

GENEALOGY
of
YANCEY — MEDEARIS
and
RELATED LINES

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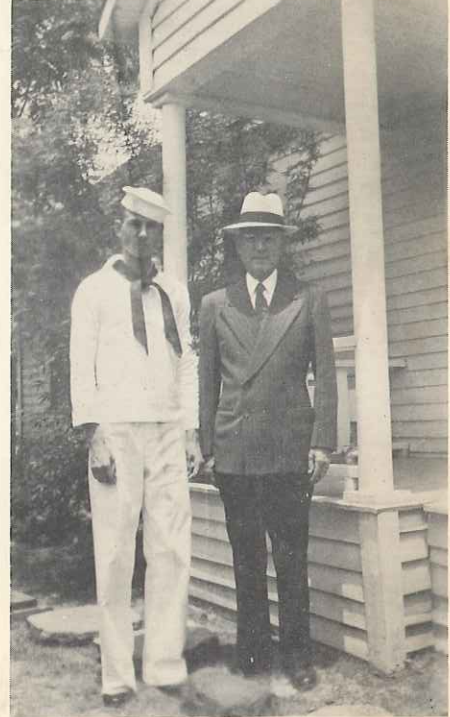
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In Appreciation

While the author has taken the lead in compiling this record, special recognition is due my brother, James Harvey Norwood, Sr., and my cousin, Mrs. Freeman Lacy (Olivia Yancey). Without their efforts and assistance, this report would not have been possible.



J.H. Norwood, Sr., as he appeared when he began this study. In a later picture, he appears with his son, J.H. Norwood, Jr., who was at Pearl Harbor, on that eventful day of December 7, 1941, and for a number of subsequent days was reported as dead or missing.



Mrs. Olivia (Yancey) Lacy and her very cooperative husband, Freeman Lacy.



Yancey

The Coat of Arms of the Yancey Family is described as follows:
(Burke General Armory, 1884)

Arms - - - "Or a lion rampant azure"

FOREWORD

For some several years now, it has been the custom for those having Yancey-Medearis ancestry to meet on the second Saturday in June at the City Park in Greenville, Texas, for a basket picnic and "family reunion". This event had its origin in the Spring of 1951 when Claude and Dora Willis at Emory, Texas, invited the nearby kin to a Sunday dinner. It was here that a paper written by Mrs. A.W. Feeney (Mary Elizabeth Medearis) of Nashville, Tennessee, was read. This paper gave some information about Captain John Medearis, a soldier in the War of the Revolution. Captain Medearis was the grandfather of Rachel Davis Medearis who became the wife of David Yancey and the mother of their nine children.

Little by little, considerable information has been accumulated about the ancestors and the descendants of those people.

In the summer of 1925, my brother, James Harvey Norwood, Sr., who now lives at Arlington, Texas, spent several months at Campbell, Hunt County, Texas, where two elderly aunts, Mrs. Nancy Angelina (Norwood) Hayes and Miss Martha Malinda Norwood were living. These ladies had been distantly related to the Yanceys by marriage and had known and loved the Yanceys throughout their lives. From meager records and from the memory of these two aunts, my brother began a compilation to which additions and verifications have been made with each passing year.

Mrs. Olivia (Yancey) Lacy and her husband, Freeman Lacy, who live in Fort Worth, have also contributed in time, money, and effort in securing names and dates and other essential data.

A debt of gratitude is due these people for the research and reports they have made from time to time. Many others, too numerous to mention, have assisted and to them we also are grateful.

It has been very evident that early records were not made, and if they were made, they were not preserved. Each new bit of information brought us an enlarged appreciation of the collection of data that was being made, and several years ago, the three of us, J.H. Norwood, cousin Olivia Lacy and myself, began the practice of making all records in triplicate so that in case of some misfortune with one of us, the information would be preserved by the others.

This past year, you elected me the president of the Yancey-Medearis Reunion to serve for 1957-58. Herewith, I am submitting something in the nature of a Year-book which includes some of the information which has been accumulated. It is not complete, but from this beginning, it is my hope that others will be stimulated to continue the study until a complete record has been established.

Respectfully submitted,

May 1, 1958

W.H. Norwood
1816 Sycamore Ave.
Corsicana, Texas

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AND NOW WITH APOLOGIES

This wholly inadequate attempt at establishing the genealogical Yancey-Medearis line is submitted with the hope that the reader will be kind and generous in his evaluations. The work was much more involved than anticipated, and a large amount of material has not yet been made available. Only a small part of the records herein are my own. Most of this material has been told to me or written for me, and to each contributor, I am most grateful.

From this limited beginning, it is my hope that you may be stimulated to compile, now, that which has been omitted and which may apply to yourself, so that it will be available when another such project is initiated. The time of our lives runs out too rapidly, and much of the problem I have encountered was due to the failure of our forebears to leave for us a family record before it was too late.

I am proud of our ancestral background, and I think we should live so as to do credit to our progenitors, and we should also provide for those who come after us the genealogical connection which is their due, and which they will be most grateful to receive.



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AN ALL-FAMILY GAME

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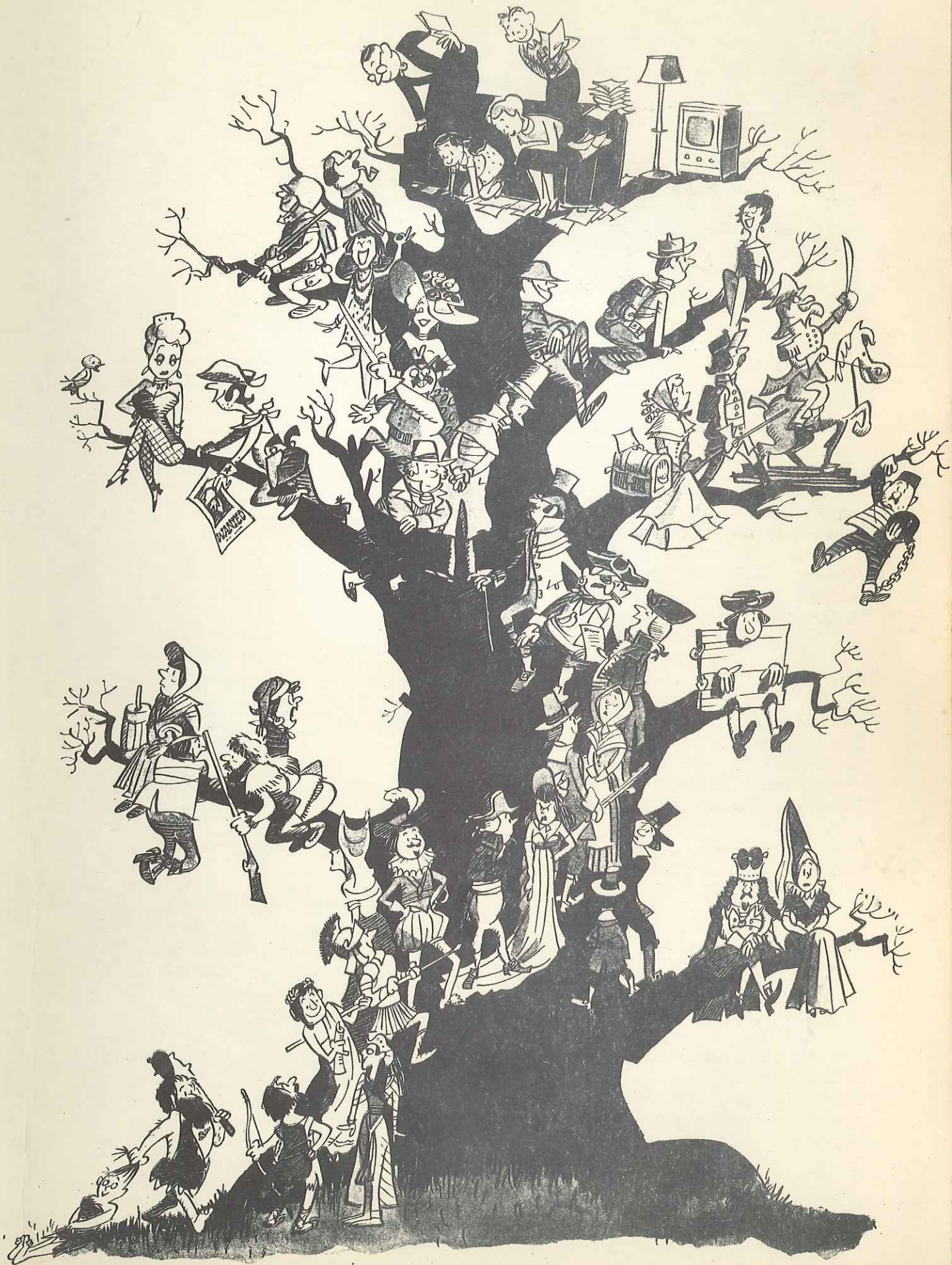
Would you enjoy a hobby that is exciting, educational, and inexpensive? One that satisfies the natural human desire to put down roots? You'll find such a hobby when you re-create your own family's history.

Unlike many hobbies, genealogy is one that husbands, wives, and children can share. Adults are likely to experience the thrill of following a detective story as they trace elusive characters in the family tree. To children, a remote past known in school as American History comes vividly alive as they discover their own ancestors among early pioneers and soldiers. For all the family, genealogical research brings humble appreciation of how much we owe to the past, and how much we can learn from it.

At one time, genealogy was unfairly dismissed as the sport of kings, millionaires, and Proper Bostonians. But today, do-it-yourself family research is flourishing democratically from coast to coast. Genealogists report that dust is flying in homes from New England to the West Coast as family researchers unearth old Bibles, diaries, and faded letters written in Spencerian hand. Enthusiasts examine old samplers for clues to ancestral names, and visit pioneer cemeteries to study inscriptions on tombstones. Many families are privately publishing their genealogical findings.

In Washington, D.C., the National Archives and Records Service, which keeps millions of pension, military, census, and other records on file, has drawn some 1,200 letters of inquiry monthly. At the New York Public Library, 23,000 readers yearly consult 150,000 genealogical volumes. On the West Coast, family-tree research has so increased that the genealogy division of the Los Angeles Public Library remains open six days and four nights each week to cope with more than 100,000 questions that are asked each year. At the huge Library of the Genealogical Society of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Salt Lake City, daily visitors average over 250.

In all, more than 50 libraries and historical societies are devoted, entirely or in large part, to the planting, cultivation, and fruition of family trees. And, reflecting America's melting-pot past, these libraries now offer far more variety than ever before. In the 30,000 volume Los Angeles collection, for example, you can find genealogical works from Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Russia, Spain, and the Latin-American countries.



YANCEY

GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SKETCH

The origin of the name of Yancey is obscure, although it is generally believed to have been of Welsh derivation. One writer asserts that the family was of Huguenot ancestry and went into Wales at any early date, but no authority for this belief has been found. The most likely theory is that the name was originally Nannau or Nanney and was assumed by its first bearers because of their residence at Nannau, in County Merioneth, Wales.

Strength is given to this theory of descent by the following quotation, which is from a letter written by Samuel Shepard of Virginia to his brother, Robert, in the year 1805:

"Since I last wrote you my wife has been very sick at the home of her cousin, Charles Yancey.....She was delivered of a fine boy before my coming. The boy even now resembles that old Welsh stock.....While visiting Yancey.....we discussed old Welsh stocks. He tells me Mr. William Evans, of Cumberland, County, says he is Welsh and descended from some outlandish prince of that country. Mr. Evans..... says he does not believe the Yancey name is the proper one, that it was Nanney.....Charles Yancey has heard something of the kind from his folk and my wife has an old arms of the family that Mr. Evans says he thinks belongs to some Nanney family."

While it is not definitely known from which of the several branches of the ancient and honorable Nanney family of Wales the first emigrants to America were descended, it is generally believed that all of the Yanceys were of the Nanney origin and derived from a common ancestry of a remote period.

According to some authorities, four brothers, Charles, William, Joel, and Robert Yancey, came to this country from Wales about 1642 and settled in the James River section of Virginia. The early records of the family in America was most incomplete, but it is sometimes asserted that the emigrant Charles settled on the Rappahannock River and was the progenitor of that ensign, Charles Yancey, who served as an officer in the Colonial and French and Indian Wars.

The last mentioned Ensign Charles Yancey married a Miss Dumas, of Louisa County, Virginia, and removed to that place. His children were Charles, Jeremiah, Archelaus, Robert, and others whose names are not certain.

Captain Charles Yancey, a member of the Committee of Safety and son of Ensign Charles Yancey of Louisa County, was born in 1741 and was married in 1762 to Mary Crawford by whom he had issue of Ann, Elizabeth, Unity, Louisa, Temperance, Robert Leighton (Colonel), Mary, Roda Crawford (died young), David, (no further record), and William (died young). Of these, Colonel Robert Leighton Yancey was the founder of Yanceyville, Virginia, and a man of prominence in civil and social life.

Jeremiah Yancey, son of Ensign Charles Yancey, of Louisa County, was born in 1748; settled in Albemarl County, Virginia, and married Margaret Mullins, by whom he was the father of Robert, Charles (Colonel), Mary,

Elizabeth, Jechonias or Jeconias, and Joel. Of these, Robert probably had a son named Charles, although his records are only fragmentary. Colonel Charles Yancey appears to have had issue by his first wife, Sarah Field, of Jeremiah, Joel, Charles and Robert; and by his second wife, Jane Alexander, of Jeconias, Sarah, Alexander, and Jane; Jechonias married Mildred Wood and was the father of the following by her: Jeremiah, William, Charles, David, Martha, and Joel. This Joel married Martha Rodes and removed to Barren County, Kentucky, where he is believed to have left issue although his records are not complete.

Archelaus Yancey, son of Ensign Charles Yancey, of Louisa County, left a will dated 1764, in which he mentions his son Stephen, who is, however, said to have been a wayward youth and was executed for murder. The records of the rest of this line are not in evidence.

The Reverend Robert Yancey, son of Ensign Charles Yancey of Louisa County, was rector of Trinity Parish in the same colony, and married Ann Crawford, by whom he had issue of Charles (Major) and Betsy. Of these, Major Charles Yancey removed to Buckingham County, Virginia, and was married in 1791 to Nancy Spencer by whom he had issue of Mary Chambers, Francis Westbrook, and Betsy Ann.

One Jeconias (Jechonias) Yancey, whose exact connection with the rest of the family in America is not known, was married in North Carolina about 1748 or 1749 to the widow Ann (nee Kimbrough) Alston, who gave him five children: Frances, Grizel or Gilly, Sarah, Priscilla and Elizabeth.

Another Captain Robert Yancey of Lynchburg, Virginia, fought in the Revolutionary War. He was the father, by his wife, formerly a Miss Duke, of Major Joel Yancey, who was first married to Miss Burton, by whom he was the father of Robert and Martha; and later married Elizabeth Macon, by whom he had issue of William Tudor, Charles D., Betsy, Louisa, Mary, Barbara, and Anne Rebecca.

Numerous other unconnected records of the name in the South have been found, including those of James Yancey of Granville County of North Carolina, who married Mary Bracy in 1765 and had issue by her of Bartlett (for whom Yanceyville, N.C. was named), Philip, Thornton, Lewis, Thomas, Jenny and Nancy; those of Richard Yancey of Mecklenburg County, Virginia, before 1768, who died about 1780, leaving issue by his wife Mary, of Keziah, Lewis, William, Absalom, Robert, Richard, Charles, Hezekiah, Joseph, and Zachariah; those of Lewis Davis Yancey of Culpepper County, Virginia, before 1777, who died about 1788, leaving a wife named Winifred and nine children: Charles, Lewis, Richard, John, Philemon, Ann, Winifred, James and Robert; and those of Hezekiah Yancey of Mecklinburg County, Virginia, who died about 1782 and mentioned in his will of that date, his brothers; Robert, Charles, Zachariah, Reuben and Richard, and his mother, Mary Yancey.

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IN THE BEGINNING

It was in the summer of 1954 that Grace, my charming wife, and I attended the Delegates' Assembly of the National Education Association in Madison Square Garden in New York City. On the journey up, we passed through Nashville, Knoxville, and Washington, D.C. Our return trip was through Annapolis, Washington, Richmond, Jacksonville, N.C. and Atlanta, Georgia.

In Nashville, we visited with Cousin Emma Saxon and her sisters, Ethel Cummins and Hattie Lee Bradford, and niece Marion Bradford. While they were elderly, they were quite active and possessed a quaint charm which made them pleasantly attractive. I was glad to see the old home in which they were living. This large colonial mansion was built while Tennessee was still a part of the state of North Carolina. There were numerous paintings and pieces of antique furniture which were as interesting as the home itself. It was indeed a pleasure to make the acquaintance of these splendid people who have been so very helpful in gathering Medearis and Noblitt information.

In Knoxville, we visited with Cousin Robert M. Vertrees, who has a charming wife -- no children. He showed me a copy of the Noblitt Book; it was red-cloth covered and contained approximately 400 pages. He said he believed a copy could be purchased from some firm that dealt in rare and unusual publications. (Subsequently, my brother, Marvey, and I jointly purchased a highly treasured copy).

On the return, I had planned to drive through Yanceyville, N.C., but the miles were too long and it was out of the way to Jacksonville, N.C., and then, too, I had something else in mind. I wanted to see what I could find in Winterville, Georgia. We arrived at this village at 12:00 noon on July 5. As in most places on this day, the people were taking a holiday for the 4th of July, which was on Sunday, the day previous. The town in some respects resembled Campbell, Texas, the place where I was born. After a little inquiry, I was sent to the home of Mr. Grady C. Pittard, Sr., who is a lineal descendant of Thomas Yancey. (His son, Grady, Jr., is Mayor of Winterville).

It was my inquiry about the Barnett people that gave me this lead. He had the information I was seeking and graciously loaned me material relating to the family connection.

Winterville is almost on the East line of Clark County. Grandfather Thomas Yancey lived about eight miles East of Winterville in Oglethorpe County. Mr. Pittard drove with me out there. The home that Thomas Yancey built in 1842 with slave labor is still standing and in fair condition. Grandfather Thomas, his wife, Sarah Hicks, and one or two children are buried near the house.

The property has changed ownership several times. The present owner of the Yancey property is Mr. Thomas Meyer, who is the grandson of a Mr. John B. Meyer, who purchased the property from N.D. Arnold in 1908. The original land owned by Thomas Yancey was 992 acres. The Meyers people now own only about 200 acres.

About a mile West (toward Winterville) from the Yancey home, we stopped at the old Barnett place. One of the Barnett descendants was living there. It was also a large old house of pre-Civil War construction. Two slave cabins are still standing nearby. Mr. Barnett, the present

owner, was quite friendly and talkative. The house, however, was showing great need of repair and rehabilitation. I think this was the house where Sallie Barnett lived when she wrote the letter to her Uncle David which I have in my book of letters that my sister, Leona (Norwood) Hutchings gave me.

The people in Winterville directed me to another relative, Mrs. India B. Small, who lived in Atlanta, and who could be quite helpful. I did not get to visit her at this time, but here follows a treasured letter she wrote to me, and the genealogical data which she sent me.

W.H. Norwood
Corsicana, Texas

From Apt. 27
200 Montgomery Ferry Drive
Atlanta, Georgia
August 12, 1954

Dear Mr. Norwood:

I have been away from Atlanta most of the summer. When I returned yesterday, I found your letter with several others which, for some reason, had not been forwarded to me.

I am sorry that Grady Pittard was not more explicit in regard to "The elderly gentleman" in Atlanta. He is J.W. Barnett, and he happens to be my father. His mother was Irene Yancey, the daughter of Thomas Yancey. My father is a most remarkable person. He is 86 years old, and very active. We want him to retire, but he will not consider it. He is a civil engineer and works a full day every day. At present he has charge of the engineering in five new school buildings here in Atlanta.

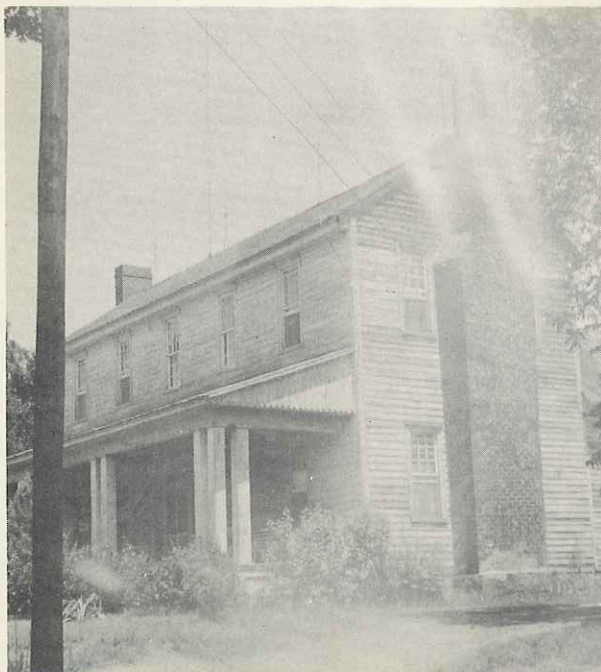
Last October we went to a Barnett family reunion and to home coming day at the Methodist Church at Winterville. We drove out to the old Barnett plantation in Oglethorpe County, and we were distressed to see how it has fallen to pieces. I suppose that it, like many others, has "gone with the wind". The grandson and great grandchildren of one of my father's sisters still live there. Daddy had eight sisters and, of course, the plantation went to the sisters. The Yancey place is in a remarkable state of preservation.

The information I am sending you I am copying from the Family Record in the Barnett Family Bible. It is more than a hundred years old.

When I joined the Daughters of the American Revolution, I tried to find one of our Yancey ancestors who fought in the Revolution. I wanted to establish all four lines for my children. If you can give me any information, or if any of the Texas Yanceys are members of the D.A.R., I will certainly appreciate your asking them to write to me.



The Old Barnett Homestead, Oglethorpe County, Georgia, which is about seven miles East of Winterville, with owner and builder and wife: Captain Benjamin Harrison Barnett (1819-1893) married December 8, 1842, to Irene Yancey Barnett (1824-1891). They were married at the home of Thomas Yancey, her father, in a house of similar size and construction which was one mile East of this place.



Home of Thomas Yancey eight miles East of Winterville, Georgia, which was built with slave labor in 1842.

KEY TO PICTURE OPPOSITE

TOP ROW, left to right:

1. David Yancey, born Dec. 19 or 20, 1808, died May 14, 1885. He married Rachel Davis Medearis.
2. Rachel Davis Medearis Yancey, born March 10, 1811, died April 3, 1899. She was the first grandchild of Captain John Medearis and the first child of Washington Davis Medearis and his wife, Elisabeth (Woodward) Medearis.
3. Elisabeth Woodward Medearis, born Feb. 5, 1793. The mother of Rachel Davis Medearis Yancey and the grandmother of the nine following children:

SECOND ROW, left to right:

4. William Hines Crawford Yancey, born Aug. 19, 1831, died June 22, 1911. He married twice; Mary Ann Hicks and widow Permelia (Manning) Ammons.
5. Dr. John M. Yancey, born Feb. 21, 1833. He married twice; Nancy M. Woodward and Mrs. M.A. Hayes.
6. David Yancey, born July 26, 1835, died June 22, 1917. He married Emaline Woodward.

THIRD ROW, left to right:

7. Sarah Elisabeth (Yancey) (Noblitt) ~~Norwood~~, born Sept. 28, 1837, died May 9, 1911. She married twice; William Holiday Noblitt and James Porter Norwood.
8. Tom Yancey, born 1839. He married Dora Brown.
9. Rachel Catherine (Yancey) Justiss, born March 10, 1841, died Dec. 13, 1925. She married John Justiss.

BOTTOM ROW, left to right:

10. Mary C. (Yancey) Traylor, born Nov. 22, 1843, died August 13, 1890. She married James Washington Traylor.
11. Benjamin Franklin Yancey, born 1848. He married Jenny Brown.
12. James Henry Yancey, born Oct. 31, 1851, died March 8, 1932. He married twice; Joe Ann Godsey and Ada Rhea.



1. David Yancey,
born Dec. 19 or 20, 1806
died May 14, 1865



2. Rachel Davis (Wedgaria) Yancey,
born March 10, 1811
died April 3, 1899



3. Elizabeth (Woodward) Wedgaria,
born Feb. 5, 1788
died during Civil War



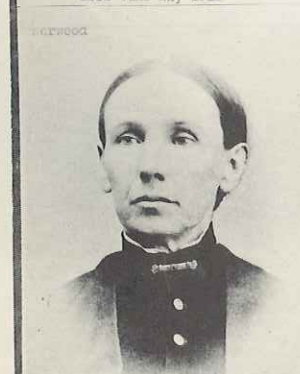
4. William Hines Crawford Yancey,
born Aug. 19, 1881
died June 22, 1911



5. Dr. John H. Yancey,
born Feb. 21, 1852
died



6. David Yancey,
born July 25, 1835
died June 22, 1917



7. Sarah Elizabeth (Yancey) (Hobbs)
Marwood, born Sept. 28, 1837
died May 9, 1911



8. Tom Yancey,
born , 1839
died



9. Rachel Catherine (Yancey) Justice,
born March 10, 1841
died Dec. 15, 1925



10. Mary C. (Yancey) Traylor,
born Nov. 22, 1843
died Aug. 15, 1890



11. Benjamin Franklin Yancey,
born 1848
died



12. James Henry Yancey,
born Oct. 31, 1851
died March 6, 1892

THE YANCEY FAMILY

William A. Yancey, b. April 10, 1740 d. Feb. 20, 1803

married to

Abigail Hicks, b. Dec. 15, 1748 d. June 29, 1809

Their children:

Thomas Yancey, b. Dec. 15, 1769 d. April 14, 1847

married Feb. 21, 1808 to:

Sarah Hicks, b. Jan. 24, 1789 d. Feb. 23, 1839

Their children:

I. David Yancey, b. Dec. 19, 1808 d. May 14, 1885

II. Catherine (Yancey) Brooks, b. Sept. 15, 1810 d.

III. Curren S. Yancey, b. Feb. 13, 1812 d.

IV. Jackson F. Yancey, b. Nov. 15, 1814 d. Dec. 9, 1814

V. Perry D. Yancey, b. Nov. 27, 1815 d.

VI. Thomas H. Yancey, b. April 2, 1818 d.

VII. Eliza L. (Yancey) Paulk, b. April 9, 1820 d.

VIII. Sarah (Yancey) Wright, b. Feb. 14, 1822 d. March 1, 1905

IX. Irene (Yancey) Barnett, b. Oct. 28, 1824 d. Feb. 10, 1891

X. Helenan Yancey, b. May 19, 1829 d. Feb. 23, 1840

I. David Yancey, b. Dec. 19, 1808 d. May 14, 1885

married March 10, 1830 to:

Rachel Davis Medearis, b. March 10, 1811 d. April 3, 1899

Their children:

1. William Hines Crawford Yancey, b. Aug. 19, 1831 d. June 22, 1911

2. John Yancey (Medical Doctor) b. Feb. 21, 1833 d.

3. David Yancey, b. July 26, 1835 d. June 22, 1917

4. Sarah Elizabeth (Yancey) (Noblitt) Norwood, b. Sept. 28, 1837
d. May 9, 1911

5. Thomas Yancey, b. 1839 d.

6. Katherine (Yancey) Justiss, b. March 10, 1841 d. Dec. 13, 1925

7. Mary C. (Yancey) Traylor, b. Nov. 22, 1843 d. Aug. 13, 1890

8. Benjamin Franklin Yancey, b. Dec. 2, 1848 d. May 22, 1910

9. James Henry Yancey, b. Oct. 31, 1851 d. March 8, 1932

II. (C) Katherine (Yancey) Brooks, b. Sept. 15, 1810 d.

married to:

William Walker Brooks, Jr.

Their children:

1. Sophronia Brooks

III. Curren S. Yancey, b. Feb. 13, 1812 d.

No further record. It is understood that he was a participant in
The Texas Revolution and was killed about 1836, perhaps with Fannin's
men at Goliad. Never married.

IV. Jackson F. Yancey, b. Nov. 15, 1814 d. Dec. 9, 1814

Lived only about 25 days.

p. 12 V. Perry D. Yancey, b. Nov. 27, 1815 d.
married Aug. 21, 1842 to:
Jane F. Marible, b. d.
Their children:
1. Thomas Yancey, killed in the Civil War
2. Champion Decatur (Dock) Yancey, b. Nov. 23, 1848 d. May 30, 1924
3. William David Yancey, b. d.
4. Martha (Tibitha ?) (Tosh) Yancey, b. d.
5. Sally Yancey, b. d.
6. Eliza Yancey, b. d.
7. Mary Yancey, b. d.

p. 6 VI. Thomas H. Yancey, b. April 2, 1818 d. abt. 1883
married:
1. From tradition, a wife in Tennessee, perhaps three children.
No record.
2. Mary A. Gowian, b. July 8, 1840 d. July 18, 1886
Their children:
1. Nathan Yancey, b. Sept. 27, 1865
2. David Yancey
3. Thursday Yancey
4. Irena Yancey
5. Andrew Jackson Yancey, b. May 1, 1873
6. George M. Yancey
7. Omega Yancey, b. June 9, 1878
8. Alpha Yancey

p. 6 VII. Eliza L. Yancey, b. April 9, 1820 d. Sept. 18, 1889
married to:
1. James T. Wright, b. Dec. 10, 1810 d. Sept. 28, 1841
2. On Jan. 18, 1842 to Aaron Paulk, b. April 23, 1815 d. Mar. 6, 1855
Their children:
1. Irene Elizabeth Ann Paulk, b. March 16, 1844 d. Feb. 9, 1905
2. Sarah A. (Sally) Paulk, b. May 30, 1854 d. 1936
3. David Paulk, b. abt. 1843 d. in Alabama
4. Thomas Areon Paulk, b. d. Jan. 20, 1912

p. 6 VIII. Sarah A. (Abigail) Yancey, b. Feb. 24, 1822 d. Mar. 1, 1905
married Nov. 28, 1838 to:
Nolan J. Wright, b. Mar. 25, 1809 d. May 10, 1866
Their children:
1. Eliza A. Wright, b. Mar. 1, 1840 d. April 26, 1922
2. Yancey Wright, b. Oct. 27, 1841 d.
3. Irena F. Wright, b. July 26, 1843 d.
4. Arabella Wright, b. Sept. 26, 1845 d. Mar. 14, 1924
5. James H. Wright, b. Aug. 11, 1848 d.
6. Nolan J. Wright, Jr., b. Sept. 4, 1850 d. Oct. 3, 1850
7. Uleses Melton Wright, b. Oct. 7, 1851 d. Aug. 24, 1852
8. Virginia Wright, b. Aug. 8, 1854 d. June 28, 1873
9. William Crawford Nolan Wright, b. April 9, 1861 d.

- p. 6 IX. Irena Yancey, b. Oct. 28, 1824 d. Feb. 10, 1891
married Dec. 8, 1842 to:
Benjamin H. Barnett, b. June 14, 1819 d. Oct. 17, 1893
Their children:
1. Sarah Jane Barnett, b. July 31, 1844
2. Martha Ellen Barnett, b. June 30, 1848
3. Nathan Thomas Barnett, b. June 30, 1851 d. Sept. 12, 1885
4. Cinthia Catherine Barnett, b. Jan. 27, 1854
5. Cora Irene Barnett, b. Aug. 24, 1856
6. Mary Ida Barnett, b. Feb. 7, 1859 d. June 19, 1899
7. Eva Lillian Barnett, b. Jan. 1, 1862
8. Clara Virginia Barnett, b. Oct. 29, 1864
9. Georgia Belle Barnett, b. Feb. 4, 1867 d. Sept. 9, 1867
10. John William Barnett, b. Aug. 17, 1868
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- p. 6 X. Helenan Yancey, b. May 19, 1829 (1827 ?) d. Feb. 23, 1849
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THE FAMILY OF

of Belford Marshall Co. Tenn.
DAVID YANCEY (Oldest Child of Thomas Yancey) and his wife,
RACHEL DAVIS (MEDEARIS) YANCEY (9 children)



David Yancey (1808-1885)



Rachel Davis (Medearis) Yancey
(1811-1899)

The Family of DAVID YANCEY:

see p 20

- I. William Hines Crawford Yancey, b. Aug. 19, 1831 d. June 22, 1911
1. married first to Mary Ann Hicks, b. d.
One child: George Yancey, b. about 1858 d. Sept. 10, 1937
He married Molly Duff
2. married second to Permelia (Manning) Ammons (a widow) b. d.
Their children:
1. Elizabeth (Betty) Yancey, b. Aug. 20, 1868 d. Sept. 10, 1939
She married John Gillenwater
2. John Yancey, b. Dec. 1874 d. April 28, 1938
He married May Coleman; they had four children
3. Robert Yancey, b. Nov. 14, 1880
He married:
1. Anna Wagley; they had four girls
2. Pansy Collins; they had no children

- see p 22 -----
II. Dr. John Yancey (Russellville, Ark.) b. abt. Feb. 12, 1833. d.
1. married Nancy Woodward abt. 1857. b. 1835 d. abt. 1863
Their child:
Maggie
2. married Mrs. M.A. Hayes, 1867
Their child:
Stella

- III. David Yancey, b. July 26, 1835 d. June 22, 1917
married June 5, 1856 to Emaline Woodward, b. June 15, 1839 d. June 9, 1920
Their children:
1. Charles P. Yancey, b. May 17, 1857 d. June 5, 1860
2. Lucy Elizabeth Yancey, b. Dec. 18, 1858 d. Mar. 29, 1934
3. David Yancey, III, b. Dec. 10, 1860 d. Jan. 6, 1942
married Dec. 1, 1886 to Mattie Bradley (nine children)
4. Margaret Frances (Fanny) Yancey, b. Sept. 30, 1863. Living
5. George Walter Yancey, b. Dec. 10, 1866 d. Feb. 22, 1951
married Aug. 17, 1893 to Minnie Fyffe. (10 children)
6. Nancy Ann Yancey, b. Jan. 20, 1869 d. July 29, 1892
married Dec. 20, 1889 to Benjamin Franklin Shepard (one child)
7. Rachel Tennessee Yancey, b. March 12, 1871. Living
married June 2, 1895 to Foster Francis (6 children)
8. William Franklin Yancey, b. March 11, 1873. Living
married April 2, 1902 to Tommie Ray
9. Mineola Yancey, b. April 1, 1875 - not married
10. James E. Yancey, b. July 31, 1878 d. Sept. 18, 1880
11. Olivia Burnett Yancey, b. Aug. 26, 1881. Living
married Dec. 23, 1906 to Freeman Lacy (four boys)
12. John Tolbert Yancey, b. Nov. 15, 1884. Living
married Dec. 11, 1904 to Willie Hilliard (four children)
married second time to Cora (Foster) Carter (no children)

- IV. Sarah Elizabeth Yancey, b. Sept. 28, 1837 d. May 9, 1911
1. married William Holiday Noblitt, b. d. July 4, 1864
Their children:
1. Rachel Alice Noblitt, b. Mar. 10, 1859 d. June 17, 1942
married to James McGrady Norwood, b. Sept. 7, 1853 d. Apr.
9, 1934. (6 children)
2. Mary Eliza Noblitt, b. Apr. 4, 1861 d. Jan. 30, 1941
married to Lydal Allen Johnson, b. Mar. 29, 1845 d. Nov.
15, 1915. (11 children)
3. William Tolbert Noblitt, b. Nov. 13, 1864 d. Aug. 20,
1945
married to Fanny Smith. (1 daughter)
2. married James Porter Norwood, b. July 10, 1812 d. July 15, 1885
Their children:
1. Emma Dora Norwood, b. July 26, 1869 d. Mar. 9, 1948
married to Elijah Clemens Nelson, b. Mar. 3, 1867 d. Sept.
17, 1935
2. David Lee Norwood, b. July 7, 1872 d. Feb. 16, 1950
married to Mattie Willard
3. Lucy Myrtle Norwood, b. Oct. 28, 1877 d.
married to DeBoe Summerville

Children of RACHEL ALICE AND J.M. NORWOOD: (See 1 - 1 above)

1. Leona Elizabeth Norwood, b. June 27, 1877
married to Alexander Hutchings b. d. (no children)
2. James Harvey Norwood, b. Oct. 12, 1879
married to Effie McLendon, b. (1 son)
1. J.H. Norwood, Jr.
3. Henry Offie Norwood, b. Jan. 28, 1882
married to Johnnie Elizabeth Rhea, b. (4 children)
4. Lester Hulett (Birdie) Norwood, b. Feb. 9, 1885 d. Aug. 1, 1889
5. William Howard Norwood, b. Oct. 21, 1890
married May 25, 1924 to Grace Clayton, b. July 8, 1895
(no children)
6. Lila Norwood, b. Mar. 4, 1894 d. June 17, 1896

- V. Thomas W. Yancey, b. 1839 d.
married to Dora Brown, b. abt. 1854 d.

Their children:

1. Tom Yancey, b. 1874 d.
2. Caroline (Carrie) Yancey, b. 1876 d.
3. Eva Yancey, b. 1875 d.
4. John Yancey, b. d.
5. Frank Yancey, b. d.
6. Jerry Yancey, b. d.
7. Robert Yancey, b. d.
8. Flora Yancey, b. d.

- VI. Catherine (Litty) Yancey, b. Mar. 10, 1841 d. Dec. 13, 1925
married to John Justiss, B. 1829 d. 1903

Their children:

1. Rachel Edna Justiss, b.
married Mat Fomby
2. John Justiss, b. Jan. 3, 1869 d. July, 1931
married in 1890 to Kate Nelson, b. Aug. 10, 1870 d. Feb. 23,
1934

VI. Catherine (Kitty) Yancey, (continued)

3. William Justiss, b. d.
married to Jennie Heffner, b. d.
4. Catherine (Catty) Justiss, b. d.
married to Joe Tigert, b. d.
5. Joe Justiss, b. Jan. 14, 1882 (living)
married to Willie Johnson, b. Oct. 23, 1884 d. 1957

VII. Mary C. Yancey, b. Nov. 22, 1843 d. Aug. 13, 1890
married James (Bud) Traylor, b. d. Aug. 13, 1899

Their children:

1. Molly Traylor
married to John Long
2. Sally Traylor
married to John H. Sutherland
3. Rachel Traylor
married to Bailey
4. Henry Traylor (died in infancy)
5. James Washington Traylor, b. Sept. 18, 1878
married:
 1. Ella Garrett
 2. Annabelle Barber, b. Sept. 9, 1901
6. David Traylor, b. Sept. 18, 1878 d. Aug. 11, 1953
married to Garrett
7. Alice Traylor
married to Elmore
8. Kitty Traylor
married to Garrett

VIII. Benjamin Franklin Yancey, b. Dec. 2, 1848 d. May 22, 1910
married to Jennie Brown, b. Jan. 2, 1859 d. Nov. 17, 1931

Their children:

1. James David Yancey, b. Mar. 13, 1881
married Mar. 13, 1926 to Bette McFarland Storey, b. Aug. 31, 1895

Their children:

- a. James David Yancey, b. Aug. 30, 1927
not married
- b. Marshall Storey Yancey, b. July 19, 1930
married to Evelyn Blanchard on July, 1953
One child, Margaret Rebecca Yancey, b. 1954
2. Annie Yancey, b. Nov. 11, 1884 d. 1909
3. Benjamin Franklin Yancey, b. Dec. 12, 1886 d. Mar. 1954
married in 1911 to Verner Mercer
4. Dovie Yancey, b. Sept. 2, 1889 d. July 22, 1921
married in 1912 to John Hopfinger
5. Earl Burnett Yancey, b. July 22, 1893
married Sept. 3, 1927 to Alice Ponton, b. Oct. 31, 1905
No children
6. Ivie Lou Yancey, b. Aug. 13, 1897
married to Jason Humber. No children

Son of DAVID Yancey, Mount Pleasant, Texas

(Data submitted by Mr. T.D. Yancey of Kilgore, Texas)

IX. Mr. James Henry Yancey, b. Oct. 31, 1851, Tennessee

(1) married Miss Joe Ann Godsey, b. d.

Their children:

1. Samuel Yancey, b. Dec. 25, 1884, Mount Pleasant, Texas
married Dec. 5, 1905, Mount Pleasant, Texas, to Virginia Lou
Justiss, b. Oct. 16, 1887, Mount Pleasant, Texas
She died Nov. 19, 1934 at Daingerfield, Texas and is buried
in the Justiss Cemetary, Titus County, Texas

Their children:

- A. Bertha Eula Yancey, b. Oct. 15, 1906, Mount Pleasant,
Texas. d. May 15, 1910, Mount Pleasant, Texas, and is
buried in the Justiss Cemetary, Titus County, Texas
- B. Viva Annie Yancey, b. Dec. 6, 1911, Mount Pleasant, Texas
married Sept. 23, 1939, Hughes Springs, Texas, to Dial
Alphonso Amos, b. May 5, 1914, Gilmer, Texas

Their children:

- a. Dial Alphonso Amos, Jr., b. Sept. 24, 1942, Pittsburg,
Texas
- b. Virginia Diane Amos, b. Feb. 17, 1944, Pittsburg,
Texas
- C. Ruby Virginia Yancey, b. July 29, 1913, Mount Pleasant,
Texas
married Mar. 16, 1935, Paris, Texas, to Rudolph Kneer
Couch, b. June 24, 1905, Italy, Texas

Their children:

- a. Jack Randolph Couch, b. Dec. 14, 1937, Dallas, Texas
- b. Peggy Loue Couch, b. Sept. 8, 1942, San Marcos, Texas
- c. Michael Yancey Couch, b. Nov. 8, 1946, Dallas, Texas
- D. James Samuel Yancey, b. Oct. 24, 1915, Mount Pleasant,
Texas
married Dec. 4, 1937, San Diego, California, to Lena Odell
Hull, b. Jan. 23, 1918, Hughes Springs, Texas

Their children:

- a. Linda Sue Yancey, b. July 11, 1941, Hughes Springs,
Texas
- b. Jamie Ruth Yancey, b. July 20, 1944, Dallas, Texas
- c. Jo Ann Yancey, b. Sept. 15, 1946, Hughes Springs,
Texas

(2) married Sept. 29, 1889, Mount Pleasant, Texas, to Adria T. Rhea, b. Nov.
6, 1873, Mount Pleasant, Texas

Their children:

1. Wylie T. Yancey, b. Jan. 4, 1891, Mount Pleasant, Texas
d. May 4, 1952, is buried in the Yancey Cemetary, Titus County,
Texas.
2. Blanche Yancey, b. Jan. 27, 1894, Mount Pleasant, Texas
d. 1898, is buried in the Yancey Cemetary, Titus County, Texas
3. Opal Yancey, b. May 5, 1898, Mount Pleasant, Texas
4. James David Yancey, b. Mar. 31, 1901, Mount Pleasant, Texas
d. Apr. 18, 1947, is buried in the Yancey Cemetary, Titus
County, Texas
5. Jewell Bell Yancey, b. July 19, 1907, Mount Pleasant, Texas
married Oct. 18, 1930 to Harold May, b. Mar. 2, 1904

Their children:

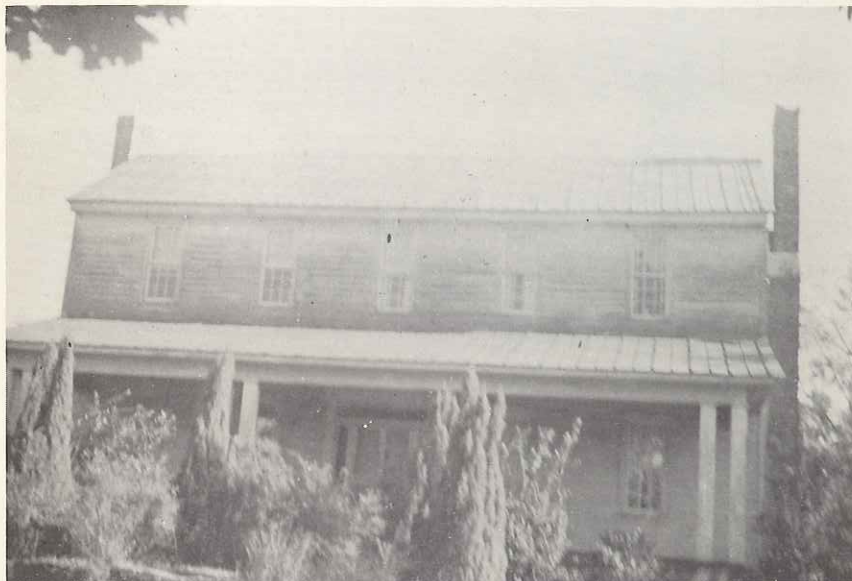
- A. Alma Ruth May, b. Nov. 12, 1931
married Oct. 24, 1952 to Donald Blanks, b. Sept. 17, 1930

Their children:

- a. Donald Arthur Blanks, b. Dec. 30, 1953
- b. Franklin Allen Blanks, b. Oct. 25, 1955
- c. Flora Ruth Blanks, b. Nov. 1957

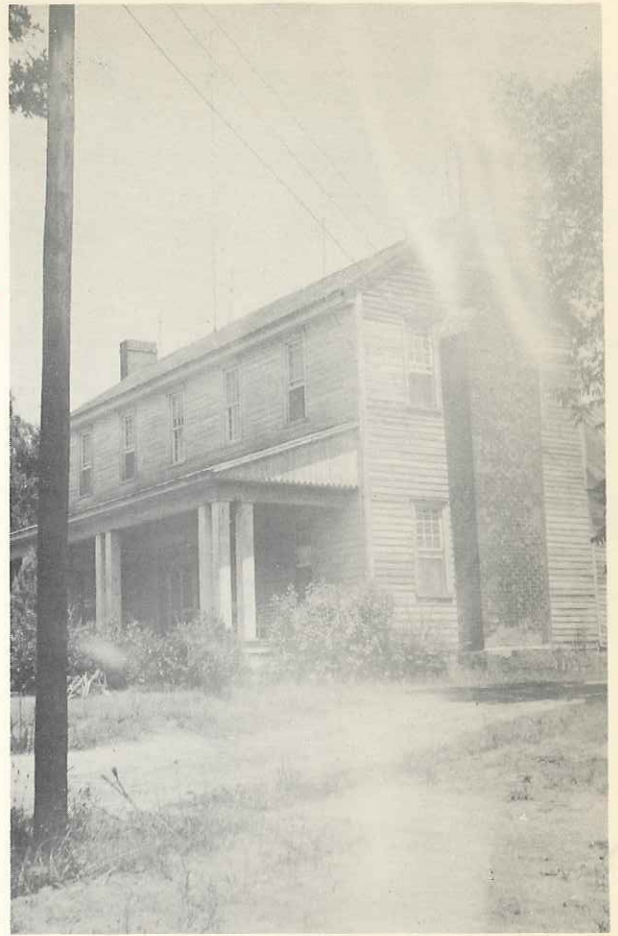
(James Henry Yancey)

- B. Winnie Lou May, b. July 29, 1933
married Oct. 18, 1952 to Samuel M. Hubbs, b. June 19, 1931
Their children:
 - a. Sammy Lou Hubbs, b. Feb. 10, 1954
- C. Curtis Arlon May, b. Jan. 25, 1936
- D. Mary Jo May, b. Dec. 18, 1936
married to Clyde Samuel Kuhl, b.
Their children:
 - a. Martha Jo Kuhl, b. Oct. 4, 1956
- E. Martha Nell May, b. March 22, 1939
married May 6, 1957 to Lester Leon Klotz, b.
- F. Dora Bell May, b. Sept. 28, 1941
- G. Nora Dell May, b. Sept. 28, 1941
- H. Ina Margret May, b. Sept. 10, 1944
- 6. Joe Baley Yancey, b. Feb. 18, 1909, Mount Pleasant, Texas
- 7. Ray Burnett Yancey, B. Dec. 17, 1910, Mount Pleasant, Texas
married Oct. 18, 1941 to Mary Jo Stephens, b. Sept. 4, 1924
Their children:
 - A. Terry Ray Yancey, b. Oct. 3, 1946, Mount Pleasant, Texas
 - B. Stephen Yancey, b. Oct. 7, 1952, Mount Pleasant, Texas
d. Oct. 7, 1952, is buried in the Yancey Cemetary, Titus
County, Texas
- 8. Ruby Ruth Yancey, b. Sept. 26, 1913, Mount Pleasant, Texas
married Sept. 22, 1942, Tyler, Texas, to Levis Winfred Harkrider,
b. Sept. 10, 1915, Mount Pleasant, Texas
- 9. Garth Yancey, b. Jan. 27, 1916, Mount Pleasant, Texas
d. Feb. 1917, is buried in the Yancey Cemetary, Titus County,
Texas.
- 10. William Travis Yancey, b. Dec. 26, 1918, Mount Pleasant, Texas

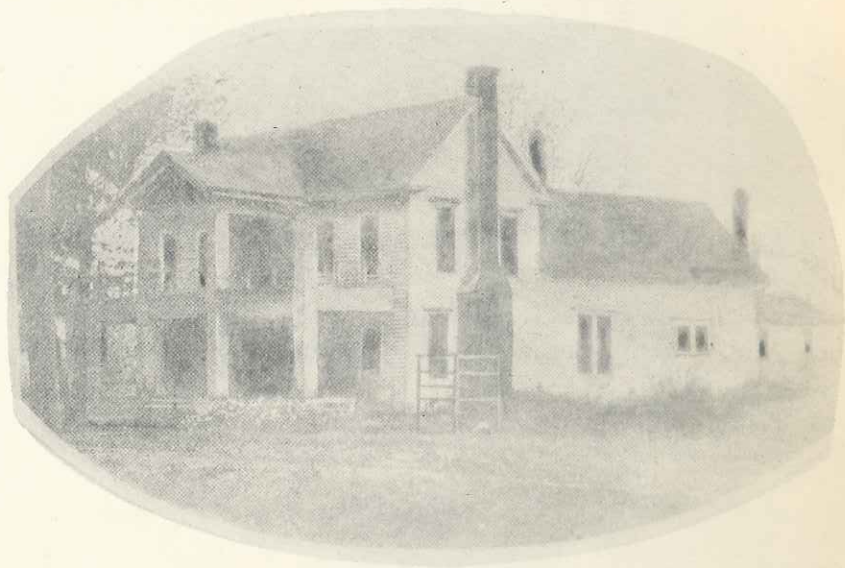


Home of Thomas Yancey about eight miles East of Winterville, Georgia. Built in 1842, it has been overhauled and repaired in recent years. Thomas Yancey died in 1847. He was buried near his wife and two children a short distance North (left) of this home place.

Recent picture of the home
of Thomas Yancey near Winter-
ville, Georgia, which was
built in 1842 with slave
labor.



This Early East Texas
home is an exact like-
ness to that construct-
ed in Titus County by
David Yancey when he
moved from Tennessee to
Texas in 1862



THE FAMILY OF WILLIAM HINES CRAWFORD YANCEY

- I. William Hines Crawford Yancey,
b. Aug. 19, 1831. d. June 22,
1914

He married twice.

First Wife - Mary Ann Hicks

Second Wife - Permellia Jane

(Manning) Ammons

(1) Mary Ann Hicks

Their children:

A. George Yancey

married Mollie Duff

Their children:

a. Nuell Yancey

(2) Permellia Jane (Manning)

Ammons

Their children:

A. Betty Yancey, b.

Aug. 20, 1868

d. Sept. 10, 1939

married John Gillen-
water.

Their children:

a. Earl Gillenwater

married Mae Ford

Their children:

1. Vernon, d. in World War II

married Lennie Merle

Their children:

a. Janice Lea

b. Jennie Gillenwater

married Tom Vandiver

Their children:

1. Merta Vandiver

married three times

(1) J.M. Hayes

Their children:

a. Norma Jean Hayes

b. Jessie Wilda Hayes

(2) Bill Johnson

(3) Howard Wright

2. Ruby Vandiver

married twice

(1) Bernard Harrison

(2) Jay Key

3. Mozelle Vandiver

married Buddy Inman

Their children:

a. Linda Inman

b. Sue Inman

c. Sherry Inman

d. Kay Inman

c. Jewell Gillenwater

married Marvin Yarbrough, 1940 (no children)

B. John Yancey, b. Dec. 29, 1874, d. April 28, 1938

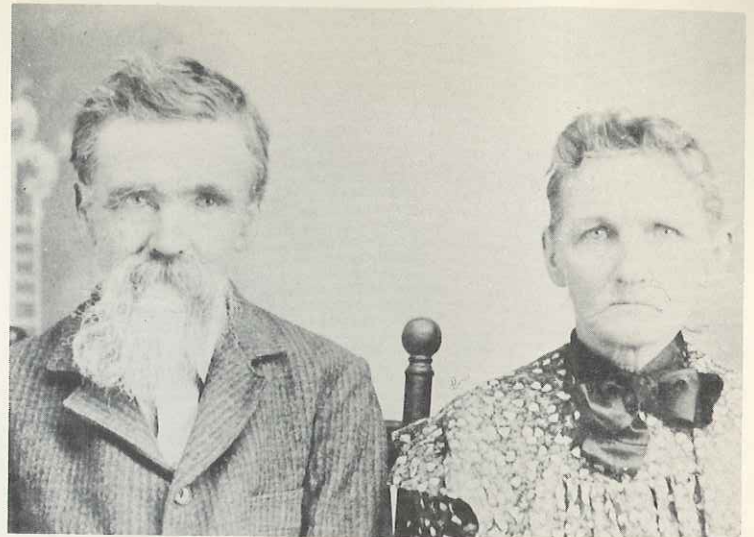
married May Coleman

Their children:

a. Avron Yancey

married Joe L. Wren

Their children:



(William Hines Crawford Yancey)

(Avron Yancey, m. Joe L. Wren)

1. Montez Wren
2. J.L. Wren
3. Calvin Wren
4. Billy Wren

b. Foy Yancey

married twice

- (1) Pauline Jones (no children)
- (2) Katie Gilstrap

Their children:

1. Sherron Yancey
2. Shirley Yancey

c. Boyce Yancey

married Merle (no children)

C. Robert Yancey, b. Nov. 14, 1880

married twice

(1) Anna Wagley

Their children:

- a. Agnes Yancey
- b. Frances Yancey
married Worth Norman
Their children:
 1. Laura Norman
 2. Frances Norman
 3. Yancey Norman
 4. Betty Lou Norman

c. Fay Yancey

married twice

(1) Everett Hodgkins

Their children:

1. Barbara Hodgkins
2. Dale Hodgkins
3. Jeanette Hodgkins
4. E.T. Hodgkins

(2) Buster Tarwater (no children)

d. Edith Yancey

married Vernon Cross

Their children:

1. Vernon Cross, Jr.

TAKEN FROM THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF THE NEW WEST, Arkansas Section, Pages 251, 252; Printed in 1881. This book is under section R920 in the Dallas Library.

See p 13
J.M. Yancey, eclectic physician, was born in Marshall County, Tennessee, February 21, 1832, and there grew up and lived to the age of 27, attending, when quite young, the schools in the neighborhood of old Liberty Church, receiving, in all, about two years schooling. He has added to his scholastic attainments a good stock of general information by an extensive course of miscellaneous reading, but to medical books he has devoted most attention.

Raised upon a farm and living in a quiet community, his boyhood was not stained by the vices common to youth. He never saw a fight until he was eighteen, has never tasted whiskey as a beverage, nor played cards, used tobacco nor departed widely from the high standard of morality under which his exemplary and careful father trained him. Moderate farm work, hunting and rambling among the hills about his father's home in his boyhood laid the foundation for the hardy constitution and uniform good health which has enabled him to endure the fatigue and exposure of professional life.



Dr. Yancey was raised in, and by birth, education, culture and choice, belongs to the great middle class of society, among whom in all ages are to be found more honor, virtue, intelligence, morality, manhood and solid happiness than in either the upper or lower ranks.

He is a little over medium height, has dark hair, hazel eyes and an expression of affability, thoughtfulness and prudence. The manly qualities and virtues are so blended in his mental and moral make-up that it is difficult to point out his distinguishing characteristics. Descended from Parents devoted to agriculture and domestic pursuits in the midst of a very moral and religious community, whose aim was to live honestly in the habits of industry and to make the most of life, its enjoyments and opportunities to do good, Dr. Yancey must be classed as a gentleman of the old school, thrifty, pains-taking, hospitable -- endeavoring to do all the good he can. While not unsocial in his habits and manners, he appears to best advantage in society congenial with his own tastes.

Dr. Yancey's father paid for his medical education, but the son started in life without other inheritance, and his career has been modeled on the principle of meeting every engagement. In his practice he has been guided by a fixed purpose to show no partiality, and make no distinction between calls, whether from the rich or the poor, departing from this rule only in the cases of such as have dishonestly refused to pay him for his services when known to be able to do so.

In the Spring of 1853 he began to read medicine in the office of Dr. T.W. Brents, a physician of the Botanic School, at New Hope, Marshall County, Tennessee, and read with him two years, after which he attended

the Southern Botanic (Afterwards called the reform) Medical College at Macon, Georgia, from which, after two terms he graduates M.D., February 1858. After graduation he practiced at his father's old home three years. After that time, on account of his wife's illness, he abandoned the practice, removed to near Dover, Arkansas, and farmed there two years, up to the commencement of the war, when he was conscripted into the Confederate Service while every brother and brother-in-law were volunteers. He served in the medical department on detail as ward master during the remainder of the War in the Trans-Mississippi department. In his medical capacity he assisted at the battle of Helena and Saline. At the latter place he was put in charge of the litter corps and to his credit it ought to be recorded that when the battle was over there was not a wounded man of his regiment left on the field. At Camp Mazard he had charge of the pick of two brigades and one division --- a large experience utilized in all the after years of his medical practice. He served under General Fagan and Hawthorne. Immediately after the War he returned to the practice of Medicine, and has been engaged in it ever since, first at Dover from 1865 to the Spring of 1870, when he moved his present residence to a farm near Russellville, and continued his profession.

Dr. Yancey married first in Marshall County, Tennessee, at the age of twenty-five, Miss Nancy M. Woodward, then twenty-two years old, born the daughter of George Woodward, of a family originally of Virginia. Her mother was Margaret Porter. By this marriage he had three children: Rachel Alice, Margaret Louisa and Nancy M. The first and last of these died in infancy. Margaret Louisa married in July, 1880, Joseph Bradley, a farmer, now living at Palmer, Ellis County, Texas. Mrs. Yancey died near Dover during the War.

Dr. Yancey's second marriage, which took place at Dover in 1867, was with Mrs. M.A. Hayes, who was born in Pennsylvania. Her maiden name was Lydic. She was educated at Pleasant Hill Seminary, near Bethany, Virginia. By this marriage Dr. Yancey had four children: Emma Estella, Charley Scott, David Edwin, and John Medearis, only one of whom, Emma Estella, is living - - - bright jewels passed away. Dr. Yancey joined the Christian Church at Old Liberty, Tennessee, at the age of twelve, and has been identified with it ever since. Mrs. Yancey is a member of the same communion.

He owns three hundred acres of land, a good farm, has quite a taste for improving his stock. His professional fees amount to an average of two hundred dollars a month. In a word, he is in quite comfortable circumstances.

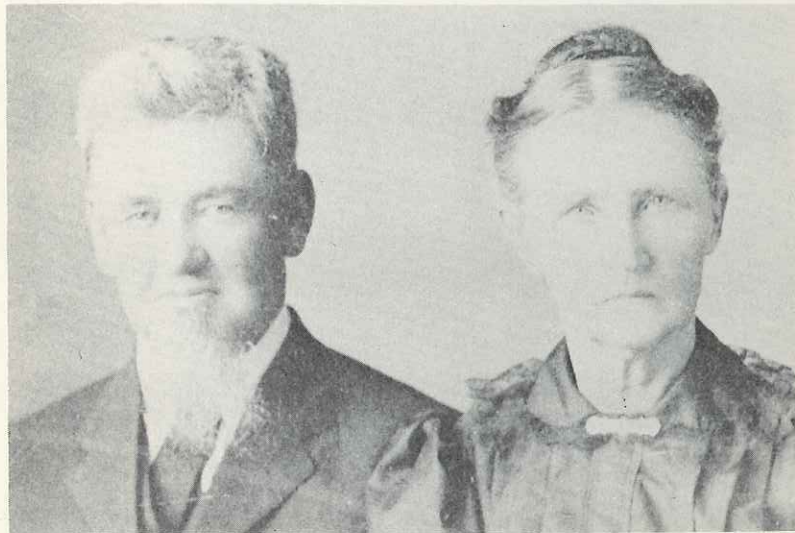
His father, David Yancey, was born in North Carolina, but his father moved to Oglethorpe County, Georgia, when he was a mere boy, and he grew up there. He was educated at the Athens (Georgia) Academy. After leaving school he traveled into Tennessee, took a school in Marshall County and married Rachel Medearis, daughter of George W. Medearis and granddaughter of Captain John Medearis, a commissioned officer and quartermaster in the Revolutionary War. Her mother was a Woodward of Virginia, where she was married. David Yancey was a farmer, a teacher, a man of good learning and extensive reading, a zealous member of the Christian Church - - a man noted for his integrity and the even tenor of his life and character. He is now living, in his seventy-sixth year, in Morris County, Texas.

Dr. Yancey's mother, also still living, in her young days was a lady of great personal beauty and always noted for her domestic virtues,

as indeed were all her sisters. The whole family on both sides, as far as known, have always lived in the quiet walks of life, and without a stain upon the character of either man or woman of the connection - - a general analysis record of which the proudest in the land, if honest in his heart, should be proud. These are the balance wheels, the checks and balances which leaven the moral world; or at least that portion of it embraced in these United States.

THE FAMILY OF

DAVID Yancey (Third son of his father, David Yancey) and
his wife, Emaline Woodward Yancey. (12 children)



III. David Yancey, b. July 26, 1835 d. June 22, 1917
married June 5, 1856 to Emaline Woodward, b. June 15, 1839
d. June 9, 1920

Their children:

1. Charles P. Yancey, b. May 17, 1857 d. June 5, 1860
2. Lucy Elizabeth Yancey, b. Dec. 18, 1858 d. Mar. 29, 1934
married Apr. 5, 1876 to Archibald Anon Willis (10 children)
- ~~to in January~~
~~(David)~~
~~to in February~~ 3. David Yancey, III, b. Dec. 10, 1860 d. Jan. 6, 1942
married Dec. 1, 1886 to Mattie Bradley (9 children)
4. Margaret Frances (Fanny) Yancey, b. Sept. 30, 1863, living
married Nov. 15, 1882 to Fred Reynolds (8 children)
5. George Walter Yancey, b. Dec. 10, 1866, d. Feb. 22, 1951
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married 2nd to Cora Foster Carter (no children)