3, 1864, company muster roll, but same roll carries the notation "recruited in Leake County [MS, after having been] discharged from 4[th MS] Regiment [of] Cavalry." However, no "L. Henderson" ever served in the 4th MS Cavalry, so it may be that Lafayette Laford Henderson (if this is him) simply wanted to serve (for reason unknown to us) in a cavalry command other than the 9th MS Cavalry. Captured Nov. 16, 1864, at Liberty, Amite County, MS, in a "considerable fight" with a Yankee raiding party, and forwarded as a POW to New Orleans, Orleans Parish, LA, arriving there on Nov. 23, 1864. Forwarded as a POW to Ship Island, MS, POW Camp on Dec. 10, 1864, arriving at the latter place on Dec. 23, 1864. Transferred for exchange from Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, to Vicksburg, MS, beginning on May 1, 1865. Physically exchanged at Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS, on May 6, 1865, by which point the war was essentially over in this portion of the Confederacy. Southern Patriot! Sarah Ann Henderson filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1908, in which she stated that her husband ("Layford Henderson") was a Confederate soldier in Steede's Battalion and mistakenly stated that he served till war's end, which he did not. Buried in the Dave Mills Cemetery, 31.583355 -88.592610, located at the N terminus of a dirt road that branches off to the N from Chicora River Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 400 ft. SE of that road's northern intersection with Millsville Road (which road intersects Chicora River Road twice), in an unmarked grave. [Note: The cemetery is about 700 ft. down this dirt road.] [***Note: Death year taken from widow's Confederate pension application.]

Pvt. Andrew W. High (b. AL, 1839-d. Wayne County, MS, 1892), Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted ca. March 13, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at appr. age 22/23. 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 at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Reported to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, sometime before Oct. 31, 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 Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Captured on Dec. 15, 1864, at the horrific Battle of Nashville, TN (Dec. 15-16, 1864), and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious Camp Douglas, IL, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Douglas, IL, POW Camp on Dec. 23, 1864. Released from Camp Douglas, IL, POW Camp on June 19, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! "Mrs. D.C. High" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1902, in which she stated that her husband ("Andrew High") was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 - 88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker, purchased for him in 1932 by the United Daughters of the Confederacy, Miss Mary McPhearson, President.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. "J.M. High" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1902, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. I have been unable to locate this pension online at the MS Dept. of Archives & History's website. However, no "J.M. High" (or name variants) ever served in the 37th MS Infantry. Burial site not found.

Pvt. Thomas Jefferson Holcomb [found as "T.J. Holcombe" in the military records] (b.Union County, SC, 1820-d. Wayne County, MS, 1897***), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 29, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 44. Absent on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "[on] 10 days furlough [commencing on] Sept. 9, 1864." No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. He was also a 2nd Lt. in the Wayne County Militia. Southern Patriot! Susan Holcombe filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which she did not

state her husband's ("Thomas J. Holcombe") command, but said that he served in Capt. Miller's Company under Captain Miller and other officers named Powe and Billingsly. She said that he was discharged at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, at war's end. However, I cannot find him in any MS CS command other than the 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864) and the Wayne County Militia. Buried in the Holcomb Cemetery (aka New Hope Cemetery and aka Enon Cemetery), 31.770325 -88.552992, located (I think!) on the E side of Wayne Hunting Club Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 2500 ft. W of that road's intersection with Tokio Frost Bridge Road, Wayne County, MS, in an unmarked grave in a family plot. [***Note: Death year taken from widow's Confederate Pension application.]

Pvt. Noel Jackson Holley (b. AL, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1936), Co. C ("Capt. James V. Tutt's Company," raised in Sumter County, AL), 8th (Ball's/Hatch's) AL Cavalry. Known only from a single hospital admission form, which states that he enlisted Dec. 1, 1863, in Choctaw County, AL, for a service term of six months. He would have been 18 years-old at enlistment. Admitted as a patient to General Hospital, Marion, Perry County, AL, on April 27, 1864, and still a patient in that facility on the April 30, 1864, hospital muster roll. By this time, five of his six months' service would have expired. No further information in his military file with this command. Noel Jackson Holley (as "Noel J. Holley" and "N.J. Holley") filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, 1917, 1920, & 1924, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier, that he enlisted in Choctaw County in Feb. 1863 (or, alternately, on May 2, 1863) into Co. C (or, alternately, Co. E), "8th AL Regiment," that he served under Col. C.P. Ball and Capt. J.V. Tutt, that he was never absent from his command, that he was wounded at Kennesaw Mountain, GA, "in the instep," that he "had measles in the spring of 1863, and they settled in my eyes and from that I am blind," and that he was with his command in active service when it surrendered at Gainesville, AL. However, he has no service records beyond April 30, 1864, though it must be stated that AL CS commands are exceedingly poorly documented. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. Wayne County Justice of the Peace Hon. John Campbell Hopper (b. Greene County, AL, 1825-d. Wayne County, MS, 1903), as "J.C. Hopper," freight agent for the Mobile & Ohio Railroad, collected \$1.70 "for freight on six sacks of [corn] meal from Waynesboro to Winchester [Wayne County, MS]"

from the Confederate Quartermaster at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS. I am pretty sure that he is the "J.C. Hopper" who sold \$1994.00 worth of light and hardwood to the Confederate Quartermaster at Mobile, AL, on March 31, 1864. "J.C. Hopper" hired his "Negro man 'Colonel'" and his "Negro man 'Benjamin'" for 17 and 16 days, respectively, to the Confederate Quartermaster at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, from May 1-May 17, 1864, and May 1-May 16, 1864, respectively, for "\$1.50 per diem," for a total of \$49.50. "J.C. Hopper" sold 600 ft. of lumber and 3 lbs. of nails for a total of \$24.75 to the Confederate Quartermaster at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, on May 31, 1864. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./2nd Corp. Alonzo Wayne Horne [mis-filed as "Angle W. Horne," but actual records are for Alonzo W. Horne] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1905), Co. D ("Mississippi Rangers," aka "Capt. W.A. Trotter's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 12, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 18. 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. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Reported to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on Oct. 10, 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 as 2nd Corp. on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Captured at the Battle of Fort Blakely, Mobile, AL, on April 9, 1865, and forwarded as a POW to Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, arriving there on April 15, 1865. Transferred for exchange from Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, via New Orleans, LA, to Vicksburg, MS, beginning on May 1, 1865. Physically exchanged at Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS, on May 6, 1865. Returned to service. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Parole gives residence as Red Bluff [Wayne County], MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Geneva Presbyterian Church Cemetery (aka the Geneva Horne Cemetery and aka the Matherville Cemetery), 31.866685 -88.566476, located behind Geneva Presbyterian Church, on the W side of L.B. Odom Drive, appr. 700 ft. N of that road's intersection with

Matherville Frost Bridge Road, Matherville, Wayne County, MS, with private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Joseph Everett Earl Horne (b. Wayne County, MS, 1835-d. Wayne County, MS, 1905) is listed in some databases as being the "Pvt. T.E.J. Horne" of Co. C ("Capt. G.A. Roberts Company," raised in AL), 4th (Love's) Battalion AL Cavalry, which became Co. K, Jeff Davis Legion MS Cavalry, but I do not believe that that soldier is the same man as Joseph Everett Earl Horne. The aforementioned soldier is also listed as "Pvt. J.E.F. Horne" in the records of the Jeff Davis Legion MS Cavalry. T.E.J./J.E.F. Horne enlisted at Eufala, AL, Oct. 17, 1863, and was paroled with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and the Army of the South at Greensboro, NC, at war's end on May 1, 1865. I do not think it likely that Joseph Everett Earl Horne would travel to SE AL to join a command when so many opportunities for service were available in or near Wayne County, MS. I do not believe that Joseph Everett Ear Horne was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Geneva Presbyterian Church Cemetery (aka the Geneva Horne Cemetery and aka the Matherville Cemetery), 31.866685 -88.566476, located behind Geneva Presbyterian Church, on the W side of L.B. Odom Drive, appr. 700 ft. N of that road's intersection with Matherville Frost Bridge Road, Matherville, Wayne County, MS, with private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. John Hendrik Horne (b. Chesterfield County, SC-d. Wayne County, MS, 1864) "John H. Horne" sold 3000 bushels of corn to the Quartermaster of Steede's Battalion MS Cavalry in Wayne County, MS, on May 26, 1863. "John H. Horne" hired three of his slaves, Josh, Lewis, and Cyrus, to a hospital at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, from June 5, 1862, to Nov. 30, 1862, at the rate of \$6 per month per man, and hired his slave, Dick, as a cook to the same hospital from June 5, 1862, to Aug. 5, 1862, @ \$18 per month. "John H. Horne" sold 485 lbs. of fodder and 20 bushels of corn to the Quartermaster of Steed's Battalion MS Cavalry in Wayne County, MS, on Feb. 17, 1864. [Rationale: John H. Horne owned over 40 slaves in 1860 in Wayne County, MS, and, thus, had the wherewithal to both hire out four slaves and to have a large enough labor force to harvest 3000 bushels of corn and sell same. I can find no other man in this county at the same time with the same name.] Buried in the Geneva Presbyterian Church Cemetery (aka the Geneva Horne Cemetery and aka the Matherville Cemetery), 31.866685 -88.566476, located behind Geneva Presbyterian Church, on the W side of L.B. Odom Drive, appr. 700 ft. N of that road's intersection with Matherville Frost Bridge Road, Matherville, Wayne County, MS, with private marker.

Pvt./4th Sgt./3rd Sgt. Thomas Albert Horne [found as "Thomas A. Horne" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907), Co. D ("Mississippi Rangers," aka "Capt. W.A. Trotter's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 12, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 18. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Absent as 3rd Sgt. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital." Absent as 4th Sgt. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "[in the] Hospital [at] Grenada [Grenada County], Miss." Possibly captured in hospital at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, though he has no Vicksburg parole; however, he was delivered as a POW "off Mobile Harbor, Ala., [on] Aug. 4, 1863," which was a typical delivery point for sick and wounded Confederate soldiers captured at the end of the Siege of Vicksburg. It should be noted, however, that he could have been captured in hospital at several other west-central and central MS hospitals during Gen. Grant's overall campaign for Vicksburg, MS. Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Dec. 1863 company muster roll states "discharged by Medical Board [on] Dec. 12, 1863." Discharged at "Parole Camp, Enterprise [Clarke County], Miss." Discharge paper states that he had been unfit for service since Dec. 1862, when he was sent to hospital at Grenada, Grenada County, MS, suffering from typhoid fever. Upon recovering from that terrible disease, he suffered severe frostbite in his feet, further disabling. The surgeon of the 7th MS Infantry said that he had suffered atrophy of the tissue of both the muscles and tendons in his legs, rendering him unfit for service in any capacity in the army. No further information in his military file with this command. However, this brave young Southron was not yet done attempting to serve his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time into Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 29, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at age 20. Absent on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] 10 days furlough [from] Sept. 10, 1864." No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Mary A. Horne filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("Thomas A. Horne") was a Confederate soldier in the 7th Battalion MS Infantry and that he had been discharged from same because of "frozen feet." Buried in the Geneva Presbyterian Church Cemetery (aka the Geneva Horne Cemetery and aka the Matherville Cemetery), 31.866685 -88.566476, located behind Geneva Presbyterian Church, on the W side of L.B. Odom Drive, appr. 700 ft. N of that road's intersection with Matherville Frost Bridge Road, Matherville, Wayne County, MS, with private marker. [Note: Some databases state that he served in

Co. H, 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry, but that command did not have a Co. H; it only had Companies A-G.]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Joe Hough (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1830-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1905) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1905, in which he did not state his command, but stated that he served "Alhanan Hough" in 1861, 1862, and part of 1863, and that he was at home in "De Soto, Miss.," when the war ended. The soldier he served was 1st Lt. Alhanan Gibbs Hough (b. Wayne County, MS, 1828-d. Hickman County, KY, 1880), Smith's-Turner's Battery (aka, "Chickasawhay Desperadoes," raised in Clarke County, MS), MS Light Artillery, who was severely wounded at the Battle of Shiloh, TN. A.G. Hough became a Tax-in-Kind Agent for the Confederate Government. He served till war's end and was paroled at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 12, 1865. Confederate Servant Joe Hough's burial site has not been found.

TENTATIVE. DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. John Husbands (b. NC, 1793-d. Wayne County, MS, 1873) sold "One hundred & sixty six & [one] half bushels of corn @ \$2.00 per bushel [and] Four thousand & seventeen pounds of fodder @ \$2.00 per lb." for \$413.34 to the Confederate Quartermaster at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, on September 23, 1863. Corn and fodder were essential supplies during the war, especially for the Confederate cavalry. John Husbands was also paid \$16.80 on March 8, 1864, "For seven days labor as carpenter at Two-Dollars and Forty cents per day" at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Concord Cemetery, 31.826644 -88.798124, located appr. 500 ft. due S of a point on Springhill Church Road that lies appr. 3800 ft. E of where Springhill Church Road crosses over Bogue Flower Creek, Wayne County, MS, with a broken private marker. [No better directions available.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Grafton F. Hutchinson (b. prob. Choctaw County, AL, 1850-d. Wayne County, MS, 1940), as "G.F. Hutcherson (sic)," filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1933, in which he did not state his command, but stated that he enlisted in 1864 at Bladon Springs, Choctaw County, AL, into a company commanded by "Capt. White" and served in that command for four months, until the final surrender. I have been unable to document "Capt. White" or Grafton F. Hutchinson's service in any AL CS command. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Samuel Martin Hutto [found as "S.M. Hutto" in the military records] (b. GA, 1816-d. Wayne County, MS, 1898), "Capt. Grace's Company," Henry County, AL, Militia (Home Guard). Known only from AL Dept. of Archives & History (ADAH) document that shows him as present on the Oct. 10, 1864, company muster roll for this command, at which time he would have been appr. 48 years old. No further information in ADAH files for this soldier. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Charles B. Jacobs (b. FL, 1830-d. Wayne County, MS, 1903), Co. C ("Dixie Rifles," aka "Capt. James L. Lenoir's Company," and aka "Capt. A.G. Moore's Company," raised in Washington County, AL), 38th AL Infantry. Enlisted April 2, 1862, in Choctaw County, AL, at age 31. Paid for two months' service on June 12, 1863, at Chattanooga, Hamilton County, TN. Captured in the aftermath of the Battle of Shelbyville [Bedford County] (June 27, 1863), Bedford County, TN, on June 28, 1863, and only forwarded to Nashville, TN, via Franklin, TN, on July 18, 1863, indicating that he was possibly wounded at the Battle of Shelbyville. An accompanying Roll of Prisoners of War states "These prisoners have been in the Hospital since the date of their capture," again indicating his possibly having been wounded at the Battle of Shelbyville. Arrived at Military Prison, Louisville, KY, on July 19, 1863. Forwarded from Military Prison, Louisville, KY, on July 27, 1863, to Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp, arriving there the same day. [Note: It was official Yankee policy at all Northern POW camps to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged.] Transferred on Feb. 29, 1864, from Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp to Fort Delaware, DE, POW Camp, arriving at the latter place on March 4, 1864. Released from Fort Delaware, DE, POW Camp at war's end on May 7, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant "Boney (sic) Jenkins" (b. unknown, ca. 1838-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1916) filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1909 & 1916, in which he did not state his command, but stated that he lived in Perry County, MS, when he served, for about 7-10 months in 1861, a soldier named Marion Jenkins who belonged to a company led by "Capt. Kennedy." The only company that this could logically be is Co. G ("Kennedy Guards," aka "Capt. Julius B. Kennedy's Company," raised in

Perry County, MS), 27th MS Infantry, but there is no Marion Jenkins in that command. Burial site not found.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Henry Thomas Johnson (b. FL, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1934). Some databases state that Henry Thomas Johnson served as a Sgt. in Co. B ("Porter's Partisans," aka "Capt. Porter's Company of MS Partisans," and aka the "Coahoma Cavalry," raised in Coahoma County, MS), 18th (Chalmers') Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. B, 18th (Chalmers') Regiment MS Cavalry. However, the soldier who served in the 18th MS Cavalry was not Henry Thomas Johnson, but one Hiram T. Johnson, who was already 32 years old when he enlisted in late 1862 in Coahoma County, MS. Henry Thomas Johnson was just 15 years-old in 1862 and was living in Wayne County, MS. Henry Thomas Johnson never served in the 18th MS Cavalry (battalion or regiment) and has no service records in same. I do not believe that Henry Thomas Johnson was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Hugh C. Johnson [found as "Hugh C. Johnson" and "Hugh C. Johnston" in the military records] (b. Monroe County, AL, ca. 1836***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1928), Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 13, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 26 (according to military papers). 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 "absent sick in Hospital." Captured at the Battle of Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, on Oct. 5, 1862. Paroled at Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, ca. Oct. 13, 1862, and exchanged sometime shortly thereafter at unspecified location. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "captured at [the Battle of] Corinth [Tishomingo County, MS], Oct. 5, 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. Reported to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, sometime before Oct. 31, 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. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without

leave." Captured on May 9, 1864, at Resaca, Gordon County, AL, in skirmishing that was prelude to the larger Battle of Resaca, GA (May 13-15, 1864). Forwarded as a POW to Chattanooga, TN, then to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to Camp Morton, IN, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Morton, IN, POW Camp on May 22, 1864. Released from Camp Morton, IN, POW Camp at war's end on May 22, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Southern Patriot! "H.C. Johnson" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. M.A. [Martha A.] Johnson filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1929, in which she stated that her husband ("H.C. Johnson," mis-transcribed in various indexes as "N.C.") was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 - 88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [***Note: Birth year estimated from enlistment age being given as 26 in early 1862. Some family researchers state that he was born in Jan. 1840.]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Isaac [no last name given in the military records; also found as "Isaick" in Yankee POW records] (b. prob. Newton County, MS, ca. 1835-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1902), 1st Choctaw Battalion MS Cavalry. No enlistment date/data. Known only from Yankee POW records. Captured and paroled at Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish, LA, on May 13, 1863, but not released, as would be a White POW. Pvt. Isaac "appears on a List of Choctaw Prisoners captured in the Department of the Gulf and sent to Washington, D.C., via Boston and New York," with notation "New Orleans [LA], May 23, 1863. The above (14) fourteen Choctaw Indians, Confederate Prisoners of War, were delivered to Capt. Nott, Aide-de-Camp to Provost Marshal General, by him to be taken North by the way of Boston and New York, there to be held subject to the orders of the Provost Marshal General at Washington, D.C." Confederate records show that these captured Confederate-Americans were put in chains and displayed in parks in New York City as curiosities for the non-racist Northern populace. "Isaac (Indian), Prisoner of War," was admitted on Sept. 8, 1863, to U.S.A. General Hospital, Fort Columbus, New York Harbor, suffering from chronic diarrhea, and was released back into the POW population on Oct. 2, 1863. Once the fun and games and the novelty had worn off, "Isaac (Choctaw Indian), Pvt., Co. __, 1 Choctaw Battalion [MS Cavalry] appears on a [Yankee] Roll of Prisoners of War (Choctaw Indians) sent from Fort Columbus, New York Harbor, to New Orleans, La., [on] Oct. 3, 1863." No further information in his military file with

this command. Southern Patriot! "Isaac Johnson (Choctaw Indian)" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1902, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 18th Miss. Battalion of Scouts, that he enlisted in Newton County, MS, in 1862, that he served under Maj. Pierce, and that he served until war's end. A letter was written in support of his pension application by one "Jno. Blakeley, Adjutant, [United Confederate Veterans] Camp Dabney H. Maury, #1312," of Newton, Newton County, MS: "This is to certify that Isaac Johnson, [aka] Nenakanubba, served as a soldier in the Confederate army under Maj. Pierce in the 18th Battalion of Scouts, composed of cavalry and infantry, both. He belonged to one of the Infantry Companys under Capt. Ducksworth. He was one of the Choctaws that rendered such great help in Securing the wounded and drowned (sic) dead Soldiers and others in that awful [railroad] Smash up in west Chunky Swamp in the year 1863. There was 76 dead, beside[s] the wounded. He has applied to me to make proof of his Service as a Soldier. I can testify that he did. He had a brother killed in that fight near Lake Pontchartrain [on] this side of New Orleans. Maj. Pierce resigned and the Battalion went under Maj. Spann and finished up, balance of war life. Went under Spann in 1862. Those Choctaws done good Service. I think the old broke down men should have pensions. They are justly entitled to them. There is several on our pension rolls in this county [i.e., Newton County, MS]. I belonged to [the] 18th Battalion [of Scouts] under Maj. Spann with the Choctaw Cavalry portion all [last word illegible]." Other written accounts of the referenced train wreck specifically state that Isaac Johnson (aka Nenakanubba) was one of the Choctaw who rushed to the scene of the wreck and both rescued the living and recovered the dead. Burial site not found. [Note: The Pvt. Isaac Johnson (aka Nenakanubba) under consideration here should not be confused with Pvt. Isaac Johnson, (New) Co. K, 1st Regiment Choctaw and Chickasaw Mounted Volunteers, which command was raised in what, at the time, was known as the Indian Territory (now mostly Oklahoma), as they are two entirely different men.] [Note: The other thirteen MS Choctaw soldiers who were sent North in chains for public display were: "Billy" (died Sept. 28, 1863, at Fort Columbus Hospital, New York Harbor); "Charley"; "Chubby" (aka "Thomas Chubby") (after returning from the North, he died Dec. 23, 1863, in the Corps a'Afrique U.S.A. General Hospital, New Orleans, LA); "George Washington" (after returning from the North, he died on Dec. 4, 1863, in Saint Lewis U.S. General Hospital, New Orleans, LA, while still a POW; buried in Grave No. 23, No. 2 Cypress Grove Cemetery, New Orleans, LA); "Gibson" (died Nov. 14, 1863, in Saint Louis U.S. General Hospital, New Orleans, LA, upon returning from the North); "James"; "James Davis" (still a POW at New Orleans, LA, on March 12, 1864); "Jefferson" (imprisoned at New Orleans after returning from the North, sent to Convalescent Camp on Nov. 23, 1863, and still a

POW on Dec. 31, 1863); "Selvis"; "Silas"; "Silas Joshua"; "Wigginton"; "Williamson" (died Sept. 18, 1863, at Fort Columbus Hospital, New York Harbor); and, "Wilson". I have never seen these names listed anywhere before. Let these men's names not be forgotten!]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Jordan Johnson (b. prob. Clarke County, MS, ca. 1844-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1916) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which he stated that he served as a Confederate Servant in 1861, 1862, & 1863 to 1st Lt./Capt./Lt.-Col. Adin McNeill of (Old) Co. K/(New) Co. F ("Clarke County Rangers," aka "Capt. J.T. Gates' Company," and aka "Capt. Adin McNeill's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), and Field & Staff, 8th MS Infantry, who was killed in action at the Battle of Chickamauga, Walker County, GA, on Sept. 20, 1863. Confederate Servant Johnson's burial site has not found.

Pvt./3rd Corp. Amos Osborn Jones [found as "Amos O. Jones" "Ausborn O. Jones" in the military records] (b. Jones County, MS, 1839-d. Wayne County, MS, 1929), Co. B ("Beauregard Defenders," aka "Capt. W.T. Baylis' Company," raised in Jones & Perry Counties, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted as 3rd Corp. on May 3, 1862, in Jones County, MS, at age 22. Absent as 3rd Corp. on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent in Quitman [Clarke County, MS] Hospital, sick." Absent as 3rd Corp. on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick at hospital." Absent as private on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent, sent to hospital." [Note: Non-commissioned officers were often reduced to the ranks when absent on medical leave because the company needed a full complement of such officers present for duty at all time.] Absent as private on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent, sent to hospital." Absent as private on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent as private on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from Aug. 15th 1862." Absent as private on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from Aug. 15th 1862." However, it turns out that Amos Osborn Jones (aka Ausborn O. Jones) had not simply been AWOL from the 7th Battalion MS Infantry -- he had actually enlisted (illegally) into another company! He enlisted on Feb. 15, 1863, at Ellisville, Jones County, MS, into Co. B ("Rosin Heels," aka "Capt. Amos McLemore's Company," raised in Jones County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 25th Aug. [1863]." Court-martialed per General Order No. 7/2, Dept. and Army of Tennessee, as issued by Gen. Joseph E. Johnston. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation

"restored to [company/regimental] Rolls by order [of] Col. Brantly; forfeits all pay previous to Nov. 30, 1863, by sentence of court martial." Pvt. Jones was returned to his old command, the 7th Battalion MS Infantry, sometime after this Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Served till war's end. Captured at Fort Blakely, Baldwin County, AL, on April 9, 1865, and forwarded as a POW to Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, arriving there on April 15, 1865. Transferred for exchange from Ship Island, MS, POW Camp via New Orleans, Orleans Parish, LA, to Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS, beginning on May 1, 1865. Physically exchanged at Camp Townsend on May 6, 1865, by which time the war was over in the Western Theater (i.e., the central part of the Confederacy). Southern Patriot! Amos Jones must have suffered a more serious injury or wound during the war or somehow become disabled after the war, because he received one of the earliest Confederate Pensions awarded by the State of MS. A.O. Jones wrote to MS Auditor of Public Accounts, W.W. Stone, at Jackson, MS, on Feb. 2, 1889, directing Gov. Stone to direct his Confederate Pension payment for the year to his post office at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, and received a Confederate Pension in the amount of \$24.00 on Feb. 13, 1889. A.O. Jones received a Confederate Pension in the amount of \$23.16 on March 11, 1892, in Wayne County, MS. "A.O. Jones" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1902 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the "7th MS Battalion" but was discharged due to illness and enlisted as second time into the 27th MS Regiment. However, he changed 27th MS Regiment to 7th Battalion, possibly to avoid mention of his court martial in the 27th MS Infantry. He also stated that he received a "flesh wound in leg" at the Battle of Kennesaw Mountain [June 27, 1864], Cobb County, GA, which wound is not confirmed by his official records. However, given his early MS Confederate Pension, he may have suffered that wound and it may have worsened post-war. Melvinia Weaver Jones filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1931, in which she did not state her husband's ("A.O. Jones") command. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt./2nd Corp. Nicholas Randal Jones [found as "N.R. Jones" and as "Nicholas Randal Jones" in the military records] (b. Marion District, SC, 1833-d. Wayne County, MS, 1925), "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL). Enlisted March 17, 1862, in Washington County, AL, at age 28 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- say he was 27). Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Aug. 1862 company muster roll states

"discharged by [having] Tim McCarty mustered [i.e., hired] as [his] substitute [on] Aug. 18, 1862." No further information in his military file with this command. [Note: N.R. Jones' substitute, Pvt. Tim McCarty, died in service in Sept. 1864 while serving with the 15th Confederate Cavalry, into which command Captain White's Company (as part of Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry) had been merged.] However, Nicholas Jones was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time into "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted as a 2nd Corp. on Sept. 1, 1863, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 29. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Present on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! "N.R. Jones" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1911 & 1916, in which he mistakenly stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Boyles' Battalion AL Cavalry (which was another AL cavalry battalion which operated in the same area as Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry) and, later, the 24th Battalion MS Cavalry. Buried in the Salem United Methodist Cemetery, 31.794796 -88.508008, located on the E side of Tokio-Frost Bridge Road, appr. 4000 ft. down Tokio-Frost Bridge Road from that road's intersection with Matherville-Frost Bridge Road, Frost Bridge, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: There are three churches in Wayne County, MS, that contain the word "Salem" in their names. These are: (1) Salem Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.553992 -88.875643, on the S side of Strickland Road, appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Salem Road, Wayne County, MS. (2) Salem United Methodist Cemetery, 31.794796 -88.508008, located on the E side of Tokio-Frost Bridge Road, appr. 4000 ft. down Tokio-Frost Bridge Road from that road's intersection with Matherville-Frost Bridge Road, Frost Bridge, Wayne County, MS. (3) Salem Cemetery, 31.800566 -88.490608, located in the woods, appr. 800 ft. N of a point on Matherville-Frost Bridge Road that lies appr. 200 ft. E of the center of the Chickasawhay River on that same road.]

IDENTITY CLARIFIED. Samuel D. Jones. Some databases state that Samuel D. Jones (b. Henry County, AL, 1843-d. Wayne County, MS, 1920) was a Confederate soldier in Co. H ("Capt. Marion C.J. Searcy's Company," raised in

Barbour & Henry Counties, AL), 37th AL Infantry. However, the Pvt. S.D. Jones of that company & command is actually Solomon Drayton Jones (b. AL, 1846-d. Beauvoir Confederate Soldiers Home, Harrison County, MS, 1934), who is buried in the Sandersville Cemetery, Sandersville, Jones County, MS, with a Confederate marker. A well-meaning descendant/kinsman simply assumed (incorrectly) that Samuel D. Jones was the S.D. Jones of Co. H, 37th AL Infantry. Samuel D. Jones is said to be buried in the Toomey Cemetery, Frost Bridge, Wayne County, MS, in an unmarked grave. [Note: I have been unable to find the location of this cemetery, which may be known by another or other names.]

Pvt. William Joseph Jones [found as "William J. Jones" in the military records] (b. Newton County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1908), "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves***. Enlisted April 16, 1864, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 17. Present on May 1, 1864, company muster roll. On Sept. 3, 1864, Co. H of the 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry became Co. H of the 1st (Denis') Regiment MS Cavalry Reserves. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Greene County, MS. Southern Patriot! [***Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Jones served in Co. B, 1st MS Cavalry; there are several commands called the "1st MS Cavalry," but Pvt. Jones did not serve in any of them, except the reserve command cited above.] Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Surry (sic) R. Jordan (b. prob. Baldwin County, AL, ca. 1844-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1928) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1928, in which he stated that he served a soldier from Alabama who was in the Confederate army, that he served said soldier from July 1863 until "first of year, 1865," and that he (Servant Jordan) never deserted the service. He said that he was "at home on furlough" in Mobile, Mobile County, AL, when the war ended. He stated that he served "a Mr. Armfield, who was under Capt. White," and that Mr. Armfield was from Baldwin County, AL. He stated that "to [the] best of my knowledge," Mr. Armfield enlisted in 1862 and served till war's end. It is possible [but simply conjectural] that Servant Jordan served Pvt. E.

Armfield, Co. B ("Capt. Augustus Brooks' Cavalry Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), Mobile [AL] City Troop (aka "AL City Militia Troop"). According to AL Dept. of Archives & History information, Pvt. Armfield enlisted on Dec. 19, 1862. Present or absent not stated on Dec. 31, 1863 company muster roll. No further information in Pvt. Armfield's military file with this command. Servant Jordan's burial site has not found.

Pvt./Corp. William Warren Jordan (b. Wayne County, MS, 1840-d. Wayne County, MS, 1926), Co. E ("Mississippi Sharpshooters," aka "Capt. S.C. Pearson's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry). Enlisted April 20, 1862, in Clark County, MS, at age 21 (though military records -- often in error by a few years -- state that he was 24). Present for payment of enlistment bounty at Jackson, MS, on July 7, 1862. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as teamster [on] 18th Aug. [1862]." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. "Appears on a List of casualties of Hebert's Brigade, at the Siege of Vicksburg, Miss., May 17 to July 4, 1863," with notation "wounded [on] May 22; wound not reported." [Note: In one of his Confederate Pension applications, Corp. Jordan stated that he was "shot under {the} left shoulder" at the Siege of Vicksburg.] Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Reported to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on Oct. 20, 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. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent with leave." 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." [Note: The Battle of Franklin, TN, was the high-water mark of Southern courage!] Promoted to corporal sometime in the spring of 1865. Captured at Spanish Fort, AL, on April 9, 1865, and transferred to Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, arriving there on April 15, 1865. Transferred to Vicksburg, MS, from Ship Island, MS, POW Camp beginning May 1, 1865. Physically exchanged at Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS, on May 6, 1865. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Parole gives residence as Shubuta, Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! "Warren W. Jordan" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS,

in 1904 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the "7th MS Battalion." Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Jack Kinard/Kinnard (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1841-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1916) filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1913 & 1916, in which he stated that he served a soldier named Augustus (also "Gus") Floyd of Co. C, 8th MS Infantry, for about 10 months (alternately 2 years), and that Floyd served under Capt. William Ward (alternately "Capt. Bellerford"? -- hard to read) and Col. Wilkerson (alternately "Col. Maury"? -- hard to read). Servant Kinnard stated that, at the end of the war, he (Kinnard) was in Smith County, MS, "my master having been wounded and died." However, I have been unable to find any Gus or Augustus Floyd who served in the 8th MS Infantry, the 8th MS Cavalry, the 8th Consolidated Battalion MS Infantry, or any other MS CS command. Supposed Confederate Servant Kinnard's burial site has not been found.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. A.M. Koen [found as "A.M. Koen," "A.M. Keon," "A.M. Korn," and "E.M. Koen" in the military records] (b. prob. Washington County, AL, ca. 1809-d. Washington County, AL, 1907), Co. G ("Capt. John C. Kimbell's Company," aka "Capt. S.T. Taylor's Company," raised in Clarke & Washington Counties, AL), 32nd AL Infantry. Enlisted March 29, 1862, at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, at appr. age 53. Absent on June 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent on sick furlough to Washington County [AL]." Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Captured Oct. 7, 1862, at the Battle of La Vergne, Rutherford County, TN, and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN. Paroled on Oct. 9, 1862, but not yet released from Yankee custody. Physically exchanged (almost certainly at Vicksburg, MS) on Nov. 13, 1862, as he appears on a list that reads: "Received November 13th, 1862, from Capt. R.S. Davis, U.S.A., the following paroled [Confederate] Prisoners of War -- one hundred and ninety-two in number. -- (signed) N.G. Watts, Maj. & [Confederate Prisoner Exchange] Agent." "Appears on a List of prisoners paroled and sent beyond the lines by [Yankee] Brig. Gen. Negley, Commanding Post Nashville," with list dated "Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 20, 1862." Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "taken prisoner at Laverne [TN, on] Oct. 7 [1862]." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "paroled at Nashville [TN, on] Oct. 9, 1862." [Note: Paroled Confederate soldiers had to wait until they

were "exchanged" on paper for a corresponding Yankee soldier before they could legally return to active field service.] Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Paid on Descriptive List at Tullahoma, Coffee & Franklin Counties, TN, on Feb. 23, 1863. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. June 1863 company muster roll states "deserted on the way from Tennessee to Miss. [apparently at] State Line Station, [on] May 29, 1863." [Note: It is not clear whether this is State Line, Wayne County, MS, or one of several other "State Line," Mississippi's.] No further information in his military file with this command. The 32nd AL was consolidated with the 58th AL Infantry in the fall of 1863, but Pvt. Koen has no records in that command. "A.M. Koen" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1906, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 32nd AL and that he was discharged because of being overage. However, his actual service records do not support his being discharged. Talitha Koen filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1908, in which she stated that her husband ("A.M. Koen") was a Confederate soldier in the 32nd AL. Burial site not found. Possibly buried across the state line at Yellow Pine Cemetery, Washington County, AL.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Philip Lampley (b. AL, ca. 1842/1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1920***) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1918, in which he stated that he served Pvt./2nd Sgt./Jr. 2nd Lt. James I. Lampley of Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which, on Dec. 2, 1862, became Co. A of the 46th MS Infantry, who served till war's end. Servant Lampley stated that he (Servant Lampley) served Lt. Lampley in 1864 & 1865. Servant Lampley's wife, Mary Lampley, filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921. Confederate Servant Philip Lampley's burial site has not been found. [***Note: Philip Lampley's death year of 1920 is taken from his wife's Confederate Widow's Pension application, which she filed in 1921.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Samuel L.*** Landrum, Sr. (b. Jones County, MS, 1842-d. Wayne County, MS, 1910) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1905, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in "Walter's Light Artillery, Cobb's Battalion," that he enlisted in late 1861 in Wayne County, MS, that he served under Capt. Walter's for about two years, that he was then transferred to Capt. Mayberry's company for the rest of the war, that he was slightly injured in 1865 by the explosion of a shell at Spanish Fort, Mobile, AL, that the shock of the shell caused his deafness, that he was never absent

without leave, and that he was absent from his command when it surrendered at Meridian, MS, at war's end because he had been absent on detail for three days and was cut off from the command. However, I can find no Confederate military records matching this man's statements about his service. [I suspect that S.L. Landrum was trying to intimate that he served in the well-known Kolb's Battery AL Artillery, but he has no records in that command.] Mary Landrum filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1910 & in 1917, in which she gave conflicting accounts of her husband's service. In 1910, she stated that her husband was a Confederate soldier in the "artillery" under "Capt. Johnson," that he enlisted in Wayne County, MS, at an unspecified date, that he served the whole war, and that he was paroled at Mobile, AL, in May 1865. In her 1917 pension application, she stated that he enlisted in Wayne County, MS, in May of 1861, that he served in Water's Light Artillery of Cobb's Battalion, under "Capt. Walters" (sic) and "Capt. Mayburry," that he served till war's end, and that he was paroled at Meridian, MS, at war's end in May 1865. I do not believe that Samuel L. Landrum was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Salem Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.553992 -88.875643, on the S side of Strickland Road, appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Salem Road, Wayne County, MS. with a Confederate marker ordered for him in 1939 by his son, Samuel L. Landrum, Jr., and which lists his command as "Cobb's MS Battalion"-- a command that never existed. [Sam Landrum, Jr., even specified in his VA marker application that his dad served in the "2nd TN Battery" of artillery, but no such command ever existed.] Samuel L. Landrum, Sr., has a VA Confederate marker because the Wayne County, MS, Pension Board rubberstamped his Confederate Pension application, the approval of which was taken by the VA as proof of service, although the VA itself could not find any service records for him and referred the application to the Comptroller of Public Accounts in Jackson, MS, who verified that Landrum had received a Confederate pension. [***Note: There is no agreement on his middle name or initial. His middle name is variously given as Linson, Lincoln, and Elijah.] [Note: He is not the Samuel Landrum of Water's Battery, 2nd Battalion AL Light Artillery, as that soldier is five years older than the Sam Landrum under consideration here, plus, he was living in Washington Co., AL, in 1860 with a wife and children different from those of Samuel L. Landrum, who had not yet married and had children. Additionally, none of the officers of Water's Battery match the officers that Samuel L. Landrum named in his Confederate Pension application.]

[Memorial marker] Pvt. Mathias Langley (b. GA, 1833-Cobb County, GA, 1864), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's)

Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted Oct. 15, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 28. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 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. On Dec. 2, 1862, the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, was enlarged to become the 46th MS Infantry, with Co. A of Balfour's Battalion becoming Co. A of the 46th MS Infantry. 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. Reported to Parole Camp (probably 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. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 23rd Nov. 1863." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from 23rd Nov. 1863." Returned to service. Appears on an undated "Register of Officers and Soldiers of the Army of the Confederate States who were killed in battle, or who died of wounds or disease," with the cause of his death not stated. Mortally wounded, probably on July 14 or July 15, 1864, probably while skirmishing in the area between Marietta, Cobb County, GA, and Kennesaw Mountain, Cobb County, GA, and admitted same day to Receiving & Distributing Hospital, Marietta, Cobb County, GA, suffering from a gunshot wound. Died at same hospital on July 19, 1864, leaving no personal effects. Buried in the Marietta Confederate Cemetery, Marietta, Cobb County, GA, in a mass grave. Southern Patriot! Susan Langley filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which she stated that her husband ("Mathias Langley") was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS.

Superintendent of the Brandon State Military School (when the war broke out)/Col. & Chief of Ordnance for the Army of MS/Assistant Adjutant-General, 2nd Brigade, MS State Troopos in 1861/Lt. Col./Col. Pierre Soule Layton (b. SC, 1839-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906), Field & Staff, 4th MS Infantry. Appointed Lt. Col. on Aug. 24, 1861, at appr. age 22. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 1, 1861, Field & Staff Muster Roll taken at Trenton, Gibson County, TN. Promoted to colonel on Oct. 1, 1862. Absent on Oct. 1861 Regimental Return, with notation "absent on detached service to procure arms for the Regiment; left on the 18th Oct. [1861]." On duty at Fort Henry, Stewart County, TN, on Dec. 1, 1861. Received pay on March 23, 1862, at New Orleans, LA. Present on Feb. 28, 1863, Field & Staff Muster Roll, taken at Vicksburg, MS. On June 30, 1863, as a private citizen,

P.S. Layton sold horses, mules, a wagon, a saddle, and various wagon parts to the Confederate Quartermaster at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, for \$1587.50. Resigned July 16, 1863, because of continual hemorrhages of the lungs. Signed for pay at Charleston, SC, on Aug. 27, 1863, signing as Colonel of the 4th MS Infantry, even though he had already resigned at this point. [Note: This was probably just legitimate back pay.] Recovered his health and, by Feb. 22, 1864, was petitioning Pres. Jeff Davis for either a commission as a colonel and permission to raise a regiment of reserve infantry made up of young boys and older men (exempts) or a commission as a lieutenant colonel in the 4th MS Infantry (his old command) or "any appointment which you may see fit to give me." [Note: Gen. Stephen Dill Lee wrote a glowing recommendation for Layton.] Did not again served as a field commander, but was a staff officer for MS State Troops in 1864. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Andrew Leafstrand (b. Stockholm, Sweden, 1819-d. Wayne County, MS, 1887), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 30, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at age 45. Present on April 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [Note: Interestingly, the 1870 US Census for Wayne County, MS, shows Andrew Leafstrand (White male) living with his wife, Barbary (Black female), and five "mulatto" persons, one of whom is his daughter, Jane Leafstrand, aged 12, who would have been born to Andrew and Barbary Leafstrand before the Civil War and before Andrew Leafstrand volunteered to fight for the Confederacy.]

Pvt. Sanders Walker Leard (sic) [found as "Samuel W. Leard" and "Samuel W. Lear" in the military records] (b. Neshoba County, MS, ca. 1831***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1883), "Chicot Rangers" (aka "Capt. Daniel H. Reynolds' Company," raised in Chicot County, AR), Churchill's Mounted Rifle Regiment AR Volunteers, which became Co. A, 1st AR Mounted Rifles. Enlisted June 15, 1861, at Fort Smith, Sebastian County, AR, at age 30 (according to military records; family sources state that he was b. in 1833, give him an age of appr. 28 at enlistment). Brought his own horse (valued at \$135) into the service with him. Present on July

1861 company muster roll. Records show that he traveled 337 miles from his home (Chicot County, AR) to Fort Smith, AR, to enlist. Present on July 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "sick on furlough." Absent on April 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "detailed to take horses home." Present or absent not stated (but presence assumed) on June 20, 1862, company muster roll. Present or absent not stated (but presence assumed) on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation that he received \$50 [enlistment? re-enlistment?] bounty. Present on April 30, 1863, company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Paid on Descriptive List on April 15, 1864, at unspecified location (but almost certainly in NW GA). [Note: Payment "on Descriptive List" typically happened when a soldier was away from his command, either on detail, detached duty, or in hospital.] Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation that he had "drawn [i.e., been paid] on Descriptive List \$96.80." Captured on Dec. 15, 1864, on the first day of the Battle of Nashville, TN (Dec. 15-16, 1864), and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious Camp Douglas, IL, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Douglas, IL, POW Camp on Dec. 23, 1864. Forwarded for exchange on March 13, 1865, from Camp Douglas, IL, POW Camp to Point Lookout, MD, POW Camp. Physically exchanged at Boulware's Wharf, City Point, VA (about 30 miles down the James River from Richmond, VA), on March 18th or 21st, 1865. No further information in his military file with this command. However, typically, a soldier exchanged at this place and time would have been sent to Richmond, VA, to a hospital for a check-up and then either furloughed back home or sent to Camp Lee, Richmond, VA, to recuperate and be prepared for return to his command. As the war in VA ended just a couple of weeks after Pvt. Leard was exchanged, we have records of his final days as a Confederate soldier. Southern Patriot! Lydia E. Leard/L.E. Leard filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1911 & 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("Sanders W. Leard") was a Confederate soldier in Co. A, 1st AR, that he enlisted in 1861, that he enlisted in Chicot County, AR, and that he was with his command at the final surrender. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker and (supposedly) a Confederate marker, as one was ordered for him by his son, Leon Lafayette Leard, in 1937 for placement in that

cemetery. [***Note: Birth year calculated from given age of 30 at enlistment in spring of 1861. Family sources state that he was born in 1833.]

Pvt./Sgt. Roberson (sic) Earl "Robert" Lee [found as "Roberson Lee" and "Robert Lee" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1818-d. Wayne County, MS, 1897), Co. H ("Capt. Angus Ray Fairly's Company," raised in Jones & Wayne Counties, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863). Enlisted Aug. 25, 1862, at Winchester, Wayne County, MS, at age 44. Oct. 1, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged Sept. 29, 1862 (surplus); sergeant to Sept. 29 [1862]." However, he re-enlisted into the same company and command on Dec. 9, 1862, this time as a private. Jan. 24, 1863, company muster roll states "deserted Jan. 11, 1863." Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll repeats desertion information. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Present on July 17, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absence [i.e., AWOL] satisfactorily explained; deduct pay [for period AWOL] from 10 Jan. [1863] to 20 March [1863]." This command was officially discharged at Columbus, Lowndes County, MS, on Sept. 22, 1863, but they were only paid to July 17, 1863, the date that Gen. John Pemberton disbanded the command. No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! Catharine (sic) Lee filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which she stated that her husband ("Robert Lee") served in "Capt. Fairley's State Troops." Buried in the Old Lee Cemetery, 31.71146 - 88.6669 (no better coordinates available), in a pasture, on the W bank of the Chickasawhay River, Woodward, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Stephen Napier "Steve" Lee*** (b. Wayne County, MS, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1939). "Steve Lee" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1938, in which he did not state his command, but said that he enlisted in February 1865, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, that his commanding officer was Capt. Griffin of Co. A, and that he was not in active service at the surrender because he was "in training camp." However, no war's-end parole for him has been found, though many exist for MS CS Conscripts [i.e., draftees]. Likewise, no service records [such as enlistment papers] have been found for him. I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. [***Note: He is found as "S.M. Lee" in some databases.] Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: When a VA Confederate marker was ordered for him in 1941 by Mrs. W.A. Stennett, the VA, too, could not find any proof of his

Confederate service. In cases like this, the VA contacted the State of MS or the relevant county's Chancery Clerk to see if the soldier ever received a Confederate pension. Local pension boards, not having access to CS military records, typically rubber-stamped Confederate Pension applications, as they did in Steve Lee's case. Since Steve Lee received a Confederate Pension, the VA approved his marker application, though they could only inscribe "Confederate States Army" on the stone, since he never actually service in any Confederate command.]

3rd Sgt. James Jasper Leggett [found as "James Leggett" in the military records] (b. Covington County, MS, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907), Co. D ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 2nd (Quinn's) MS Infantry Minute Men (State Troops). Enlisted July 18, 1862, at Williamsburg, Covington County, MS, at age 36. Sept. 4, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged Aug. 2nd 1862." No further information in his military file with this command. However, J.J. Leggett was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time as a 2nd corporal, into Co. B ("Covington Farmers," raised in Covington County, MS), 1st (McNair's) Battalion MS Cavalry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 31, 1864, at Brandon, Rankin County, MS, at age 38. Present on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "present for duty." No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 -88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Calvin Ward*** Leonard, Jr. [found as "C.W. Leonard" in the military records] (b. Butler County, AL, 1840-d. Wayne County, MS, 1918), Co. C ("Butler County Light Infantry," aka "Capt. James Dunklin's Company," raised in Butler County, AL), 33rd AL Infantry. Enlisted March 13, 1862, in Greenville, Butler County, AL, at age 22. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Issued clothing (1 coat, 1 shirt, & 1 pr. shoes) at Dalton, Whitfield County, GA, on Feb. 28, 1864. Captured and paroled at war's end at Greenville, Butler County, AL, on April 27, 1865. Southern Patriot! "C.W. Leonard" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1913 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 33rd AL and that he was absent from his command at war's end because he had been captured while at home on furlough just before the war ended. Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, Zion Rest Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.621090 -88.490743,

located to the NW of the intersection of Denham Progress Road and Wilburn Taylor Road, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker. [***Note: Most family researchers give his middle name as "Ward," but others insist that his middle name was "William."]

Pvt./3rd Corp./3rd Sgt./1st Sgt./Bvt. 2nd Lt./2nd Lt. Dock Delphin*** Lindsey [found as "Dock Lindsey" and "Dock Lindsay" in the military records] (b. Perry County, AL, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1903), Co. D ("Enterprise Tigers," aka "Capt. Whitman C. Turner's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted as a private on March 7, 1862, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 35. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present as corporal [degree not specified] on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "promoted to this rank [i.e., corporal] the 1 day of May 1862 by order of Capt. Turner." Present as corporal [degree not specified] on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Corp. on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "promoted to 3rd Sgt. [on] Sept. 23, 1862." Present as 1st Sgt. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "promoted to 1 Sgt. [on] Nov. 11, 1862." A Roster of the 37th MS Infantry, dated Feb. 5, 1864, states that he was promoted to 2nd Lt. on Jan. 5, 1863, but, as he does not appear with that rank on company muster rolls for several months, it is likely that this promotion was not confirmed by the CS War Dept. until several months later. Present as 1st Sgt. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Signed for pay on April 14, 1863, at unspecified location (but probably near Vicksburg, MS). Was not in the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, that ended on July 4, 1863, though most of the 37th MS was in that action; it is unclear where Lt. Lindsey was during this time. Present as Brevet 2nd Lt. on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Signed for clothing issue for his company at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on Dec. 1, 1863, signing as "D. Lindsey, Lieut., Commanding Co. D." Absent as 2nd Lt. on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "[on] detached [service with the] cavalry." Absent as 2nd Lt. on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "detailed with [the] cavalry." Signed on Feb. 29, 1864, for corn and fodder at Claiborne, Monroe County, AL, for a mounted detachment of men from the 37th MS Infantry, signing as "D. Lindsey, Lieut., Commanding Detachment, 37th Miss. Regt." Signed on March 3, 1864, for corn and fodder for "Mounted Men on Detached Service" at Brooklyn, Conecuh County, AL, signing as "D. Lindsey, Lieut., Commanding Detachment." Present as 2nd Lt. on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in NC at war's end, the 37th MS Infantry was consolidated into a battalion of four companies and designated the 37th Battalion MS Infantry. At this point, because there were too many officers for such a reduced command, many otherwise good officers were dropped, based

solely on the seniority of their commissions. Along with many other supernumerary officers, 2nd Lt. Lindsey was dropped from office on April 26, 1865, by Special Order 41/3, Dept. & Army of Tennessee. However, he remained with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South (which included the Army of TN) in NC and was paroled as "D. Lindsey, Late Lt., Co. D, 37th Miss. Regt.," on May 2, 1865, at Greensboro, NC. Southern Patriot! A.W. [mis-filed as "S.W."] Lindsey filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1903, in which she stated that her husband ("D. Lindsey") was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. A.W. Lindsey [note name shift] filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("D. Lindsey") was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. Buried in the Scotts Chapel Cemetery, 31.865585 -88.535685, with both a private and a Confederate marker. Directions: From the intersection of John Allen Road and Matherville Poplar Springs Road, go S on John Allen Road for appr. 2500 ft. and turn E onto an unnamed dirt road. Scotts Chapel Cemetery will be on the N side of this dirt road at a point that lies appr. 400 ft. from its junction with John Allen Road. [***Note: Also known as "Dock Dolphin Lindsey."]

Pvt. James Robert Lindsey, Sr. [found as "James Lindsay" in the military records] (b. Clarke County, MS, 1849-d. Wayne County, MS, 1934), "Capt. William S. Reynolds' Company of Cavalry, MS Reserves," aka "Capt. W.S. Reynolds' Company of [MS] Cavalry, Mounted Exempts" (raised in Clarke & Lauderdale Counties, MS), which became Co. A, 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. Enlisted Dec. 19, 1863, at Chunkeyville, Lauderdale County, MS, at age 14. Present on March 1, 1864, company muster roll. On Sept. 3, 1864, Denis' Battalion was expanded to 1st (Denis') Regiment MS Cavalry Reserves, with Co. A of the battalion continuing as Co. A of the full regiment. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 13, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! "James R. Lindsey" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 1st MS. Buried in the Scotts Chapel Cemetery, 31.865585 -88.535685, with both a private and a Confederate marker. Directions: From the intersection of John Allen Road and Matherville Poplar Springs Road, go S on John Allen Road for appr. 2500 ft. and turn E onto an unnamed dirt road. Scotts Chapel Cemetery will be on the N side of this dirt road at a point that lies appr. 400 ft. from its junction with John Allen Road.

Pvt. William Emory Lloyd [found a "William E. Loyde," William E. Lloyd," etc. in the military records] (b. AL, ca. 1840-Wayne County, MS, 1902), Co. G*** ("Dickinson Guards," aka "Gulf City Garrison Guards," raised in Clarke, Washington, & Mobile Counties, AL), 24th AL Infantry. Enlisted Oct. 17, 1861, at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, at appr. age 18-19. "Appears on a Roll of non-commissioned officers and privates employed on extra duty as attendants at Post Hospital, Fort Morgan [Baldwin County], Ala.," with notation that he was employed by "Dr. Miller" as a "Book Keeper." Nov. 1862 Regimental Return shows him "[on] detached [service] in Ordnance Dept., Murfreesboro [Rutherford County, TN]." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Detailed Jan. 12, 1863, as clerk at Division Headquarters, by order of Maj. Gen. Withers. Paid enlistment or re-enlistment bounty on Jan. 14, 1863, at Shelbyville, Bedford County, TN. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detached [service] at Division Headquarters Jan. 13, 1863, by order Gen. Withers." Paid on Descriptive List Feb. 9, 1863. Paid on Descriptive List on March 3, 1863. Appears on a March 24, 1863, "Report of absentees with leave on detached service of Withers' Division, Polk's Corps, Army of TN," with notation "on service [as] clerk at A.G.O., Withers' Division" and notation that this was authorized by "Special Order, 1 Jan. 1863." An April 30, 1863, "Report of officers and men on detached service from Manigault's Brigade, Withers' Division, Polk's Corps, Army of TN," shows him on duty as clerk at Division Headquarters. Paid for commutation of rations while on detached service in Assistant Adjutant General's Office at Shelbyville, Bedford County, TN, on May 16, 1863. Paid for commutation of rations while on detached service in Assistant Adjutant General's Office at Shelbyville, Bedford County, TN, on June 1, 1863. Paid for commutation of rations while on detached service in Assistant Adjutant General's Office at Chattanooga, Hamilton County, TN, on July 8, 1863. Paid on Descriptive List July 1863 as "clerk." Paid on Descriptive List Aug. 3, 1863, as "clerk." [Note: Payment "on Descriptive List" typically happened when a soldier was away from his command, either on detail, detached duty, or in hospital.] Paid for commutation of rations while on detached service in Assistant Adjutant General's Office at Chattanooga, Hamilton County, TN, in August 1863. Paid on Descriptive List Sept. 6, 1863. Paid on Descriptive List as or with "AAG," "in the field" Sept. 1863 (witnessed by Samuel Lancer, Capt. & AWM, CSA, in the field. Paid on Descriptive List as "clerk" in Hindman's Division, Army of Tennessee, on Jan. 1, 1864, at Dalton, GA. Present for clothing issue on Feb. 11, 1864. Present for clothing issue on March 10, 1864. Present on April 1, 1864, company muster roll, taken at Dalton, GA. Transferred to Co. H ("Noxubee Blues," raised in Noxubee County, MS), 5th MS Infantry, by Special Order 112/3, Department & Army of Tennessee, dated April 23, 1864, by order of Gen. Joseph E. Johnston.

Present on June 6, 1864, for clothing issue. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender a war's end in NC, the 5th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 8th MS Infantry, the 32nd MS Infantry, and the 3rd Battalion MS Infantry to form the 8th Consolidated Battalion MS Infantry. Pvt. Lloyd does not have a war's-end parole with this consolidated command. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker that is partially illegible, but seems to say "Major, C.S.A." [a rank he never held, but which is almost certainly a post-war United Confederate Veterans title] and possibly something about being wounded and disabled, which would explain his lack of records after Aug. 1864 (though there should be some record of his having been wounded, unless it was very late-war). Southern Patriot! [***Note: Some databases stated that he served in Co. C ("Dixie Boys," raised in Pickens County, AL), 24th AL Infantry, but he never served in that company and has no service records in same.]

Pvt. Van Lear Lofton, Jr. [found as "Van Lofton," "V.L. Lofton," "V. Lofton," "V. Loftin," and (mistakenly) as "A. Lofton" in the military records] (b. Mobile County, AL, 1848-d. Wayne County, MS, 1932), Co. H ("Mobile Independent Scouts," aka "Capt. William F. Cleveland, Jr.'s," Company," and aka "Capt. William W. Mordecai's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 8th AL Infantry. Enlisted March 15, 1862, in Mobile, Mobile County, AL, just a few days before his 14th birthday! Wounded at the horrific Battle of Sharpsburg, MD, on Sept. 17, 1862. On Sept. 23, 1863, Van Lofton, Sr., requested that his son be discharged from the service on account of being underage (16, the father said), but regimental and Army of Northern VA officers disallowed the discharge because young Van Lofton was "a stout young man" who "has always been a good soldier when away from the influence of his father" and because "fifteen months elapsed between his enlistment and [this] application for discharge." Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on unspecified date for 4th Quarter 1863 clothing issue, signing his name "Van Lofton." Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present for clothing issue on July 31, 1864, at unspecified location, but probably in the siege lines at Petersburg, VA. Admitted Sept. 1, 1864, to Receiving & Wayside Hospital, or General Hospital No. 9, Richmond, VA, with medical complaint not specified, and returned to duty the next day. [Note: He appears to have been in hospital at Richmond, VA, at least part of Aug. 1864.] Paid "on Descriptive List" on Sept. 2, 1864, at Richmond, VA, for four months' service by "Maj. John Ambler," who typically paid hospitalized and wounded soldiers while they were recuperating in Richmond, VA. [Note: Payment "on Descriptive List" typically happened when a soldier was away from his

command, either on detail, detached duty, or in hospital.] Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end at Appomattox Courthouse, VA, and paroled with Gen. Robert E. Lee and the Army of Northern VA at that place on April 9, 1865. Southern Patriot! [Parole mistakenly gives his name as "A. Lofton," but this is simply a transcription error.] "V.L. Lofton" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1911 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 8th AL Infantry. Buried in the County Line Church Cemetery, 31.442732 -88.591955, located on the N side of Chicora-State Line Road at that road's intersection with County Line Church Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Albert Samuel Lowery [found as "Albert Lowery" in the military records] (b. prob. Mobile County, AL, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1928), "Spring Hill Guards," Mobile County Reserves, raised in Mobile County, AL. Enlisted Oct. 3, 1864, in Mobile County, AL, at age 18. No further information in his military file with this reserve command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 -88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. John A. Lowery (b. SC, 1811-d. Wayne County, MS, 1893) sold 350 lbs. of fresh beef (@ 20 cents per lb.), 20 lbs. of bacon (@ \$1.15 per lb.), 48 bushels of corn meal (@ \$1.50 per bushel), 16.5 gallons of molasses (@ \$4.00 per gallon), and 64 lbs. of salt (@ 65 cents per lb.) to the Confederate Quartermaster at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, on Nov. 22, 1863, for a total of \$272.60. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 -88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

1st Sgt./Ordnance or Orderly Sgt. Robert C. McCann (b. unknown place, unknown year-d. Wayne County, MS, 1872), Co. D ("Capt. William McGill's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers, aka 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers. Enlisted as "O. Sgt." on Aug. 23, 1862, in Wayne County, MS, at unspecified age. Present as "O. Sgt." on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present as "O. Sgt." on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as "O. Sgt." on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present as "O. Sgt." on April 1863 company muster roll. On June 8, 1863, the battalion was enlarged to become the

56th AL Partisan Rangers, with Co. D of the 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers continuing as Co. D of the 56th AL Partisan Rangers. "O. Sgt." McCann served as a private in this company and command. Present as 1st Sgt. on a June 30, 1863, hospital muster roll for General Hospital, Marion, Lauderdale County, MS, with no indication of whether he was a patient or was detailed at the hospital (but where he was almost certainly a patient). Absent on July 1, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "deserted since June 1, 1863." However, he had not deserted, but had been detailed at Breckinridge's Division Hospital, Marion, Lauderdale County, MS, where he appears as present (as a Sgt.) on an Aug. 31, 1863, hospital muster roll, with notation "detailed." Present as 1st Sgt. on an Oct. 31, 1863, hospital muster roll for Breckinridge's Division Hospital, Marion, Lauderdale County, MS. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 17, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! [Note: His parole describes him as "Pvt., Co. D, 36 Ala. Cavly.," but this is a transcription error for "Pvt., Co. D, 56 Ala. Cavly."] Margaret McCann filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1903, in which she stated that her husband ("Robert McCann") was a Confederate soldier in the 56th AL. Burial site not found, but believed to be buried in Wayne County, MS, as his widow stated in her pension application that he died in that county.

Pvt./3rd Corp. Simpson McCarty (b. Edgefield District, SC, 1816-d. Wayne County, MS, 1892), Co. H ("Capt. Angus Ray Fairly's Company," raised in Jones & Wayne Counties, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863). Enlisted Sept. 8, 1862, at Winchester, Wayne County, MS, at age 46. Present on Oct. 1, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "appointed 3rd Corp. [on] Sept. 29, 1862." Furnished a substitute [i.e., legally hired someone to serve in his place] on Nov. 10, 1862, in the person of William Langley. No further information in his military file with this command. [Note: I can find no records for William Langley in this command.] Simpson McCarty probably enlisted a second time, as I believe him to be the Pvt. "S. McCarty" of Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 30, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at age 48 (if I have the right man). Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Sandhill Cemetery, 31.807411 -88.782924, located in the woods, appr. 4000 ft. due NW from the intersection of Shubuta Eucutta Road and Waller Ridge Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. Angus M. McDonald [found as "A. McDonald" in the military records] (b. SC, 1810-d. Wayne County, MS, 1881), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 23, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 50 (if I have the right man). Absent on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "[on] 30 days furlough [since] Sept. 2, 1864." No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! [Note: This command was filled mainly with older men and young boys who were not subject to conscription (i.e., draft) because they were either overage or underage.] Buried in the Moody Cemetery (aka Old Salem Methodist Church Cemetery), exact location not public, but said to be located "in the woods, on the east side of Buckatunna River, north of Frost Bridge," Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined (but probably a private marker).

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. James R. McDonald (b. Wayne County, MS, 1848-d. Wayne County, MS, 1936***) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1928, in which he did not state his command, but stated that he enlisted in the "early winter of 1864" at Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, served under "Col. Lowery" and "Capt. Pickens," was never absent from his command, and was in active service at war's end with his unnamed command. Some databases state that James R. McDonald is the Pvt. James R. McDonald who enlisted into Co. D ("Smith Rangers," raised in Tippah County, MS), 18th (Chalmers') Battalion MS Cavalry (aka, 18th Battalion MS Partisan Rangers), which became the 18th MS Cavalry, but I find this to be unlikely since the J.R. McDonald of the 18th MS Cavalry enlisted in Tippah County, MS, in early 1864 and his war's-end parole states that his residence was Tippah County, MS -- not Wayne County, MS. Additionally, the 18th MS Cavalry had no Col. Lowery or Capt. Pickens, the officers under whom the J.R. McDonald under consideration here said he served. I think that a well-meaning relation (John Angus McQuaig), thinking that the Wayne County J.R. McDonald must have been a Confederate soldier, filed a VA Confederate marker application, but left blank on the application the boxes for "company" and "regiment," as these two boxes appear to have been filled in by a person with different handwriting from the applicant. Also, the VA wrote something (partly scratched out) that looks like "not found" or "not verified," under which scratch-out is written "one" (as in one matching person found). Thus, the VA itself seems to have incorrectly identified the Wayne County J.R. McDonald as being the Tippah County J.R. McDonald who actually did serve in the 18th MS Cavalry. I do not believe that James R. McDonald of Wayne County, MS, was ever a Confederate soldier and I have been unable to match him

with any MS CS soldier in any command whatsoever. Buried in the Salem United Methodist Cemetery, 31.794796 -88.508008, located on the E side of Tokio-Frost Bridge Road, appr. 4000 ft. down Tokio-Frost Bridge Road from that road's intersection with Matherville-Frost Bridge Road, Frost Bridge, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker that actually belongs on another man's grave.

[***Note: Death year taken from his VA Confederate marker application, filed in 1936 by John Angus McQuaig.] [Note: There are three churches in Wayne County, MS, that contain the word "Salem" in their names. These are: (1) Salem Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.553992 -88.875643, on the S side of Strickland Road, appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Salem Road, Wayne County, MS. (2) Salem United Methodist Cemetery, 31.794796 -88.508008, located on the E side of Tokio-Frost Bridge Road, appr. 4000 ft. down Tokio-Frost Bridge Road from that road's intersection with Matherville-Frost Bridge Road, Frost Bridge, Wayne County, MS. (3) Salem Cemetery, 31,800566 -88.490608, located in the woods, appr. 800 ft. N of a point on Matherville-Frost Bridge Road that lies appr. 200 ft. E of the center of the Chickasawhay River on that same road.]

SERVICE CLARIFIED. Pvt. William Franklin McElroy (b. Perry County, AL, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1914), Co. G ("Marion Light Infantry," aka "Capt. Porter King's Company," aka "Capt. William M. Robbins' Company," raised in Perry County, AL), 4th AL Infantry. Enlisted April 24, 1861, at Marion, Perry County, AL, at age 24, with nearest Post Office given as Hamburg, AL. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "received one pair of shoes from Capt. King at Harper's Ferry [VA]." Admitted Aug. 26, 1861, to C.S.A. General Hospital, Charlottesville, VA, suffering from typhoid fever and furloughed for 8 weeks on Oct. 10, 1861. Absent on Aug. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in hospital at Charlottesville [VA] since Aug. 20 [1861]." Absent on Oct. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in Charlottesville [VA] since 20 Aug. 1861." Admitted Dec. 5, 1861, to C.S.A. General Hospital, Charlottesville, VA, as a convalescent suffering from typhoid fever just returned from furlough and returned to duty on Dec. 7, 1861. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "returned to duty with company from sick leave [on] Dec. 12, 1861." Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on April 1862 company muster roll, with notation "left at Ashland [VA], unable to march, [on] April 14, 1862." Admitted (as "W.A.F. McElroy," which may be a transcription error for "Wm. F. McElroy") April 28, 1862, to Chimborazo Hospital No. 4, Richmond, VA, suffering from chronic rheumatism, and transferred to a Lynchburg, VA, hospital on May 9, 1862. Detailed on Sept. 1, 1862, by Special Order 204/2, Dept. & Army of Northern VA, for unspecified

duty. A "Record" of the 4th AL Infantry, dated Jan. 1, 1865, states "detailed as [hospital] ward master Nov 1862, but returned to duty Sept. 1, 1863." Absent sick on Dec. 1862 Regimental Return. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in hospital, Lynchburg, Va." Detailed on Feb. 17, 1863, by Special Order 748/8, Dept. & Army of Northern VA, for unspecified duty. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed in hospital, Lynchburg, Va., [by] Special Order #48 [by] command [of] Gen. [Robert E.] Lee." Absent on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as nurse in Hospital at Lynchburg [VA] by order [of] Gen. [Robert E.] Lee." Absent on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed by Special Order 48, Headquarters, Dept. of Northern Va., Feb. 17, 1863, as nurse [at] Lynchburg, Va." Present for clothing issue in Aug. 1863 (specific day not specified) at General Hospital No. 2, Lynchburg, VA. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sick in camp." Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick on Surgeon's Certificate -- date and no. of order unknown." Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on June 15, 1864, for clothing issue at unspecified location (but clearly in N VA). Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Present on Sept. 6, 1864, for clothing issue at unspecified location (but clearly in N VA). Present on Oct. 21, 1864, for clothing issue at unspecified location (but clearly in N VA). Present on Nov. 18, 1864, for clothing issue at unspecified location (but clearly in N VA). Present on Feb. 1865 company muster roll. Surrendered on April 9, 1865, with Gen. Robert E. Lee and the Army of Northern VA at Appomattox Courthouse, VA. Southern Patriot! [Note: A few transcription errors in his file incorrectly show him as being a member of Co. C ("Capt. N.H.R. Dawson's Company," aka "Capt. Alfred E. Price's Company," aka "Capt. M.D. Sterrett's Company," and aka "Capt. Frank E. Robbins' Company," (raised in Dallas County, AL), 4th AL Infantry, but he never served in that company.)] [Some databases show him as having been a member of "Co. G, 4th AL Cavalry," but he never served in any AL cavalry command.] "William F. McElroy" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1910, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 4th AL. Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Murdock McGilberry [found as "Murcock McGilvary" and "Murdock McGilverry" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1830-d. Wayne County, MS, 1894***), Co. C ("Jones County

Rebels," aka "Capt. Alney M. Dozier's Company," raised in Jones County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted July 25, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at appr. age 32. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "recruit; mustered into service by Capt. A.M. Dozier [on] July 25, 1862." Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Dec. 20th, 1862." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." No further information in his military file with this command. Nancy McGelvery (sic) filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("Murdock McGelviry" [sic]) was a Confederate soldier in the "7th Mississippi Battalion, Co. C," and that he served till war's end. Her last contention is not borne out by her husband's actual military records. Burial site not found, but said to be buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS. [***Note: Death year taken from widow's pension application.]

SERVICE CLARIFIED. John McKay (b. Bladen County, NC, 1820-d. Wayne County, MS, 1904) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. I ("Capt. Augustus R. Lankford's Company," aka "Capt. Charles E. Bussey's Company," raised in Clarke County, AL), 38th AL Infantry, but the McKay in that command was one James (not John) McKay, who was born in Glasgow, Scotland, and who was 50 years old in 1862. Additionally, James McKay was living in Clarke County, AL, when he enlisted, while John McKay was living in Wayne County, MS. The John McKay under consideration here is not the James McKay of the 38th AL Infantry. The John McKay under consideration here is 1st Lt. John McKay, Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). He enlisted in Wayne County, MS, on Aug. 23, 1864, at age 44. Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William Riley McKee [found as "W.R. McKey" and "W.R. McKee" in the military records] (b. GA, 1831***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1885), "Capt. James

White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted Sept. 1, 1862, at Camp Forney, Mobile County, AL, at age 31. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since Dec. 24, 1862," but there is the further notation "name appears in column of names present," so he may have returned to the company after the Dec. 1862 company muster roll was taken. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 30, 1863, company muster roll. Absent on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on detached service as scout." In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry, with Co. D of Murphy's Battalion becoming Co. K of the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry). Present or absent not stated on Sept. 12, 1863, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached [service]." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached [service]." Present on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 28, 1864, for clothing issue at unspecified location. 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Washington County, AL. Southern Patriot! Frances McKee filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1904 & 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("William R. McKee") enlisted in Choctaw County, AL in July 1861 into "White's Cavalry," Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry, served under Capt. D. McKellar, Capt. White, Col. Baylis, and Col. Harry Maury, and was paroled at Gainesville, AL, at war's end. Buried in the Holcomb Cemetery (aka New Hope Cemetery and aka Enon Cemetery), 31.770325 -88.552992, located (I think!) on the E side of Wayne Hunting Club Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 2500 ft. W of that road's intersection with Tokio Frost Bridge Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: Military records misstate his age at enlistment as 21, rather than the correct 31. This is simply a transcription error, as written 2's and 3's are often mistaken for one another in the military records.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. "James McLain" (b. Greene County, MS, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1934) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1928, in which he did not state his command, but said that he enlisted in the spring of 1864 at Leakesville, Greene County, MS, served under a

"Lt. Hatch," and was with his command in active service at the final surrender. Searching all Wayne County commands and MS Confederate indexes for James Sandy McLain (and with all variant spellings), I can find no soldier whose records match this man, nor can I find a similarly-named man in any company officered by a "Lt. Hatch." I do not believe that James McLain was ever a Confederate soldier. [***Note: He is listed as "Jim McClain" in some databases.] [Note: Some databases state that James McLain served in Co. F, 14th Confederate Cavalry, but he never served in that command and has no records in same.] Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. Edward M. McLendon (b. Wayne County, MS, 1842-d. Wayne County, MS, 1909), "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. Enlisted April 16, 1864, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 17 (according to military records, which are often "off" by several years). Present on May 1, 1864, company muster roll. Claimed in his 1908 Confederate Pension application to have been wounded at the Battle of Harrisburg, Lee County, MS, on July 14-15, 1864, but I can find no evidence that Denis' Battalion participated in this battle. [Note: On Sept. 3, 1864, Co. H became Co. H of the 1st (Denis') 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 Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 17, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! "Ed. McLendon" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which he stated that he enlisted in 1863 into "Co. H" of the "1st Miss. Cavalry," that he served under "Capt. McGriff" and "Col. Metts or Metz," and that he served till war's end. "Edmond McLendon" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1908, in which he stated he served in the "1st Mississippi, Co. H," that he served under Capt. McGriff and "Col. Dennah" [i.e., Col. Denis], and that he was wounded ["eyes burned"] at the Battle of Harrisburg, Lee County, MS [which would have been on July 14-15, 1864, while serving under famed Confederate Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest]. He described being injured thusly: "Lost both eyes by force[d] march and explosion of bombshell." However, as noted above, I can find no evidence that Denis' Battalion participated in the Battle of Harrisburg. E.C. [Elizabeth Caroline] McLendon filed Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911 & 1920, in which she stated that her husband ("Edmond McLendon" and "E.M. McLendon") was a Confederate soldier in the 1st MS and that he died

(alternately) in 1910 or 1911. Buried in the Boyles Chapel Cemetery, 31.701099 - 88.821713, located on the W side of Boyles Chapel Road, near the N terminus of that road, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. John Tillman McPhearson [found as "John McPhearson" and "John T. McPherson" in the military files?] (b. Tuscaloosa County, AL, 1842-d. Wayne County, MS, 1917), Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 13, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 20 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was 28). Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in Hospital." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent Sick in hospital." Appears as a patient on a Feb. 28, 1863, Hospital Muster Roll for General Hospital, Enterprise, Clarke County, MS. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Returned to service. Admitted March 19, 1865, to Way Hospital, Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, suffering from bronchitis, and furloughed. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Notation on parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Isabella McPhearson (sic) filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1923, in which she stated that her husband ("Jno. T. McPhearson") was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker inscribed "Veteran of the Civil War."

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. 1st Sgt./2nd Lt./1st Lt./Capt. Daniel Murray McRae [found as "D.M. McRay," "D.M. McCray," and "D.M. McRae" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1828-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 1st Sgt. on April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 30. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. A "Record" of

the company, dated March 25, 1865, states "promoted to 2nd Lt. [in] Nov. 1861." Admitted on Dec. 2, 1861, to General Hospital, Leesburg, Loudoun County, VA, suffering from "jaunders" [i.e., jaundice], and returned to duty on Dec. 5, 1861. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "pay as 1st Sgt. to Dec. 7 [1861, and] from that time as 2nd Lt. Present as 2nd Lt. on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Absent as 2nd Lt. on April 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Absent on Sept. 1862 Regimental Return, which states "absent sick since Sept. 26th [1862]." "Present as 1st Lt. on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 Regimental Return, with station noted as Brucetown [Frederick County], VA. Present on Nov. 1862 Regimental Return, with station noted as "near Fredericksburg, Va." Present as 1st Lt. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 Regimental Return, with station noted as "Fredericksburg [VA]." Absent as 1st Lt. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 23rd Feb. 1863, being on furlough of indulgence." Promoted to captain on Feb. 24, 1863. Admitted April 14, 1863, to General Hospital No. 20, Richmond, VA, with no description of medical emergency. Admitted on June 26, 1863, to Receiving and Wayside Hospital, or General Hospital No. 9, Richmond, VA, with no description of medical condition, and forwarded to General Hospital No. 10, Richmond, VA, the next day. Absent as captain on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent on sick leave for sixty days beginning Aug. 1 [1863]." Admitted July 25, 1863, to General Hospital No. 10, Richmond, VA, with no description of medical condition. Furloughed on Aug. 1, 1863, for 60 days from General Hospital No. 10, Richmond, VA, on account of a July 4, 1863, "injury" described as "chorea [involuntary muscle spasms and limb movement] with derangement of stomach and bowels." Absent as captain on Oct. 9, 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sick at hospital since Oct. 2, 1863." Present as captain on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Captured at the Battle of Fort Sanders, Knox County, TN, on Nov. 29, 1863, and forwarded as a POW on the same day to Knoxville, Knox County, TN. Forwarded from Knoxville, TN, on Dec. 15, 1863, to Military Prison, Louisville, KY. Forwarded from Military Prison, Louisville, KY, on Jan. 15, 1864, to notorious 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 once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on Jan. 18, 1864. Forwarded to equally notorious Fort Delaware, DE, POW Camp on March 25, 1864, arriving at the latter POW camp on March 27, 1864. Released from Fort Delaware, DE, POW Camp at war's end on June 12, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Southern Patriot! Burial site not found, but said to possibly be buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 -88.876384, located on the W side of a

point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker (though he is not listed among the burials in this cemetery on find-a-grave.com). Similarly, as his son is buried there, he could be buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS (though, again, he is not listed on the find-a-grave site for this cemetery).

Pvt./1st Corp. James B. McRae [found as "James B. McRae," "James B. McRea," "J.B. McRea," and "J.B. McRae" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1827-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906), Co. H ("Capt. Angus Ray Fairly's Company," raised in Jones & Wayne Counties, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863). Enlisted Sept. 18, 1862, at Winchester, Wayne County, MS, at age 35. Present on Oct. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 1st Corp. on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "appointed [1st Corp.] on Oct. 18, 1862." Absent on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Absent on June 17, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent with leave." [Note: Corp. McRae appears to have been absent sick during the 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS.] This command was mustered out of service on June 17, 1863. However, Corp. McRae enlisted a second time, this time as a private, on Oct. 19, 1863, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, into "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS)]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. "Was wounded on Dec. 18, 1863, by deserters, & was sent to Lauderdale Springs Hospital" (from Oct. 1864 company muster roll). "Absent wounded" on all subsequent company muster rolls. [Note: On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry.] Southern Patriot! "James B. McRae" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1903, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 5th MS Infantry and the 24th Battalion MS Cavalry. Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Margaret McRae received a Confederate Widow's Pension in Wayne County, MS, in 1891. However, from this paucity of information, I cannot deduce who her Confederate veteran husband was. Genealogy not found. No further information available.

Pvt. John Malone, Sr. (b. MS, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1924), Co. C ("Jones County Rebels," aka "Capt. Alney M. Dozier's Company," raised in Jones County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 12, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 17 or 18. Present at Jackson, Hinds County, MS, on July 7, 1862, for payment of enlistment bounty. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "John Malone sent to Hospital." Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "John Malone sent to Hospital." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent, sick." Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 15 Sept. 1862." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." No further information in his military file with this command. Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

CONFEDERATE AND YANKEE SOLDIER. Pvt./Corp. George Washington Marshall (b. Jasper County, GA***, 1835-d. Wayne County, MS, 1917), Co. B ("Frank Lyon Rifles," aka "Capt. James Deas Nott's Company," and aka "Capt. Joseph R. Cowan's Company," raised in Clarke County, AL), 22nd AL Infantry. No enlistment date/data. Probably enlisted in early Nov. 1861 in Clarke County, AL, at appr. age 26. June 1862 Regimental Return states "detached for teamster." Detached July 1, 1862, as teamster by order of Col. Deas. Was serving as teamster at Shelbyville, Bedford County, TN, during March 1863. Present for clothing issue in March 1864 (probably at Dalton, Whitfield County, GA). Captured at Oxford, Newton County, GA, on July 22, 1864 (possibly while in hospital there), and forwarded to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious 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 once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on Aug. 3, 1864. Enlisted in the US Army at Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on March 16, 1865. An undated Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp POW roll states "enlisted in U.S.A." and "transferred to Chicago, Ill., on March 20, 1865." He actually enlisted into Co. B, 6th US Volunteer Infantry. [Note that many Confederate POW's enlisted into US service in order to avoid starvation and disease in wretched Northern POW Camp, where a greater percentage of POW's died than in Southern POW Camps. These "galvanized Yankees" were sent to serve out west and were promised that they would never be used against their fellow Confederates.] Deserted at Box Elder,

Colorado Territory, on Aug. 19, 1865, but seems to have rejoined his US command on June 5, 1866 ("gained from desertion"). Mustered out at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, on Nov. 3, 1866. Dishonorably discharged on Nov. 11, 1866. A Dec. 28, 1866, document from the Adjutant General's Office, US War Department, states "dishonorably discharged Nov. 11, 1866, without pay or allowances, under the provisions of General Orders No. 5, Headquarters, Department of the Missouri, dated Jan. 16, 1866." "George W. Marshall" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1909 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. D, 22nd AL Infantry, under Capt. Daze Knott and Col. Day, that he was captured in 1864, and that he was a POW at Camp Chase, OH, at war's end, which, to say the least wasn't exactly the whole truth. Buried in the Powe Cemetery, 31.547971 -88.546221, located appr. 2000 ft. WSW of the juncture of an unnamed dirt road with Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road at a point on the latter road that lies appr. 800 ft. S of that road's intersection with McCann Farm Road, Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. John Martin (b. unknown***, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1924), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry^^^. Enlisted Oct. 15, 1861, in Wayne County, MS, at age 17 (though military records state that he was 18). Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Absent on July 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "disease [next word illegible] July 28 [1862], Interior Hospital, [on] order of Brigade Surgeon." 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. Reported to Parole Camp (probably at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS) on Sept. 15, 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, probably taken at Parole Camp, Enterprise, Clarke County, MS. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Enterprise [Clarke County, MS, on] 23 Nov. 1863." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Enterprise [Clarke County, MS, on] 23 Nov. 1863." Appears on a Dec. 31, 1863, hospital muster roll for Forney's Division Hospital, Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, with reason for hospitalization not stated. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 9, 1865. [Note: Most of the 46th MS was captured at Spanish Fort, AL, in early April 1865, but a portion of the regiment escaped and surrendered at Cuba Station, AL, later to be paroled at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS.] Notation on parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! "John Martin" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1908 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS and that he was not present with his command when it surrendered at Spanish Fort, Mobile, Mobile County, AL, because "37 of us with the Captain was (sic) cut off from the Company." [***Note: His place of birth is conjectural because, on his 1908 Confederate Pension application, he stated that he was 68 years-old and had lived in Mississippi "about 60 years," indicating a birth outside of MS; some family members claim that he was born in one of several places in England named Hargrave.] [^^^Note: Some databases state that he also 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 never served in that company and has no service records in same.] Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker on which is inscribed "Co. E, 46th Miss. Inf., C.S.A." [even though he never served in Co. E ("Jeff Davis Rebels," raised in Warren & Yazoo Counties, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. E, 46th MS Infantry.]

Pvt. Quintillian Jasper Martin [found in the military records misidentified as "Q.I. Martin," with the script capital "J." of his middle initial being misinterpreted as a script capital "I," which happens often in these old records] (b. Pike County, AL, 1839-d. Wayne County, MS, 1891), Smith's-Turner's Battery (aka, "Chickasawhay Desperadoes," raised in Clarke County, MS), MS Light Artillery. Enlisted at "Columbus" [no state designated] on Jan. 1, 1862 at age 22; I think there is every chance that this is Columbus, Hickman County, KY, as the battery was in the vicinity of that city shortly before this date. However, it could also be that he enlisted at Columbus, Lowndes County, MS, though I doubt that this is the case. Present or absent not stated on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present or absent not stated on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "name appears in column [indicating that a soldier] received payment as Q.I. Martin." [This is where his middle initial "J." has been misinterpreted as an "I."] Present or absent not stated on April 1863 company muster roll. Absent on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation

"absent on furlough; left [on] April 19, 1864 for [a furlough of] 24 days, by command [of] Gen. [Joseph E.] Johnston." Present on June 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Residence given on parole as Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! Mary Ellen Martin filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Stone County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("Quintillian J. Martin") was a Confederate soldier in Turner's Battery and that he enlisted in Clarke County, MS. Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

CLARIFICATION OF THE "TWO WILLIAM M. MARTIN'S" IN THE SAME COMPANY MYSTERY: Two soldiers named "William M. Martin" are listed on the MS Division, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Graves website as having served in Co. A, 46th MS Infantry, with one soldier (1847-1920) being buried in Zion Rest Cemetery (Methodist) and one (1835-1900) being buried in the Powe (aka, Mack Powe Cemetery) in Wayne County, MS. After a careful examination of the available evidence, I am confident that there was only one so-named soldier and that the Powe Cemetery entry is in error and actually refers to the soldier buried in Zion Rest (Methodist) Cemetery. The Powe Cemetery soldier is said to have been discharged because of wounds, which is exactly the case with the Zion Rest Cemetery (Methodist) soldier, so they are one and the same person, with the actual soldier being buried at Zion Rest Cemetery (Methodist).

Pvt. William M. Martin (b. Conecuh (?)*** County, AL, ca. 1843^^^ -d. Wayne County, MS, 1920), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted April 15, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 18 (according to military records; no one seems to know exactly when he was born; 1900 Wayne County, MS, US Census says he was born in 1844). Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 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. On Dec. 2, 1862, the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, was enlarged to become the 46th MS Infantry, with Co. A of Balfour's Battalion becoming Co. A of the 46th MS Infantry. 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. Reported to

Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on Sept. 20, 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, with notation "reported [to parole camps on] Sept. 20 [1863]; absent without leave from 8 Oct. [1863] to the 29th Oct. [1863]." Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Severely wounded during the 100-day Atlanta Campaign of 1864, most probably at the Battle of New Hope Church, May 26-27, 1864. [Note: The Battle of New Hope Church, GA, was fought May 26-May 27, 1864, a few miles NE of Dallas, Paulding County, GA.] On Dec. 4, 1864, Pvt. Martin wrote his superiors from Disabled Camp, Lauderdale, MS, asking for permission to appear before a Medical Examining Board in order to be retired from the army, but the letter was clearly written by one of his surgeons, who stated that "[Pvt. Martin], having been permanently disabled in the service of the Confederate States and in the line of duty by [a] gunshot wound of right shoulder, ball entering the chest an inch and [a] half below the clavicle [and] passing directly backwards and upwards -- emerging an inch above posterior commissure [i.e., the joint between two bones] of axilla [i.e., the armpit], producing a lesion of innervation and [next word illegible -- "nutriation"?] by wounding the Brachial Plexus [i.e., the network of nerves leading to the arm], resulting in ankylosis [i.e., joint stiffness], with loss of use of limb. Said wound was received at Kennesaw Mountain,+++ Geo., the 28th day [of] May 1864. Since that time, I have been absent from my command." The letter was "signed" by William Martin, another indication that his surgeon wrote the letter, as William Martin signed his Vicksburg parole with "his x mark." This application was approved all the way up the chain of command, including by Gen. John Bell Hood, commanding, Army of Tennessee. A "Certificate of Disability for Retirement [from the military] in case of Private W. Martin, Co. A, 46th Miss. Regt.," was approved by the Medical Director's Office, Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on March 2, 1865, and approved the next day by Lieut. Gen. Richard Taylor, commanding the Dept. of AL, MS, and E LA. Pvt. Martin was probably retired to the Invalid Corps, from which corps soldiers could still be assigned to light, non-field duty. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 14, 1865. Southern Patriot! He is probably the "William Martin" who received a Confederate Pension in Wayne County, MS, in 1890. "William Martin" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which he stated that he served in Co. A, 46th MS Infantry, and that he was wounded at New Hope Church, GA, being "shot through the Breast &

Shoulder, disabling my right arm." "W.M. Martin" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS, that he was wounded at New Hope Church, GA, in the hip & shoulder, and that he was "paralyzed in right side arm & hand." Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 -88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [***Note: His CS army discharge paper states that he was born in AL and states the specific county, but it is virtually illegible. "Conecuh" is simply my best guess and is not guaranteed.] [^^^Note: Birth year calculated from stated age of 18 at enlistment in Oct. 1861.] [+++Note: The exact battle at which he was wounded has not been determined. His surgeon said he was wounded at Kennesaw Mountain, but the date (May 28, 1864) is way off for that battle. The date (May 28, 1864) does, however, correspond to the Battle of Pickett's Mill, GA. Pvt. Martin himself stated in his pension application that he was wounded at the Battle of New Hope, GA, but, that battle happened May 26 & 27, 1864. I think it is most likely that he was wounded at the Battle of New Hope Church, GA, because he himself recalled that place as the place of his being wounded.]

Pvt./4th Sgt. William Patton Mauldin (b. Pickens District, SC, 1843-d. Wayne County, MS, 1928), Co. F ("Blue Ridge Rifles," aka "Capt. Robert A. Hawthorne's Company," aka "Capt. George W. Fullerton's Company," and aka "Capt. William G. Terrell's Company," raised in Pickens, District, SC), 1st (Orr's) SC Rifles. Enlisted Aug. 10, 1861, at Camp Pickens, SC, at age 18. Present on Dec. 1, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. Wounded June 27, 1862, at the Battle of Gaines's Mill (aka, the Battle of the Chickahominy River), Hanover County, VA ("shot through the leg," "in left ankle," and "left ankle badly fractured," according to his Confederate Pension application). Absent on Oct. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "absent sick." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "wounded June 27 [1862 and now] on furlough." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "wounded, furloughed." Present at Camp Gregg, 10 miles south of Fredericksburg, VA, on April 6, 1863, for payment of commutation of rations (repayment of what he himself had to spend for food while on three separate wounded furloughs -- Aug. 18, 1862-Oct. 28, 1862; Dec. 23, 1862-Feb. 23, 1863; and, Feb. 19, 1863 [sic]-March 21, 1863). Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Wounded at the Battle of Chancellorsville, VA, on May 2 or 3, 1863 (according to his Confederate Pension application). Present on hospital muster roll for General Hospital No. 1, Richmond, VA, on May 18, 1863.

Furloughed on May 29, 1863, for 30 days by the Medical Director's Office, Richmond, VA. Absent on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent wounded." Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on wounded furlough." Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Admitted Nov. 8, 1863, to Receiving and Wayside Hospital, or General Hospital No. 9, Richmond, VA, and forwarded to Jackson Hospital, Richmond, VA, the next day. Admitted to Jackson Hospital, Richmond, VA, on Nov. 10, 1863, suffering from dysentery. Present for clothing issue on Nov. 10, 1863, at Jackson Hospital, Richmond, VA. Furloughed for 30 days on Nov. 18, 1863, from Jackson Hospital, Richmond, VA. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Wounded at the Battle of Spotsylvania Courthouse, VA, on May 12, 1864 (according to his Confederate Pension application). Admitted May 16, 1864, to Jackson Hospital, Richmond, VA, suffering from a gunshot wound to the right arm (other records say left arm), caused by a Minié ball, possibly having been wounded at the Battle of Proctor's Creek (aka Drewry's Bluff), Chesterfield County, VA. Present for clothing issue on June 10, 1864, at Jackson Hospital, Richmond, VA. Returned to duty from Jackson Hospital, Richmond, VA, on June 11, 1864. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1864 company muster roll. Present as 4th Sgt. on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "promoted to Sgt. [on] 2nd November 1864." Captured at the Third Battle of Petersburg, VA, on April 3, 1865, and forwarded as a POW to City Point, VA, then the Hart's Island, NY Harbor, POW Camp, arriving there on April 11, 1865. Released from Hart's Island, NY Harbor, POW Camp at war's end on June 16, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Residence given on parole as Pickens District, SC. Southern Patriot! "W.P. Mauldin (sic)" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1904, 1907, 1910, 1916, & 1924, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 1st SC. Wrote a "Life Sketch" for his family, in which he detailed his three wounds: Battle of Gaines' Mill, June 27, 1862 -- severe wound in the thigh; Battle of Chancellorsville, VA, May 2 or 3, 1863 -- wounded in calf of leg; and, the Battle of Spotsylvania Courthouse, VA, May 12, 1864 -- gunshot wound to his right arm. [Note: Some databases state that William Patton Mauldin served in Co. D, 1st MS Cavalry, but he did not move from SC to MS until after the War of Northern Aggression. He never served in the 1st MS Cavalry and has no service records in same.] Buried in the Fedora Cemetery, 31.728092 -88.566146, located appr. 150 ft. due N of a point on Old Hwy. 84 that lies appr. 1700 ft. E of that road's intersection with modern US Hwy. 84 (or appr. 1200 ft. E of Old Hwy. 84's intersection with Bobby Sims Drive), Wayne County, MS, with a private marker that states "Co. F, Orr's 1st SC Rifles."

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Benjamin Meador (b. Anson County, SC, 1815-d. Wayne County, MS, 1878) is listed in some databases as having served in Co. B ("O'Connor Rifles," aka "Capt. John H. Buchanan's Company," raised in Tippah County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry. However, the Pvt. Benjamin S. Meador [aka "Meadow"] was just 32 years-old when he enlisted in 1861 in Tippah County, in North MS, whereas the Benjamin S. Meador under consideration here was 46 years old in 1861 and lived in South MS in Wayne County, MS, at that time. They are not one and the same man. A well-meaning descendant or kinsman has simply assumed that, because the two men share nearly the same name, they must be the same man, which is not the case. I do not find Benjamin Meador in any other MS CS command. Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Tallent Harry Mellard [found as "T.H. Mellard" and "T.H. Millard" in the military records] (b. Barbour County, AL, 1839-d. Wayne County, MS, 1886), (Old) Co. B/(New) Co. G ("Capt. John H. Dent's Company," aka "Capt. N.R.E. Ferguson's Company," and aka "Capt. James H. Holmes' Company," raised in Sumter County, AL), 5th AL Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 15, 1861, in Livingston, Sumter County, AL, at age 22. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1861 company muster roll, with notation "absent, sick at Hospital, Lynchburg, VA." Admitted to General Hospital Camp Winder, Richmond, VA, on May 7, 1862, suffering from diarrhea, with further notation "deserted July 17, 1862." Present for pay at Richmond, VA, on Sept. 2, 1862, probably while in hospital. Furloughed from 2nd AL Hospital, Richmond, VA, on Sept. 27, 1862, with reason for medical furlough not stated. Present for pay at Richmond, VA, on Sept. 29, 1862, almost certainly at a hospital. Absent with leave on Oct. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "[absent at] Richmond [VA, since] Aug. 27th 1862." Absent on May 8, 1863 Regimental Return, with notation "absent on furlough." Detailed on Jan. 18, 1864, by Special Order No. 14/27 for unspecified detached service, but almost certainly to work in the Alabama salt works, located near Jackson, Clarke County, AL. [Note: Salt was in critically and chronically short supply throughout the South the entire war.] Absence presumed on April 1, 1864, company muster roll, because there is the notation "[on] detached service [at the] salt works [in] Ala.," while the regiment proper served the whole war in the Army of Northern VA. Absent on June 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached service." Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster

roll, with notation "[entitled to] \$7 additional pay per month from 1 [9?] June 1864 [because he is] detailed at Ala. salt works." Absent on Oct. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "[on] detached service at Ala. salt works." No further information in his military file with this command, but I don't know how, where, or if soldiers at this facility were paroled at war's end. Southern Patriot! Susan M. Mellard [as "S.E. Mellard"] filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Lauderdale County, MS, in 1918, in which she stated that her husband ["T.H. Mellard"] was a Confederate soldier in Capt. Dent's Company of the 5th AL Infantry and that he "was working at State Salt Works" when the war closed. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a broken private marker.

Pvt. John Willis Melvin [found as "John M. Melvin"*** in the military records] (b. SC, 1824-d. Wayne County, MS, 1899), Co. F ("Capt. Steele's Company," raised in Kemper County, MS), 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry. Enlisted Oct. 15, 1863, in Jones County, MS, at age 39. The April 30, 1864, company muster roll states "deserted [on] Feb. 5, 1864." No further information in his military file with this command. Buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery, 31.824667 -88.888327, located on the E side of Eucutta Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 9000 ft. S of that road's intersection with County Road 226, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: John Willis Melvin was living in Jones County, MS, in 1860, where he was the only Melvin with a "J" initial living in 1860, according to the 1860 US Census. I am certain that his middle initial "W." was mis-transcribed as an "M." in his military records. The fact that he enlisted in Jones County, MS, cements his identity, insofar as I am concerned.]

Pvt. Ellis T. Merchant (b. AL, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1936), "Capt. S.V. Ferguson's Company" (raised in Pickens County, AL), 7th AL Cavalry.*** No enlistment date/data. There are no records whatsoever for him in this or any other AL CS command on the National Archives' microfilms of Confederate soldiers' service records. His service is only verified through AL Dept. of Archives & History records, which show that he was enrolled in the company and that he was admitted to General Hospital, Selma, Dallas County, AL, on Oct. 7, 1864, suffering from intermittent fevers, and that he was returned to duty on Oct. 14, 1864. The ADAH also has a record of the members of the company, drawn up in 1902 by Jonathan C. Johnson, a former member of the company. Southern Patriot! "E.T. Merchant" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 7th AL Cavalry, that he was living in Baldwin County,

AL, when he enlisted on May 1, 1864, into Co. I, Capt. Ferguson's Company, that his regimental commander was "Col. Hodson" [i.e., "Col. Joseph Hogdson"], that he served 12 months in this command, and that he had been absent from his command for one week when the final surrender came because he was on furlough at home to procure another horse. Nettie Beavers Merchant filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in George County, MS, in 1950 (sic), in which she stated that her husband ("Ellis T. Merchant") was a Confederate soldier in the 7th AL Cavalry. Buried in the Tom Mills Cemetery, 31.557321 -88.632144, located appr. 400 ft. down a dirt road that branches off to the NE from a point on Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road that lies appr. 2500 ft. S of that road's intersection with John Dennis Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: Some databases state that he served in the 7th AL Infantry, but he never served in that command and has no service records in same.]

Pvt. Andrew J. Miller (b. prob. AL, ca. 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, after 1916), Co. E ("Capt. Alto V. Lee's Company," raised in unknown county, AL), 2nd AL Infantry Reserves, which became the 63rd AL Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 8, 1864, at Pollard, Escambia County, AL, at age 17 (according to military records). Present for clothing issue on Sept. 11, 1864 (almost certainly at Mobile, Mobile County, AL). Oct. 1864 company muster roll states "deserted [on] Oct. 29, 1864." No further information in his military file with this command. "Andrew J. Miller"/"A.J. Miller" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1909 & 1916, in which he stated that he was 68 years-old in 1909 (yielding a birth year of 1841) or 74 years-old in 1916 (yielding a birth year of 1842), that he enlisted from Washington County, AL, in the fall of 1862 or in Oct. 1863 into Capt. Charlie Wadkins' (or Capt. Charlie Watkins') Co. A of the 2nd AL Reserves, and that he was discharged in April 1865 "on account of the condition of my Eye, which was out." His assertions about when he enlisted, who his captain was, and his medical discharge are not borne out by his actual service records. [No Capt. Wadkins or Capt. Watkins ever served in this command.] Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, with a Confederate marker that was ordered for him in 1940 by Nathan Luraine Shoemaker, Sr.

(Dr.) Pvt./1st Lt./Adjutant/Capt. Edwin A. Miller (b. Charleston County, SC, 1827***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1869), Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), and Field & Staff, 13th MS

Infantry. Enlisted as a private on April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 34 (though military records say age 35). [Note: One record states that he "enrolled" on March 9, 1861, at "Jackson, Miss.," but it is unclear whether this means "Jackson, Hinds County, MS," or "Jackson County, MS," as the term is often used for both places in the military records.] Present as private on June 30, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "extra \$10 as [regimental] Adjutant per Month." Present as private on Oct. 1861, company muster roll, with notation "(\$10) Ten Dollars extra as [regimental] Adjutant per Month." Present as private on Dec. 1861, company muster roll, with notation "extra \$10 as [regimental] Adjutant." Pvt. Miller wrote to Confederate Sec. of War, Hon. J.A.P. Campbell, on Jan. 21, 1862, asking that he be commissioned as a 1st Lt., commensurate with his position as adjutant of the 13th MS Infantry. On Jan. 29, 1862, Sec. Campbell forwarded Miller's letter to Pres. Jefferson Davis, stating "I commend it to your favorable consideration." Feb. 1862 company muster roll states "promoted to 1st Lt. [on] Jan. 31, 1862; now discharged [from the company in order to serve at the Field & Staff level of the regiment] and final statement [as a private of this company] given for the month of January 1862." On March 28, 1862, legendary MS soldier Col. (later Brig.-Gen.) William Barksdale, colonel of the 13th MS Infantry, wrote to Pres. Jefferson Davis, asking that Lt. Miller be made permanent adjutant of the 13th MS. On March 31, 1862, former MS Senator and Gov. (and current MS Confederate Rep.) John J. McRae, writing from the Confederate House of Representatives, recommend Pvt. Miller as permanent adjutant of the 13th MS Infantry, calling him "a chivalrous gentleman and a gallant and meritorious officer." This letter has the endorsement of Pres. Davis in his own hand: "Sec. of War -- see letter annexed. -- J.D." Discharged on April 26, 1862, because he was "left out" [i.e., not re-elected or re-appointed as adjutant] at the Reorganization [of the regiment]. No further information in his military file with this command. As an honorably discharged officer, he was technically no longer liable for military service. However, not yet done serving his new nation, Miller wrote to Pres. Davis on April 27, 1862, stating that he had been left out at the reorganization, and asking that he be appointed as a Drillmaster at any of the Conscript Camps (i.e., training camps) in MS, noting his (Miller's) experience as a soldier in the Mexican War and his study of military tactics. [Note: Regarding his Mexican War service, I find Pvt. Edwin A. Miller, 1st (Crawford's) Alabama Volunteers (6-months, 1846), in a National Archives index to all American Mexican War veterans, but cannot access his actual military records from this period.] Pres. Davis, apparently searching for a way to legally restore Miller to the adjutancy of the 13th MS, wrote a note, addressed to the Sec. of War, on the back of Miller's letter: "Sec. of War -- Was the Adjutant [i.e., Miller] appointed or taken from the subalterns [i.e., junior officers] of the Regiment? If the former, [then] his office [i.e., his position in the

13th MS] is not vacated [meaning he is still the adjutant]. -- J.D." Rep. John J. McRae wrote to Davis on April 28, 1862, urging Miller's appointment as a Drillmaster, and Pres. Davis again concurred, forwarding the request to Sec. of War Campbell. In his letter, McRae wrote of patriotic E.A. Miller: "[he] does not wish to retire from the service, and will take any position the President may assign him. The one [i.e., position] asked is the one he now desires, with the hope that he may afterwards be ordered to field duty." Apparently, Miller did not receive the requested appointment as Drillmaster. [Note: Sometime in 1863, according to Miscellaneous Confederate Citizens Files, an "Edwin A. Miller" was recommended for appointment as a major, but I can find no additional information about this correspondence, which is likely to relate to the Edwin A. Miller under consideration here.] However, he did again take to the field in active service to the Confederacy. On Aug. 28, 1863, he formed "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS)]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Present for clothing issue on Jan. 21, 1864, at unspecified location, but probably somewhere in SW MS. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Appears on a Sept. 20, 1864, "Report of officers and men on enrolling [i.e., conscription] service in Sub-District No. 1 of the 7th Congressional District of Mississippi," with report dated Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS, and with notation "1 [1st?] Company of Cavalry raised for support [of the] Bureau [of] Conscription, [around] about Sept. 1863." On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (2nd) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company," [also called Co. E]), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Present on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Falconer Cemetery, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. Exact location not known, but with the following directions (courtesy of Jerry D. Mason): "Off Shubuta Waynesboro River Road, on land belonging to Ralph Stanley behind Cecil Graham's home." [***Note: A "Record" from the 13th MS Infantry states that he was born in AL and was 38 year-old in 1861, but family researchers say he was born in Charleston, SC, ca. 1828.]

Pvt. Berry Alonzo Mills [found as "B. Mills" in the military records] (b. Greene County, MS, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1914), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). [Note: 2nd Lt. B.T. Harris was an officer in this company.] Enlisted Aug. 30, 1864, at age 18. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 17, 1864, company

muster roll, but absence implied. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! "Berry Mills" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1909, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. B, Capt. B.T. Harris' Company, McGriff's Battalion, that he served two years [in this 30-day command!], and that he was in active service with his command at war's end. [Note: His command was only a 30-day command, so he could not have been in active service with it at war's end.] Louisa Mills Hinton filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1922, in which she did not state her husband's ("Berry Mills") command. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt./Bugler David Rosier Mills (b. Greene County, MS, 1835-d. Wayne County, MS, 1913), Co. D ("Capt. William McGill's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers, aka 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers. Enlisted Sept. 1, 1862, in Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 27. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on sick furlough [since] Oct. 22, 1862." Absent as Bugler on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on furlough." Absent as Bugler on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "furloughed for 7 days from 21 April 1863." On June 8, 1863, the battalion was enlarged to become the 56th AL Partisan Rangers, with Co. D of the 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers continuing as Co. D of the 56 AL Partisan Rangers. Present as Bugler on July 1, 1863, company muster roll. Present as Bugler on Aug. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Present as Bugler on Dec. 25, 1863, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. "David R. Mills" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 56th AL Cavalry, that he served until the surrender, and that his command surrendered at Washington, GA. [Note: The 56th AL actually surrendered at Greensboro, NC, at war's end.] A.P. Mills filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("David R. Mills") was a Confederate soldier in the 56th AL Cavalry. Buried in the Dave Mills Cemetery, 31.583355 -88.592610, located at the N terminus of a dirt road that branches off to the N from Chicora River Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 400 ft. SE of that road's northern intersection with Millsville Road (which road intersects Chicora River Road twice), with both a

private and a Confederate marker. [Note: The cemetery is about 700 ft. down this dirt road.]

Pvt. George Washington Mills (b. Greene County, MS, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1926), Co. G ("Houston Artillery," aka "Capt. Jonathan H. Manly's Company," and aka "Capt. Alfred Whitaker's Company," raised in Harris County, TX), 3rd Battalion TX Heavy Artillery (aka 1st Battalion TX Heavy Artillery and aka Cook's Battalion TX Heavy Artillery). Enlisted Feb. 18, 1862, in Houston, Harris County, TX, at age 24. Present or absent not stated on March 26, 1862, company muster roll. On April 28, 1862, the command was enlarged to become the 1st (Cook's) TX Heavy Artillery. Absent on Aug. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick from Aug. 28 [1862] to Sept. 10, 1862." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Medically furloughed for 30 days on June 2, 1863, from Post, Galveston Island, Galveston County, TX. Absent on Jan. 1864 Regimental Return, with notation "sick in hospital [prob. at Soule University] at Chappell Hill [Washington County, TX]." Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. "George W. Mills" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1914, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Cook's Artillery and that he served till war's end, surrendering with his command at Galveston, Galveston County, TX, at war's end. [Service to war's end not confirmed by his existing service records.] Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 - 88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker.

TENTATIVE. DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. James Albert Mills, Sr. (b. SC, 1805-d. Wayne County, MS, 1890) is the "James Mills" (I think) who sold "one heifer estimated at 275 lbs. at 18 cents per lb." to the Confederate Quartermaster at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, on Nov. 9, 1863, for \$49.50. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Tom Mills Cemetery, 31.557321 -88.632144, located appr. 400 ft. down a dirt road that branches off to the NE from a point on Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road that lies appr. 2500 ft. S of that road's intersection with John Dennis Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Thomas Alexander Mills*** [found as "Thomas Mills" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1842-d. Wayne County, MS, 1916), Co. A ("Gaines

Warriors," aka "Capt. Henry Roberts' Company," raised in Greene & Perry Counties, MS), 24th MS Infantry^{^^}. Enlisted May 15, 1862, at Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS (where the 24th was then stationed), at age 19. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. 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 Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present for clothing issue on April 30, 1864, at unspecified location (but probably in the vicinity of Dalton, Whitfield County, GA). Admitted on Jan. 12, 1865, to St. Mary's Hospital, West Point, Lowndes County, MS, suffering from "C.S." [which, I think, stands for "contusus sclopetarium" (sp), or contusion wound]. [Note: This admission probably means that he suffered some sort of non-gunshot wound at either the horrific Battle of Franklin, TN (Nov. 30, 1864), or the disastrous Battle of Nashville, TN (Dec. 15-16, 1864), as many soldier admitted to this hospital during this time frame were patients returning from those battles.] Not further information in his military file with this command. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end, the 24th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 27th MS Infantry, the 29th MS Infantry, the 30th MS Infantry, & the 34th MS Infantry to form the 24th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Mills has no records in this consolidated command. It is my conjecture that he was severely injured at one of the aforementioned battles in TN and was never again able to take the field. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Tom Mills Cemetery, 31.557321 -88.632144, located appr. 400 ft. down a dirt road that branches off to the NE from a point on Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road that lies appr. 2500 ft. S of that road's intersection with John Dennis Road, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker. [***Note: Some databases list this soldier as Thomas W. Mills or T.W. Mills, but his middle name was Alexander.] [^{^^}Note: Some databases state that this soldier served in Co. A, 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry, but this is in error, as he never served in that command and has no service records in same.]

Pvt. Curtis Moody [found as "C. Moody" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1920), "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves, which became Co. H, 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves on Sept. 3, 1864. Enlisted in Aug. 1864, according to his Confederate Pension application, which would have made him age 16. Known only from his war's-end parole. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 17,

1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! "Curtis Moody" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the "1st MS [Cavalry] Reserves." Ann L. Moody filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1924, in which she did not state her husband's ("Curtis Moody") command. Buried in Salem United Methodist Cemetery, 31.794796 - 88.508008, located on the E side of Tokio-Frost Bridge Road, appr. 4000 ft. down Tokio-Frost Bridge Road from that road's intersection with Matherville-Frost Bridge Road, Frost Bridge, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: There are three churches in Wayne County, MS, that contain the word "Salem" in their names. These are: (1) Salem Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.553992 -88.875643, on the S side of Strickland Road, appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Salem Road, Wayne County, MS. (2) Salem United Methodist Cemetery, 31.794796 -88.508008, located on the E side of Tokio-Frost Bridge Road, appr. 4000 ft. down Tokio-Frost Bridge Road from that road's intersection with Matherville-Frost Bridge Road, Frost Bridge, Wayne County, MS. (3) Salem Cemetery, 31,800566 -88.490608, located in the woods, appr. 800 ft. N of a point on Matherville-Frost Bridge Road that lies appr. 200 ft. E of the center of the Chickasawhay River on that same road.]

Pvt. James A. Moody (b. Wayne County, MS, 1831-d. Wayne County, MS, 1922), Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 13, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 31. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present for pay at Atlanta, GA, on Sept. 29, 1862. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in Hospital." 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. Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "on Furlough." On Dec. 13, 1863, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, the Post Quartermaster requested Pvt. Moody's detail as a wheelwright in the Confederate Government's shops at that place. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "on detached duty at wagon yard." On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in NC at war's end, the 37th MS Infantry was consolidated into a battalion of four companies and designated the 37th Battalion MS Infantry. Pvt. Moody served in Co. C of this command. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end in NC on April 26, 1865, with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South and physically paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Parole notes that he was on detail as a carpenter

in the Quartermaster's Department at the headquarters of Gen. E.C. Walthall's Division when surrendered. Southern Patriot! "James A. Moody" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. Buried in the Big Rock United Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.745477 -88.508418, located at 803 Big Rock Road, Gretna, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker that is inscribed "Company C, 37th Mississippi Infantry. He lived well that he might die well," as well as a Confederate marker ordered for him in 1939 by L.M. Culley.

4th Sgt. Joseph B. Moody [with middle initial alternately given as "P." or "M." in various databases and cemetery sites, but given as "B." on his CS army discharge] [found as "Joseph B. Moody" in the military records] (b. Marlboro County***, SC, 1823-d. Wayne County, MS, 1885 or 1895 [sources conflict]), Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 4th Sgt. on March 13, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 38. [Early muster roll says he was 27 years old, but this conflicts with age given later on his discharge paper.] Present on May 11, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "furloughed April 20 [1862] to 5 May [1862]." Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Aug. 1862 company muster roll states "discharged Aug. 7, 1862." Discharged at Columbus, Lowndes County, MS. His Certificate of Disability for Discharge gives his age as "forty" and states that he has been unfit for duty for 50 of the last 60 days. The Post Surgeon stated that Sgt. Moody was suffering from "chronic bronchitis which he has been laboring under for months past. He is physically unable to perform the duties of a soldier." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Moody Cemetery (aka Old Salem Methodist Church Cemetery), exact location not public, but said to be located "in the woods, on the east side of Buckatunna River, north of Frost Bridge," Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined (but probably a private marker). [***Note: Birth county taken from his CS discharge paper.]

SERVICE CLARIFIED. Henry Harvey Moore [found as "Henry H. Moore" in the military records] (b. Claiborne County, MS, ca. 1845/1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1933/1934) is listed in some databases as having served in "Co. A, 7th Battalion MS Cavalry," but there never was a 7th Battalion MS Cavalry. There was a Pvt. Henry Moore in Co. K, 7th MS Cavalry Regiment (larger than a battalion), but he died in service during the war and was already 40 years old when he enlisted in 1862, so he could not be the Henry H. Moore under consideration here. However, Henry H. Moore was a Confederate soldier. He enlisted into Co. A ("2nd Lt. Charles F. Gary's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 3rd MS Cavalry Reserves, sometime late in the war. [He stated in his Confederate Pension

application that he enlisted in Jan. 1863, though I have found no documentation to support such an early enlistment for him.] [Note: This command may also have been known as Hodges' Battalion MS Cavalry and as the 4th (Hodges') Battalion MS Cavalry.] 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 Columbus, Lowndes County, MS, on May 16, 1865. Parole gives residence as Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! "Henry H. Moore" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1919, in which he stated that he erroneously stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the "7th Miss. Battalion Cavalry," but he did correctly identify his company letter ("A") and his command's overall commander, Capt. James V. Hodges. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT POSSIBLY SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. George Jackson Mazingo (b. Darlington District, SC, 1818-d. Wayne County, MS, 1888) is listed in some databases as having served in "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves, which became Co. H, 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves on Sept. 3, 1864. However, the sole Mazingo to served in that command was the son of G.J. Mazingo -- Pvt. Gillum Pickney Mazingo (Co. H), who was just 17 years-old when he enlisted in 1864 at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS. George Jackson Mazingo himself never served in the Confederate armed forces. However, a "G. Mazingo" (sic) sold 200 bushels of fodder and 15 bushels of corn to the Confederate Quartermaster at Marion Station, Lauderdale County, MS, on Feb. 11, 1864, and it is possible that this man was George Jackson Mazingo, since G.J. Mazingo lived in nearby Choctaw County, AL, at the time and Marion Station had a large Confederate hospital which was always in need of supplies. (Potential) Southern Patriot! Buried in the Mazingo Cemetery, 31.651060 -88.781030, located on the S side of Elbert Mazingo Road, at a point on that road that lies appr. 1000 ft. W of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Gillum Pickney Mazingo [found as "Gillam Mazingo" in the military records] (b. Washington County, AL, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1917), "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. Enlisted April 16, 1864, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age

17. Present on May 1, 1864, company muster roll. On Sept. 3, 1864, Denis' Battalion was enlarge to become the 1st Regiment (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves, with Co. H of the battalion continuing as Co. H of the regiment. Admitted March 4, 1865, to Way Hospital, Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, suffering from debilitas, and furloughed medically for an unspecified number of days. Returned to service and 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 17, 1865. Parole gives residence as Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! "Gillian Mozingo," "Gillum Mozingo," and "Gilliun Mozingo" [hard to read in the various documents] filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1903 & 1916, in which he stated that he enlisted in Wayne County, MS, in 1863, served in Capt. McGriff's Company of the 1st MS Infantry until the final surrender, and surrendered with his command at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS. Matilda Dyess (sic) filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1940, in which she stated that her husband ("Gillam Mozingo") was a Confederate soldier in the 1st MS. Buried in the Mozingo Cemetery, 31.651060 - 88.781030, located on the S side of Elbert Mozingo Road, at a point on that road that lies appr. 1000 ft. W of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

IDENTITY CLARIFIED. Some databases state that a Pvt. William P. Mozingo, Co. H, 1st MS Cavalry Reserves, is buried in the Mozingo Cemetery, 31.651060 - 88.781030, located on the S side of Elbert Mozingo Road, at a point on that road that lies appr. 1000 ft. W of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker, but there is no "William P. Mozingo" buried in that cemetery and no "William P. Mozingo" was ever a Confederate soldier. "William P. Mozingo" turns out to actually be Pvt. Gillum Pickney Mozingo, who actually did serve in Co. H, 1st MS Cavalry Reserves, and who is buried in the Mozingo Cemetery with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. John W. Nelson (b. prob. Hancock County, GA, 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1902), Co. K ("Hancock Confederate Guards," aka "Capt. T.H. Latimer's Company," aka "Capt. John L. Culver's Company," aka "Capt. Mark Latimer's Company," and aka "Capt. David Connel's Company," raised in Hancock County, GA), 15th GA Infantry. Enlisted July 15, 1861, at Sparta, Hancock County, GA, at age 20. Admitted on Oct. 24, 1861, to Chimborazo Hospital No. 1, Richmond, VA, and returned to duty on Nov. 1, 1861, with reason for admission not stated. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on April 1862 company muster roll. Appears on a June 19, 1862,

Register of Chimborazo Hospital No. 5, Richmond, VA, with notation "returned to duty." [Note: June 19, 1862, date may be an admission date.] "Slightly wounded in the mouth" on June 27, 1862, at the Battle of Gaines's Mill (aka, the 1st Battle of Cold Harbor), VA. Admitted June 28, 1862, to Institute Hospital, Richmond, VA, suffering from a "gunshot wound." Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "wounded & at Hospital." Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Admitted on Jan. 19, 1863, to Chimborazo Hospital No. 2, Richmond, VA, suffering from chronic diarrhea, and returned to duty on March 5, 1863. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. [Note: May have been admitted to hospital on Jan. 19, 1863, then returned to duty, and then readmitted to hospital, thus explaining his being present on the Feb. 1863 company muster roll, yet not being "returned to duty" until March 5, 1863.] Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present at unspecified location for clothing issue covering the period May 1, 1863, to Nov. 1, 1863. Absent on Dec. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Incorrectly reported as having been killed "during the campaign of 1864" on a March 22, 1865, "List of casualties in Benning's Brigade" during said campaign. Absent on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick [on] Wounded furlough [in] Ga.," with no indication of whether or when he was actually wounded. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1864 company muster roll. Admitted Nov. 12, 1864, to Receiving & Wayside Hospital, or General Hospital No. 9, Richmond, VA, suffering from chronic diarrhea, and forwarded same day to Jackson Hospital, Richmond, VA. Returned to duty from Jackson Hospital, Richmond, VA, on Nov. 24, 1864. Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Absent on Feb. 1865 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." No further information in his military file with this command. Mary L. Nelson filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1905, in which she did not state her husband's ("J.W. Nelson") command, but stated that he enlisted in early 1862, served under Capt. J.C. Culver [actually "John L. Culver"] until war's end, and was surrendered at war's end at Richmond, VA. [Note: His actual military records do not bear out his having served till war's end or his being paroled at war's end at Richmond, VA, or anywhere else.] Buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery, 31.824667 -88.888327, located on the E side of Eucutta Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 9000 ft. S of that road's intersection with County Road 226, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. John H. [Harmon?] Newsome [found as "John H. Newsom" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1914), Co. A

("Copiah Horse Guards," aka "Capt. James M. Norman's Company," raised in Copiah County, S), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted Jan. 19, 1862, at Pass Christian, Harrison County, MS, at age 16. Present or absent not stated on Jan. 19, 1862, company muster roll, which has the notation "brought 1 horse into service." Present or absent not stated on Feb. 1, 1862, company muster roll (dated Pass Christian, Harrison County, MS), but roll has notation "brought into service 1 horse valued at \$85." Apparently transferred sometime prior to May 27, 1862, to Co. B ("Terrall Dragoons," raised in Copiah County, MS), Stockdale's Battalion MS Cavalry. Present or absent not stated on May 27, 1862, company muster roll for the Terrall Dragoons, dated Camp Moore, St. Helena Parish, LA. No further information in his military file with either of these companies or the subsequent 4th MS Cavalry, into which command Stockdale's Battalion was merged on Sept. 14, 1863. [Conjecture: I think that Pvt. Newsome was released from the service under terms of the Conscription Act, which allowed soldiers under age 18 to be released from service upon the request of a parent or guardian. However, no documentation supports this conjecture.] Buried in the Shirley Place Cemetery (aka, Shirley Church Cemetery), 31.608320 -88.797687, located on the S side of Clara Strengthford Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 7000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Benjamin Elijah Nicholson [found as "Elijah Nicholson" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1831-d. Wayne County, MS, 1862/1863), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted Oct. 15, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 30. Present on Nov. 2, 1861, company muster roll, taken at Vicksburg, MS. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command, but family sources say that he died of measles at home in 1863. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hollis Creek Church Cemetery, 31.531468 -88.832866, located on the N side of the road at 310 Pine Grove Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. Daniel Nicholson (b. Chesterfield District, SC, 1808-d. Wayne County, MS, 1875) sold "three head [of] beef cattle, estimated weight 725 lbs., at 18 cents per pound," for \$130.50 to the Confederate Quartermaster at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, on Dec. 9, 1863. On April 29, 1864, Daniel Nicholson, of "Wain County, Miss.," sold ten bushels of corn to "Col. Lowry's detachment." On July 1, 1864, Daniel Nicholson bartered two pounds of washed

wool for six yards of cotton cloth with the Confederate Quartermaster at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS. [Note: Wool was essential for making woolen uniforms for Confederate soldiers.] Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hollis Creek Church Cemetery, 31.531468 -88.832866, located on the N side of the road at 310 Pine Grove Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: A "Daniel Nicholson" was a Confederate Mail Contractor in Mississippi, but I can't find enough information on him to determine whether he's the Daniel Nicholson under consideration here.]

Pvt. Thomas Washington Norsworthy (b. MS, 1832-d. Wayne County, MS, 1905), Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted May 7, 1862, at Columbus, Lowndes County, MS, at age 29. Present on May 11, 1862, company muster roll. Discharged nine days later on May 16, 1862, with no reason for discharge stated. No further information in his military file with this command. Though he was probably not liable for further military service, he enlisted a second time, this time into (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. His enlistment date is not recorded and no service records survive for him, but he had to have enlisted before Sept. 1, 1862, on which date his hired substitute -- Pvt. John Sammons/Salmon/Salmons -- was enlisted into the service at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 50. [Note: Pvt. Sammons died in hospital at Richmond, VA, on Feb. 4, 1863.] Southern Patriot! Buried in the Gray Cemetery, 31.738050 - 88.667520, located 500 ft. due W of the intersection of Jimmy Ramey Road and Gray Cemetery Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Allen Odom (b. unknown place, unknown date-d. Wayne County, MS, 1891), "Haynie's Battery AL Light Artillery" (raised in Mobile County, AL), which became Co. C (aka "Capt. Haynie's Company"), 2nd Hallonquist's/Myrick's) Battalion AL Light Artillery. Enlisted at Cantonment Walter, near Dog River Factor, Mobile County, AL, on Feb. 15, 1862, at unknown age. Appears on an undated company muster roll, with notation "enlisted for Capt. Haynie's Company C, Light Artillery Battalion." Present on Feb. 28, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "joined by enlistment." Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll states "deserted [on] Aug. 21st [1862]." Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. "Appears on a Muster Roll of a detachment of Capt. Haynie's Company, [AL] Light Artillery, temporarily serving in the [Memphis] Appeal Battery," dated Dec. 31, 1862, "on the march to Vicksburg

[MS]," with notation "deserted Dec. 21st 1862." No further information in his military file with this command. Maranda (sic) Odom filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1904, in which she stated that her husband's ("Allen Odom") enlisted at Mobile, AL, and served in John Haney's Battery until war's end. Burial site not found.

Pvt. William Odom [found as "William Odum," "William Odom," "William Odam," and "William Andon" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1902), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted June 6, 1861, in Wayne County, MS, at age 26. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. Admitted to C.S.A. General Hospital, Farmville, Prince Edward & Cumberland Counties, VA, on Sept. 5, 1862, suffering from diarrhea. Probably received clothing issue at same hospital on Sept. 11, 1862. Returned to duty from same hospital on Sept. 15, 1862. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 25th Feb. 1863, having been on furlough of indulgence." Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Paid on descriptive list on Dec. 15, 1863, at Calhoun, Gordon County, GA. [Note: Payment "on Descriptive List" typically happened when a soldier was away from his command, either on detail, detached duty, or in hospital.] [Note: The 13th MS Infantry took part in the Battle of Chickamauga, GA, in this vicinity, which explains Pvt. Odum's presence there. He does not appear on any casualty lists for that battle and was present on the muster roll for the following month, so it is likely that he was detailed for some unstated purpose at Calhoun, GA.] Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Wounded at the Battle of Spotsylvania Courthouse, VA, on May 8, 1864. Admitted to Receiving & Wayside Hospital, or General Hospital No. 9, Richmond, VA, on Sept. 16, 1864, and forwarded to General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, the next day. Admitted to General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, on May 18, 1864. Appears on an April 30, 1864, muster roll for General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA. Absent on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital May 12, 1864, at Richmond." Returned to duty from General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, on Aug. 2, 1864. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Captured at the Battle of Berryville, Clarke County, VA, on Sept. 3, 1864, and forwarded as a POW to Harper's Ferry, WV, and then to

notorious 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 once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on Sept. 11, 1864. Released from Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp at war's end on June 11, 1865, after first having taken the Oath of Allegiance to the US. Southern Patriot! [Note: His parole incorrectly states that he is "William Andon" of Co. B, 10th MS Infantry. The National Archives double-checked POW records and definitively identified "William Andon" as actually being Pvt. William Odom, Co. B, 13th MS Infantry.] Fannie Odom filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1902 & 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("William Odom") was a Confederate soldier in the 13th MS Infantry. Buried in the Geneva Presbyterian Church Cemetery (aka the Geneva Horne Cemetery and aka the Matherville Cemetery), 31.866685 -88.566476, located behind Geneva Presbyterian Church, on the W side of L.B. Odom Drive, appr. 700 ft. N of that road's intersection with Matherville Frost Bridge Road, Matherville, Wayne County, MS, with private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Willis Odom [found as "O'Don" (sic) in some databases] (b. Perry County, MS, 1838-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906), Co. C ("Jones County Rebels," aka "Capt. Alney M. Dozier's Company," raised in Jones County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted May 12, 1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at appr. age 23/24. Present for payment of enlistment bounty at Jackson, MS, on July 7, 1862. Present on Aug. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "Willis Odom deserted from Hospital." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 1st Oct. 1862." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent in arrest." No further information in his military file with this command. Elizabeth Odom filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1907, in which she stated that her husband ("Willis Odom") was a Confederate soldier in the 7th Battalion MS Infantry and that he served till war's end, a contention that is not borne out by his actual service records. Burial site not found, but said to be buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, in an unmarked grave.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. Edward O'Donnell [found as "E. Odonald," "A. Odonal," and "Edward O'Donnell" in the military records] (b. prob. Leake County,

MS, 1843-d. Wayne County, MS, 1900), Co. E ("Leake Guards," aka "Leake Rovers," and aka "Capt. J.A. Campbell's Company," raised in Leake County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 27, 1861 [or Aug. 7, 1861 -- records conflict], in Leake County, MS, at appr. age 17/18. Present on Sept. 13, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on April 1862 company muster roll, with notation "guard on Steamer Nelons repair." Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Knoxville [Knox County, TN, on], Oct. 23, 1862." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "left sick at Knoxville by order of Surgeon." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. "Appears on a List of killed, wounded, and missing of Walthall's Brigade, in the engagement on Lookout Mountain, Tenn., Nov. 24, 1863," with notation "severely wounded." Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "wounded at [the Battle of] Lookout Mountain, Nov. 24, 1863, [and] sent to hospital by order of Surgeon." Was probably so severely wounded that he never again took to the field with his command. Served till war's end (though probably not in the field). Present for clothing issue on March 18, 1864, at Atlanta, GA. Received pay on April 23, 1864, at Atlanta, GA. Issued on hat at Selma, Dallas County, AL, on June 6, 1864. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! No further information in his military file with this command. Burial site not found, but said to be buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt. John O'Donnell (b. AL, 1843-d. Wayne County, MS, 1900***), Co. E ("Leake Guards," aka "Leake Rovers," and aka "Capt. J.A. Campbell's Company," raised in Leake County, MS), 27th MS Infantry. Enlisted at Carthage, Leake County, MS, on April 27, 1861, at age 17. Absent on Oct. 31, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] furlough from 23rd Sept. [1861], sick at home." Jan. 1862 Regimental Return states "discharged [on account of] disability" on Jan. 16, 1862, at "Camp, [in] Miss." Re-enlisted into the same company and regiment on Dec. 27, 1862, at Brookhaven, Lawrence County, MS. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with the notation "joined [i.e., enlisted] since last muster [i.e., the Dec. 1862 company muster]." This is confirmed by the April 1863 company muster roll, where he is present, with the notation "enlisted Dec. 27, 1862 [at] Brookhaven [Lawrence County, MS]." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. "Wounded severely" at the Battle of Resaca,

Gordon County, GA, on May 14-15, 1864. Appears on a "Register of Floyd House and Ocmulgee Hospitals, Macon [Bibb County], Ga.," dated June 3, 1864, suffering from a "G.S.W. [i.e., gunshot wound], flesh, of left thigh," with notation "Ap [i.e., approved] 60 days," meaning that he was approved for a furlough 60 days. Returned to service. Served till war's end. 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. O'Donnell served in Co. F of this consolidated command. Surrendered at war's end in NC on April 26, 1865, with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South and physically paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Sarah A. O'Donnell filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, 1918, & 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("John O'Donnell") was a Confederate soldier in the 27th MS. Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 - 88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined. [***Note: Death year taken from widow's Confederate Pension application.]

Pvt. James Hardy O'Gwynne [found as "Hardee O'Quinn," "Hardy O. Guinn," and "Hardy O. Gwynn" in the military records] (Monroe County, AL, 1848-d. Mobile, Mobile County, AL, 1904), Co. E ("Capt. John R. Northcutt's Company," aka "Capt. Jacob G. Mordecai's Company," raised in Calhoun County, AL), 22nd AL Infantry. No enlistment date/data. Probably a late-war enlistee. Probably enlisted at age 15 in early 1864 or at age 16 sometime after his birthday (April 7, 1864). Captured on Dec. 15, 1864, on the first day of the horrific Battle of Nashville, TN (Dec. 15-16, 1864). Forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious Camp Douglas, IL, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Douglas, IL, POW Camp on Dec. 23, 1864. Released from Camp Douglas, IL, POW Camp on June 12, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Parole gives residence as Bell's Landing [Monroe County, AL]. Southern Patriot! Hardy O'Gwynn received a Confederate Pension in Escambia, FL, in 1901 and earlier. Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. James Henry Overstreet [found as "James Overstreet" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1820-d. Wayne County, MS, 1890), Co. F ("Winston Rifles," aka "Capt. Joseph A. Comfort's Company," and aka "Capt. F.M.

Woodward's Company," raised in Winston County, MS), 5th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 4, 1863, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at appr. age 43. Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "furloughed [on] Jan. 29th [1864] for 30 days." Absent on April 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "furloughed [on] Jan. 28th 1864 [for] thirty days [and] now absent without leave." Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender a war's end in NC, the 5th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 8th MS Infantry, the 32nd MS Infantry, and the 3rd Battalion MS Infantry to form the 8th Consolidated Battalion MS Infantry. Pvt. Overstreet does not have any service records in this command. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Samuel Horace Overstreet, Sr. [found as "S. Overstreet" and "Samuel Overstreet" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1830-d. Wayne County, MS, 1920), Co. D ("Capt. William McGill's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers, aka 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers. Enlisted Sept. 1, 1862, in Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 32. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached service." Present on April 1863 company muster roll. On June 8, 1863, the battalion was enlarged to become the 56th AL Partisan Rangers, with Co. D of the 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers continuing as Co. D of the 56 AL Partisan Rangers. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 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 Mobile, Mobile County, AL, on May 30, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! [Note: His Mobile parole also states his age as 45, but this is a clerical error and should read 35.] "Samuel Overstreet" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1916 & 1920, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 56th AL Cavalry. Buried in the Sellers Cemetery, 31.696280 -88.893550, located on the W side of Sellers Cooley Drive at a point on that road that lies 300 ft. S of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, with a Confederate marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. James Rufus Palmer (b. Greene County, MS, 1828-d. Wayne County, MS, 1894). Columbia Palmer filed Confederate Widow's Pension

applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1913 & 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("James Palmer") was a Confederate soldier in (alternately) Co. G ("Lowrey Invincibles," aka "Capt. W.M. Irons' Company," raised in Tishomingo County, MS), 32nd MS Infantry or Steede's Battalion MS Cavalry. Checking those commands, I can find no service records for James Rufus Palmer (or name variants). I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. William G. Parker (b. AL, 1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1912), "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted March 17, 1862, in Washington County, AL, at age 28 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- say age 29). Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on detachment to const." [construction?]. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on April 30, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from April 28 [1863]." Returned to service. Absent on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on detached service as scout." In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry), with Co. D of Murphy's Battalion becoming Co. K of the 15th Confederate Cavalry. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 12, 1863, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached [service]." Absent on Dec. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached [service]; descriptive list furnished [on] Dec. 24 [1863]." Paid on descriptive list on Dec. 31, 1863, by Capt. Alexander McVay, Chief Pay Quartermaster at Mobile, AL. [Note: Payment "on Descriptive List" typically happened when a soldier was away from his command, either on detail, detached duty, or in hospital.] Present on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present on June 1864 company muster roll. Signed for clothing issue at unspecified location (probably in the vicinity of Mobile) on Aug. 28, 1864. Captured on April 12, 1865, in a skirmish at Claiborne, Monroe County, AL, probably while helping defend the Alabama River defenses there. No further information in his military file with this command, but, Pvt. Parker's Confederate Pension application confirms that he was taken as a POW to Mobile, AL, where he finished the war,

which ended just three weeks later in this part of the Confederacy. Southern Patriot! "William G. Parker" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1910, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 15th Confederate Cavalry. Mary Parker filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1912, in which she stated that her husband ("W.G. Parker") was a Confederate soldier in the 15th Cavalry. Mary G. Parker filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("William G. Parker") was a Confederate soldier in the 15th Cavalry. Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. Luke P. Patrick [found as "Luke Patrick" and "E.L. Patrick" in the military records] (b. MS, 1812-d. Wayne County, MS, 1896), Co. D ("Lowry Rifles," aka "Capt. William J. Finch's Company," and aka "Capt. William A. Harper's Company," raised in Smith County, MS), 6th MS Infantry. Enlisted Aug. 20, 1863, at Newton Station, Newton County, MS, at appr. age 51. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. [Note: I am not convinced that this soldier is the Luke P. Patrick under consideration here. There is also a "Luke Patrick" in the 36th MS Infantry whom I cannot tie to the Luke Patrick under consideration here.] Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

CONFEDERATE MILITARY SERVICE NOT VERIFIED, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY AND SERVED AS A CIVILIAN OFFICER OF THE CONFEDERATE GOVERNMENT. (Col.) John C. Patton (b. Wayne County, MS, 1807-d. Wayne County, MS, 1864) is listed in some databases as having been a private in Co. H ("Capt. John B. Tucker's Company," raised in Monroe County, MS), 28th MS Cavalry, but the Pvt. John C. Patton of that command was only 18 years-old when he enlisted at Aberdeen, Monroe County, MS, so they are not one and the same man. I do not know where the rank of "colonel" comes from for John C. Patton. It could be from the Mexican War or it could be a militia title, which latter title could have been current during the War of Northern Aggression, though I have been unable to find any Confederate records for him in any command. However, John C. Patton supported the CSA economically. He hired one of his slaves out for thirteen days, @ \$2 a day, to drive cattle for the Confederate Government, being paid for same on Oct. 30, 1863,

at "Wainbro" [Wayne County] MS. Additionally, John C. Patton was a Confederate Mail Contractor at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the John C. Patton Cemetery, 31.650101 -88.625750, located on the west bank of Patton Creek, appr. 500 ft. ESE of where the railroad spur crosses Marshall Durbin Drive at a point on Marshall Durbin Drive that lies appr. 1900 ft. S of that road's intersection with Industrial Park Road, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Danial William Paul (b. prob. Pike County, AL, 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1914), Co. A ("Coffee County Blues," aka "Capt. Mason C. Kimmey's Company," and aka "Capt. Daniel Coleman's Company," raised in Coffee County, AL), 33rd AL Infantry. Enlisted on Feb. 22, 1862, at Elba, Coffee County, AL, at age 20 (age according to his military records and the AL Dept. of Archives & History). 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. No further information in his military file with this command. However, it should be noted that this AL command, like so many other AL commands, is exceedingly poorly documented. Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Lee Perry [found as "Lee Peary" and "Lee Perry" in the military records] (b. MS, 1830-d. Wayne County, MS, 1889***), "Capt. E.A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry" (raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), which became (2nd) Co. A ("Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Enlisted Oct. 3, 1863, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age appr. age 33. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "detailed [to go] home to get a horse." Present on Oct. 31, 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Rebecca Ann Perry filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1912 & 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("Lee Perry") enlisted in Wayne County, MS, "in the fall of 1863," that he served under "Col. Adams" (actually Gen. Wirt Adams) and "Capt. Miller (Capt. E.C. Miller) in "Capt. Miller's Company," of "Morman's Battalion" [i.e., "(George) Moorman's Battalion"], that he served until war's end, and that he died at home in "Oct. 1889." Buried in the

Big Rock United Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.745477 -88.508418, located at 803 Big Rock Road, Gretna, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.
[***Note: Death year taken from wife's Confederate Pension application.]

Pvt. Henry Jeter Pettus (b. prob. Winston County, MS, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1929), Co. A ("Capt. T.N. Perrin's Company," raised in Kemper & Neshoba Counties, MS), (R.O.) Perrin's Battalion MS State Cavalry. Enlisted June 23, 1863, at Scooba, Kemper County, MS, at age 16. Present or absent not stated on July 1, 1863, company muster roll, but notation states that he was using a "Government Horse." Present on company muster-out roll, dated Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, Oct. 6, 1863, with notation "using State horse." No further information in his military file with this command. However, Henry Jeter Pettus was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time into Co. G ("Noxubee Cavalry," aka "Capt. H.W. Foote's Company," and aka "Capt. James A. King's Company," raised in Noxubee County, MS), 1st (Pinson's) MS Cavalry. Enlisted June 1, 1864, at Macon, Noxubee County, MS, at age 17. Present on June 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1864 company muster roll. Captured April 2, 1865, at Selma, Dallas County, AL, and released (probably after having been paroled). Returned to service. 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 as a Sgt. at Columbus, Lowndes County, MS, on May 16, 1865. Parole gives residence as Sumter County, AL. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Powe Cemetery, 31.547971 -88.546221, located appr. 2000 ft. WSW of the juncture of an unnamed dirt road with Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road at a point on the latter road that lies appr. 800 ft. S of that road's intersection with McCann Farm Road, Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

2nd Lt. William Bacon Pettus [found as "William Bacon Pettus" in the military records] (b. Limestone County, AL, 1817-d. Washington County, AL, 1894), Co. E ("Kemper Deer Hunters," aka "Capt. Edmond Newell's Company," raised at Macon, Noxubee County, MS, but mainly of men from Kemper County, MS), 1st MS Infantry (State Troops) (Reserves) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 18, 1864, at Macon, Noxubee County, MS, at age 46 (three days before his 47th birthday). Residence given in military papers as Gainesville Junction, Kemper County, MS. No further information in his military file with this command. Buried in the Powe Cemetery, 31.547971 -88.546221, located appr. 2000 ft. WSW of the juncture of an unnamed dirt road with Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road at a point on the latter

road that lies appr. 800 ft. S of that road's intersection with McCann Farm Road, Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. James Louis Phillips (b. Columbia County, GA, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1921), Capt. James Stapleton's Company of Dismounted Cavalry (raised in Jefferson County, GA), Wright's Battalion GA Cavalry, which became the 12th (Wright's) Regiment GA State Guards (Cavalry). [Note: Wright's Battalion was raised "for local defence, to serve for the defence of the territory lying on the east side of a straight line running from Augusta [GA] to Macon [GA], and to include not more or less than one-fourth of the State [of GA]." Enlisted Aug. 4, 1863, at Louisville, Jefferson County, GA, at age 18, with his horse valued at \$350. Present on Jan. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "company called into active service and pay commenced [on] January 6, 1864." A further notation on this roll states "A letter transmitting the roll is dated Savannah [GA], January 31, 1864, and shows that the troops were called out for a less period than six months and that their term expired that date." No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Strengthford Cemetery, 31.615053 - 88.882380, located on the S side of Strengthford Cooley Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 750 ft. E of that road's junction with Strengthford Pleasant Grove Road/Salem Road, Strengthford, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Ben Pickett (b. prob. AL, ca. 1847-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1918) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1918, in which he stated that he served a Confederate soldier named Joe Wood during 1864 & 1865, that Joe Wood served under "Capt. McGill" in "Ferguson's Brigade." One Hall R. Evans vouched for Ben Pickett's service as a Confederate Servant. However, there are so many dozens of AL CS soldiers named "J. Wood," "J. Woods," "Joseph Wood," "Joseph Woods," etc., that it has been impossible to identify the Confederate soldier whom Confederate Servant Ben Pickett served. Burial site not found.

SERVICE CLARIFIED. Pvt. William Martin Phippen (b. Jasper County, MS, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1923), Co. F ("Capt. Steele's Company," raised in Kemper County, MS), 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry. Enlisted Oct. 31, 1863, in Clarke County, MS, at age 18. Present on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "detailed with broke (sic) down horses." No further information in his military file with this command. "W.M. Pippin" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in

1920, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the (non-existent) 13th MS Cavalry, but correctly named his captain and his colonel in the 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry. He also stated that he was with his command when it surrendered in Greensboro, NC, but he has no war's-end NC parole. Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 - 88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker that is inscribed with the wrong service data, as there never was a "Co. K, 13th MS Cavalry," because there never was a 13th MS Cavalry in the first place.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Charles Pittman (b. MS, ca. 1844-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1929) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1929 in which he stated that he was a "servant, but also engaged in driving beef cattle and supply wagon," that he began his service in 1862 in Wayne County, MS, that he served a Confederate soldier named E.D. Pittman [4th Sgt. Edward Davis Pittman, "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Company" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, which, in Sept. 1863, finally became Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry], and that he was in active service when the final surrender came. Burial site not found.

Pvt./4th Sgt. Edward Davis Pittman [found as "E.D. Pittman," "E.D. Pitman," and "E. Pittman" in the military records] (b. AL, 1835-d. Clarke County, MS, 1915), "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Company" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, which, in Sept. 1863, finally became Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry. Enlisted as 4th Sgt. on March 17, 1862, in Washington County, AL, at age 27 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was 25). Absent on June 1862 company muster, with notation "absent on sick furlough." Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on detached service at Pascagoula [Jackson County, MS]." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Feb. 1863 company muster roll states "discharged by [the hiring of a] substitute in the person of John Murphy [on] Jan. 20, 1863." [Note: He was probably discharged at Hall's Mills, Mobile County, AL.] No further information in his military file with this command. [Note: His substitute, Pvt. John Murphy, was later deemed unfit for field service, but served from Sept. 1864 onward as a hospital nurse. He eventually deserted on April 12, 1865, but Mobile had been

overrun and the war was essentially over by that time.] However, Sgt. Pittman was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time (this time as private) on Feb. 2, 1864, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 29, into his old company -- Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry. Present on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present on June 1864 company muster roll. Present for clothing issue on Aug. 28, 1864, at unspecified location (but almost certainly in the Mobile County, AL, area). 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a broken private marker.

Pvt. James B. [Boykin? Burnett?] Pittman [found as "James B. Pittman" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1824-d. Wayne County, MS, 1900), Co. I ("Capt. Matthew Calvert's Company," aka "Capt. Wells Thompson's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 36th AL Infantry. No enlistment date/data. Must have been a late-war enlistee, enlisting in late 1864 at appr. age 39 or 40. Captured on Dec. 16, 1864, on the second day of the horrific Battle of Nashville, TN (Dec. 15-16, 1864), and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and then to notorious 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 once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on Jan. 4, 1865. Released from Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on June 12, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Elizabeth Pittman filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("James B. Pittman") was a Confederate soldier in the 36th AL. Buried in the Pittman Cemetery, 31.504427 -88.709666, located about 250 ft. down Pittman Cemetery Road, which branches off due E from Clara Road (aka, Clara Buckatunna Road) at a point on Clara Road that lies appr. 800 ft. N of that road's junction with Arthur Pittman Drive, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker ordered for him in 1941 by Sam W. Cochran.

Pvt./1st Corp. John Wesley Pittman, Jr. (b. Wayne County, MS, 1840-KIA, Dec. 11, 1862), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 17,

1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 20. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. Present as 1st Corp. on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Dec. 1862 company muster roll states "killed in action in [the Battle of 1st] Fredericksburg [VA, on] Dec. 11, 1862." "Appears on a List of casualties in McLaw's Division in the battles before Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 11 to 13, 1862," with notation "killed." No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. John Wesley Pittman, Sr. (b. Darlington District, SC, 1806-d. Wayne County, MS, 1887) sold "Three head of Beef Cattle, Estimated weight Nett @ 1100 pounds @ 18 cents [per pound]" for \$198.00 to the Confederate Commissary of Subsistence at "Wainsboro" [i.e., Waynesboro, Wayne County], Miss.," on Oct. 30, 1863. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt./4th Corp./3rd Corp./2nd Corp. Irvin Lafayette Plummer [found as "I.L. Plummer" and "J.L. Plummer" (with script capital "I's" and "J's" often being confused) in the military records] (b. Cleveland County, NC, ca. 1839***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1920), "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted as a private on July 2, 1862, at Bayou La Batre, Mobile County, AL, at age 23, and paid enlistment bounty of \$50 on same day. Present on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on detached service at Pascagoula [Jackson County, MS]." Present as 4th Corp. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "promoted from private [on] Dec. 9, 1862." Present as 4th Corp. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Corp. on April 30, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "[on] detached [service]; promoted from 4th Corp. [on] March 12, 1863." Absent as 3rd Corp. on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on detached service as scout." In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry), with Capt. McKellar's

Company becoming Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 12, 1863, company muster roll, where he is shown as 2nd Corp. Present as 2nd Corp. on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Present as 2nd Corp. on Dec. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Absent as 2nd Corp. on April 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "on furlough of 40 days from 1 April [1864]." Present as 2nd Corp. on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present for clothing issue on Aug. 28, 1864, probably near Mobile, Mobile County, AL. Served till war's end as 2nd Corp. Surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Emmaline Plummer filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which she stated that her husband ("I.L. Plummer") was a Confederate soldier in Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry. Said to be buried in the New Hope Cemetery, 31.753437 -88.707657, located on the SW side of Old River Road, at a point on that road that lies appr. 8000 ft. S and E of that road's junction with Marshall Doherty Drive, West King, Wayne County, MS, in an unmarked grave. [***Note: Birth year calculated from age at enlistment (23) given in military papers.]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Jacob Pou (b. prob. AL, ca. 1837-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1924) filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1907, 1916, & 1924 [that are mil-filed under "Jacob Pan" and "Jacob Pon," with "Pou" being mistaken for "Pan" and "Pon"]. Servant Pou served (Dr.) Pvt. James Francis Pou, Sr., who was a Confederate soldier in "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (2nd) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company," [also called Co. E]), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Servant Pou served Pvt. Pou in 1864 and 1865, and was with Pvt. Pou when his command surrendered at war's end at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, with famed Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces. Servant Pou's burial site has not been found.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Henry Pou (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, between 1900 & 1904) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900 [with that application being mis-filed under "Henry Pon"], in which he stated that he served Clarence Pou, a Confederate soldier who was in Co. B,

13th MS Infantry, during 1863 and 1864. There are two soldiers in that company and command whom Servant Pou could have served -- 3rd Sgt. William C. Pou/Pow/Powe and Pvt. Calvin Pou/Powe (d. 1862). He probably served 3rd Sgt. William C. Pou, who was terribly wounded at the Battle of Chickamauga on Sept. 20, 1863, and was assigned to the Commissary Dept. in Wayne County for much of the next two years. Rose Pon filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1904, in which she stated that her husband ("Henry Pon") was a Confederate servant to Clarence Pou [prob. 3rd Sgt. Wm. C. Pou/Pow/Powe] and Wiley Pou [Pvt. Wiley O. Pou/Pow/Powe, who was killed in action at the Battle of Malvern Hill on July 1, 1862], soldiers in Co. B, 13th MS Infantry. Confederate Servant Henry Pou's burial site has not been found.

(Dr.) Pvt. James Francis Pou, Sr. [found in the military records as "J.F. Pon," "G.F. Pon," "John F. Pou," and "J. Frank Pon (sic)"] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1927), "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted Jan. 20, 1864, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 17. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (2nd) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company," [also called Co. E]), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Present on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! James Francis Pou (mis-filed as "James Francis Pon") filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which he stated that he enlisted in Feb. 1863 in Wayne County, MS, into Capt. E.A. Miller's Company of the 24th MS Cavalry, and that he was in active service with that command at the final surrender at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL. [Signature is clearly "James Francis Pou."] James Francis Pou (mil-filed as "James Francis Pan") filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1924, in which he stated that he enlisted in Feb. 1863 into Capt. E.A. Miller's Company, served under Col. Moorman, and was in active service at the final surrender. [Signature is clearly "J.F. Pou, Sr."] Grace M. Pou [mis-filed as "Grace M. Pon"] filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1928, in which she stated that her husband ("James Francis Pon") was a Confederate soldier in the 24th MS Cavalry. [Signature is clearly "Grace M. Pou."] Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with both a

private and a VA Confederate marker that was ordered for him by his widow ("Mrs. J.F Pou") in 1931.

3rd Sgt. Robert Louis Pou [mis-filed in the military records as "R.L. Pon"] (b. Orangeburg County, SC, 1809-d. Wayne County, MS, 1869), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 23, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at age 55. Present on Setp. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file for this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Jame Eugene Powe (b. Wayne County, MS, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1885), Co. I ("Capt. Matthew Calvert's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 36th AL Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 11, 1863, in Wayne County, MS, at age 36/37. Discharged for disability at "Camp near Tullahoma [Coffee & Franklin Counties], Tenn., May 17th 1863," with surgeon stating "I find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of double hernia; he has been ruptured on one side for several years and on the other [side] for several months; he is unfit for service in any department and I therefore respectfully recommend that he be discharged." Age given on discharge paper as 40 years-old, but ages are often "off" by several years in Confederate military papers. Discharge approved by Gen. Braxton Bragg. Southern Patriot! Harriett Powe filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1907 & 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("James E. Powe") was a Confederate soldier in Co. I, 36th AL, but incorrectly stated that he served till the final surrender. She also correctly stated that he was discharged at Tullahoma, Coffee & Franklin Counties, TN. Buried in the Chicora Davis Cemetery (aka the Davis Cemetery), with the gravel access road leading to the cemetery being located at 31.575729 -88.584870 or at a point on Chicora River Road that lies appr. 2200 ft. N of that road's southern intersection with Millsville Road, Chicora, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: Millsville Road loops back and intersects again with Chicora River Road further north. Note, too, that the gravel access road runs SW from Chicora River Road to the cemetery.]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant John Powe (b. prob. Choctaw County, AL, ca. 1849-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1919) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1919, in which he stated that he was a Confederate servant during the last two years of the war to "Capt. Bill Smith" of the 54th AL Infantry and that he

(Servant Powe) was "at home in Choctaw County, Ala.," when the war ended. "Capt. Bill Smith" turns out to be Capt. William S. Smith of Co. F ("Andy Moore's Guards," raised in Choctaw County, AL), 54th AL Infantry (formerly 4th Confederate Infantry, aka the 1st AL, TN, & MS Infantry). Confederate Servant Powe's burial site has not been found.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Malley Powe (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1845-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1909) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1909, in which he stated that he served "Col. Sam Powe" [probably a post-war honorific] for three years, beginning in 1863, and that Sam Powe served in Capt. Miller's Co. A of Col. Moorman's command. This soldier is 1st Lt. Samuel H. Powe, "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS)]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. 1st Lt. Powe served till war's end, surrendering at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and being physically paroled with famed Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Confederate Servant Powe's burial site has not been found.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. Railroad Station Master Rufus Marshall Powe, Sr. (b. Wayne County, MS, 1824-d. Wayne County, MS, 1903) served as the Winchester, Wayne County, MS, station agent for the Mobile & Ohio Railroad, in which capacity he assisted in shipping soldiers and supplies for the Confederate government. R.M. Powe was also privately paid \$150 on Nov. 14, 1863, "for one cow killed by Steede's Battalion [MS Cavalry]." R.M. Powe was also paid \$53 privately on June 24, 1863, "for hire of 2 wagons & teams [for] 7 days." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

1st Lt./Capt. Samuel Henry Powe (b. Wayne County, MS, 1818-d. Wayne County, MS, 1896), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. Samuel Henry Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted as

a 1st Lt. on April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 42. Absent as 1st Lt. on June 1861 Regimental Return, with notation "absent on recruiting service from 28 June [1862] to 10 July [1862]." Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Absent as 1st Lt. on Nov. 1861 Regimental Return, with notation "absent on leave to obtain Blankets for company [from] Nov. 28, 1861." Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. Absent as captain on Sept. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "in Mississippi since Aug. 25 [1862] on recruiting service." Absent as captain on Oct. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "absent on detached duty since July 25, 1862." Present as captain on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. On detached service in command of conscripts from ca. Nov. 1, 1862, until Nov. 23, 1862. Present as captain on Nov. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "near Fredericksburg [VA]." Present as captain on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "returned to company [on] Nov. 23, 1862, from being in charge of conscripts." Present as captain on Dec. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "Fredericksburg [VA]." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Resigned the captaincy on Feb. 12, 1863, writing "[I] now ask to be relieved only on account of my inability to perform active field duty. My health has been gradually declining for the last three months and has become so much impaired of late as to unfit me entirely for any field duty whatever." The Chief Surgeon of his Division wrote "[I] find him unfit for military duty in consequence of indigestion, produced by an atonic condition of the digestive apparatus; I therefore recommend that his resignation be accepted." Regarding his resignation, Capt. Powe asked that his colonel forward same, stating "I act purely from conscientious motives, knowing the condition of my health from past experience better than almost any other person. The idea of holding onto a position the duties of which has [sic] and in all probability would have to be performed by another for months is entirely repugnant to my notions of propriety." Brig. Gen. Barksdale suggested a two-months' leave of absence back home to MS, but Gen. Robert E. Lee accepted Capt. Powe's resignation. However, Samuel Henry Powe was not quite done serving his new nation. He recovered his health and enlisted a second time, this time as a 1st Lt., into "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS)]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted Sept. 1, 1863, almost certainly in Wayne County, MS, at age 45, and elected 1st Lt. same day. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Absent on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent with leave." Absent on Oct. 31, 1864, company muster

roll, with notation "due [back to company on] 1st Nov. 1864, by authority of Commander of Conscripts." Served till war's end, surrendering at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and being physically paroled with famed Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Powe Cemetery, 31.547971 -88.546221, located appr. 2000 ft. WSW of the juncture of an unnamed dirt road with Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road at a point on the latter road that lies appr. 800 ft. S of that road's intersection with McCann Farm Road, Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Abraham Abel Pryor (b. Jones County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1936) filed [as "A. Pryor"] a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1935, in which he did not state his command, but stated that he enlisted in 1864 in Wayne County, MS, into a company commanded by Capt. Daniel McCall, and that he was in active service with his command at the final surrender. However, I can find no service records for Abraham Abel Pryor and I cannot find any Capt. Daniel McCall in Confederate service in MS, AL, or in any Confederate national command. I do not believe that Abraham Abel Pryor was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church Cemetery (aka, Pleasant Grove Cemetery), 31.708333 -88.922330, located on the W side of Pleasant Grove Sandersville Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 500 ft. S of that road's junction with Old US Hwy. 84 (on the S side of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church), Pleasant Grove, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. James S. Pryor [found in the records as "James Pryor"] (b. TN, 1811***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1886) bartered "(8) Eight Pounds unwashed Wool at Three dollars & half [dollars] per pound" for "Five pounds of Cotton Yarn" and "One Yard of Cotton Cloth" with the Confederate Quartermaster at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, on May 16, 1864. Wool was in great demand because it was essential for making woolen uniforms for Confederate soldiers. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Sellers Cemetery, 31.696280 -88.893550, located on the W side of Sellers Cooley Drive at a point on that road that lies 300 ft. S of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, with a private marker. [***Note: Birth year taken from the 1870 US Census for Wayne County, MS.]

Pvt. George Minor Pylant (sic) [found as "J.M. Pilant" in the military records] (b. Pike County, AL, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1922), Co. A ("Morehead Rangers," aka "Capt. Andrew P. Love's Company," raised in Pike County, AL, "for

the support of the Volunteers and Conscript Bureau, Headquarters at Troy [Pike County], Ala."), 4th (Love's) Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted Oct. 28, 1863, at Troy, Pike County, AL, at age 17. Present on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. [Note: During part of 1864, Love's Battalion AL Cavalry was temporarily attached to Phillip's GA Legion.] On July 11, 1864, the "Morehead Rangers" were transferred to the Jeff Davis Legion MS Cavalry, becoming Co. H of that command. However, Pvt. Pylant has no service records in that command. Rather, he appears as present on the Aug. 1, 1864, company muster roll for the "Morehead Rangers" (which may simply be the final official muster of that company before it actually, physically joined the Jeff Davis Legion). No further information in his military file with any of the above commands. "George Minor Pylant" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1911 & 1922, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the "Jeff Davis Legion AL Volunteers" and that he was in active service with his command at Petersburg, VA, when the final surrender came. [Note: His actual military records do not bear out his having served till war's end.] Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 - 88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt./1st Lt. Beckum Samuel Ramey [found as "Beck Ramey," "Buck Ramey," and "B.S. Ramey" in the military records and mis-indexed as "Rainey" in some databases] (b. Abbeville District, SC***, 1832-d. Wayne County, MS, 1917), Co. B^^ ("Chickasaw Rangers," raised in Chickasaw County, MS), 2nd Battalion MS Cavalry, which became Co. B, Jeff Davis Legion MS Cavalry. Enlisted Sept. 20, 1862, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 30. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on furlough since Sept. 20th 1862." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Discharged on March 1, 1863, somewhere in northern VA "by reason of the said Beck Ramey has furnished a substitute." No further information in his military file with this command. However, he served as a 1st Lt. in the Wayne County Militia (Home Guard), though all I have been able to find on him in this command is his name and rank. Southern Patriot! "B.S. Ramey" received a Confederate Pension of \$424.80 (a huge amount at that time!) in Wayne County, MS, in 1898. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: Birth district/state taken from his CS army discharge paper.] [^^^Note: Some databases state that Pvt. Ramey served in Co. C ("Southern Guards," raised in Kemper County, MS), 2nd Battalion MS

Cavalry, which became Co. C, Jeff Davis Legion MS Cavalry, but he never served in that company and has no service records in same.]

Pvt. Samuel Harrison Rainwater [found as "Harrison Rainwater" in the military records] (b. Lauderdale County, MS, 1849-d. Wayne County, MS, 1900), Co. H ("Merwin Guards," aka "Capt. Hiram Newton Berry's Company of Infantry," raised in Clarke County, MS), 1st MS Infantry Reserves (aka, "Reserve Corps, State of Mississippi"). Enlisted April 20, 1864, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 15. Absent on Oct. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent on detached service at Tupelo [Lee County], Miss., [since] Oct. 23, 1864." Present on Dec. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this reserve command. Young Southern Patriot! Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined, but said to be buried in an unmarked grave.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Walter H. Reon (b. UNKNOWN [possibly PA], 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1911). Elizabeth Ann Reon (sic) filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Jones County, MS, in 1920 in which she stated that her husband ("Walter H. Reon") was a Confederate soldier, but did not state his command. In answer to the question, "In what State and County did he reside when he enlisted in the service of the Confederate States?" -- she replied, "Penn. [forgoing word illegible, but believed to be Penn.], but came south." I have been unable to find any genealogy for this man and have been unable to determine any command in which he might have served. Buried in the Chason Cemetery, 31.531322 -88.494664, located on the E side of Chason-Eret Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 9000 ft. S of that road's intersection with Buckatunna-Millry Road, Buckatunna, Wayne Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

YANKEE SOLDIER, NOT CONFEDERATE SOLDIER. Pvt. Willis Griffith Rigney (b. Pittsylvania County, VA, 1836-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906), Co. L, 1st IN Heavy Artillery. Enlisted July 22, 1863, and deserted on July 27, 1865. His desertion was apparently forgiven years after the war in order for him to receive a Federal Pension, which his wife apparently continued to receive after his death. Buried in the Providence United Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.464127 - 88.572906, located appr. 400 ft W of a point on Chicora Greene County Road that lies appr. 1000 ft. S of that road's intersection with Big Creek, Wayne County, MS, with a Federal/Yankee marker.

Pvt. Peter Roberson (sic) [found as "Peter Robertson," "Peter Robinson," and "Peter Roberson" in the military records] (b. Fairfield County, SC, 1816-d. Wayne County, MS, 1901), Co. D ("Clarke Minute Men," aka "Capt. F.M. Eckford's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863). Enlisted April 1, 1863, at Columbus, Lowndes County, MS (where the regiment was on guard duty), at age 47. Surrendered at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Absent on July 17, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absentee, at home sick," but this statement about being at home sick is almost certainly incorrect, as Pvt. Roberson "appears on a List of sick and wounded [Confederate POW's captured at Vicksburg] transferred from Hospital No. 1, Vicksburg, Miss., to Mobile, Ala." [Note: Similarly captured POW's from the fall of Vicksburg appear on an undated "List of Surgeons, Assistant Surgeons, Attendants, and sick Confederate Prisoners of war captured at the capitulation of Vicksburg, Miss....now on board the U.S. Steamer H. Chouteau en route for Mobile, AL, via New Orleans, La." Pvt. Roberson's name almost certainly should have been on that list.] These prisoners would have been delivered under a flag of truce to Point Clear, Baldwin County, AL, on Mobile Bay, where there was a large Confederate hospital and cemetery, so Pvt. Roberson would have probably still been in transit from Vicksburg, MS, to Point Clear, AL, at the time of the July 17, 1863, company muster roll. Robinson's MS Infantry was officially discharged at Columbus, Lowndes County, MS, on Sept. 22, 1863, but they were only paid to July 17, 1863, the date that Gen. John Pemberton disbanded the command. No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 -88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. Benjamin Franklin Roberts (b. Greene County, MS, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1925), "B.F. Roberts" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1904 & 1917, in which he variously stated that he enlisted in 1862 (or 1864) in Wayne County (or Greene County), MS, that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. H, 1st MS Cavalry, Reserve Corps, under Col. Denny and Capt. McGriff, and that he served in said company until war's end. The only company/command that B.F. Roberts could have been referring to is "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves, which became Co. H, 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves on Sept. 3, 1864. However, B.F. Roberts has no service records in that

command. I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. Mrs. B.F. Roberts filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1925, in which she did not state her husband's ("B.F. Roberts") command, but stated that he served under "Capt. McGriff" in "Co. H." Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker that he did not earn. When William Roberts ordered a VA Confederate marker for B.F. Roberts in 1938, the VA could not verify Confederate service for B.F. Roberts (since he never served), so the VA asked the State of MS whether B.F. Roberts had every received a Confederate pension. Since the Confederate pension applications of both B.F. Roberts and Mrs. B.F. Roberts were rubber-stamped by the Wayne County, MS, Pension Board (the board not having access to Confederate military records), the MS Dept. of Public Accounts verified the issuance of said pensions, which was good enough for the VA to issue the headstone. [Note: Some database state that B.F. Roberts served in Co. H, "15th MS Cavalry Reserves," but there was never any such MS cavalry command; this is simply a transcription error for "1st MS Cavalry Reserves."]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Cook/Servant Bun (sic) Rogers (b. prob. AL, ca. 1825-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1908) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1908, in which he stated that he served "Capt. Brucne" [Brewer? Bruce?] for three years, 1862-1865, that he drove a baggage wagon and cooked, that he was crippled by a wagon near Atlanta, GA, which accident broke his arm, that he was at Atlanta, GA, when the war ended. A.R. Moody supported Servant Rogers' pension application, writing from Ellisville, Jones County, MS, on Aug. 31, 1908, "You will find my brother, Merritt, at Corinth, Miss. Hope he can give the old darkey (sic) the information he wants regarding his pension. I think he deserves it, as I know him to be a good darkey." Merritt M. Moody, writing on Sept. 3, 1908, from Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, also supported a Confederate Pension for Servant Rogers, saying, "I knew Bun Home (sic) and he went through the war and was a good faithful old servant. He drove a wagon all during the war." Burial site not found.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. "W.I. Rogers." Caroline C. Rogers filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which she stated that her first husband ("John Hamorick," who is listed as "John Hamrick" in records of the 36th AL) died in service while a member of Co. I, 36th AL Infantry. (He is almost

certainly buried in AL.) She then married W.I. Rogers, but it is unclear whether W.I. Rogers was ever a Confederate soldier, as I have been unable to identify him from existing information.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Zachariah Rogers (b. Wayne County, MS, 1820-d. Wayne County, MS, 1895). S.J. Rogers filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1906, in which she stated that her husband ("Zachariah Rogers") was a Confederate soldier in Co. I ("Capt. Matthew Calvert's Company," aka "Capt. Wells Thompson's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 36th AL Infantry, but he has no service records in that command or any other AL CS command. Burial site not found.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Owen Thomas Rowe (b. prob. AL, ca. 1847-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, 1927) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1920, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the "AL State Troops," that he enlisted in Coffee County, AL, in 1864, and that he served under Capt. Richard Cook until war's end, but I have been unable to find him in any AL CS command. Burial site not found.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. James W. Rowell (b. prob. Lauderdale County, MS, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1893) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in (Old) Co. K/(New) Co. F ("Clarke County Rangers," aka "Capt. J.T. Gates' Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 8th MS Infantry, but he has no service records in that command. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender a war's end in NC, the 8th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 5th MS Infantry, the 32nd MS Infantry, and the 3rd Battalion MS Infantry to form the 8th Consolidated Battalion MS Infantry. James W. Rowell has no service records in this successor command to the 8th MS Infantry either. I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. [Note: The "J. Roel" of the 8th MS Infantry turns out to be a J.D. Rowell, who was already 21 years old in 1861 -- some six years older than the James W. Rowell under consideration here.] Buried in the Rowell Cemetery, located "a few hundred yards" E of Concord Cemetery at point on Springhill Church Road that lies appr. 1.5 miles S of that road's intersection with Clarke County Road 210, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Albert G. Russell [found as "Albert G. Russell" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1906), Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Probably enlisted when the company was organized on March 13,

1862, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 28. 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 "absent sick in Hospital." Ditto on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. "Appears on a List of casualties in Hebert's Brigade, at the Siege of Vicksburg, Miss., May 17 [1863] to July 4, 1863," with notation "wounded in trenches slightly." Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Reported to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, sometime prior to Oct. 31, 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. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, taken at Parole Camp, Enterprise, Clarke County, MS. Absent on the Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." However, Pvt. Russell was not actually AWOL, as he had been temporarily assigned to another command, as shown by the Oct. 31, 1864, company muster roll for "Capt. Benjamin Toomer's AL Company for Local Defense & Special Service" [and established for duty "solely within the county and city of Mobile"], aka "Chunchula Guards" (raised at Chunchula, Mobile County, AL), which company became Co. G, 4th AL Reserves. [However, from Aug. 10, 1864, and for an unspecified length of time, the company did "duty as Co. D, in [the Mobile] City Battalion, Lt. Col. S.W. Cayce commanding, under Special Order No. 223, dated Aug. 10, 1864."] That Oct. 31, 1864, company muster roll for Co. G, 4th AL Reserves states "absent, sick in Hospital Mrne [i.e., Marine Hospital] [since] Oct. 31, 1864; assigned for temporary duty [to Co. G, 4th AL Reserves, on] Aug. 9, 1864, from Co. C, 37th Regiment Mississippi Volunteers, by Lt. J. McConnell, Assistant Provost Marshall [of Mobile, Mobile County, AL]." Admitted March 3, 1865, to 1st Mississippi C.S.A. Hospital, Jackson, Hinds County, MS, suffering from "sub. con. ankle joint" [some sort of contusion of the ankle?] and furloughed from the same hospital on April 25, 1865. [Note: This injury must have been severe for it to cause him to stay nearly two months in the hospital and then be furloughed. I cannot tell from existing records where he might have received this injury.] 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 (as a private in Co. C, 37th MS Infantry) at Talladega, Talladega County, AL, on May 25, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Boice Cemetery (aka the Keahey Cemetery), 31.748288 -88.662108, located appr. 300 ft. due N of a point on Rainwater Drive that lies appr. 2500 ft. due W of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 45, Boice, Wayne County, MS, with a

private marker. [Note: Just W of the indicated point on Rainwater Drive, there may be a right-hand gravel road that leads to the cemetery. Difficult to determine from satellite photos due to heavy tree growth.]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Pvt. George F. Russell (b. prob. Clarke or Wayne County, MS, ca. 1832-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1902), Co. D ("Quitman Invincibles," raised in Clarke County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Probably enlisted on April 19, 1861, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 28 (though military records say age 23, which I think is a transcription error for "28," as G.F. Russell gave his age as 70 in 1902). Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Captured at the surrender of Fort Donelson, TN, on Feb. 16, 1862. Present on a "Roll of Prisoners of War at Camp Douglas, Ill., Aug. 1, 1862." Forwarded for exchange from Camp Douglas, IL, to Vicksburg, MS, on Sept. 2, 1862. Physically exchanged from aboard the US Steamer John H. Done at Vicksburg, MS, on Sept. 20, 1862. Present on Sept. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on June 29, 1863, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 29, 1863, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Severely wounded in action during the 30-day Siege of Atlanta, GA, on Aug. 10, 1864. Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "was wounded in action & sent to Hospital by [the] Surgeon of the Regiment [on] Aug. 10, 1864." No further information in his military file with this command, but he was severely wounded on Aug. 10, 1864, and was probably not physically able to ever again take the field with his command. Southern Patriot! "G.F. Russell" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1902, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Co. D, 14th MS Infantry, that he enlisted in Clarke County, MS, that he served nearly four years, that he was wounded twice on Aug. 10, 1864, at Atlanta, GA ("shot in right breast [with] 3 ribs broken and flesh wound in right hip"), and that he was in hospital when the final surrender came. Burial site not found.

2nd Sgt./2nd Lt./1st Lt./Capt. William N. Ryle [found as "William N. Ryle" in the military records] (b. prob. Wilkinson County, GA, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1918***), Co. B ("Ramah Guards," aka "Capt. Robert W. Folsom's Company," aka "Capt. Charles C. Kelley's Company," and aka "Capt. William N. Ryle's Company," raised in Wilkinson County, GA), 14th GA Infantry. Enlisted as 2nd Sgt. on July 9, 1861, at Gordon, Wilkinson County, GA, at age 24. Absent on Oct. 1861, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick at Rockbridge Alm [i.e., 'Alum'] Springs [Rockbridge County, VA]." Promoted to 2nd Lt. on Feb. 18,

1862. Lt. Ryle admitted Aug. 15, 1862, to General Hospital No. 2, Lynchburg, VA. 2nd Lt. Ryle absent on Oct. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "sick in Lynchburg [VA] Hospital; went to Hospital [on] Aug. 12, 1862." 2nd Lt. Ryle absent on Dec. 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "absent sick in Hospital when last heard from [on] about 1 Nov. 1862." However, Lt. Ryle was not absent, but had been captured on Dec. 4, 1862, near Winchester, VA. [Note: A conflicting record states that he was captured at Fredericksburg, VA, on Dec. 22, 1862, but this appears to be a transcription error.] Forwarded as a POW first to Fort McHenry, Baltimore, MD, and then on to Fort Delaware, DE. Forwarded from Fort Delaware, DE, to Fortress Monroe, VA, for exchange in late March 1863. Forwarded to Old Capitol Prison, Washington, DC, and then on to City Point, VA, where he was physically exchanged on April 6, 1863. While he was absent as a POW -- his regiment not knowing that he had been captured -- he was apparently considered a deserter was dropped as an officer on March 19, 1863, but this was revoked and he was returned to rank upon his return from being a POW. Promoted to 1st Lt. on May 11, 1863. Lt. Ryle admitted June 11, 1863, to C.S.A. General Hospital, Charlottesville, VA, suffering from acute dysentery, and returned to duty on Aug. 15, 1863. Promoted to captain on May 8, 1864. 1st Lt. Ryle (confirmation of new rank of captain not yet having been received) present on June 1864 company muster roll. Capt. Ryle present on Oct. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "present at muster but has since received leave of absence to visit his home in Georgia." Capt. Ryle absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent on furlough." Reported on a Jan. 26, 1865, Inspection Report of Thomas' Brigade as being "absent without leave," but "no action taken in his case." Capt. Ryle present on Feb. 1865 company muster roll. Served till war's end. Capt. Ryle was paroled at Appomattox Courthouse, VA, on April 9, 1865, along with Gen. Robert E. Lee and the Army of Northern VA. Southern Patriot! "William N. Ryle" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1908 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 14th GA. His widow, R.M. [Rosa?] Ryle (b. ca. 1868, but not in MS; m. Capt. Ryle in 1890), filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1920, and another pension application in Hinds County, MS, in 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("W.N. Ryle") was a Confederate soldier in Co. B, 14th GA Infantry. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [***Note: Death year taken from the 1930 VA order for his Confederate marker, submitted by "Mrs. W.N. [Rosa?] Ryle, Bolton, Miss." and from her statement in her Confederate Widow's Pension application that her husband died on April 10, 1918.]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Benjamin C. Sanderson (b. prob. AL, ca. 1830-d. Wayne County, MS, 1897), Co. A ("Coffee County Blues," aka "Capt. Mason C. Kimmey's Company," aka "Capt. Daniel Coleman's Company," raised in Coffee County, AL), 33rd AL Infantry. Enlisted on Feb. 11, 1862, in Coffee County, AL, at age 32. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed camp Jan. 20th [1863] by Gen. Wood." Paid ca. March 23, 1863, for 60 days' work as a carpenter, @ 40 cents per day, covering the period Jan. 22, 1863, to March 23, 1863, at unspecified location, but almost certainly in the area of Tullahoma, Coffee & Franklin Counties, TN. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Aug. 1863 company muster roll states "transferred to Pioneer Corps, per order [of] Gen. [Braxton] Bragg." [Note: The Pioneer Corps was the engineering troop for the army.] Paid on Descriptive List on Oct. 26, 1863, at unspecified location. [Note: Payment "on Descriptive List" typically happened when a soldier was away from his command, either on detail, detached duty, or in hospital.] "Appears on a List of mechanics in the 3rd Corps, Army of the Mississippi," no date or location given, with notation "house Carpenter." Paroled on June 3, 1865, at Montgomery, Montgomery County, AL, as Pvt. B.C. Sanderson, Co. A, 33rd AL Infantry. Mary A. Sanderson filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which she stated that her husband ("Benjamin Sanderson") was a Confederate soldier in the 33rd AL, but she also filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in 1916 in Clarke County, MS, in which she stated that her husband ("Benjamin Sanderson") was a Confederate soldier in Co. A, 46th MS Infantry, under "Capt. Kinney" [actually Capt. M.C. Kimmey], that he lived in AL when he enlisted, and that he served till war's end. However, he has no service records in the 46th MS Infantry and never served in same. Burial site not found.

Pvt. Francis Shepard Sanderson, Sr. [found as "F. Sanderson" in the military records] (b. Jones County, MS, 1823-d. Wayne County, MS, 1900), Co. F ("DeSoto Rifles," aka "Capt. Cicero Columbus Ferrill's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 12, 1862, at DeSoto, Clarke County, MS, at age 39. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "[was on] furlough [commencing on] April 17 [1862] for 10 days [and has since] returned." Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent since May the 26th [1862], at home, sick." Discharged for disability on Aug. 1, 1862, at Columbus, Lowndes County, MS, with surgeon noting that Pvt. Sanderson suffered from "varicose veins of the leg, indolent ulcer [probably of the leg], and partial ankylosis [stiffening of the joint] of fingers on right hand." Discharge paper notes that he was a "mechanic" by profession. No further information in his military file with this command. His widow, in her

Confederate Pension application, stated that he enlisted a second time, but did not state whether he re-enlisted into the 37th MS Infantry or into a different command. However, I have been unable to find him in any additional MS or CS command. I don't think he ever enlisted into a second command. Still, he was a Southern Patriot! C.C. Sanderson filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which she stated that her husband ("Francis Sanderson") was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS, that he enlisted in 1862 and was discharged "for bad health" in 1862, but that he re-enlisted and served till war's end. She did not name the second command in which he served, nor did she say that he specifically re-enlisted into the 37th MS Infantry. Buried in the Big Rock United Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.745477 -88.508418, located at 803 Big Rock Road, Gretna, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt./3rd Sgt. William R. [Roan?] Sanderson [found as "William R. Sanderson" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1836-d. Wayne County, MS, 1893), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted Oct. 15, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 25 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was 26). Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Sgt. on June 1862 company muster roll. Absent as 3rd Sgt. on Aug. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Jackson [Hinds County], Miss., [on] July 28, 1862; promoted [from private to 3rd Sgt.] on the 14th day of May 1862." Present for pay at Jackson, Hinds County, MS, on Aug. 28, 1862, almost certainly while in hospital there. Absent as 3rd Sgt. on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Jackson [Hinds County, MS] on the 2nd day of Oct. 1862." Present for pay on Oct. 3, 1862, probably in hospital at Jackson, Hinds County, MS. Absent as 3rd Sgt. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Jackson [Hinds County, MS, on the] 2nd Oct. 1862." Absent as 3rd Sgt. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Jackson [Hinds County, MS, on the] 2nd Oct. 1862." Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. [Supposed to report to parole camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, but apparently never did. 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 as private on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "reduced to [the] ranks by order of Col. Sears [on] 12 Nov. 1863 [and now] absent without leave."

Absent as private on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Enterprise [Clarke County, MS, on] 20 Nov. 1863." Present for clothing issue at unspecified location on Jan. 12, 1864. Absent as private on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave from 9 Feb. 1864." Returned to service. Present for clothing issue on Nov. 11, 1864, at Newsom Hospital, Cassville, Bartow County, GA, with no indication of whether he was a patient. 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 as a Sgt. at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 15, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Mary L. Sanderson filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which she stated that her husband ("William R. Sanderson") was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS. Mary L. Sanderson filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1917, in which she stated that her husband ("William R. Sanderson") was a Confederate soldier in the 46th MS. Buried in the Sanderson Cemetery, 31.633964 -88.786509, located on the E side of Reservoir Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 2300 ft. N of that road's intersection with John Sanderson Drive, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

SERVICE CLARIFIED. Pvt. George Washington Saxon [found as "G.W. Saxon" in the military records] (b. GA, 1848-d. Wayne County, MS, 1920), Co. F ("Capt. Lankford's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 22, 1864, in Clarke County, MS, at age 16. Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Mrs. George Washington Saxon [Wilmoth Eugenia Bullard Saxon] filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1921 & 1924, in which she did not directly state her husband's ("George Washington Saxon") command, but stated that he was a Confederate soldier under "Col. Lawrence" and "Capt. Everett." The only command that she could have meant is the 14th MS Infantry, in which several Saxon's did serve (including his brother, Sgt. John W. Saxon), but not George Washington Saxon. He never served in the 14th MS Infantry or the 14th Consolidated MS Infantry or the 14th Confederate Cavalry. He only served in Co. F ("Capt. Lankford's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 - 88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: There was a George W. Saxon in the 35th MS Infantry, but he died in service

during the war and, so, could not possibly be the George Washington Saxon under consideration here.]

Pvt./1st Corp./3rd Sgt. John W. Saxon (b. prob. Floyd County, GA, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907***), Co. A ("Shubuta Rifles," aka "Capt. Robert J. Lawrence's Company," and aka "Capt. Edward F. Martiniere's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Enlisted sometime between March 28, 1861, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, and May 13, 1861, at Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, at age 23. Present on June 8, 1861, company muster roll, taken at Corinth, MS. There are conflicting dates regarding his discharge from this command. The Aug. 8, 1861, Regimental Return states that he was discharged on July 10, 1861. The Aug. 15, 1861, company muster roll states "discharged July 14, 1861." A "Register of payments to Discharged Soldiers" states that he was discharged March 27, 1862, and received his final pay on April 14, 1862, but the year seems to be a transcription error. However, he does not appear as "present" on any company muster rolls after June 8, 1861. However, Sgt. Saxon was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time as a private, into Co. E ("Shubuta Guards," aka "Capt. T.T. Howze's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 8, 1862, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 24. Present on April 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "[was] on furlough until 16 May [1862, but is now] returned." Present on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as Nurse in Hospital." Present on Aug. 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present as 1st Corp. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Appears as a private on a "Roll of Prisoners of War, sick in Washington Hospital, C.S.A., paroled at Vicksburg, Miss.," with roll dated July 16, 1863. However, his actual Vicksburg parole shows him as a corporal paroled on July 15, 1863, at Vicksburg. Appears as Sgt. [should be corporal] on an undated "List of Surgeons, Assistant Surgeons, Attendants, and sick Confederate Prisoners of war captured at the capitulation of Vicksburg, Miss....now on board the U.S. Steamer H. Chouteau en route for Mobile, AL, via New Orleans, La." [Note: These prisoners would have been delivered under a flag of truce to Point Clear, Baldwin County, AL, on Mobile Bay, where there was a large Confederate hospital and cemetery.] Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Reported to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, sometime after Nov. 14, 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.] Absent

on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Ditto on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. "Appears on a List of officer and men of the Vicksburg capture who have reported in Parole Camp at Demopolis [Marengo County], Ala., since April 1, 1864." Present for clothing issue on Aug. 5, 1864, at unspecified location. Absent as private on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent, paroled." Returned to active field service and participated in Hood's disastrous Middle TN Campaign of late 1864. Was wounded either at the horrific Battle of Franklin, TN (the high-water mark of Southern courage!), Nov. 30, 1864, or the Confederate rout that was the Battle of Nashville, TN, Dec. 15-16, 1864, as he was admitted on the Army of Tennessee's retreat to Way Hospital, Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on Jan. 17, 1865, suffering from a "wound" that could only have logically been received during that campaign. 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 as a private in Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry, at Cannon Hospital, Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, ca. May 13, 1865. Parole gives residence as Shubuta [Clarke County], MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 - 88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [***Note: Death year taken from his VA Confederate marker application, filed in 1931 by his daughter, Lillie (Saxon) Collins.]

Nancy Saxon received Confederate Widow's Pensions in Wayne County, MS, in 1889, 1890, & 1891. Although she is buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, Wayne County, MS, I have been unable to deduce the identity and burial site of her unknown husband.

Pvt. Pressley Henderson Saxon (b. Cherokee County, GA, 1828-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907), Co. A ("Shubuta Rifles," aka "Capt. Robert J. Lawrence's Company," and aka "Capt. Edward F. Martiniere's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Enlisted May 13, 1861, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 34 (though military records say he was 24, which I believe to simply be a transcription error). The June 8, 1861, company muster roll states "honorably discharged by order of Commander in Chief [i.e., MS Gov. Hon. John Jones Pettus] on account of injured hand." The Aug. 15, 1861, company muster roll states "discharged by [MS] Gov. [Hon. John Jones] Pettus on day of enrollment." No further information in his military file with this command. However, Pvt. Saxon was far from done in serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time into Co. G ("Clifton Guards," aka "Capt. J.B. Perkins' Company," and aka

"Capt. G. Huggins Cleveland's Company," raised in Mobile, Coosa, & Clarke Counties, AL), 38th AL Infantry. No enlistment date/data; however, an Aug., 1863 hospital record from Marietta, Cobb County, GA, states that he enlisted in Sept. 1862 [specific day not recorded] at Mobile, Mobile, AL, at which time he would have been 34 years of age. Present for clothing issue on Aug. 8, 1863, probably in the vicinity of Marietta, Cobb County, GA. Appears on an Aug. 1863 hospital muster roll for Academy Hospital, Marietta, Cobb County, GA, with notation that he enlisted at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, in Sept. 1863. Present for clothing issue on Sept. 16, 1863, probably in the vicinity of Marietta, Cobb County, GA. Present for clothing issue on Oct. 3, 1863, probably in the vicinity of Marietta, Cobb County, GA. Present for clothing issue on April 14, 1864, at unspecified location (but probably in NW GA). Captured at the Battle of Atlanta, GA, on July 22, 1864, and forwarded as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to notorious 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 once exchanged. Arrived at Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp on Aug. 1, 1864. Forwarded for exchange from Camp Chase, OH, POW Camp to City Point, VA (appr. 25 miles downstream from Richmond, VA, on the James River), beginning on March 2 (or 4), 1865, and physically exchanged at Boulware's & Cox's Wharves, on the James River, sometime between March 10-12, 1865. Admitted March 13, 1865, to Receiving and Wayside Hospital, or General Hospital No. 9, Richmond, VA, and furloughed back to MS for 30 days beginning on March 14, 1865. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! "P.H. Saxon" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1902, in which he stated that he 74 years-old in that year, that he enlisted from Wayne County, MS, in 1861, into Co. A, Capt. Lawrence's Company, of the 14th MS Infantry, and that he was a POW at Camp Chase, OH, when the war ended. [Note: He did not mention his much longer service in the 38th AL Infantry, perhaps thinking that MS would not give pensions to CS soldiers who served in states other than MS. This was true of the original 1888 pension law, but was changed to include CS soldiers from any state by the 1890 Mississippi Constitution.] Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery and aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Thomas Jackson Saxon (b. Tallapoosa County, AL, 1844-d. Wayne County, MS, 1920), Co. A ("Shubuta Rifles," aka "Capt. Robert J. Lawrence's Company," and aka "Capt. Edward F. Martiniere's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Enlisted Feb. 10, 1864, at De Soto, Clarke County, MS, at age 20. Present for bounty on April 1, 1864, at unspecified location (possibly Montevallo, Shelby County, AL). Present on April 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. For purposes of surrender at war's end, on April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in the Carolinas, the 14th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 43rd MS Infantry and parts of the 6th MS Infantry to form the 14th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Saxon served in Co. D ("Capt. James E. Everett's Company") of this consolidated command. Surrendered at war's end in NC on April 26, 1865, with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South and physically paroled at Greensboro, NC, ca. May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! "Thomas J. Saxon" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1919 & 1924, in which he stated that he enlisted in Clarke County, MS, in 1863, and served in Co. A, "Capt. Martineer's" [i.e., Martiniere's] company, which could only mean Co. A, 14th MS Infantry. He also stated that he served until war's end with his command, which surrendered in NC. Mary M. Saxon filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1929 in which she stated that her husband ("Thomas J. Saxon") was a Confederate soldier in the 14th MS. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. William Harvey Scoggins*** [found as "W.H. Scoggins" in the military records] (b. Dinwiddie County, VA, 1810-d. Wayne County, MS, 1866), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864)^^. Enlisted Aug. 23, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at age 53. Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. W.H. Scoggins also supported the Confederacy economically. Among Confederate Citizens' files is a note that William H. Scoggins, of Shubuta [Clarke County], MS, "desired to cut wood" for the Confederate Quartermaster at that place, which note also proves that he was in the Clarke County Home Guard: "Dec. 5, 1864. Waynesboro, Miss. To the Chief Surgeon at hospital, West Point, Miss. Sir. Mr. John Hill left a bill of lumber at Dr. Haugh's mill at Shubuta [Clarke County, MS] to be sawed for hospitals at westpoint [i.e., West Point, Lowndes County, MS]. You will have to petition gov. Clarke [i.e., MS Gov. Charles Clark] to have me detailed [i.e., detailed] to saw it if you get it sawed there, as I am Dr. Haugh's Sawyer and his only chance for a sawyer. I am over 54 years of age [i.e., age] and

have to patrol [i.e., patrol] the County as I belong to that class of men [i.e., Home Guards] since the Gov. has called us out. (signed) Wm. H. Scoggins (sic -- with a final -s) [PS] I expect that Gov. Clarke is at Brandon [Rankin County], Miss., if he is not at Macon, Miss." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker and, supposedly, a VA Confederate marker, as one was ordered for him by W.H. Scoggin (no final -s) in 1937. [***Note: William Harvey Scoggins spelled his last name with a final -s] [^^^Note: Some researchers state that W.H. Scoggins served in Co. B, 25th MS Infantry, but he never served in that command and has no service records in same.]

Pvt./Corp. Calvin Sellers (b. NC or SC, 1828-d. Wayne County, MS, 1898), (Old) Co. K/(New) Co. F ("Clarke County Rangers," aka "Capt. J.T. Gates' Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. Enlisted July 27, 1861, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, just three days shy of his 31st birthday. Absent on Sept. 7, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "on furlough from the 31st of Aug. to the 8th [of September, 1861]; cause -- sickness of his family." Oct. 5, 1861, company muster roll states "discharged on the 25 Sept. [1861] on account of the helplessness of his family." There is also a record of Pvt. Calvin Sellers signing for pay on Feb. 6, 1862, by which time he had been discharged from the army for over four months, but it is likely that his one-month's pay for the month ending on Sept. 24, 1861, was actually signed for by one of his company officers and later forwarded to Calvin Sellers. [Note: This was a common practice when dealing with the pay of discharged or deceased soldiers.] [Note: This pay would have probably been received at Manchester, Coffee County, TN, by that company officer.] No further information in his military file with this command. However, Calvin Sellers was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time as a private into "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves. Enlisted [as "C. Sellers"] on April 16, 1864, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 45 (according to his military records), but this age is a transcription error and his actual age was 35. Absent on May 1, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." On Sept. 3, 1864, Denis' Battalion MS Cavalry was enlarged to a full regiment -- 1st (Denis') Regiment MS Cavalry Reserves, with Co. H of the battalion continuing as Co. H in the full regiment. 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 (as a corporal -- degree not specified) at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 13, 1865.

Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! [Note: There is a post on his find-a-grave page that states that Calvin Sellers enlisted into Co. C, 1st AL Cavalry (US) (Old Organization), at Corinth, Tishomingo County, MS, on Dec. 8, 1863, at age 24, but that Calvin Sellers is definitely not the Calvin Sellers under consideration here, as the Calvin Sellers of the 1st AL Cavalry (US) was at least a dozen years younger than the Calvin Sellers of the 8th MS Infantry/1st MS Cavalry Reserves. Additionally, the Calvin Sellers of the US command was born in Decatur, AL, while the Calvin Sellers of the CS commands was born in NC.] Buried in the Sellers Cemetery, 31.696280 -88.893550, located on the W side of Sellers Cooley Drive at a point on that road that lies 300 ft. S of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, with both a private and a Confederate marker that is inscribed with his 1st MS Cavalry Reserves service data.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. Dugal/Dugald Campbell Shaw (b. Chester County, SC, 1794-d. Wayne County, MS, 1871). D.C. Shaw supported the Confederacy by selling the following goods and services to the Confederate Quartermaster at Winchester, Wayne County, MS, during the Civil War [i.e., the War of Northern Aggression]. Paid \$36 on June 8, 1863, "for 2400 ft. of one inch Boards, at \$15 per thousand." Paid \$28 on June 8, 1863, "for [3.5 days] hauling with wagon & team @ per day \$8.00." Paid \$42.05 on July 4, 1863, "for 81 pounds of cotton for caulking flats, @ 30 cents per lb., nails and tacks, [and] two days' hauling with wagon & team." Paid \$20 on Sept. 1, 1863, "for 10 Bushels Corn @ \$2 [per bushel]." Paid \$5.00 on Sept. 1, 1863, "for repairing Government Waggon." Paid \$79.75 on Sept. 7, 1863, "for 35 Bushels Corn [and] 487 1/4 lbs Fodder." Paid \$250.00 on Oct. 21, 1863, "for destruction of hogs, and damage done my potatoes, corn, and pea crop by Major Steede's Battalion [of] cavalry, stationed near Winchester, Wayne County, Miss., during the months of Sept. & Oct. 1863." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt./3rd Sgt./2nd Sgt. George Patrick Shaw [found as "George P. Shaw" and "G.P. Shaw" in the military records] (b. AL, 1839-d. Wayne County, MS, 1915), (Old Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 21 (although military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was, variously, 20, 24, and 25 years-old!). Present or absent

not stated on June 1861 company muster roll. Discharged Sept. 9, 1861. Oct. 1861 company muster roll states "discharged 9 Sept. [1861] at Richmond [VA] and furnished with final statement." His discharge paper states that he "is now entitled to discharge by reason of Surgeon's Certificate of Disability." No further information in his military file with this command. However, George Patrick Shaw was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time as 3rd Sgt. into Co. D ("Capt. William McGill's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers, aka 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers. Enlisted on Sept. 1, 1862, in Wayne County, MS, at age 22. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 3rd Sgt. on April 1863 company muster roll. On June 8, 1863, the battalion was enlarged to become the 56th AL Partisan Rangers, with Co. D of the 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers continuing as Co. D of the 56 AL Partisan Rangers. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 15, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Hilma (sic) E. Shaw filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1920, in which she stated that her husband ("George P. Shaw") was a Confederate soldier in the 13th MS. Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

5th Sgt./3rd Lt./Brevet 2nd Lt./1st Lt. John Thompson Shaw [found as "John T. Shaw" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1909), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 5th Sgt. on April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 24. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present on April 1862 company muster roll. A "Record" of the regiment, dated March 25, 1865, states "promoted to 2nd Lt. on July 1, 1862," while another record states that he was elected 2nd Lt. Present as 3rd Lt./Brevet 2nd Lt. on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Lt. on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Lt. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll.

Promoted to 1st Lt. on Feb. 3, 1863. "Severely wounded" at the Battle of Gettysburg, PA, July 1-3, 1863. Admitted on July 22, 1863, to General Hospital No. 4, Richmond, VA, suffering from a gunshot wound to the left leg ("injured head of fibula" -- smaller of the two lower leg bones), and furloughed from same hospital on July 29, 1863. Absent as 1st Lt. on Aug. 13, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "wounded at Gettysburg; received leave of absence of 60 days from Aug. 1 [1863]." Absent as 1st Lt. on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "at Winchester [Wayne County], Miss.; received leave of absence for 60 days from 1 Aug. 1863; since extended to Oct. 30, 1863." Absent as 1st Lt. on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "at Winchester [Wayne County], Miss., on leave of absence since Aug. 1st [and extended] to October 30, 1863." Received a Certificate of Disability from a Medical Examining Board at Richmond, VA, on Feb. 9, 1864, and a leave of absence of 60 days on Feb. 11, 1864, because his "gunshot wound of left leg" had an "ulcer" that was "still discharging." Absent as 1st Lt. on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent on wounded furlough since March 7, 1864." Absent as 1st Lt. on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "captured on march from Spotsylvania Courthouse to Hanover Junction, May 21, 1864." Federal records state that he was captured on May 23, 1864, at Milford, Caroline County, VA, and forwarded as a POW to Old Capitol Prison, Washington, DC, arriving there on May 29, 1864. On June 15, 1864, he was forwarded to Fort Delaware, DE, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Fort Delaware, DE, POW Camp on June 17, 1864. Released from Fort Delaware, DE, POW Camp at war's end on June 14, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

(Justice of the Peace) Pvt./Ensign Theodore Edison Shaw (b. Greene County, MS, 1825-d. Wayne County, MS, 1869), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 35. Absent on May 23, 1861, company muster roll, with notation "absent on furlough from Maj. Gen. [and later MS Governor] Charles Clark, Commanding, Army of Mississippi." Shown as "Ensign" on an early, undated company muster roll. [Note: The Ensign of a regiment was its color-bearer -- a man who carried no weapon, but led the

regiment in battle toward whichever objective his officers had selected. He was generally considered to be the bravest man in the regiment and the office of Ensign was considered to be one of the very highest honor.] June 1861 Regimental Return states that the private was "absent on personal business from 16 June [1861] to 4th July [1861]." Present as private on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. A recapitulation of battle he participated in shows that he was present for the July 21, 1861, Battle of 1st Manassas, VA, where he may have carried the regiment's battleflag, but was "absent sick" by the time of the Battle of Leesburg, VA, on Oct. 21, 1861. A March 25, 1865, "Record" of Co. B, 13th MS Infantry, states that he was a ferrier (farrier) [i.e., a blacksmith] and had been discharged (with no discharge date given). It is likely that he was discharged sometime around the end of 1861. No further information in his military file with this command. However, I believe that Theodore Edison Shaw enlisted a second time. I believe that he is the Pvt. "T. Shaw" who enlisted into Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 31, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 39 (if I have the right man). Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. However, Theodore Shaw also supported the Confederacy by selling beef to the Confederate Quartermaster at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS. He sold the Quartermaster "one steer estimated at 260 lbs. @ 20 cents per lb." for \$52.00 on Dec. 15, 1863. Theodore Edison Shaw also served in a civilian capacity as a Wayne County, MS, Justice of the Peace. Southern Patriot! Southern Patriot! Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. W. Burrell Shirley, Jr. [found as "Burnwell (sic) Shirley" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1912), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 46th MS Infantry. Late-war enlistee. No enlistment date/data. Would have been 17 or 18 years-old if he enlisted in late 1864 and 18 or 19 years-old if he enlisted in early 1865. Known only from his war's-end parole. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 15, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Old Shirley Cemetery, 31.69765 -

88.72627, exact location unspecified, but said to be appr. 5 miles WNW of Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Hugh Shoemake (b. Marion District, SC, 1810-d. unknown location, in service, 1864), Co. H ("Capt. Angus Ray Fairly's Company," raised in Jones & Wayne Counties, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863). No enlistment date/data, but, if he enlisted in the summer of 1862, he would have been appr. 52 years old. Absent on Oct. 1, 1862, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. Enlisted a second time, this time into Co. D ("Capt. William McGill's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers, aka 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers. [Found as "Shumak," "Shumate," "Shoemak," and "Shoemake" in this command.] Enlisted on Sept. 1, 1862, at Shubuta, Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 52. Furnished his own horse for cavalry service. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent [on] detached service [since] March 31, 1863." On June 8, 1863, the battalion was enlarged to become the 56th AL Partisan Rangers, with Co. D of the 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers continuing as Co. D of the 56 AL Partisan Rangers. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Appears on an Oct. 31, 1863, hospital muster roll for Loring's Division Hospital, Macon [Noxubee County, MS], with present or absent not stated and no indication of whether he was a patient, nurse, steward, or guard, or what, if anything, he was suffering from. No further information in his military file with this command, but no notice of AWOL or desertion. Family researchers state that he died "in the Civil War," not simply "during" the Civil War, so it is entirely possible that he died in service, though this is not confirmed in the military records. Buried in the Sandhill Cemetery, 31.807411 -88.782924, located in the woods, appr. 4000 ft. due NW from the intersection of Shubuta Eucutta Road and Waller Ridge Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Pulaski A. Shoemaker [found as "P. Shoemaker" in the military records] (b. AL, 1844***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1904), Co. G ("Capt. Alfred Yates' Company," aka "Capt. J.W. Stephens' Company," raised in Choctaw County, AL), 23rd AL Infantry. Enlisted Oct. 5, 1861, at Montgomery, Montgomery County, AL, at age 17. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick at Landin, Tenn." Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. [1863?] company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Surrendered and paroled at the end of

the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Probably furloughed for 30 days on July 22, 1863, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, where he would be required to report back to 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.] On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 23rd AL Infantry was consolidated with the 46th AL Infantry to form the 23rd Consolidated AL Infantry. Co. G of the original 23rd AL Infantry became Co. D of the 23rd Consolidated AL Infantry. Pvt. Shoemaker served in Co. D. Surrendered at war's end in NC on April 26, 1865, with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South and physically paroled at Salisbury, NC, on May 5, 1865. Southern Patriot! "Pulaski Shoemaker" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 23rd AL and that he was wounded slightly at Atlanta, GA. He also very honestly admitted that he was once absent without leave for five weeks, but "returned on my own accord." L.A.M. (Lutricia Ann Melissa) Shoemaker filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which she stated that her husband ("Pulaski Shoemaker") was a Confederate soldier in the 23rd AL. Buried in the Whitehouse Cemetery (aka the White House Cemetery aka Big Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.592530 -88.672684, located on the SE side of the intersection of Big Creek Road, Davis Singleterry Road, and White House Chapel Road, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker. [***Note: Most family researchers state that Pulaski Shoemaker was born in 1839; however, in his 1900 Confederate Pension application, Pvt. Shoemaker himself stated that he was at that time 56 years-old, yielding a birth year of 1844. Additionally, the 1900 Wayne County US Census states that he was born in March 1844.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. John P. Shows (b. Wayne County, MS, 1824-d. Wayne County, MS, 1899) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. A, 24th Battalion MS Cavalry, but he has no service records in that command or any other MS CS command. Buried in the Strengthford Cemetery, Strengthford, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. John Rayborn Shows (b. Jones County, MS, 1824-d. Wayne County, MS, 1889). "S.A. Shows" [transcription error for "S.H. Shows"?] received a Confederate Pension in Jones County, MS, in 1889 & 1894. Sarah Shows filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which she did not state her husband's ("John R. Shows") command, but

said that he enlisted in Jones County, MS, in 1861 and served in the "Rosin Heels" under Capt. Welborn for six months before he was discharged at Tupelo, MS, on 1862 on account of having been elected a supervisor in Jones County, MS. This company and command could only be Co. B ("Rosin Heels," aka "Capt. Amos McLemore's Company," and aka "Capt. J.E. Welborn's Company," raised in Jones County, MS), 27th MS Infantry, but no William Rayborn Shows (or any other "Shows" with any possible name variant) ever served in that command. Likewise, I can find no man matching John Rayborn Shows' particulars in any MS CS command. I do not think he was ever a Confederate soldier. [Note: Confederate pensions were often allowed when the nominal soldier never actually served because local pension boards had no access to Confederate military records and, so, had to take an applicant -- or his widow -- at their word.] Buried in the Strengthford Cemetery, 31.615053 -88.882380, located on the S side of Strengthford Cooley Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 750 ft. E of that road's junction with Strengthford Pleasant Grove Road/Salem Road, Strengthford, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

RAISE UP!!!

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. David G.W. Sikes [found as "D.G.W. Sikes" in the military records] (b. Pike County, AL, 1838-d. Wayne County, MS, 1909), Co. G ("Capt. Alfred Yates' Company," aka "Capt. J.W. Stephens' Company," raised in Choctaw County, AL), 23rd AL Infantry. Earliest enlistment date found for him is Oct. 5, 1861, at Montgomery, Montgomery County, AL, at appr. age 22/23, but he almost certainly enlisted several weeks earlier in Choctaw County, AL. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent wagoning (sic) for Gen. Bartin [i.e., Gen. Seth Maxwell Barton], 4th Brigade." Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as brigade Wagoner since July 10, 1862." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as Wagoner." Present on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed as Wagoner."

Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Furloughed (prob. for 30 days) at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on July 22, 1863. Strangely, no records exist for him from July 22, 1863, until May 5, 1865, though he was clearly in service during this whole period. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender at war's end in NC, the 23rd AL Infantry was consolidated with the 46th AL Infantry to form the 23rd Consolidated AL Infantry. Co. G of the original 23rd AL Infantry became Co. D of the 23rd Consolidated AL Infantry and Pvt. Sikes served in this company. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end in NC on April 26, 1865, with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South and physically paroled at Salisbury, Rowan County, NC, on May 5, 1865. Southern Patriot! "David G.W. Sikes" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1907, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 23rd AL. Burial site not found.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Cyrus Simpson (b. prob. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1830-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1916) filed a Confederate Servant's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1904, in which he stated that he served a Confederate soldier named Alonzo (also given as "Angle") W. Horne, who himself served as a private and 2nd Corp. in Co. D ("Mississippi Rangers," aka "Capt. W.A. Trotter's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. 2nd Corp. Horne was captured at Fort Blakely at war's end and was a POW on Ship Island, MS. Servant Simpson stated that he served in this capacity beginning in 1863 and that he served for two years and six months. Servant Simpson stated that he was a Mobile, AL, when the war ended, so he was probably with Corp. Horne when Horne was captured at Fort Blakely. However, Cyrus Simpson apparently served more than one soldier, as he filed another Confederate Servant's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which he stated that he also served Capt. W.A. Trotter of Co. D, 7th Battalion MS Infantry. Burial site not found.

Pvt. Uriah Williamson Slaten [found as "Uriah W. Slaten" in the military records] (b. Anderson County, SC, 1827-d. Wayne County, MS, 1891), Co. C ("Jones County Rebels," aka "Capt. Alney M. Dozier's Company," raised in Jones County, MS), 7th (Terral's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted at Ellisville, Jones County, MS, on Feb. 15, 1863, at age 35. 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. Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent, sick." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 23rd Aug. 1863." [Note: Many soldiers were AWOL after the

Siege of Vicksburg, as the commanding general did not issue specific orders as to when and where to report after a brief furlough. However, all parolees should have reported to parole camp within a month or so. 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. Pvt. Cochran did not report to parole camp as required until much later than he should have.] Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Present on Oct. 31, 1864, muster roll for "Camp of Paroled Prisoners, Army of Tennessee, stationed near Columbus [Muscogee County], Georgia," with notation "this Camp was established the 16th of Sept., 1864, under orders from Gen. [John Bell] Hood, as a Camp for Paroled Prisoners of the Army of Tennessee." No further information in his military file with this command. Buried in the Concord Cemetery, 31.826644 -88.798124, located appr. 500 ft. due S of a point on Springhill Church Road that lies appr. 3800 ft. E of where Springhill Church Road crosses over Bogue Flower Creek, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [No better directions available.]

SERVICE CLARIFIED. Pvt. Thomas Jackson Slaughter (b. Macon County, AL, ca. 1842-d. Wayne County, MS, 1916), Co. D ("West Point Guards," aka "Capt. John J. Mathews Company," aka "Capt. George F. Todd's Company," and aka "Capt. Adam C. Frost's Company," raised in Troup County, GA), 4th GA Infantry. Enlisted May 12, 1862, at Atlanta, GA, at age 18. Admitted to Regimental Hospital, 4th GA Volunteers, on May 23, 1862, suffering from catarrh [any of several nose and throat infections, including the common cold], and returned to duty on May 24, 1862. Admitted on June 5, 1862, to Chimborazo Hospital No. 5, Richmond, VA, suffering from diarrhea, and transferred to hospital at Danville, VA, on June 28, 1862. Admitted on June 29, 1862, to C.S.A. General Hospital, Danville, VA, suffering from debilitas [i.e., weakness or feebleness], and furloughed on Aug. 14, 1862. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in Richmond [VA]." Absent on Aug. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent at home on sick furlough." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick at home on furlough for 90 days, dated Aug. 15 [1862] & extended." He appears on no company muster rolls for the next 16 months. Present on April 1, 1864, company muster roll. Present for clothing issues on April 22, 1864, and April 30, 1864, at unspecified locations. Present for clothing issue on June 7, 1864, at unspecified location. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Present for clothing issue on Sept. 29, 1864, at unspecified location. No further information in his military file with this command. However, there is a good chance (but no proof) that Pvt. Slaughter is

the Pvt. Thomas J. Slaughter who enlisted on Sept. 1, 1864, at Atlanta, GA, into Co. K ("Mississippi Body Guards," raised in Scott County, MS), 2nd MS Cavalry, as that command was operating in the area of Atlanta, GA, at that time. Present on Oct. 1864 company muster roll. Dec. 1864 company muster roll states "deserted Dec. 14, 1864." No further records in this command. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. John M. Smiley (b. AL? GA?, 1828-d. Wayne County, MS, 1922), "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS)]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS. Enlisted Jan. 5, 1863, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at appr. age 35. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "transferred to Miller's Cavalry by Maj. D.O. Mesrine [on] Oct. 22, 1863." [Note: A "J.M. Smiley" was a 1st Lt. in the Clarke County (MS) Militia, for which command no service records exist. He could be the John M. Smiley who was transferred to Capt. E.A. Miller's Company, but this is simply conjecture.] On Oct. 18, 1864, Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry became (2nd) Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company," [also called Co. E]), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. Present on Oct. 22, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "transferred to cavalry [on] Aug. 28, 1863." Present on Oct. 31, 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 12, 1865. Parole gives residence as Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 -88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt./1st Sgt. Albert D. Smith (b. Wilcox County, AL***, ca. 1841-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1922), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 20/21. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent at Hospital." Present or absent not stated on April 1862 company muster roll. Admitted on

April 29, 1862, to Chimborazo Hospital No. 3, Richmond, VA, where he remained until after his discharge from the Confederate army. Discharged for disability ["phthisis pulmonalis" or tuberculosis] on paper on May 23, 1862, at the camp of the 13th MS Infantry, Henrico County, VA, but physically discharged from Chimborazo Hospital No. 3, Richmond, VA, on May 26, 1862. However, Pvt. Smith was not yet done serving his new nation. He recovered his health and enlisted a second time into Confederate service, this time into "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted as a private on Dec. 1, 1862, at Hall's Mills, Mobile County, AL, at appr. age 22/23. Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "on detached service." Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 1st Sgt. on April 30, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "promoted from private [on] March 12, 1863." Present as 1st Sgt. on June 1863 company muster roll. In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry). 1st Sgt. Smith served in Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry. Present or absent not stated for 1st Sgt. on Sept. 12, 1863, company muster roll. Received fuel [wood] issue on Oct. 23, 1863, at Mobile, Mobile County, AL. Was in command of Co. K and a squad of 18 men and 18 horses who were on duty as provost guard pickets at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, when they were ordered to report back to the 15th Confederate Cavalry, on Sept. 24, 1863; signed for rations and fodder as "A.D. Smith, 1st Sgt. Commanding Co. K & provost pickets." Absent as 1st Sgt. on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "on furlough." Present as 1st Sgt. on Dec. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Present as 1st Sgt. on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present as 1st Sgt. on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. Admitted July 23, 1864, to Ross Hospital, Mobile, Mobile County, AL, suffering from neuralgia, and returned to duty on Aug. 1, 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 as 1st Sgt. with famed Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Choctaw County, AL. Southern Patriot! "Albert D. Smith" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1922, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 13th MS Infantry and the 15th Confederate Cavalry. [***Note: Birth county & state taken from military records.] Burial site not found.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt./Corp. George R. Smith (b. AL, ca. 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1890), Co. I ("Capt. Matthew Calvert's Company," aka "Capt. Wells Thompson's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 36th AL Infantry. Present for clothing issue for 2nd Quarter 1864 at unspecified location, but almost certainly in North GA. Admitted on Nov. 5, 1864, to Ocmulgee Hospital, Macon, Bibb County, GA, suffering from a gunshot wound to his right thigh, with an indication that he may have received the wound on Aug. 31, 1864. Furloughed for unspecified number of days on Nov. 7, 1864. [Note: If this wound was actually received on Aug. 31, 1864, then he was almost certainly wounded at the Battle of Jonesborough, Clayton County, GA, Aug. 31, 1864-Sept. 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 Mobile, Mobile County, AL, on May 30, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! [Note: The Gainesville, AL, war's-end parole for a "George R. Smith, Assistant Surgeon, PACS (i.e., Provisional Army of the Confederate States) is mixed in with Pvt./Corp. George R. Smith's military records from the 36th AL Infantry, but they are not one and the same man.] Emaline Smith filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1912, in which she stated that her husband ("George Smith") was a Confederate soldier in the 36th AL. Said to be buried in the Smithtown Cemetery, Smithtown, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker, but I have been unable to locate either the cemetery or his burial place.

SERVICE CLARIFIED. YANKEE SOLDIER, NOT CONFEDERATE SOLDIER. Henry Warren Smith (b. Crawford County, GA, 1827-d. Wayne County, MS, 1897) is listed in some databases as being the Pvt. Henry W. Smith of Co. G ("Yancy Guards," raised in Smith County, MS), 37th MS Infantry (CSA). However, the Henry W. Smith of that command was living in Smith County, MS, when he enlisted in 1861, whereas the Henry Warren Smith under consideration here was living in Choctaw County, AL, at that time. They are not one and the same man. Henry Warren Smith never served in the 37th MS Infantry. However, Henry Wallace Smith did serve in Co. K, 4th TN Mounted Infantry (US). He and his wife (Cherokee Anna Smith) both received US Pensions after the war. Buried in the Winchester Cemetery (aka the Winchester United Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.616600 -88.590570, located on the W side of Old 45 Winchester Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 1800 ft. N of that road's intersection with Dub Beasley Road, Winchester, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

2nd Sgt./3rd Lt. [i.e., "Jr. 2nd Lt."]/Brevet 2nd Lt./2nd Lt. James A. Smith (b. Wilcox County, AL, 1838-d. Atlanta, GA, 1863), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B

("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 2nd Sgt. on April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 23. Present as 2nd Sgt. on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Paid on Oct. 31, 1861, for "commutation [i.e., reimbursement] of rations while sick at [a] private home near Centreville, Va., en route from Centreville Camps to Leesburg, Va., from [the] 26th day of August 1861 to [the] 7th Sept. 1861, [being] 12 days @ 75 cents [per diem]." Present as 2nd Sgt. on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on April 1862 company muster roll. Admitted on June 19, 1862, to Chimborazo Hospital No. 2, Richmond, VA, suffering from chronic dysentery. Admitted on July 2, 1862, to C.S.A. General Hospital, Danville, VA, suffering from debilitas [i.e., exhaustion], and returned to duty on Aug. 1, 1862. Present as 2nd Sgt. on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. A late-war "Record" of the 13th MS Infantry states that Sgt. Smith was promoted to 2nd Lt. in Oct. 1862. Present as 3rd Lt. [same as "Jr. 2nd Lt."] on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as Brevet 2nd Lt. on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. On March 31, 1863, at Fredericksburg, Va, 2nd Lt. Smith signed for clothing for his company, signing as "J.A. Smith, 2nd Lt., Commanding Co. B, 13th Miss. Regt." Almost certainly wounded at the 2nd Battle of Fredericksburg, VA, on May 3, 1863, as he was admitted to General Hospital No. 4, Richmond, VA, on May 6, 1863, suffering from a gunshot wound, and was transferred on May 8, 1863, to Mobile, Mobile County, AL, for 30 days at his own request. Present as 2nd Lt. "commanding [the] company" on Aug. 13, 1863, company muster roll. Oct. 9, 1863, company muster roll states "at Hospital, wounded near Chattanooga, Tenn., [on] 6th Oct. 1863." A diarist of the 13th MS Infantry, William H. Hill, who was a clerk in the regimental Quartermaster department, wrote that Lt. Smith was actually wounded on Oct. 8, 1863, during the early part of the Siege of Chattanooga, writing "The enemy opened fire on our batteries this evening and kept up a slow fire for 3 or 4 hours. Lt. James A. Smith of Company B (Wayne Rifles) was wounded in the leg by a piece of shell." The Oct. [prob. 31st] 1863 company muster roll states that 2nd Lt. Smith "died 27th Oct. 1863 of wounds received near Chattanooga [TN]." [Note: A standard checklist of the battles of the Army of Northern VA states that Lt. Smith was wounded at the Battle of Chickamauga, GA, on Sept. 20, 1863, but this is in error, as that standard checklist of battles does not include a line item for the Siege of Chattanooga, TN, where Lt. Smith was actually mortally wounded.] The April 1864 company muster roll states that the 2nd Lt. "died Oct. 27, 1863, at Atlanta, Ga., of wounds." Southern Patriot! Buried in the Powe Cemetery, 31.547971 - 88.546221, located apprx. 2000 ft. WSW of the juncture of an unnamed dirt road

with Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road at a point on the latter road that lies appr. 800 ft. S of that road's intersection with McCann Farm Road, Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker that reads (in part) "died at Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 27, 1863, of wounds received Oct. 6, 1864, near Chickamauga, Tenn. [should read either "near Chickamauga, GA" or "near Chattanooga, TN"]...a devout Christian soldier."

Pvt. John P. Smith (b. prob. Madison County, MS, 1842-d. Wayne County, MS, 1910), (New) Co. H ("Lafayette Guards," raised in Lafayette County, MS), (New) 9th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 10, 1862, at Canton, Madison County, MS, at appr. age 20. Absent on June 1862 Regimental Return, with notation "[at] Canton [Madison County, MS] hospital [since] May 8 [1862 by] order [of] Surgeon." Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent on special duty." "Appears on a List of killed, wounded, and missing of the 9th Miss. Regt., in the action near Woodsonville, Ky., Sept. 14, 1862," with notations indicating that he was wounded slightly in the shoulder while charging the fort. [Note: The action at Woodsonville, Hart County, KY, was part of the overall fight for control of Munfordville, Hart County, KY.] Absent on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "wounded at [the Battle of] Munfordsville [i.e., Munfordville, Hart County, KY] & left at Cave City [Barren County, KY]." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on extra or daily duty in Ordnance Department since April 1st 1863 by order [of] Col. Whitfield." Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on extra duty in Ordnance department since April 1st [1863] by order [of] Lt. Col. Whitfield." Ditto on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "on extra or daily duty in Ordnance Department since April 1st 1863 by order [of] Lt. Col. Whitfield." Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "on extra or daily duty by order [of] Gen. Tucker, March 25th 1864, with regimental ordnance." Present for clothing issue on July 10, 1864, at unspecified location, but probably near Atlanta, Cobb County, GA. Present on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll. Co. H became part of Co. C, 9th Consolidated MS Infantry, when, on April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in NC at war's end, the 9th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 9th Battalion MS Sharpshooters, the 7th MS Infantry, the 10th MS Infantry, the 41st MS Infantry, and the 44th MS Infantry to form the 9th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Smith served in this company until war's end. Surrendered at war's end in NC on April 26, 1865, with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South and physically paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Chicora Davis Cemetery (aka the Davis Cemetery), with the gravel access road leading to

the cemetery being located at 31.575729 -88584870 or at a point on Chicora River Road that lies appr. 2200 ft. N of that road's southern intersection with Millsville Road, Chicora, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Millsville Road loops back and intersects again with Chicora River Road further north. Note, too, that the gravel access road runs SW from Chicora River Road to the cemetery.]

Pvt. Thomas Marion Smith [found as "T.M. Smith" in the military records] (b. Wilcox County, AL***, 1845-d. in service, Baldwin County, AL, 1864), "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted July 24, 1863, at Fairley's Ferry, George County, MS, at age 18. In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry). Pvt. Smith served in Co. K of this consolidated command. Present on Oct. 9, 1863, for receipt of enlistment bounty of \$50 at Mobile, Mobile County, AL. Absent on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "[on] furlough." Present on Dec. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Absent on April 30, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "on furlough [of] 40 days from April 11 [1864]." Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command, but his contemporaneous tombstone reads (in part) "Died at Camp Greenwood, Baldwin Co., Ala., [on] Dec. 6, 1864, Age 19 yrs. 3 mos. 25 days." Southern Patriot! [Note: He is not the Pvt. T. Smith of Co. C, 15th Confederate Cavalry, who was paroled at war's end at Gainesville, AL, on May 14, 1865, and whose residence is given on his parole as Pensacola, Escambia County, FL.] [Note: He is not the 3rd Sgt. T.M. Smith of (Old) Co. K ("Oktibbeha Plow Boys," aka "Capt. J.M. Watson's Company," raised in Oktibbeha County, MS), 15th MS Infantry, who is known only from a single enlistment record, dated April 20, 1861, but who (according to some sources) was nonetheless mortally wounded at the Battle of Franklin, TN, on Nov. 30, 1864, and died in a Confederate hospital at Franklin, TN, on Dec. 6, 1864. The death dates of these two Pvt.'s Smith are simply coincidental.] Buried in the Powe Cemetery, 31.547971 -88.546221, located appr. 2000 ft. WSW of the juncture of an unnamed dirt road with Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road at a point on the latter road that lies appr. 800 ft. S of that road's intersection with McCann Farm Road, Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker that reads, in part, "Co. K, 15 Reg. Confed. Cav...Died at Camp Greenwood, Baldwin Co., Ala., [on] Dec. 6, 1864, Age 19 yrs. 3 mos. 25 days. He did his duty." [***Note: Birth county and state taken from his Confederate military records.]

SERVICE TENTATIVELY CLARIFIED. William Stover Smith (b. Wilcox County, AL, 1835-d. Wayne County, MS, 1895) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which on Dec. 2, 1862, became Co. A of the 46th MS Infantry, but no man with his name or initials served in that company and command. Two Smith men served in Co. D ("Rankin Farmers," raised in Rankin County, MS) of this command, but one was much too old to be the William Stover Smith under consideration here and both men served in a Rankin County, MS, company, while the William Stover Smith under consideration here was still living in Choctaw County, AL, at the time. A Capt. William S. Smith of Choctaw County, AL, did serve as captain of Co. F ("Andy Moore's Guards," raised in Choctaw County, AL), 54th AL Infantry (formerly 4th Confederate Infantry, aka the 1st AL, TN, & MS Infantry), but insufficient records remain to confirm that Capt. William S. Smith and William Stover Smith are one and the same man. Buried in the Powe Cemetery, 31.547971 -88.546221, located appr. 2000 ft. WSW of the juncture of an unnamed dirt road with Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road at a point on the latter road that lies appr. 800 ft. S of that road's intersection with McCann Farm Road, Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Columbus C. Snowden [found as "Columbus Snowden" in the military records] (b. Santa Rosa County, FL, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1915), Co. C ("Clarke County Rescuers," aka "Capt. S.H. Terral's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted April 17, 1864, at Quitman, Clarke County, MS, at age 18. Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Served till war's end. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in NC at war's end, the 37th MS Infantry was consolidated into a battalion of four companies and designated the 37th Battalion MS Infantry. Pvt. Snowden served in Co. C of this consolidated command. Surrendered at war's end in NC on April 26, 1865, with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South and physically paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! "C. Snowden" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1906, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. Elizabeth Snowden filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("Columbus Snowden") was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

(Dr.) 1st Lt. William Edmond Stagg (b. Henrico County, VA, 1832-d. Wayne County, MS, 1892), "Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company MS Cavalry for the support of the Bureau of Conscription [i.e., draft enforcement]," raised in Jasper County, MS). Enlisted Sept. 3, 1863, at Paulding, Jasper County, MS, at age 31. Present on Nov. 6, 1863, company muster roll. Present for pay on Dec. 4, 1863, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS. Jennings' Company became Co. G, 9th (Miller's) MS Cavalry, on Dec. 24, 1863. Appears on a March 22, 1864, "Report of diseased and wounded men of Brig. Gen. Ferguson's Brigade who are unfit for field duty to this date" (though his company is incorrectly identified as "Co. D, Miller's Battalion," rather than "Co. G, Miller's Regiment." Appears on a March 20, 1864, "Report of officers and men of Brig. Gen. Ferguson's Command on detached service," with report dated Madison Station [now Madison], Madison County, MS, and with notation that he was ordered to report to Garlandville, Jasper County, MS, on March 15, 1864, by Gen. Stephen Dill Lee. Appears on a March 30, 1864, "Report of officers and enlisted men absent with leave and sick from Ferguson's Cavalry Brigade," with report dated near Calhoun Station [now Calhoun City], Calhoun County, MS, and with notation that he began a 20-day medical furlough on March 14, 1864, by authority of a Board of Surgeons. Appears on a May 2, 1864, "Report of Commissioned Officers of Ferguson's Brigade," with roster dated Montevallo, Shelby County, AL, and with no indication of whether he was present or absent. Absent on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick since March 10, 1864." Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick since March 10, 1864." Appears on a Sept. 9, 1864, "Inspection Report of Ferguson's Brigade," dated "in the field," with notation that he was absent by authority of the surgeon and that he had been absent since March 5, 1864. No further information in his military file with this command. Buried in the Stagg Cemetery (aka, the Goodman Cemetery), 31.845956 -88.544969, located on the E side of MS Hwy. 510 at a point on that road that lies appr. 4500 ft. N of that road's junction with Matherville Frost Bridge Road, Matherville, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Gus Stallworth [also listed as "Gus Stallsworth"] (b. prob. Choctaw County, AL, ca. 1845-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1929) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1929, at which time he had been a resident of MS for 61 years. He stated that he began his service as a Confederate "body servant" in 1863 and that he served a soldier named William Powell who served under "1st Capt. White, 2nd Capt. McKellar" in the "15th Cavalry," which could only mean "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw

County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, which finally became Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry, in Sept. 1863. Servant Stallworth stated that William Powell enlisted in 1861 and took him (Servant Stallworth) with him to the war in 1863 and that William Powell continued in service until sent home sick shortly before the final surrender. "William Powell" turns out to be Pvt. William J. Powell who served till war's end and who was surrendered at the general surrender of Confederate forces in the Central South at Citronelle, AL, on May 4, 1865, and physically paroled with famed Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865, with his residence given as Choctaw County, AL. Servant Stallworth's burial site has not been found.

VERY TENTATIVE. James Thomas Stanley [found as "J.T. Stanley" in the military records] (b. AL, 1833/1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1871). A "J.T. Stanley" appears on an April 23, 1863, receipt roll for "commutation of rations" (i.e., reimbursement for money spent on food), covering the period April 12, 1863-April 15, 1863, at Camp of Instruction, Talladega, Talladega County, AL. No rank or indication of what role he may have played at this training camp for recruits/conscripts (i.e., draftees) is indicated. However, since no rank is stated, it is likely that he was either a recruit or conscript. Existing records do not allow me to determine whether he is the James Thomas Stanley who is buried in the Boice Cemetery (aka the Keahey Cemetery), 31.748288 -88.662108, located appr. 300 ft. due N of a point on Rainwater Drive that lies appr. 2500 ft. due W of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 45, Boice, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Just W of the indicated point on Rainwater Drive, there may be a right-hand gravel road that leads to the cemetery. Difficult to determine from satellite photos due to heavy tree growth.]

Pvt. Francis Marion Starling (b. Pike County, AL, 1843-d. Wayne County, MS, 1921), Co. F ("Jasper Greys," aka "Capt. James J. Shannon's Company," aka "Capt. Jonathan J. Walton's Company," and aka "Capt. Daniel L. Duke's Company," raised in Jasper County, MS), 16th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 15, 1862, at Paulding, Jasper County, MS, at age 18. Absent on April 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital [on] April 15, 1862." Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "[he has] been at hospital since April 18 [1862]." Absent on Aug. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent at hospital sick." Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent at hospital sick." 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 on April 1864 company muster roll. Wounded on May 24, 1864, at the Battle of North Anna, VA (May 23-26, 1864), and admitted on May 25, 1864, to General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond VA. Furloughed from same hospital for 60 days on May 31, 1864. Admitted on Aug. 18, 1864, to Receiving and Wayside Hospital, or General Hospital No. 9, Richmond, VA, and transferred to Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, the same day. Admitted on Aug. 19, 1864, to General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, and transferred on Aug. 23, 1864, to 3rd Division Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA. Admitted on Aug. 23, 1864, to General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, suffering from a gunshot wound to the left hand (almost certainly his North Anna wound), and transferred on Sept. 22, 1864, to Stuart Hospital, Richmond, VA. Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick at hospital." Admitted on Sept. 22, 1864, to Stuart Hospital, Richmond, VA, suffering from a gunshot wound (almost certainly his North Anna wound), and furloughed for 40 days on Sept. 28, 1864, to Shubuta, Clarke County, MS. Received clothing issue on Sept. 28, 1864, at Stuart Hospital, Richmond, VA. Absent on Oct. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent on wounded furlough." Absent on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent on wounded furlough." 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 9, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! "F.M. Starling" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 16th MS and that he had been absent for 30 days on furlough when his command surrendered at Appomattox Courthouse, VA. D.A. Starling filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1921, in which she stated that her husband ("F.M. Starling") was a Confederate soldier in the 16th MS. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

TENTATIVE***. Pvt. James M. Starling [found as "J.M. Starling" in the military records] (b. prob. Tatnall County, GA, 1827-d. Wayne County, MS, 1898), Co. A ("Shubuta Rifles," aka "Capt. Robert J. Lawrence's Company," and aka "Capt. Edward F. Martinier's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Recruited from the Conscript [i.e., draftee] Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, on Jan. 12, 1863. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. Later enlisted (if this is,

indeed, James M. Starling) [this time also as "J.M. Starling"] into Co. B ("Capt. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 30, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at appr. age 37. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll, which has notations "[was on] 10 days' furlough from Aug. 31, 1864," and "name does not appear in column of 'Names Present.'" No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Buried in the Yellow Creek Cemetery (aka, Yellow Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.734636 -88.713154, located on the N side of Yellow Creek Church Drive, at a point on that road that lies appr. 2500 ft. E of that road's junction with Waynesboro Shubuta Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: James M. Starling was living in the Western District of Pike County, AL, on the 1860 US Census. I am not at all sure that he removed to Wayne County, MS, in time to be the soldier in the two MS commands listed above.]

Pvt. Emory Clark Stearnes [found as "Emory C. Stearnes," "E.C. Sternes," and "Emory C. Sterns" in the military records] (b. Choctaw County, AL, 1836-d. Wayne County, MS, 1914), Co. A ("Shubuta Rifles," aka "Capt. Robert J. Lawrence's Company," and aka "Capt. Edward F. Martiniere's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 14th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 28, 1861, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 24. Present or absent not stated on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Captured at the surrender of Fort Donelson, TN, on Feb. 16, 1862. Present on a "Roll of Prisoners of War at Camp Douglas, Ill., Aug. 1, 1862." Forwarded for exchange from Camp Douglas, IL, to Vicksburg, MS, on Sept. 2, 1862. Physically exchanged from aboard the US Steamer John H. Done at Vicksburg, MS, on Sept. 20, 1862. Present on Sept. 22, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, but with notation "detached for Carpenter in Brigade Head Quarters [on] Dec. 20, 1862." Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed a Brigade Carpenter [on] Dec. 21, 1862." Absent on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detached as Carpenter [on] Dec. 20, 1862." Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863, where he signed his last name as "Sternes." Absent on Aug. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed [as] Brigade Carpenter, Tilghman's Brigade, [on] Dec. 20, 1862." Absent on Oct. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "detailed [as] Brigade Carpenter, Tilghman's Brigade, [on] Dec. 20, 1862." Present for clothing issue on Jan. 9, 1864, at unspecified location (but possibly Enterprise, Clarke County, MS). Appears on an undated (but clearly 1864) enlistment bounty payment roll, with notation "detailed as Brigade Carpenter on the 20th day of Dec. 1862 by order of

Gen. [Earl] Van Dorn; No. of order not known." Absent on April 1864 company muster roll, with notation "Prisoner of war, captured at Vicksburg, [on] July 4th 1863." Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "not reported [to company] since exchange [in] July 1864." Returned to service. Served till war's end. For purposes of surrender at war's end, on April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in the Carolinas, the 14th MS Infantry was consolidated with the 43rd MS Infantry and parts of the 6th MS Infantry to form the 14th Consolidated MS Infantry. Pvt. Stearnes served in Co. A ("Capt. Harper's Company") of this consolidated command. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Shubuta, Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! "Emory C. Stearnes" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 14th MS. Jane P. Sternes (sic) filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1915, in which she stated that her husband ("E.C. Sternes [sic]") was a Confederate soldier in the 14th MS. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. William R. Stevens (b. Wayne County, MS, 1820-d. Wayne County, MS, 1900) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in "Walter's Battery, MS Light Artillery," but no such battery ever existed. Neither can I find any other soldier in any MS CS command whose particulars match his. I do not believe that he was ever a Confederate soldier. I think that a well-meaning descendant listed him (incorrectly) in the MS Confederate Graves Registry, believing him to have been a Confederate soldier. [Note: There is a Pvt. William D. Stephens in Co. K, 1st (Withers') MS Light Artillery, but he was just 30 years old when he enlisted and was a resident of Fayette, Jefferson County, MS. Some descendant may have confused William R. Stevens with this William D. Stephens.] [Note: Some family researchers state vaguely that W.R. Stevens served in the "3rd Infantry," but, again, I cannot locate him in any of the various MS CS battalions and regiments that are styled "3rd."] Buried in the Shirley Place Cemetery (aka, Shirley Church Cemetery), 31.608320 - 88.797687, located on the S side of Clara Strengthford Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 7000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Reservoir Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Benjamin C. Street [found as "B.C. Street" in the military records] (b. Lincoln County, TN, 1820-d. Wayne County, MS, 1901), Co. B ("Jasper County Minute

Men," aka "Capt. William C. Porter's Company," raised in Jasper County, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863). Enlisted July 29, 1862, at Paulding, Jasper County, MS, at age 42. Oct. 1, 1862, company muster roll states "discharged by order of Brigadier General Davis [on] Aug. 12 [1862] on account of the condition of his wife." No further information in his military file with this command. However, Benjamin C. Street was not yet done serving his new nation, as he enlisted a second time, this time (also as a private) into Co. D ("Capt. James A. Chapman's Company," raised in Jasper County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 23, 1864, at Paulding, Jasper County, MS, a age 44. Present on Sept. 14, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Eliza Street filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1910, in which she did not state her husband's ("Benjamin C. Street") command. Buried in the Waller Ridge Cemetery, 31.777173 -88.755116, located on the E side of Waller Ridge Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's juncture with J.B. Waller Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

(Sheriff) Pvt. Simeon S. Strickland*** [found as "Simeon Stricklin" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1822-d. Wayne County, MS, 1895), (Old) Co. K/(New) Co. F ("Clarke County Rangers," aka "Capt. J.T. Gates' Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. Enlisted Nov. 24, 1863, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 41. The Feb. 1864 company muster roll states "deserted Jan. 20, 1864." No further information in his military file with this command. Eliza Strickland filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which she stated that her husband ("Simeon Strickland") was a Confederate soldier in the 8th MS, that he enlisted in Wayne County, MS, and that he served until war's end (a contention that is not borne out by his actual service records). Buried in Salem Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.553992 -88.875643, on the S side of Strickland Road, appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Salem Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: There are three churches in Wayne County, MS, that contain the word "Salem" in their names. These are: (1) Salem Methodist Church Cemetery, 31.553992 -88.875643, on the S side of Strickland Road, appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's intersection with Salem Road, Wayne County, MS. (2) Salem United Methodist Cemetery, 31.794796 -88.508008, located on the E side of Tokio-Frost Bridge Road, appr. 4000 ft. down Tokio-Frost Bridge Road from that road's intersection with Matherville-Frost Bridge Road, Frost Bridge, Wayne County, MS. (3) Salem Cemetery, 31.800566 -88.490608, located in the woods, appr. 800 ft. N of a point on Matherville-Frost Bridge Road that lies appr. 200 ft. E of the center of the Chickasawhay River on that same road.] [***Note: Some databases

state that Samuel S. Strickland (1831-1862), brother of Simeon S. Strickland, is buried in Salem Cemetery, but those databases simply confuse the two brothers. Pvt. Samuel S. Strickland, Co. A, 46th MS Infantry, died in service at Vicksburg, MS, and is buried in Cedar Hill Cemetery in that city.]

Pvt. Daniel Taylor (b. Greene County***, MS, 1831-d. Wayne County, MS, 1914), "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted Feb. 20, 1863, at Hall's Mills, Mobile County, AL, at age 31. Present for payment of enlistment bounty at Hall's Mills, Mobile County, AL, on March 4, 1863. Present on April 30, 1863, company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry, was consolidated with other commands to form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry). Co. D of Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry became Co. K of the 15th Confederate Cavalry. Present or absent not stated (but presence implied) on Sept. 12, 1863, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1863 company muster roll. Present on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present on June 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present for clothing issue on Aug. 28, 1864, at unspecified location, but probably in the vicinity of Mobile County, AL. 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Bettie Taylor filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1914, in which she stated that her husband ("Daniel Taylor") was a Confederate soldier in the 15th Cavalry. Elizabeth Taylor filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("Daniel Taylor") was a Confederate soldier in the 15th Cavalry. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: Birth county taken from war-era enlistment bounty paperwork, dated March 4, 1863.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. John Hugh Taylor (b. Wayne County, MS, 1830-d. "of wounds, April 4, 1864") is listed in some databases as having been a member of (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Wayne Guards," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. There are two John Taylor's in the 13th MS. One was 17 year-old John T. Taylor of the "Wayne Rifles" who was

discharged on Nov. 15, 1862, for being underage. The other was John Taylor of (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. D ("Newton Rifles," raised in Newton County, MS), who is listed on the Aug. 1861 company muster roll as having died on Aug. 27, 1861, at Leeburg, VA. This man is in the wrong company and died too early to be the John Hugh Taylor under consideration here. In the same folder as the records for Pvt. John Taylor of Co. D there is a single medical record for "Pvt. John Traylor," (Old Co. D/(New) Co. I ("Minute Men of Attala," raised in Attala County, MS), who was sent to Mississippi Hospital from General Hospital No. 25 at Richmond, VA, on Jan. 9, 1863. None of these men appear to be the John Hugh Taylor under consideration here. Furthermore, after a diligent search of "J. Taylor's," "J.H. Taylor's," "John Taylor's," and "John H. Taylor's," I have been unable to place him in any MS CS command. However, there are scores of additional "J. Taylor's," "J.H. Taylor's," "John Taylor's," etc., in AL CS service and Confederate national service, so there is some chance that he did serve. Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

(Dr.) Pvt./Hospital Steward/3rd Sgt./Assistant Surgeon Peter Taylor (b. Wayne County, MS, 1835-d. Wayne County, MS, 1888), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted possibly as early as Oct. 17, 1861, at appr. age 26, but original enlistment date not recorded. Earliest known enlistment date is May 5, 1862, at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, at the time the battalion was organized from previously existing local companies. Enlisted as a private. Present for receipt of enlistment bounty of \$50 on May 12, 1862, at unspecified location, but probably Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS. Absent on June 1862 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital [at] Mississippi Springs [Hinds County, MS, on] June 25, 1862." July 1862 Regimental Return states "detailed as Nurse to [the] sick by [the] Regimental Assistant Surgeon." Present as private on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present as private on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "transferred [and] promoted to Hospital Steward on the 1st Sept. 1862." On Dec. 2, 1862, the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, was enlarged to become the 46th MS Infantry, with Co. A of Balfour's Battalion becoming Co. A of the 46th MS Infantry. Surrendered and paroled at the end of the horrific 47-day Siege of Vicksburg, MS, on July 4, 1863. Reported to Parole Camp at Demopolis, Marengo County, AL, on Aug. 23, 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 private on Oct. 31, 1863 company muster roll, with notation "transferred [back] to the Company [on] June 22, 1863; absent from 9th Oct. [1863] to 27th [Oct. 1863] with Physician's Certificate [because of] inability to return sooner." Present as 3rd Sgt. on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "promoted from private on the 1st Dec. 1863." Present as 3rd Sgt. on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present as Sgt. on March 30, 1864, for 3rd Quarter clothing issue at unspecified location. Almost certainly wounded at either the Battle of Franklin, TN, on Nov. 30, 1864, or the Battle of Nashville, TN, Dec. 15-16, 1864. Admitted as a Sgt. to St. Mary's Hospital, West Point, Lowndes County, MS, on Jan. 10, 1865, suffering from diarrhea. Admitted (as a private) on Jan. 11, 1865, to Way Hospital, Meridian, MS, suffering from "wound" [prob. received at Franklin or Nashville] and furloughed for an unspecified number of days. Captured as Assistant Surgeon of the 46th MS Infantry on April 1, 1865, at Fort Blakely, Baldwin County, AL (part of the final Mobile Campaign), and forwarded as a POW to Ship Island, MS, arriving at that place on April 4, 1865. Transferred for exchange from Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, to Vicksburg, MS, via New Orleans, LA, beginning on May 1, 1865. Physically exchanged at Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS, on May 6, 1865, by which point the war was essentially over in this portion of the Confederacy. However, he returned to service once again and 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 as Assistant Surgeon of the 46th MS Infantry at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Powe Cemetery, 31.547971 -88.546221, located appr. 2000 ft. WSW of the juncture of an unnamed dirt road with Buckatunna Chicora Clara Road at a point on the latter road that lies appr. 800 ft. S of that road's intersection with McCann Farm Road, Buckatunna, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Elijah Thomas (b. Anson County, NC, 1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1887), (Old) Co. E/(New) Co. G ("Tolson Guards," aka "Capt. George W. Ryan's Company," raised in Jasper County, MS), 8th MS Infantry. Enlisted May 15, 1862, at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, at age 27. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll. April 1863 company muster roll states "discharged for disability at Atlanta, Ga., [on] March 27, 1863," but his discharge paper intimates that he was discharged at Chattanooga, Hamilton County, TN, on March 22, 1863." His discharge paper states that his surgeons found him "incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of complete deafness; said soldier is unfit for duty in any department; we therefore recommend that he be discharged from the service." No further information in his military file with this command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the

Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 -88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE TENTATIVELY CLARIFIED. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. John Toomey (b. Wayne County, MS, 1837-d. Wayne County, MS, 1915) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS)]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS, and which became Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry, but he has no service records in that command. The only Toomey in that company and command was Pvt. Thomas P. Toomey. However, a Pvt. J.T. Toomey served in Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-days, 1864). Enlisted Aug. 23, 1864, in Wayne County, MS, at unspecified age (but at appr. age 26/27, if this soldier is John Toomey). Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. Southern Patriot! Said to be buried in the Toomey Cemetery, Frost Bridge, Wayne County, MS, in an unmarked grave, but I have been unable to locate either this cemetery or his burial site.

Pvt. John Isaiah Trigg [found in the military records as both "John I. Trigg" and as "John J. Trigg," with the script "I" of his middle initial typically being mis-transcribed a script "J."] (b. Franklin County, TN, 1825-d. Wayne County, MS, 1910), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. "Enrolled" on March 9, 1861, at age 35 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was 32) at "Jackson, Miss.," but it is unclear whether this "Jackson" means the city of Jackson, Hinds County, MS, or whether it means "Jackson County, MS." Enlisted April 17, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS. Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present or absent not stated on April 1862 company muster roll. A March 25, 1865, "Record" of the Wayne Rifles states that he was discharged on Sept. 5, 1862. This is confirmed by the Sept. 1862 Regimental Return, which states that he was discharged on Sept. 5, 1862, at Leesburg, Loudoun County, VA. However, he recovered his health and reenlisted into the same company and regiment, though no official company or regimental records confirm this. He apparently returned very late in the war. The remainder of his

records are Yankee POW records, which show that he was captured at Amelia Courthouse, Amelia County, VA, on April 6, 1865, during the Appomattox Campaign. Sent to Point Lookout, MD, POW Camp, arriving there on April 14, 1865, and sent same day to U.S.A. General Hospital, located at Point Lookout, MD, POW Camp, suffering from a gunshot wound to the left hand, caused by a Minie ball at "Sandy Creek, VA," on April 6, 1865. [Note: The Battle of Sandy Creek was one of three separate battles that are collectively known as the Battles of Sailor's Creek, VA.] [Alternate hospital admission date is given as April 18, 1865.] Possibly returned to the general POW population at Point Lookout, MD, POW Camp, as he has another records of admission to the same hospital, dated June 8, 1865, suffering from the same injury. Released at war's end from said hospital on July 17, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Age given on hospital release papers as 39. Southern Patriot! "John I. Trigg" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1900, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Capt. Eckford's Co. C, 13th MS Infantry, that he was wounded "through left hand" on April 6, 1865, at "Appomattox Courthouse," VA [meaning the general Appomattox Campaign], and that he was in active service with his command when it surrendered at Appomattox Courthouse at war's end. [He was actually in a POW camp when his command surrendered, but he probably meant that he was still a member of the regiment, even if he was in a POW camp.] Nancy L. Trigg filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which she stated that her husband ("John I. Trigg") was a Confederate soldier in the 13th MS. Buried in the Trigg Cemetery, location unknown, but said to be "near Waynesboro," Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt./5th Sgt. William Ingles Trigg [found as "William I. Trigg" and "William J. Trigg" (script capital I's and J's often being confused) in the military records] (b. AL, 1829-d. Wayne County, MS, 1895), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry. Enlisted as a private on Oct. 15, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 31. Present or absent not stated (but presence implied) on Nov. 2, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 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 "sent to Wayne County, by order of [the] Brigadier General Commanding, to collect clothing & etc., for the Company on 17 Oct. 1862." On Dec. 2, 1862, the 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, was enlarged to become the 46th MS Infantry, with Co. A of Balfour's Battalion becoming Co. A of the 46th MS

Infantry. 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. Reported to Parole Camp at Demopolis, Marengo County, AL, on Aug. 23, 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 as 5th Sgt. on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "promoted from private on the 1st Dec. 1863." Present as 5th Sgt. on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Present for clothing issue on March 30, 1864, at unspecified location (but almost certainly Mobile, Mobile County, AL). Captured on April 1 or April 2, 1865, at Fort Blakely, Baldwin County, AL, and forwarded as a POW to Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, arriving there on April 4, 1865. Transferred for exchange from Ship Island, MS, POW Camp, to Vicksburg, MS, via New Orleans, LA, beginning on May 1, 1865. Physically exchanged at Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS, on May 6, 1865, by which point the war was essentially over in this portion of the Confederacy. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: Some databases state that Sgt. Trigg served in Co. A ("Mount Zion Guards," raised in Copiah, Franklin, & Lawrence Counties, MS), 36th MS Infantry, but he never served in that command and has no service records in same.]

Pvt. Joseph D. Tyner (b. SC, ca. 1805-d. Wayne County, MS, prob. bef. 1870), Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company of MS Cavalry ("for the support of the Bureau of Conscription"), raised in Jasper County, MS. Enlisted Aug. 10, 1863, in Wayne County, MS, at age 59 (age according to military records)! Assigned to Capt. Jennings' Company at its formation on Aug. 19, 1863. "Appears on a Descriptive List of men assigned to Capt. Jennings' Cavalry Company, List dated Camp of Instruction, Enterprise [Clarke County], Miss., Oct. 24, 1863." Present on Nov. 6, 1863, company muster roll. On Dec. 24, 1863, Jennings' Company became Co. G, 9th MS Cavalry. Absent on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "sent to Hospital sick [on] 7th June 1864." Present on Dec. 1864 company muster roll. Served till war's end. Surrendered at war's end in NC with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South on April 26, 1865, and physically paroled on April 28, 1865, at appr. age appr. age 60, while on detached duty with the provost guard [i.e., military police] of that army at Jamestown, NC. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Tyner Cemetery, location currently not known, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

Pvt./4th Corp. Drury Upshaw (b. AL, 1829-d. Wayne County, MS, 1907), Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry. Enlisted as 4th Corp. on Oct. 15, 1861, at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, at age 32 (though military records say he was 33). Present on Dec. 31, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1862 company muster roll. Present as private on June 1862 company muster roll. Present as private on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present as private on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present as private on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present as private 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. Reported to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, prior to Oct. 31, 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 private on Oct. 31, 1863, company muster roll. Absent as private on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since the 23 Nov. 1863." Absent as private on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since the 23 Nov. 1863." No further information in his military file with this command. Willie M. Upshaw filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1909 & 1926, in which she did not state her husband's ("Drew Upshaw") command, but named his commanding officer in the 46th MS. She also incorrectly stated that he served until war's end. Buried in the Mulberry Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.481736 -88.845285, located on the S side of the church at the intersection of Camp 8 Road and Hollis Creek Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Franklin W. Varner [found as "F.W. Varner," "F.M. Varner," and "F.A. Varner" in the military records] (b. SC, 1835-d. Wayne County, MS, 1916), Co. C ("Capt. George F. Peek's Company," raised at Garlandville, Jasper County, MS), 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers (aka, 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers). Enlisted July 29, 1862, at Garlandville, Jasper County, MS, at age 27. 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. On June 8, 1863, the 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers was consolidated with other commands to form the 56th AL Partisan Rangers, with Co. C of the 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers continuing in the 56th AL Partisan Rangers as Co. C. [Note: The 56th AL Partisan Rangers was also known as the 1st AL Partisan

Rangers, Boyles' AL Partisan Rangers, and as Boyles' AL Cavalry.] Absent on June 30, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "sick in hospital at Pontotoc [Pontotoc County, MS]." Absent on Aug. 31, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since July 26, 1863." In the summer of 1863, Co. C, 56th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers, was transferred to the 12th Battalion MS Cavalry and became the (2nd) Co. F of that command. Present on July 15, 1864, company muster roll. [Note: This battalion was enlarged to a full regiment and called the 12th MS Cavalry, but the designation was changed to the 10th MS Cavalry on Jan. 17, 1865.] No further information in his military file with this command after July 15, 1864. "F.W. Varner" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1907 and another Confederate Pension application in Jones County, MS, in 1916, in which he stated that he enlisted in 1861 or 1862 into the 56th AL Partisan Rangers and served until war's end with that command, surrendering with that command in NC at war's end. However, there is no evidence in his military record that he served beyond July 15, 1864. Buried in the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church Cemetery (aka, Pleasant Grove Cemetery), 31.708333 -88.922330, located on the W side of Pleasant Grove Sandersville Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 500 ft. S of that road's junction with Old US Hwy. 84 (on the S side of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church), Pleasant Grove, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker that was ordered for him in 1932 by his son, Arthur R. Varner.

Pvt. Henry Harrison Walker [found as "H.H. Walker" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1893), "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Company" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry. Enlisted May 5, 1864, in Baldwin County, AL, at age 17. Present on June 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Margret (sic) Walker filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1912, in which she stated that her husband ("Henry H. Walker") was a Confederate soldier in the 15th Cavalry. Margaret (sic) Walker filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1916, in which she stated that her husband ("Harrison Walker") was a Confederate soldier in the 15th Cavalry. Buried in the Philadelphus (sic) Presbyterian Church Cemetery, 31.700624 -88.523623, located on the E side of the road at 133 Big Rock Road, Wayne County, MS, with marker type (if any) undetermined.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. S. Walker (b. AL, 1833-d. Wayne County, MS, 1883) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in Co. D ("Capt. Alexander A. Coleman's Company," aka "Capt. Abraham G. Campbell's Company," raised in Choctaw County, AL), 40th AL Infantry, but no "S. Walker" ever served in that command. A Pvt. "J.S. Walker" is listed in the index for that regiment as having served in Co. D, but, checking for "J.S. Walker's" actual service records reveals that "J.S. Walker" is a transcription error for "J.S. Waller." "S. Walker" is said to be buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker, but I have been unable to verify his burial in that cemetery.

Pvt. John Squire Waller [found as "John S. Waller" in the military records] (b. prob. Coweta County, GA, 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1916), Co. D ("Capt. Alexander A. Coleman's Company," aka "Capt. Abraham G. Campbell's Company," raised in Choctaw County, AL), 40th AL Infantry. Enlisted March 22, 1862, in Choctaw County, AL, at age 20. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Captured at the Battle of Lookout Mountain, Chattanooga, Hamilton County, TN, on Nov. 24, 1863, and transferred as a POW to Nashville, TN, then to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, and, finally, to Rock Island, IL, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. [Note: Pvt. Waller was originally reported as killed in action at the Battle of Lookout Mountain.] Arrived at Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on Dec. 5, 1863. Transferred for exchange from Rock Island, IL, POW Camp via Camp Douglas, IL, POW Camp to New Orleans, LA, beginning on May 3, 1865. Arrived as a POW at New Orleans, LA, on May 23, 1865, and transferred to the Commissioner for Exchange (probably located at Camp Townsend, Vicksburg, MS) the same day. No further information in his military file with this command, but the war was already over by this point in time. Southern Patriot! "J.S. Waller"/"John S. Waller" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1915, 1916, & 1923, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 40th AL. Buried in the Waller Ridge Cemetery, 31.777173 -88.755116, located on the E side of Waller Ridge Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 2000 ft. E of that road's juncture with J.B. Waller Road, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. GENEALOGY NOT FOUND. Supposed Confederate Servant Frank Warren (b. MS, 1826 or 1832-d. prob. Wayne County,

MS, after 1916) filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1910 & 1916, in which he stated that he served a soldier named Calvin Warren in Capt. Taylor's Co. A of the 46th MS Infantry for about ten months during the war. This company could only be Co. A ("Gaines' Invincibles," aka "Capt. Angus Taylor's Company," and aka "Capt. William C. McQuiston's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 6th (Balfour's) Battalion MS Infantry, which, on Dec. 2, 1862, became Co. A, 46th MS Infantry. No "Calvin Warren" ever served in that command, but I think that Confederate Servant Warren was simply confused in his old age and his illiteracy (signed his pension application with his "X" mark) regarding the spelling of the name of the Confederate soldier whom he served, as a Pvt./2nd Corp. Calvin Walker did serve in Co. A, 46th MS Infantry. [Corp. Walker elected to take the Oath of Allegiance to the US in the summer of 1864, promising to remain N of the Ohio River until the war was over.] Confederate Servant Warren's burial site has not been found.

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Pvt. William D. Warren (b. prob. GA, ca. 1830-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1905), (Old) Co. H/(New) Co. I ("Thomas County Volunteers," aka "Capt. William D. Mitchell's Company," raised in Thomas County, GA), 29th GA Infantry. Enlisted Nov. 12, 1861, at either Quitman, Brooks County, GA (most likely), or at Savannah, Chatham County, GA, at appr. age 30/31. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Present for payment of \$50 enlistment bounty on March 20, 1862, at Camp Tattnall, Savannah, Chatham County, GA. The Aug. 1862 Regimental Return states "transferred to Sharp Shooters" on Aug. 1, 1862. Pvt. Warren served in Co. D ("Capt. George C. Dent's Company"), 1st Battalion GA Sharpshooters. Present on Aug. 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "transferred to 1st Battalion Ga. Sharp Shooters on 1st Aug. 1862 from [the] 29th Regiment Ga. Vols by Special Order 259 from Headquarters, District Ga." Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in General Hospital." "Appears on a Register of General Hospital No. 1, Savannah [Chatham County], Ga.," with notation that he was transferred from that hospital to another hospital at Macon, Bibb County, GA, on Feb. 28, 1863, and that he was suffering from a "fractured fibula" [i.e., calf bone]. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Absent on June 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick at Jackson [Hinds County, MS] since June 30, 1863." Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present on Dec. 1863 Hospital Muster Roll for Frank Ramsey Hospital, Cassville, Bartow County, GA, with no indication of whether he was a patient, nurse, or guard at same. Absent on Feb. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Pvt. Warren stated in his Confederate Pension application that he was

wounded at the Battle of Resaca, Gordon County, GA, which was fought May 13-15, 1864. Absent on Aug. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent wounded." No further information in his military file with this command. Pvt. Warren was probably too impaired by this leg injury to ever return to active service. Southern Patriot! "W.D. Warren" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1905, in which he stated that he enlisted in 1861 in Apling County, GA, into Co. D (Capt. Dent's company), 29th GA Infantry, under Col. Walker, in which command he served for about eight months. He stated that he was then transferred to the 1st Battalion GA Sharpshooters in the latter part of 1861. He stated that he was wounded in the foot and leg at the Battle of Resaca, Gordon County, GA, and that he was absent on wounded furlough when the final surrender came. Burial site not found.

Pvt. Seaborn Napoleon Watson [found as "S.N. Watson" in the military records] (b. GA, 1830-d. Wayne County, MS, 1905), "Capt. George N. Sowell's Company," aka "Capt. U.W. Mills' Company," and aka "Capt. Jonathan B. Allen's Company" (raised in Conecuh County, AL), 4th Battalion AL Infantry, which, in Feb. 1862, became Co. I, 29th AL Infantry. Enlisted March 4, 1862, in Covington County, AL, at age 32. Present on March 4, 1862, company muster roll, taken at Pensacola, Escambia County, FL. Present on June 30, 1862, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 31, 1862, company muster roll. Present on April 1863 company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command, but no mention of AWOL or desertion. Buried in the Pittman Cemetery, 31.504427 -88.709666, located about 250 ft. down Pittman Cemetery Road, which branches off due E from Clara Road (aka, Clara Buckatunna Road) at a point on Clara Road that lies appr. 800 ft. N of that road's junction with Arthur Pittman Drive, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. (Col. -- non-Civil War title) James E. Watts (b. GA or MS Territory, 1807-1809-d. Wayne County, MS, 1872). "James Watts, Garlandville, Miss.," sold "1850 lbs. of Fresh Beef @ 18 3/4 cents [per lb.]" to the Confederate Quartermaster at Enterprise, Wayne County, MS, for \$346.87 on July 20, 1863. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Watts & West Cemetery, location unknown, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Archibald Claiborne Weaver [found as "A.C. Weaver" in the military records] (b. MS, 1847-d. Wayne County, MS, 1896), Co. B ("Capt. John L. Pickens' Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 2nd MS Infantry (State Troops) (30-

days, 1864). Enlisted in Wayne County, MS, on Aug. 23, 1864, at age 17. Present on Sept. 17, 1864, company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this very short-term command. However, Pvt. Weaver was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted a second time, this time into Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves. Enlistment date unknown, as Pvt. Weaver is known only from his war's end parole with this command. Served till war's end. Unusually, he has two war's-end paroles, one of which is possibly a "paper" parole, while the other is a probably a "physical" parole. However, in the confusion of the end of the war it is possible that he was actually paroled twice. Parole 1: Paroled at Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 17, 1865. Parole 2: Paroled at Columbus, Lowndes County, MS, on May 19, 1865. Both paroles give his residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Elizabeth Weaver filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1910, in which she stated that her husband ("Archie Weaver") was a Confederate soldier in "McGriff's." Buried in the Billie Field Cemetery, 31.807718 -88.621366, located at the S terminus of Oil Field Road, Wayne County, MS, with a broken, private marker. [Note: To get to this cemetery, turn E onto Oil Field Road from Pleasant Grove-Chapparral Road at a point on Pleasant Grove-Chapparral Road that lies appr. 100 ft. S of that road's intersection with Mamie Weaver Drive. Continue E on Oil Field Road for appr. 2000 ft., where the road takes a sharp, 90-degree turn to the S. Continue S to the S terminus of the road to the cemetery.]

Pvt. William McKay/McKey Webster [found as "William McK. Webster" in the military records] (b. Mobile County, AL, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1889), Co. D ("Wofford's Battery," raised in Holmes County, MS), 1st (Withers') MS Light Artillery. Enlisted May 23, 1863, at Mobile, Mobile County, AL, at age 17. Present on June 1864 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1864 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1864 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 - 88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Abraham West (b. Wayne County, MS, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1880), Co. H ("Capt. Angus Ray Fairly's Company," raised in Jones & Wayne Counties, MS), 5th (Robinson's) MS Infantry (State Troops) (1862-1863). Enlisted Sept. 18, 1862, at Winchester, Wayne County, MS, at age 36. Present on Oct. 1, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Jan. 24, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick since Oct. 22, 1862." Absent on Feb. 28, 1863, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick [since] Oct. 22, 1862." July 17, 1863, company muster

roll states "discharged [on] April 12, 1863 [because of] insanity." No further information in his military file with this command. Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker.

Pvt. Daniel West (b. Wayne County, MS, ca. 1818/1824***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1910), Capt. Charles A. Jennings' Independent Company of MS Cavalry ("for the support of the Bureau of Conscription"), raised in Jasper County, MS. Enlisted Nov. 3, 1863, at Paulding, Jasper County, MS, at age 46. Present on Nov. 6, 1863, company muster roll. On Dec. 24, 1863, Capt. Jennings' Company became Co. G, 9th MS Cavalry. Absent on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave since 10th May 1864." Received clothing issue (pants, shirt, drawers, & jacket) at Selma, Dallas County, AL, on May 17, 1864. Dec. 1864 company muster roll states "Transferred [on] July 1, 1864, to the infantry." He appears to be the Pvt. Daniel West who appears as present on the Aug. 1864 company muster roll for (Old) Co. B/(New) Co. D, ("Chunky Heroes," aka "Capt. W.B. Johnson's Company," and aka "Capt. William E. Thomas' Company," raised in Newton County, MS), 3rd MS Infantry, with notation "dismounted & joined company by transfer [on] Aug. 12, 1864." Absent on Feb. 28, 1865, company muster roll, with notation "dismounted cavalry attached to my company in Aug. 1864; date of original muster or pay not known; [now] absent without leave." However, Pvt. West was not AWOL; he had, in fact, deserted. "Daniel West, Co. G, Miller's Miss. Cavalry, appears on a List of Rebel deserters to be delivered to the Provost Marshal General, New York City, per Steamer Fulton," with list dated "Office Provost Marshal General, Dept. [of the] South, Hilton Head, South Carolina, Jan. 17, 1865," and with notations "residence -- Miss." and "age 46 years." The desertion paperwork does not indicate where he deserted. No further information in his military file with either of these commands. [Note: Some databases state that Daniel West served in either the 24th MS Infantry or the 24th Battalion MS Cavalry, but he never served in either of those commands and has no service records in either of them.] Samantha West filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1911, in which she stated that her husband ("Daniel West") served in Co. D, under Capt. Miller and that he was in prison at war's end (though she may not have known that he actually deserted). Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [***Note: His birth year is problematic, as military records state that he was 46 in 1865, yielding a birth year of 1818/1819, but family records indicate that he was born in 1824.]

Pvt. James D. West, Sr. [found as "J.D. West" in the military records] (b. prob. MS***, 1841-d. Wayne County, MS, 1921^^^), Co. D ("Capt. William McGill's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers, aka 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers. On June 8, 1863, the battalion was enlarged to become the 56th AL Partisan Rangers, with Co. D of the 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers continuing as Co. D of the 56 AL Partisan Rangers. Enlisted July 10, 1863, in Wayne County, MS, just a few days shy of his 22nd birthday. [Note: Some records say that he enlisted at New Albany, Union County, MS, on July 10, 1863, and the regiment was known to have been in that area around that time, so it may be that he actually did enlist at New Albany, MS, and that the reference to his enlisting in Wayne County, MS, is simply a reflection of which county he was from.] Present on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 1864 Hospital Muster Roll for Lee Hospital, Lauderdale [Springs], Lauderdale County, MS, with notation that he was attached to the hospital on Aug. 13 [1864] as a patient and that he "furnished his [own] horse" when he joined the cavalry. No further information in his military file with this command. "J.D. West" filed Confederate Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1912 & 1916, in which he stated that he was a Confederate soldier in the 56th AL, that he lived in Wayne County, MS, when he enlisted [stating elsewhere that he was living in Clarke County, MS, when he enlisted], that he served the entire war, that his command surrendered at war's end at Atlanta, GA [which it did not], and that he was absent from his command at war's end because he had been taken prisoner a few weeks before the final surrender. [Note: He has no military records beyond Aug. 1864 and there is no evidence in his military file of his either serving until war's end or his having ever been a POW.] Buried in the New Hope Cemetery, 31.753437 -88.707657, located on the SW side of Old River Road, at a point on that road that lies appr. 8000 ft. S and E of that road's junction with Marshall Doherty Drive, West King, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker ordered for him in 1936 by his son, Elias L. West. [***Note: His actual birth state is undetermined, as family researchers variously state that he was born in AL, GA, or MS. The 1880 US Census for Wayne County, MS, states that he was born in MS.] [^^^Note: Death year taken from his VA Confederate headstone application. Most family researchers state that he died in 1903, but he filed Confederate Pension applications in 1912 & 1916, so a death year of 1921 is most likely accurate.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. John N. West (b. MS, ca. 1846-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1905) (as "J.N. West") filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1905, in which he

stated that he was a Confederate soldier in Capt. McGriff's Company of the "8th State Troops," but the John West of that command is John V. West. (See below.). Burial site not found.

TENTATIVE. Pvt. John I. West, Sr. [found as "John West" in the military records] (b. prob. Tatnall County, GA, 1848-d. Wayne County, MS, 1912), "MS State Reserves (Wayne County)." This was probably a local defense company, for which I can find no records. Buried in the Yellow Creek Cemetery (aka, Yellow Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.734636 -88.713154, located on the N side of Yellow Creek Church Drive, at a point on that road that lies appr. 2500 ft. E of that road's junction with Waynesboro Shubuta Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

DID NOT SERVE MILITARILY, BUT SUPPORTED THE CONFEDERACY ECONOMICALLY. (Rep.) John West (b. Johnston County, NC, 1799-d. Wayne County, MS, 1867) was apparently a bidder on a Confederate contract at Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, the details of which contract I could not locate, but which is identified as being in "Chapter XI, Volume 39, Page 154." It is not known whether he was the successful bidder on the project. Buried in the Watts & West Cemetery, location unknown, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

3rd Corp./4th Sgt. John Asbury West, Sr. (b. Wayne County, MS, 1822-d. Wayne County, MS, 1896), Co. D ("Capt. William McGill's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers, aka 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers. On June 8, 1863, the battalion was enlarged to become the 56th AL Partisan Rangers, with Co. D of the 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers continuing as Co. D of the 56 AL Partisan Rangers. Enlisted Sept. 1, 1862, in Wayne County, MS, at age 40. Present as 3rd Corp. on June 1863 company muster roll. Present as 4th Sgt. on Aug. 1863 company muster roll. Present as 4th Sgt. on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. No further information in his military file with this command. However, like many AL commands, this command is exceedingly poorly documented. Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with both a private and a Confederate marker.

Pvt. John Vincent West [found as "John V. West" in the military records] (b. AL, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1915), "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves.

Enlisted April 16, 1864, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 16 (according to military records, which are often "off" by a year or two; family records indicate he would have been 17). Present on May 1, 1864, company muster roll. On Sept. 3, 1864, Co. H of Denis' Battalion became Co. H, 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves (a full regiment). Summoned to a military court on Feb. 27, 1865, by "General Order No. 24, Headquarters, Department of AL, MS, & East LA," with reason for summons unclear, but typically to face a court martial for unspecified reasons. No further information in his military file with this command. However, he continued in service, serving till war's end, but his war's-end parole was misfiled under "Miscellaneous MS CS Records," rather than with the 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves. Pvt. John West, Co. H, "Mississippi State Reserves" [which should read "Co. H, 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves"] was 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 Selma, Dallas County, AL, on May 29, 1865. Parole gives residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Evergreen Baptist Cemetery Cemetery, 31.784757 - 88.814500, located at 788 Shubuta Eucutta Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Stephen Nelson West [found as "Stephen West" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1909), Co. D ("Capt. William McGill's Company," raised in Mobile County, AL), 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers, aka 15th Battalion AL Partisan Rangers. On June 8, 1863, the battalion was enlarged to become the 56th AL Partisan Rangers (aka Boyle's AL Cavalry), with Co. D of the 1st Battalion AL Partisan Rangers continuing as Co. D of the 56 AL Partisan Rangers. Enlisted July 1, 1863, in Wayne County, MS, at age 37. Appears as present on an Oct. 31, 1863, hospital muster roll for Forney's Division Hospital, Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, with reason for hospitalization not stated. No further information in his military file with this command. However, this command, like many AL commands, is exceedingly poorly documented. Buried in the Arrington Cemetery, 31.698993 -88.818726, located on the E side of Eucutta Road, appr. 600 ft. N of that road's intersection with US Hwy. 84, Whistler, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. (Rev.) James Wilson West (b. Covington County, MS, 1826-d. Wayne County, MS, 1900) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in (Old) Co. F/(New) Co. C ("Kemper Legion," raised in Kemper County, MS), 13th MS Infantry, but there is no James Wilson West (or name variants) in that company or regiment. The Pvt. William J. West of Co. C, 13th MS Infantry, was only 25 when he enlisted and was mortally wounded at the

Battle of Gettysburg, PA. Pvt. William L. West of (Old) Co. K/(New) Co. H ("Spartan Band," raised in Chickasaw County, MS), 13th MS Infantry was only 23 when he enlisted and was mortally wounded at the Battle of Sharpsburg, MD, in the fall of 1862. Searching for James Wilson West or Wilson West in various databases, I can find no man matching his age and location. I do find four Confederate soldiers named "Wilson West," but they served in TN, TX, and VA commands. I do not think that James Wilson West was ever a Confederate soldier. He probably appears on the MS Sons of Confederate Veterans Confederate Graves Database because a well-meaning descendant thought he had served in the referenced company/regiment, which he had not done. Buried in the Clear Creek Cemetery, 31.790369 -88.730415, located on the E side of Waynesboro-Shubuta Road at a point on that road that lies approx. 1 mile N of that road's intersection with Mabry Graham Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Joseph Alexander Wetherbee [found as "Joseph A. Weatherby" and Joseph A. Wetherbee" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1823-d. Wayne County, MS, 1910), Co. C ("Prairie Rifles," aka "Prairie Riflemen," aka "Capt. Josiah B. Williams' Company," and aka "Capt. George W. Shannon's Company," raised in Chickasaw County, MS), 11th MS Infantry. Enlisted Nov. 12, 1864, at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, at age 45 (according to military records). [Note: Family sources state that he was born in 1823, but the age given in his military papers suggests a birth year of ca. 1819.] Present on Dec. 1864 company muster roll, with notation "recruited from Depot, Enterprise [Clarke County], Miss." Captured April 2, 1865, at the Battle of Hatcher's Run, VA, according to Yankee POW records, but it is more likely that he was actually captured at the 3rd Battle of Petersburg, VA, on that same date, as the Battle of Hatcher's Run actually occurred three days earlier. Forwarded as a POW to City Point, VA (some 25 miles downstream from Richmond, VA, on the James River) and then to Point Lookout, MD, POW Camp. Released from Point Lookout, MD, POW Camp on June 22, 1865, after first having taken the required Oath of Allegiance to the US. Parole papers give his residence as Wayne County, MS. Southern Patriot! A "Record" of this command states that he was a mechanic when he enlisted. Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 -88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. James Bigham Whigham [also found as "James B. Whiggum" in the military records] (b. GA, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1918), Co. C (aka, "Barbour Light Artillery," raised at Eufaula, Barbour County, AL), 4th Artillery Battalion, Hilliard's AL Legion, which was separated from the Legion and became better

known as Kolb's Battery AL Light Artillery. Enlisted Feb. 1, 1864, at Eufaula, Barbour County, AL, at age 19. Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. On May 6, 1864, Pvt. Whigham was transferred to the Eufaula AL Light Artillery (raised at Eufaula, Barbour County, AL) by Special Orders No. 125/1, Department & Army of Tennessee. On the retreat from Hood's disastrous Middle TN Campaign of late 1864, Pvt. Whigham was admitted Jan. 9, 1865, to St. Mary's Hospital, West Point, Lowndes County, MS, suffering from diarrhea, and scheduled "to go on train on 11 Jan. [1865]," meaning that he was going to be transported further south. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 10, 1865. Parole gives residence as Eufaula, Barbour County, AL. Southern Patriot! "J.B. Whigham" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1915, in which he stated that he enlisted in Barbour County, AL, in April 1861, into Co. A, 32nd AL Infantry, that he served under Capt. Oliver, that he was never discharged, transferred, or absent without leave, and that he served until war's end. The only problem with this scenario is that James Bigham Whigham never served in the 32nd AL Infantry and has no service records in same. [Note: The only "Whigham" to serve in the 32nd AL Infantry was Pvt. Richard Nathan Whigham, of Co. A, who was James Bigham Whigham's uncle.] However, in 1916, "James B. Whigham" filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in which he stated that he enlisted in Barbour County, AL, in 1862, into Battery C, Kolb's AL Artillery, served under Capt. Kolb, was never discharged, transferred, or absent without leave, and served till war's end in this command, which surrendered "below Mobile" at war's end. [He actually enlisted Feb. 1, 1864, and his unit surrendered at Meridian, not Mobile.] Sarah M. Whigham filed a Confederate Widow's Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1919, in which she stated that her husband ("James B. Whigham") was a Confederate soldier in the "32nd Regiment." Buried in the Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, 31.606894 -88.546205, located behind the church at 12 Sturdivant Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker. [Note: There was also a Pvt. James B. Whigham in Co. H, 46th AL Infantry, but he was born in 1835 and enlisted in Pike County, AL. He is not the same man as the James Bigham Whigham under consideration here.]

Pvt./3rd Corp. Claiborn C. Whitaker [found in the military records as "C.C. Whitacre," "C.C. Whitaker," and "Claiborn C. Whitaker"] (b. NC, 1834-d. Wayne County, MS, 1886), Co. E ("Shubuta Guards," aka "Capt. T.T. Howze's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 8, 1862, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at appr. age 27/28. Present on April 30, 1862,

company muster roll. Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 30, 1862, company muster roll. Absent on Oct. 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in hospital." Absent on Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "in Hospital." 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. Reported to Parole Camp at Enterprise, Clarke County, MS, prior to Oct. 31, 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. Absent from parole camp on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Present on Feb. 1864 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 31, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in hospital." Promoted to 3rd Corp. sometime after Aug. 31, 1864. Served till war's end. On April 9, 1865, for purposes of surrender in NC at war's end, the 37th MS Infantry was consolidated into a battalion of four companies and designated the 37th Battalion MS Infantry. 3rd Corp. Whitaker served in Co. C of this consolidated command. Surrendered at war's end in NC on April 26, 1865, with Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's Army of the South and physically paroled at Greensboro, NC, on May 1, 1865. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Billie Field Cemetery, 31.807718 -88.621366, located at the S terminus of Oil Field Road, Wayne County, MS, with a broken, private marker. [Note: To get to this cemetery, turn E onto Oil Field Road from Pleasant Grove-Chapparral Road at a point on Pleasant Grove-Chapparral Road that lies appr. 100 ft. S of that road's intersection with Mamie Weaver Drive. Continue E on Oil Field Road for appr. 2000 ft., where the road takes a sharp, 90-degree turn to the S. Continue S to the S terminus of the road to the cemetery.] [Note: Some databases state that he is buried in the not-too-distant Chaparral Cemetery, but that is not the case.]

SERVICE NOT VERIFIED. J. Mart Whitney (b. Wayne County, MS, 1846-d. Wayne County, MS, 1923) is listed in some databases as having been a Confederate soldier in "Capt. Edwin A. Miller's Company of Unattached Cavalry [raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS]," which was "on special duty in support of [the] Conscript Bureau" in MS, which, on Oct. 18, 1864, became Co. A (still "Capt. Edwin Miller's Company"), 24th (Moorman's) Battalion MS Cavalry. However, J. Mart Whitney has no service records in that command or any other MS CS command. In fact, no Whitney's served in the 24th Battalion MS Cavalry at all. I do not believe that J. Mart Whitney was ever a Confederate soldier. Buried in the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church Cemetery (aka, Pleasant Grove Cemetery), 31.708333 -88.922330, located on the W side of Pleasant Grove

Sandersville Road at a point on that road that lies appr. 500 ft. S of that road's junction with Old US Hwy. 84 (on the S side of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church), Pleasant Grove, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Allen Percy Williams [found as "Allen P. Williams" in the military records] (b. Clarke County, AL, 1848-d. Lauderdale County, MS, 1890), "Capt. Richard McGriff's Company of Unattached MS Cavalry," which became Co. H ("McGriffs' Company," raised in Clarke & Wayne Counties, MS), 1st (Denis') Battalion MS Cavalry Reserves, which became Co. H, 1st (Denis') MS Cavalry Reserves on Sept. 3, 1864. Enlisted April 16, 1864, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 15 (though military records -- often "off" by a few years -- state that he was 17). Absent on May 1, 1864, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." No further information in his military file with this reserve command. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Yellow Creek Cemetery (aka, Yellow Creek Baptist Church Cemetery), 31.734636 -88.713154, located on the N side of Yellow Creek Church Drive, at a point on that road that lies appr. 2500 ft. E of that road's junction with Waynesboro Shubuta Road, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

Pvt. Francis M. [prob. "Marion"] Williams [found as "Francis M. Williams" and "Frank M. Williams" in the military records] (b. Wayne County, MS, 1824-d. Wayne County, MS, 1912), (Old) Co. C/(New) Co. B ("Wayne Rifles," aka "Capt. W.J. Eckford's Company," aka "Capt. S.H. Powe's Company," and aka "Capt. D.M. McRae's Company," raised in Wayne County, MS), 13th MS Infantry. Enlisted June 1, 1861, in Wayne County, MS, at age 36. [Note: A March 25, 1865, "Record" of this company states that he was 28 years old when he enlisted, but ages given in Confederate military records are often "off" by a few years.] Present on June 30, 1861, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1861 company muster roll. Present on Dec. 1861 company muster roll. Absent on Feb. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent at Hospital." Present on April 1862 company muster roll. Admitted to Camp Winder General Hospital, Richmond, VA, on May 7, 1862, suffering from diarrhea, and returned to duty on May 23, 1862. Admitted on Sept. 25, 1862, to Chimborazo Hospital No. 5, Richmond, VA, suffering from bronchitis, and returned to duty on Nov. 30, 1862. Absent on Oct. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick at Richmond, Va." Present on Dec. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Feb. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Aug. 8, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "sent to hospital from near Locust Grove [Orange County, VA, on] Aug. 8, 1863." Admitted to Camp Winder General Hospital, Richmond, VA, on May 9, 1863, suffering from debility, forwarded to Mississippi Soldiers' Hospital, Richmond, VA, the same day, and returned to duty on July 4, 1863. Admitted to Camp Winder General Hospital,

Richmond, VA, on July 9, 1863, suffering from acute diarrhea, forwarded to Mississippi Soldiers' Hospital the same day, and returned to duty on July 21, 1863. Appears on an Aug. 11, 1863, register of General Hospital, Howard's Grove, Richmond, VA, suffering from febris intermittens tertiana, or severe fever that recurs every three days, and returned to duty on Sept. 11, 1863. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Captured on Nov. 29, 1863, at the Battle of Fort Sanders, Knoxville, Knox County, TN [part of the overall Knoxville Campaign], but not forwarded as a POW from Knoxville, TN, to Military Prison, Louisville, KY, until Dec. 31, 1863, which implies that Pvt. Williams was either wounded at the Battle of Fort Sanders or became ill shortly thereafter. Forwarded from Military Prison, Louisville, KY, to notorious Rock Island, IL, POW Camp, where it was official Yankee policy to starve Confederate POW's in order to make them unfit for field service once exchanged. Arrived at Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on Jan. 6, 1864. Transferred for exchange from Rock Island, IL, POW Camp on March 2, 1865 to unspecified location, but almost certainly City Point, VA, located apprx. 25 miles downstream from Richmond, VA, on the James River. Would have been sent to a Richmond-area hospital to be checked out medically and then either sent to Camp Lee, Richmond, VA, to recuperate and be prepared to return to his command or furloughed home to MS. Admitted to Way Hospital, Meridian, Lauderdale County, MS, on March 28, 1865, and medically furloughed. No further information in his military file with this command, but he was probably still on medical furlough when the war in this part of the Confederacy ended just a few weeks later. Southern Patriot! Buried in the Waynesboro Cemetery, 31.685006 - 88.640962, located immediately SW of the intersection of Hillcrest Drive and Skyland Drive, Waynesboro, Wayne County, MS, with a private marker.

(Dr.) Pvt./3rd Sgt./2nd Sgt. George Washington Williamson (b. AL, ca. 1820***-d. Wayne County, MS, 1885^^), "Capt. James White's Independent Company AL Cavalry," aka "Capt. Duncan McKellar's Independent Company AL Cavalry" (raised in Choctaw County, AL), which became Co. D, AL & FL Battalion of Cavalry, aka Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry. Enlisted as 2nd Sgt. on March 17, 1862, in Washington County, AL, at age 42 (according to military records). Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present as 2nd Sgt. on Aug. 1862 company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1862 company muster roll. Present as a private on the Dec. 1862 company muster roll, with notation "reduced to [the] ranks from 2[nd] Sergeant by sentence of Court Martial [on] Dec. 9, 1862," with charges not being specified. Absent on Feb. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent, detached on conscript [i.e., draft] service." Present on April 30, 1863, company muster roll. Present on June 1863 company muster roll. In Sept. 1863, Murphy's Battalion AL Cavalry was consolidated with other commands to

form the 15th Confederate Cavalry (aka, 1st AL & FL Cavalry), with Co. D of Murphy's Battalion becoming Co. K, 15th Confederate Cavalry. Present or absent not stated on Sept. 12, 1863, company muster roll. Present on Oct. 1863 company muster roll. Absent on Dec. 1863 company muster roll, with notation "absent sick." Present or absent not stated on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. Absent on June 1864 company muster roll, with notation "absent without leave." Returned to service. 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 Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest's cavalry forces at Gainesville, Sumter County, AL, on May 14, 1865. Southern Patriot! [Note: Residence given on parole as Choctaw County, AL.] Buried in the Hebron Cemetery, 31.758769 -88.606141, 36 Hebron Drive, Hebron, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [***Note: Birth year estimated from his age being given in the military records as 42 in 1862. Family researchers state that G.W. Williamson was born in 1839, but this is exceedingly unlikely, as he was having children as early as 1850. He is probably the Dr. (Dentist) G.W. Williamson, age 41, who was living in Wilcox County, AL, in 1860, with wife "M. Williamson." His family may have moved to Choctaw County, AL, during the war, but does not seem to have been living there in 1860.] [^^^Note: Death year taken from VA headstone application filed in 1932 by Mrs. W.H. Young.]

Pvt./2nd Sgt. Thomas Jefferson Woodward [found as "Thomas J. Woodward" in the military records] (b. Jasper County***, MS, 1845-d. Wayne County, MS, 1901), Co. E ("Shubuta Guards," aka "Capt. T.T. Howze's Company," raised in Clarke County, MS), 37th MS Infantry. Enlisted March 8, 1862, at Shubuta, Clarke County, MS, at age 16 (though the military records say he was 17). Present on post-dated April 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "on sick furlough till 15th May [1862, but has since] returned." Present on June 1862 company muster roll. Present on Aug. 30, 1862, company muster roll. "Appears on a Report of killed, wounded, and missing of the 1st Division, Army of the West, in the Battle of Corinth [Tishomingo County], Miss., Oct. 3 to 5, 1862," with remark "wounded." Absent on Oct. 30, 1862, company muster roll, with notation "absent sick in hospital." His discharge paper, dated General Hospital, Enterprise, MS, Nov. 22, 1862, states that he was being discharged because of "being a Minor, only 16 years old and, further, because of wound received at [the] Battle [of] Corinth [Tishomingo County, Miss.,] in left arm." His mother, on Dec. 2, 1862, petitioned the army to release her son from service because he was a minor "under the age of Eighteen years" and that "he enlisted in the Confederate service in 1862 against [her] consent." [Don't understand the discrepancy in the dates of mother's petition and actual discharge.] No further information in his military file with this

command. However, young Thomas Jefferson Woodward was not yet done serving his new nation. He enlisted as second time, this time as 2nd Sgt. "T.J. Woodward," into Co. F ("Capt. Steele's Company," raised in Kemper County, MS), 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry. Enlisted Oct. 15, 1863, in Clarke County, MS, at age 17. Present on April 30, 1864, company muster roll. Present on Aug. 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, Lauderdale County, MS, on May 16, 1865. Parole gives residence as Clarke County, MS. Southern Patriot! M.A. [Martha Ann] Woodward filed Confederate Widow's Pension applications in Wayne County, MS, in 1922 & 1924, in which she stated that her husband ("T.J. Woodward [sic]") was a Confederate soldier in the 37th MS, but also remembered that he served under "Capt. Steele," who was the captain of Co. F, 11th (Perrin's) MS Cavalry. Buried in the Zion Rest Cemetery (aka, the Zion Rest Methodist Church Cemetery), 31.821828 -88.876384, located on the W side of a point on Zion Rest Road that lies appr. 1.25 miles N of that road's junction with Sugar Hill Road, Eucutta, Wayne County, MS, with a Confederate marker. [Note: When Hardy Woodward filed for a VA Confederate marker in 1933, he did not specify T.J. Woodward's command, so the VA had to appeal to the State of MS to confirm his service.] [***Note: Birth county taken from his CS Army discharge paper.]

BURIAL SITE NOT FOUND. Confederate Servant Dave Young (b. prob. MS, ca. 1835-d. prob. Wayne County, MS, after 1905) filed a Confederate Pension application in Wayne County, MS, in 1905, in which he stated that he served a Confederate soldier named Shedrick Young of the 12th AL Infantry for three years during the war. However, I think he was confused and actually served Pvt. Strudwick Young, Co. D ("Canebrake Legion," aka "Capt. George E. Tayloe's Company," and aka "Capt. John H. Prince's Company," raised in Marengo County, AL), 11th AL Infantry. Pvt. Young was mortally wounded at the Battle of Gaines's Mill, Hanover County, VA, on June 27, 1862, and was furloughed home to Choctaw County, AL, where he died. Confederate Servant Dave Young's burial site has not been found.

END OF LIST OF WAYNE COUNTY CONFEDERATE VETERAN BURIALS

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

ARRINGTON CEMETERY:

Richard Tiner, 1850-1926

BIG ROCK CEMETERY:

Albert Evans, ????-1898 [Child?]

R.A. Minton, 1846-1923 [Male? Female?]

David Daniel Nichols, 1786-1867

Jim Sanderson, ????-????

BILLIE FIELD CEMETERY:

Francis Elijah McCoy, 1847-1910

Murdock L. Weaver, 1849-1918

BOYLES CHAPEL CEMETERY:

Curtis Broadhead, ????-????

A. Caddis [Gaddis?], 1850-1938

Roy Clayton Chavous, ????-???? [Child?]

Henry D. Findley, 1853-1933 [birth year of 1848 on marker is wrong]

William Franklin Hyatt, 1844-1922

E.G. Watkins, Jr., ????-????

Jacob Brown West, 1850-1929

BUCKATUNNA FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH:

Lemuel Gregory Snelgrove, 1812-1886

CARLISLE CEMETERY:

Alfred D. Carlisle, 1809-1891

CHASON CEMETERY:

Larcin [Larkin] W. Beesley, 1836-1917

William David Goodman, 1847-1917

James W. McCoy, 1838-1920

Dallas W. Risen, 1847-1920

Henry Shoultz [Schultz], 1832-1905

CLEAR CREEK CEMETERY:

Moses Beard, 1810-1864
M.E. Elkins, 1801-1894 [Female?]
Vaughn E Walker, ????-???? [Child?]
Willis B. Walker, ????-???? [Child?]

CONCORD CEMETERY:

J. Husbands, 1793-1873
Phillip Marcellus James, 1811-1862
Emanuel Rogers, ????-1911

DAILEY CEMETERY:

Daniel G. Robinson, 1845/1850-1920

DAVE MILLS CEMETERY:

Marcus D. Atkinson, ????-????

DYESS CEMETERY:

Nelson Regester, ????-????

EAST SHADY GROVE CEMETERY:

Emanuel C. McMillan, 1848-1935

EVERGREEN CEMETERY:

Joseph N. Daley, 1848-1912

FEDORA CEMETERY:

S.C. Whitney, 1849-1904

GENEVA HORNE CEMETERY:

Bilbo Carney, ????-????
Pat Doherty, ????-???? [Female?]
Sandy W. Horne, ????-????
Cleve Rowe, ????-????
John Sanford, ????-????

GRAY CEMETERY:

Clinch Marzette Gray, 1849-1902

HEBRON CEMETERY:

Terrence Bishop, 1850-1912

Elisha S. Cooley, ????-????
unknown Graham, ????-????
John Marley, ????-????
Robert Clay Pou, 1848-1890
David A. Richey, ????-????
James B. Richey, 1803-1878
Jasper Newton Stanford, 1849-1882
A. Anson Walker, 1842-1926

HICKORY GROVE CEMETERY (AKA, BREWER CEMETERY):

Alexander Brewer, 1844-1927
Henry James/James Henry Brewer, 1811-1880

HIWANNEE BAPTIST CHURCH CEMETERY:

J.C. Covington, ????-????

HOLCOMB CEMETERY (AKA NEW HOPE CEM. AND AKA ENON CEM.):

Pat Keys, ????-1891 [Child?]
S.A. Singley, 1832-????

HOLLIS CREEK CHURCH CEMETERY:

Alexander F. Kelly, 1849-1928
Daniel McCoy Nicholson, 1850-1925
Rowan Sumrall, 1848-1931

MELVIN CEMETERY:

Eben Newton, 1802-1870

MENASCO CEMETERY:

John Westley Menasco, Sr., 1850-1921

MOODY CEMETERY (AKA, OLD SALEM METHODIST CHURCH CEMETERY):

Arvin (also Aryin) Moody, 1849-1893
James R. [P.?] Norton, 1818-1861

MOUNT PLEASANT CEMETERY:

Edward Dearman, ????-????

MOUNT ZION CEMETERY:

Thomas Bryant, 1846-1910
Peyton Allen Busby, Sr., 1849-1934
Steven Shepard Busby, 1812-1889
Isaac Hilliard Horn, Sr., 1827-1896 [exempt as JP in AL]
James E. Jordan, 1814-1898
Nolan Richard Lewis, Jr., 1848-1906
Felix A. Martin, 1814-1882
James L [not "E."] McIlwain, 1850-1903
Albert Warren McLaughlin, Sr., 1848-1909
Charles O'Guinn/O'Gwynn, 1850-1910
William Patrick Palmer, 1817-1907
Eli Reinhart, 1848-1947 [b. PA]
E. Sanders, ???-???
(Rev.) William Carney Slay, 1802-1863
(Rev.) Jesse Thames, 1810-1872
Jesse E. Thames, 1846-1872
W. Monroe Wilkins, 1850-1875
William Wilkins, 1815-1886
James G. Williams, 1812-1891
J.H.P. Williams, 1848-1932

MOZINGO CEMETERY:

Zachary Taylor Mazingo, 1850-1910

MULBERRY CEMETERY:

Eli Bazor, 1846-1916
R.V. Bazor, ???-???
Daniel H. Stevison, 1850-1914
Jack Stevison, ???-1900

NEW HOPE CEMETERY [AKA, ENON CEMETERY]:

Pat Keys, ???-1891 [Infant?]
David Pugh, ???-???

OAK GROVE CEMETERY:

W.C., ???-???

OLD LEE CEMETERY:

Frank James, 1850-1937

PHILADELPHUS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CEMETERY:

Daniel Murray Britton, 1850-1940
Frank Britton, ????-1899
Frank Britton, 1825-????
"Grandfather Britton," ????-????
Jackie Britton, ????-1894
W. Oliver Bruner, 1850-1887
Isaac William Duncan, 1824-1904
Barnett C. Horn, 1850-1929
Jessie Jones, ????-????
Alexander McRae, 1814-1871
Colin McRae, 1808-1886
Franklin McRae, ????-????
John McRae, ????-????
John McRae (2), ????-????
Phillip McRae, ????-????
William B. Tatum, 1848-1922
Benjamin Taylor, ????-????
Berry Taylor, ????-1891
Malcolm Taylor, ????-????
John Henry Tucker, 1849-1914
William E. Tucker, 1847-1894
Frank Walker, 1850-????
Truman Walker, ????-????

PINE GROVE CEMETERY:

George E. Patrick, 1850-1933
(Rev.) Hubert Nathaniel Smith, 1849-1928

PLEASANT GROVE METHODIST CHURCH CEMETERY:

Francis Asbury Britton, 1850-1903
Thomas John Britton, 1834-1916
Robert Cicero Dyess, ????-1941
C. Hull, ????-????
Pleasant Taylor McIlwain, 1847-1928
William McIlwain, 1810-1897
Daniel K. Risen, 1845-1929
J. Mart [James Martin Van Buren] Whitney, 1846-1923

PLEASANT GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH CEMETERY:

Tom Smith, ????-???
Alonzo Taylor, 1850-1926

POWE CEMETERY (BUCKATUNNA):

Erasmus W. Powe, 1813-1861
Johnnie Murray Powe, 1818-1868
J.S. Thurber, ???-???

PROVIDENCE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CEMETERY:

Drewery Douglas, 1811-1898 [testified in court in Jasper County, MS, regarding a mother's claim to have been the mother of a deceased Confederate soldier]

SALEM CEMETERY (Strickland Road):

Brody Beard, 1848-1952
(Sheriff) Rufus Pierce Bradley, 1949-1922
Samuel Andrew Cobb, Sr., ???-???
??? McClain, ???-???
Harvey McClain, ???-???
??? McClain (2), ???-???
Solomon Walton Strickland, 1849-1915
??? Strickland, ???-???

SALEM CEMETERY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CEMETERY (Tokio-Frost Bridge Road):

SANDHILL CEMETERY:

Eli Reynolds, 1848-1888

SELLERS CEMETERY:

Braswell Overstreet, 1800-1882

SHIRLEY PLACE CEMETERY:

Elisha B. Stevens, Sr., 1850-1938

STAGG CEMETERY:

John Franklin Goodman, 1844-1907

STRENGTHFORD CEMETERY:

Spencer R. Bankston, 1848-1905
John Wiley Broadhead, 1848-1905

TOM MILLS CEMETERY:

Edmond T., ????-???

Elijah Zachariah Kinzey, 1850-1913

WALLER RIDGE CEMETERY:

John Gatlin, 1850-1915

Butler Cass Waller, 1846-1919

Nathaniel Bridges Waller, 1844-1908

WAYNESBORO CEMETERY:

James W. Allday, 1844-1899

Leroy Clanton, ???-???

Charles Henry Cole, Sr., 1841-1880 [2nd LA Inf.]

James W. Davis, 1845-1909

Thomas Hampton Davis, 1805-1870

James H. Dickerson, 1850-1916

L.F. Fowler, ???-???

James Hamrick, 1817-1892

Charles Harper, ???-1924

Abraham Hayes, 1815-1890

(Dr.) Manlius Huggins, 1829-1897

William Hutto, 1850-1828

J.M.C. Jones, 1818-1881

Martin Kelley, ???-???

Ernest Moffett, ???-???

Daniel McCall O'Gwynn, 1850-1928

(Dr./Sheriff/Author/Teacher) James Robert Soda Pitts, 1832-1920

W.L. Seale, ???-???

??? Sigler, ???-???

Silas Milton Smith, 1847-1898

David M. Swindle, 1848-1916

Willis R. Tatum, 1848-1922

William Frank Taylor, Jr., ???-???

W.J. Turner, ???-???

Will Turner, ???-???

(Rev.) Jim West, 1821-1904

WHITEHOUSE CEMETERY (AKA WHITE HOUSE CEMETERY AND AKA BIG CREEK CEMETERY):

Father Ainsworth, ????-???
Henry A. Brown, 1844-1906
Harvey Cochran, ???-???
Louter Cochran, ???-???
William Crawford, 1820-1908
Jack Davis, ???-??? ["son of Joe Douglas"]
Joseph Neely Davis, ???-1910
Joe Douglas, ???-1898
J.C. Jones, ???-???
W.R. Riley, ???-???
B.F. Roberts, ???-???
John Smith, ???-???
Samuel F. Stabler, 1849-1925
R.P. Tanner, ???-???

WINCHESTER CEMETERY (AKA WINCHESTER UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH CEMETERY):

Charlie Barker, ???-1954
Seaborn Jones Brown, 1820-1878
Henry Causey, ???-???
James Lee Fox, 1845-1943
Pate Grey, ???-???
George A. McElroy, 1848-1925
John N. McKay, 1849-1868
Robert A. Sumrall, 1811-1883
Limuel/Lemuel L. Taylor, 1844/1848-1909

YELLOW CREEK CEMETERY (AKA, YELLOW CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH
CEMETERY):

Thomas Jefferson Burgess, 1830-1891
Benjamin Davis, 1794-1877
John Starling, ???-???
James West, 1809-1899

ZION REST CEMETERY (AKA, ZION REST BAPTIST CHURCH
CEMETERY):

Jim Brooks, ???-???
Joseph Franklin Jones, ???-???
Cecil Stewart, ???-???

ZION REST CEMETERY (AKA, ZION REST METHODIST CHURCH
CEMETERY):

Berry Calvin Arrington, 1849-1909

Evander M. Gandy, 1849-1918 [Note: He is not the Evander M. Gandy of Co. B,
27th MS Infantry, who was a relative.]

John Leggett, 1847-1924

Sam Lindsey, ????-????

(Rev.) John Trimell McNeill, 1848-1903

John Thomas, ????-????

END OF REPORT ON WAYNE COUNTY, MS, CONFEDERATE BURIALS.

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