

John P. Gillum (1760-1845)

Revolutionary War Soldier of Logan County, KY

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John P. Gillum was born 10 August 1760 Albemarle County, VA; son of John Gillum. He married Elizabeth Bailey 25 December 1785 Albemarle County, VA. He was a Revolution War veteran. Listed in the 1810 census of Albemarle County, VA; Madison County, KY tax lists 1817-1820; Madison County, KY 1820 census; Logan County, KY tax lists 1822-1839; Logan County, KY 1830 census. John P. Gillum died Logan County, KY on 4 June 1845 and was buried in the Gillum Cemetery, Logan County, KY. Elizabeth Bailey Gillum was the daughter of Callam Bailey & Elizabeth Roundtree, She was born 26 July 1766 VA and died 9 March 1862 Logan County, KY, buried Gillum Cemetery, Logan County, KY.

From book, Red River Settlers: Records of the Settlers of Northern Montgomery, Robertson and Sumner Counties, Tennessee, by Elizabeth Rucker Whitley (Genealogical Publishing Co., Baltimore, MD, 1980, p.29):

John Gilliam and his wife Elizabeth were living in Logan County, Kentucky when he filed for a Revolutionary Pension. The papers are in file W-8849 in the National Archives, Washington, D.C., Revolutionary Pension Division. The certificate, No. 13656, was issued on 30 May 1833, based on the Act of June 7, 1832, at the rate of \$43.33 per year, beginning on 4 March 1831. Elizabeth Gillian, the widow of John, was granted \$43.33 per year from 4 March 1848. Her certificate, No. 1063, issued on 1 August 1848 under the Act of February 2, 1848 is in the Archives' records and was also filed with the Kentucky Agency.

John Gilliam filed for a pension on 9 November 1832, aged 73 years, while a resident of Logan County, Kentucky, based on service rendered in Virginia as a private. He enlisted in Albemarle County, Virginia. in his declaration he stated that he enlisted at sixteen years of age in 1775-1776 under the command of Michael Wallace, Lt. James Wood, and Capt. Lina Jones. He was discharged at Richmond, Virginia after three months service.

His second tour was under Lt. James Wood, Capt. Nath Garland, and Col. Reuben Lindsay. After three months, he was discharged without a written discharge.

His third tour was as a substitute under Col. Taylor for two months. His fourth tour for six months was under Capt. Slaughter and Col. Chas. Dabney. He was at the seige of Little York and then was detached at Richmond to guard prisoners until the end of the war.

John Gilliam was born in Albemarle County, Virginia on 10 August 1760. On 4 April 1833, Evan Watson, mold fellow soldier, gave an affadavit to prove

that he served part of the time with John Gilliam. Thomas M. Smith and Jno. H. Thomas both testified regarding John Gilliam.

On 22 December 1845, Elizabeth Gilliam, aged 79, of Logan County, Kentucky stated that she married John Gilliam on 25 December 1785 in Albemarle County, Virginia and that she and her husband moved to Madison County, Kentucky where they resided until 1821. They then moved to Logan County, Kentucky where they lived until 4 June 1845 when John Gilliam died.

On 26 June 1848, Elizabeth Gilliam stated that she was 82 years of age and that her husband drew \$43.33 per year pension.

A certificate of marriage by the clerk of Albemarle County, December 1785, names John Gilliam and Elizabeth Bailey. The application for license was signed by John Gilliam and John Bailey of Albemarle County.

Charles Bailey, aged 78, and Pleasant Gilliam, aged 74, residents of Albemarle County, on 17 November 1845, made statements that they were present at the marriage on Xmas Day, December 25th. They further stated that the deponents had children born previous to 1794 and that before 1816, they had moved to Kentucky.

Nancy Thomas, daughter of the late John Gilliam, and his wife Elizabeth, testified that she was born on 10 February 1790 and that the second child was Charles P. Gilliam. A statement made by John H. Aingell also verified the information submitted. On 15 March 1856, Elizabeth Gilliam, aged 90, made application for Bounty land to which she may have been entitled.

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Children of John P. Gillum & Elizabeth Bailey (compiled by Jerry Long):

1. John Bailey Gillum born 1786-1794 Albemarle County, VA; married Rebecca B. Porter, 25 November 1812 Albemarle County, VA and Mary Boucher 1 August 1818 Madison County, KY; died 1824-1826; in 1824 resided in Madison County, KY. For information on his descendants see the book, The Family of William Boucher and Milly Faris, by Jerry Long (McDowell Publications, Utica, KY, 2002, pp.56-65 & 234-276).
2. Nancy born 10 February 1790 Albemarle County, VA; married John H. Thomas, 30 September 1811 Albemarle County, VA; died 1860-1870.
3. James born 1786-1794 Albemarle County, VA; married Elizabeth __, 1820-1830; died 1833 Logan County, KY.
4. William Talley born 1795 Albemarle County, VA; married Maria Oglesby, 25 September 1817 Madison County, KY; left Logan County, KY during 1830-1831; died 1863 Johnson County, MO.
5. Charles P. born 26 May 1798 Albemarle County, VA; married 1st Elizabeth P. Gillum, 20 August 1822 Albemarle County, VA, 2nd Judith Sprout, 4 December 1862 Logan County,

KY and 3rd Nannie K. Burge, 1 November 1870 Logan County, KY; died 25 March 1887 Logan County, KY.

6. Elizabeth P. born 19 December 1802 Albemarle County, VA; married Michael Gilbert, 15 October 1822 Logan County, KY; died 30 March 1842 Logan County, KY; buried Gillum Cemetery, Logan County, KY.
7. Tyre B. born 1 April 1806 Albemarle County, VA; married Martha C. Martin, 5 May 1829 Logan County, KY; died 28 December 1896; buried Auburn Cemetery, Auburn, Logan County, KY.

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Gillums of Logan County, Kentucky born Prior to 1820:

The following were identified from the 1810 thru 1870 censuses of Logan County. Also included are all Gillums in the pre 1849 Logan County marriages and in 1820-1839 Logan tax lists. Wives of Gillums were not listed separately unless their maiden name was also Gillum. Various spelling variations appeared in the original records.

- Charles P. born 26 May 1798 Albemarle County, VA; so John P. Gillum & Elizabeth Bailey; married Elizabeth P. Gillum 20 Aug 1822 Albemarle County, VA; listed in Logan County tax lists of 1823-1839, Logan County censuses of 1830, 1840, 1850, 1860, 1870, & Madison County, KY tax lists of 1817, 1820 & 1821; 1877 Atlas of Logan Co., Kentucky (p7) records that he emigrated to Logan County in 1821; died in Logan County 25 March 1887.
- Elizabeth P. born 19 Apr 1802 VA; d/o James Gillum; married Charles P. Gillum 20 Aug 1822 Albemarle County, VA; died 9 March 1862, buried Gillum Cemetery, Logan County.
- Elizabeth P. born 19 Dec 1802 Albemarle County, VA; d/o John P. Gillum & Elizabeth Bailey; married Michael Gilbert 15 Oct 1822 Logan County (Bk 1-p37); died 30 Mar 1842, buried Gillum Cemetery, Logan County; husband married 2. Elizabeth Burgess 17 Oct 1842 Logan County, he is listed in the 1850 census of Logan, his wife appears in the 1860 Logan census but not him.
- Elizabeth born circa 1803 KY; d/o John B. Gillum (who d.1838); married Howell McLemore 11 Jan 1827 Logan County; listed in 1850, 1860 & 1870 Logan censuses; died after 1870.
- Elizabeth C. born ?; married Daniel Gray 30 May 1829 Logan County (Bk 1-.p81); not found in 1850, 1860 or 1870 Logan censuses.

- Elizabeth, Mrs., born circa 1812 KY; w/o James Gillum (s/o John P. & Elizabeth Mrs. Bailey Gillum); married L. (? Landon) S. Perry 23 Oct 1838 Logan County (Bk 1-p144); listed in Logan County censuses of 1850 (then living with Elizabeth Bailey Gillum?), 1860 & 1870; died after 1870.
- Elizabeth L. born 20 Mar 1815; 7 d/o John B. Gillum & Rebecca B. Porter & grandd/o John P. Gillum & Elizabeth Bailey; married John Ripley Aingell circa 1832; died 5 Feb 1837, buried Gillum Cemetery, Logan County; husband was the son of William Aingell, who died in Logan County in 1823 (will Bk D-p172), John R. Aingell married 2. Josephina Edgar 30 Jan 1838 Logan County (Bk 1-pl41) & is listed in the 1850 & 1870 Logan County censuses.
- Ephraim M. born circa 1807 Logan County; s/o Marcus Gillum & Sarah Ely; married Harriett McEndree 8 May 1841 Logan County (Bk 2-p4); listed in Logan County tax lists of 1829-1839 and censuses of 1840, 1850, 1860 & 1870.
- Green M. born 1800-1810; married circa 1826; listed in 1840 Logan census but not in the 1850, 1860 or 1870 Logan censuses.
- Henry L. born 23 Jun 1799 VA; ,s/o James; married Nancy Lobban 4 Oct 1819 Albemarle County, VA; listed in Logan County tax lists of 1828-1839 and censuses of 1830, 1840, 1850 & 1860; died 11 July 1873, buried Gillum-Rogers Cemetery, Logan County.
- Hiram born circa 1804 N.C.; married Nancy circa 1828; a son born circa 1829 in N.C. and children born between 1830-1846 were born in Tennessee, father of Rev. Francis Marion Gillum; listed in Logan County 1850, 1860 & 1870 censuses.
- James born 1786-1794 Albemarle County, VA; s/o John P. Gillum & Elizabeth Bailey; married Elizabeth __, 1820-1830; died 1833 Logan County (Will Bk E-p243, estate sale bill 14 Nov 1833, administrator of his estate Charles P. Gillum; in 1820-1839 Logan County tax books listed only in 1833.
- James E. born circa 1805 KY; s/a John B. Gillum; married Frances Cushenberry, 16 Feb 1826 Logan County (Bk 1-p55); listed in the Logan County tax lists of 1826-1839 and censuses of 1830, 1840, 1850, 1860 & 1870.

- Jane E. born circa 1820 VA; ? d/o Henry L. Gillum & Nancy Lobban; married William F. Gillum 14 Sep 1839 or 5 Feb 1840 Logan County (Bk 1-p147); listed in Logan County 1850 census, not found there in 1860 or 1870 censuses.
- John P. born 10 Aug 1760 Albemarle County, VA; s/o John Gillum; married Elizabeth Bailey 25 Dec 1785 Albemarle County, VA; served in Revolutionary War; listed in 1810 Albemarle County, VA census (p.157); moved to Madison County, KY in 1816, where he is listed in the tax lists of 1817-1820 & the 1820 census; in 1821 moved to Logan County, KY, listed there in the 1822-1839 tax lists & censuses of 1830 & 1840; lived on Little Whipporwill Creek, near the Russellville-Franklin Road (now Highway 100) about 4 miles southeast of Russellville; died 4 Jun 1845, buried Gillum Cemetery, Logan County; widow listed in 1850 & 1860 Logan County censuses; John P.'s will (Will Bk G-p528), his estate papers and a suit among his heirs prove that he had 7 children, who either survived him or had died leaving heirs.
- John B. born 1770-1780; married circa 1800; listed in Logan County tax lists of 1820-1838 and censuses of 1820 & 1830; owned land along Mud River; died 1838, wrote will 30 July 1838 & it was recorded on 27 Aug 1838 (Logan County Will Bk G-p20); will names wife, Nancy, 6 children are referred to, but names only 3 (James E., Polly & Ellen), children are proven by estate settlement- Elizabeth (born c1803 KY, w/o Howell McLemore), James E. (born c1805 KY, administrator of his father's estate), Mary B. (born c1810 KY, w/o Goodwin McLemore), Rebecca (born c1810 KY, w/o John Gray), Perthena Ann (born c1813 KY, w/o Silas B. Summers), & Ellen (born c1824 KY, single in 1850); widow Nancy listed in 1840 & 1850 Logan County censuses.
- John B. born circa 1810 VA; married Brunette W. Baker 16 Dec 1834 Logan County (Bk 1-p119); in tax lists listed as John B., Jr. but is not son of two other John's (John B. & John P.) listed at same time; listed in Logan County tax lists of 1831-1839 and 1840, 1850, 1860, 1870 censuses.
- Joseph born 1780-1790, listed in Logan County 1835 tax list & 1840 census.
- Marcus born pre 1765; married Sally Ely 16 Nov 1802 Logan County; listed in Logan County tax lists of 1820-1833 and 1810 & 1820 censuses; owned land along Mud River; died circa 1833, inventory & appraisement of estate 23 Jan 1834 by Ephraim M. Gillum (Logan County Will Bk E-p31 3).
- Mary B. born circa 1810 KY; d/o John B. Gillum; married Goodwin McLemore 19 Dec 1838 Logan County (Bk 1-p144); listed in 1850 Logan County census but not there in 1860 or 1870.

- Nancy born 10 Feb 1790 Albemarle County, VA; d/o John P. Gillum & Elizabeth Bailey; married John H. Thomas 30 Sep 1811 Albemarle County, VA; died ? 1860-1870 Logan County; in 1850 & 1860 Logan County censuses listed in home of son-in-law, George W. Monday, & daughter, Mary E. (married. 28 Feb 1845 Logan County), not listed in 1870 Logan County census.
- Perthena Ann born circa 1813 KY; d/o John B. Gillum; married Silas B. Summers in March 1841 Logan County (Bk 2-p1); listed in 1850 Logan County census but not found there in 1860 or 1870 censuses.
- Rebecca born circa 1810 KY; d/o John B. Gillum; married John Gray 6 Sep 1831 Logan County (Bk 1-p94); listed in 1860 & 1870 Logan County censuses.
- Sarah L. born ?; married. Gustavus L. Brien 2 Jan 1840 Logan (Bk 1-p155); in 1841 Charles P. Gillum & John R. Aingell are listed as appraisers of estate of Gustavies L. Brien, deceased (Logan County Will Bk G-p257); not found in 1850, 1860 or 1870 Logan County censuses.
- Tyra B. born 1 April 1806 Albemarle County, VA; s/o John P. Gillum & Elizabeth Bailey; married Martha C. Martin 5 My 1829 Logan County, (Bk 1-p80); listed in Logan County tax lists of 1829-1839 and censuses of 1830, 1840, 1850, 1860 & 1870; died 28 Dec 1896, buried Auburn Cemetery, Loan County.
- William born pre 1779; listed in "Second Census of Kentucky" – 1800 tax list of Logan County.
- William Talley born 1795 Albemarle Cbunty, VA; married Maria Oglesby 25 Sep/Aug 1817 Madison County, KY; s/o John P. Gillum & Elizabeth Bailey; listed in Madison County, KY tax lists of 1817-1821 & 1820 census and in Logan County tax lists of 1823-1830 & 1830 census; in 1830-1831 moved from Logan County; died after 1841.
- William F. born circa 1817 KY; s/o John B. Gillum & ? Rebecca B. Porter; married Jane E. Gillum 14 Sep 1839 or 5 Feb 1840 Logan County; listed in 1850 Logan County census but not listed there in 1860 or 1870.

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1810 Albemarle County, Virginia census:

p.156	Gillum, Pleasant	3 males 0-10	2 females 0-10
		1 male 16-26	1 female 26-45
		1 male 26-45	2 female over 45

		1 male over 45	
p.157	Gillum, Cornelius	1 male 26-45	1 female over 45
p.157	Gillum, John	2 males 0-10	1 female 0-10
		2 males 10-16	1 female 16-26
		1 male 16-26	2 females 26-45
		1 male over 45	
		[note: Revolutionary War Soldier, John P.Gillum , 1760-1845]	
p.195	Gillum, John	3 males 0-10	1 female 0-10
		1 male 26-45	1 female 26-45
p.195	Gillum, Elisha D.	1 male 10-16	5 females 0-10
		1 male 16-26	1 female 10.-16
		1 male over 45	1 female 26-45

Albemarle County, Virginia tax lists:

1785	Gilliam:	John, John, John
1787	Gilliam:	James, John, John, Sr., John, Jr.
1787	Gillum:	John

Logan County, Kentucky tax lists:

John B. Gillum (1760-1845 Revolutionary War Soldier entry is followed by *

1820	Gilham, Marcus	200 acres Mud River, 1 slave	
	John	100 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
1821	Gillum, Mark	200 acres, 1 slave	
	Guillam, John	100 acres, 4 slaves	
1822	Guillam, Mark	200 acres Mud River, 1 slave	
	John	351 acres, 5 slaves, same for William Guillam	*
	Gillum, John	100 acres, 4 slaves	
1823	Gillum, Marcus	200 acres Mud River, 1 slave	
	William		
	John	100 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
	Charles P.	2 slaves	
	John	350 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek, 4 slaves	*
1824	Gillum, Marcus	200 acres Mud River, 1 slave	
	Guilliam, William T.	70 acres	
	John	100 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
	John	180 acres Whippoorwill creek, 4 slaves	*
	Charles P.	2 slaves	
1825	Gillam, John	100 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
	John	180 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek, 4 slaves	*
	William T.	70 ¼ acres	
	Charles P.		
	Mark	200 acres, 3 slaves	
1826	Gillum, Marckus	200 acres Mud River, 3 slaves	

	Charles	180 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 5 slaves	
	William	70 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 1 slave	
	James E.		
	John	100 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
1827	list is missing		
1828	Gillum, Marcus	175 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
	Henry L	1 slave	
	Guillam, John	100 acres Mud River, 3 slaves	
	James		
	Charles P.	25 acres, 3 slaves	
	John	180 Little Whippoorwill Creek, 9 slaves	*
	William T.	70 ¼ acres	
1829	Gillam, Henry M.	3 slaves, 3 children between 4-15	
	Charles P.	75 acres L. Whippoorwill Cr., 3 slaves, 1 child between 4-15	
	John	130 acres L. Whippoorwill Cr., 10 slaves, 2 children between 4-15	*
	Tyra B.		
	John B.	100 acres Mud River, 4 slaves, 1 child 4-15	
	Mark	374 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
	Ephenall		
1830	Gillam, Mark	374 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
	Ephraim		
	Henry	3 slaves	
	William T.	70 acres Whippoorwill Creek	
	John	130 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 4 slaves	*
	John B.	100 acres, 4 slaves	
	Charles B.	175 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 4 slaves	
1831	Gillum, Henry L.	3 slaves	
	John B., Jr.		
	Charles	75 acres, 4 slaves	
	John	130 acres, 10 slaves	*
	John B.	100 acres Mud River, 3 slaves	
	James E.	300 acres	
	Ephraim		
1832	list is missing		
1833	Gillum, Henry	2 slaves	
	Marcus	200 & 175 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
	John B.	263 ½ acres Mud River, 3 slaves	
	John	150 & 564 acres Little Whippoorwill Cr., 4 slaves	*
	Tyra		
	James		
	Charles P.	125 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek, 5 slaves	
	James E.	300 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek	
1834	Gillum, E. M.	300 & 170 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
	Mrs. Sarah	200 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	

	Henry L.	1 slave	
	John B.	263 acres Mud River, 3 slaves	
	John	734 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 12 slaves	*
	Tiry B.		
	John, Jr.		
	Charles	125 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 6 slaves	
1835	Gillam, Jos.	350 acres Blacklick Creek	
	E. M.	174 acres Mud River, 1 slave & as administrator of M. Gillam, deceased	
	James E.		
	Tyre D.		
	John P.	700 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 10 slaves	*
	Charles P.	125 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 6 slaves	
	John P., Jr.	3 slaves	
	John B., Sr.	263 acres Mud River, 3 slaves	
1836	Gillum, H. L.	200 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 1 slave	
	J. B., Jr.	200 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 2 slaves	
	John D.	4 slaves	
	John B.	100 & 163 acres Mud River, 3 slaves	
	John B.	700 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 9 slaves	*
	Tiry	83 acres Whippoorwill Creek	
	Charles P.	125 acres Whippoorwill Creek, 6 slaves	
	James E.		
	Ephraim M.	200 & 175 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
1837	Gillum, John B.	200 & 175 acres Mud River, 4 slaves	
	Tiry B.	604 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek, 8 slaves	*
	John B., Jr.	85 ½ acres Little Whippoorwill Creek	
	Charles	4 slaves	
	Henry	125 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek, 6 slaves	
	James E.	188 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek, 1 slave	
	Ephraim M.	200 & 147 acres Mud River, 3 slaves	
1838	Gilliam, E. M.	163 & 200 acres Mud River, 3 slaves	
	John	200 & 174 acres Mud River, 2 slaves	
	James E.		
	John	163 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek, 3 slaves	
	John	4 slaves	
	Charles	125 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek, 6 slaves	
	Tiry B.	141 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek	
	H. L.		
	John	676 acres Little Whippoorwill, Creek, 8 slaves	*
1839	Gilliam, Nancy	163 acres Mud River, 3 slaves	
	Ephraim M.	200 acres Mud River, 2 slaves	
	John	464 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek , 4 slaves	
	William		
	Tyra B.	142 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek	

Charles P. 125 acres Little Whippoorwill Creek, 6 slaves
 John B. 929 acres Little Whippoorwill Ccreek, 4 slaves
 Henry L.
 1840-1868 lists are missing

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Second Census of Kentucky - 1800:

Gilliam, William 1800 Logan County tax list

1810 Logan County, Kentucky census:

p.192	Gilham, Mark	1 male 0-10	1 female 0-10
		1 male 10-16	1 female 16-26
		1 male 16-26	
		1 male 26-45	
		1 male over 45	

1820 Logan County, Kentucky census:

p.28	Gilham, Marcus	1 male 10-16	1 female 26-45
		1 male 16-26	
		1 male over 4+	
p.40	Gilham, John	1 male 0-10	2 females 0-10
		1 male 10-16	1 female 10-16
		1 male over 4	2 females 16-26
			1 female over 45

1830 Logan County, Kentucky census:

p.59	Gillum, Charles	2 males 0-5	1 female 20-30	4 slaves
		1 male 30-40		
p.63	Gillam, William T.	1 male 5-10	2 females 0-5	
		1 male 30-40	1 female 10-15	
			1 female 30-40	
p.64	Gillam, Henry L.	1 male 0-5	1 female 0-5	2 slaves
		1 male 5-10	2 females 5-10	
		1 male 30-40	1 female 20-30	
p.65	Gillam, Tyre B.	1 male 20-30	1 female 20-30	
p.70	Gillam, John	1 male 10-15	1 female 10-15	11 slaves
		1 male 60-70	1 female 50-60	
			1 female 60-70	
		[note: John P. Gillum, 1760-1845]		
p.72	Gillam, Charles	1 male 0-5	1 female 20-30	4 slaves
		1 male 5-10		

p.79	Guillam, John	1 male 20-30 1 male 50-60	1 female 5-10 2 females 15-20 1 female 20-30 1 female 40-50	4 slaves
p.79	Guillam, James	1 male 0-5 1 male 20-30	1 female 0-5 1 female 20-30	1 slave

1840 Logan County, Kentucky census:

p.21	Gillum, Henry L.	1 male 5-10 1 male 10-15 1 male 15-20 1 male 40-50	1 female 0-5 1 female 5-10 1 female 10-15 1 female 15-20 1 female 30-40	2 slaves
p.21	Gillum, Charles P.	1 male 5-10 2 males 10-15 1 male 40-50	2 females 0-5 1 female 5-10 1 female 30-40	7 slaves
p.29	Gillum, Terry B.	2 males 0-5 2 males 5-10 1 male 30-40	1 female 0-5 1 female 5-10 1 female 20-30	1 slave
p.33	Gillum, John B.	2 males 0-5 1 male 30-40	1 female 0-5 1 female 20-30	4 slaves
p.37	Gillum, James E.	1 male 0-5 1 male 5-10 1 male 10-15 1 male 30-40	1 female 0-5 1 female 10-15 1 female 30-40	
p.41	Gillum, Nancy	1 male 20-30	1 female 15-20 1 female 20-30 1 female 30-40 1 female 60-70	2 slaves
p.57	Gillum, John P.	1 male 20-30 1 male 80-90	1 female 20-30 1 female 60-70 1 female 70-80	8 slaves
p.77	Gillum, Joseph	"Revolutionary War Pensioner, age 74" 2 males 0-5 1 male 50-60	1 female 40-50	
p.129	Gillum, Green M.	1 male 0-5 1 male 5-10 1 male 10-15 1 male 30-40	1 female 10-15 1 female 30-40	6 slaves
p.153	Gillum, Ephraim M.	1 male 30-40	1 female 50-60	

1850 Logan County, Kentucky census:

p.15 #218	Gilliam, John B.	40	m	farmer	VA
	George W.	15	m		KY

	Lucy J.	12	f		KY
	Margaret E.	8	f		KY
	Mary S.	6	f		KY
p.15 #222	Gilliam, Henry	50	m	farmer	VA
	Nancy	47	f	[nee: Lobban]	VA
	James F.	26	m		KY
	Virginia	20	f		KY
	Paulina	18	f		KY
	Henry C.	16	m		KY
	Mary E.	15	f		KY
	William	11	m		KY
	George G.	9	m		KY
	Lucy	6	f		KY
p.16 #229	Gillum, William F.	33	m	farmer	KY
	Jane E.	30	f	[nee: Gillum]	VA
	Margaret Ann	7	f		KY
	John H.	7	m		KY
	Sarah E.	2	f		KY
p.16 #232	Gilliam, John L.	24	m	farmer	KY
	Emaline	21	f	married within year	KY
p.18 #262	Gilliam, James E.	45	m	farmer [s/o John B.]	KY
	Francis	44	f	[nee: Cushenberry]	KY
	William D.	23	m		KY
	Mary E.	21	f		KY
	Richard O.	16	m		KY
	James T.	14	m		KY
	Ann R.	12	f		KY
	Nancy E.	10	f		KY
	Melinda F.	8	f		KY
	Sarah H. C.	6	f		KY
p.3 #353	Monday, George W.	27	m	farmer	KY
	Mary E.	26	f	[nee: Thomas]	KY
	Lucy J.	4	f		KY
	Virgil E.	9/12	m		KY
	Thomas, Nancy	60	f	[d/o John P. Gillum]	VA
p.50 #752	Gillam, Ephraim	43	m	farmer [s/o Marcus]	KY
	Harriett	34	f	[nee: McEndree]	KY
	James M.	8	m		KY
	Edward	8	m		KY
	Sarah A. P.	7	f		KY
	Martha J. R.	4	f		KY
	Mary E .T.	3	f		KY
	Margarett	3/12	f		KY
p.51 #761	Gillium, Charles P.	52	m	farmer [s/o John P.]	VA
	Elizabeth	48	f	[d/o James Gillum]	VA
	Walter	22	m		KY

	Susan	18	f		KY
	P. Green	16	m		KY
	Eliza	11	f		KY
p.56 #829	Gillem, Tyre	44	m	farmer [s/o John P.]	VA
	Martha	43	f	[nee: Martin]	TN
	America A.	18	f		KY
	Cornelia S.	12	f		KY
	George P.	10	m		KY
	Tyre H.	7	m		KY
	Thadious A.	5	m		KY
p.56 #831	Gillem, Eliza	84	f	[note: nee Bailey]	VA
	Elizabeth	41	f		KY
	Perry, Landon?	38	m		KY
	John	10	m		KY
	William M.	7	m		KY
	Dennis R.	5	m		KY
p.56 #834	Ragland, Samuel B.	45	m	brickmason	VA
	Rebecca	44	f		KY
	Jane Ann	17	f		KY
	Marion W.	15	m		KY
	Columbia B.	6	f		KY
	Gillum, Nancy	69	f	[w/o John B.]	VA
	Ellen	25			KY
p.117 #659	Gilliam, Hiram	45	m	farmer	NC
	Nancy	44	f		NC
	John C.	21	m		NC
	Marion F.	20	m		TN
	William	16	m		TN
	Sarah	13	f		TN
	Walter	11	m		TN
	Mary	9	f		TN
	Hiram	7	m		TN
	William?	4	m		TN
	Thomas	4	m		TN
p.51 #764	Gilbert, Michael	44	m	[ml. Elizabeth Gillum]	GA
	Eliza	44	f	[nee: Burgess]	VA
p.16 #228	Aingell, John R.	36	m	[ml. Elizabeth]	KY
	Josephina	36	f	[nee: Edgar]	KY
	George T.	17	m		KY
	Elizabeth	14	f		KY
	John W.	11	m		KY
	Sarah Ann	8	f		KY
	Robert	4	m		KY
	Carter, Benjamin	15	m		KY
	Larue, James	21	m		KY

1860 Logan County, Kentucky census:

p.431 #717-683 in household of G. W. & Mary Monday:

	Thomas, Nancy	70	f	[d/o John P. Gillum]	VA
p.440 #773-738	Gillum, Charles P.	62	m	farmer [s/o John P.]	VA
	Elizabeth	58	f	[d/o James Gillum]	VA
	Walter	32	m		KY
	Green	26	m		KY
	Elizabeth	?93	f	[nee: Bailey]	VA
	Bettie	21	f		KY
p.440 #774-739	Gillum, John B.	50	m		VA
	Margaret	17	f		MO
	Mary	16	f		MO
	G. W.	23	m		KY
	Catherine	23	f		KY
	Catherine	1	f		KY
p.615 #785-771	Gillum, Tyree B.	55	m	stable keeper, s/o John P.	VA
	Martha C.	54	f	[nee: Martin]	KY
	John W.	23	m		KY
	Cornelia	20	f		KY
	George	17	m		KY
	Tyree Jr.	15	m		KY
	Thadeus	14	m		KY

1870 Logan County, Kentucky census:

Keysburg Corporation:

p.467 #209	Gillum, Charles P.	72	m	farmer [s/o John P.]	VA
	Pleasant G.	35	m		KY
	Manda	21	f		KY
	Walter J.	38	m		KY
	Charles P.	1/12	m		KY
p.467 #215	Gillum, Tyre E.	27	m		KY
	Fannie	24	f		VA
	Tyre B.	64	m	[s/o John P.]	VA
	Martha C.	62	f	[nee: Martin]	KY
	Bennett, Mary B.	5	f		KY
	3 blacks				
p.512	Aingell, John R.	55	m	[ml. Elizabeth Gillum]	KY
	Josphina	55	f	[nee: Edgar]	KY
	John W.	31	m		KY
	Martha L.	26	f		TN
	Nancy J.	4/12	f		KY

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The following is from the book, The Family of William Boucher and Milly Faris, by Jerry Long (McDowell Publications, Utica, Ky., 2002, pp.56-65):

John Bailey Gillum (c1790-c1825)

John Bailey Gillum, son of John P. Gillum & Elizabeth Bailey, was born 1786-1794 Albemarle County, VA; married Rebecca B. Porter, 25 November 1812 Albemarle County, VA and Mary Boucher 1 August 1818 Madison County, KY; died 1824-1826; in 1824 resided in Madison County, KY. The following is from the book, The Family of William Boucher and Milly Faris, by Jerry Long (McDowell Publications, Utica, KY, 2002, pp.56-65):

Mary or Polly Boucher, daughter of William Boucher & Milly Faris, was born in Madison County, KY between 1794-1804. On both of her marriages the name of Polly is used.³⁸ Polly in olden times was a standard nickname for Mary, just as Sally was for Sarah, Patsy for Martha, and so on. On an 1857 death certificate for Emily Frazier Wilson, a daughter of Mary Boucher by her second marriage, her mother's name is recorded as "Mary".³⁹ Hamilton B. Gillim, a son of Polly, reported on his marriage that his mother was born in Madison County, KY and his father in Virginia.⁴⁰ Entries for the households of William Boucher in the 1810 census and John B. Gillum in the 1820 census suggests that Polly was born in the period of 1794-1800. An entry in the 1830 census for the family of James Frazier, however, indicates she may have been born between 1800-1810.⁴¹ Polly was probably at least 18 years old when she married in 1818 since no one signed consent for her to marry. At the time the legal age for females to marry without parental consent was 18. If she had attained the age of 18 prior to her marriage she then would have been born between 1794-1800.

On 1 Aug 1818 Rev. Hezekiah Ricketts married Polly Boucher and John B. Gillum in Madison County, KY. Their offspring used the spelling of "Gillim". On his marriage, John B.'s name was signed as "Gillum", the spelling used by his father and brothers. The Gillum family, of French descent, had resided in Albemarle County, VA, where John Bailey Gillum was born between 1786-1794. His full name was used in the 1794 will of his uncle, John Bailey. His parents, John P. Gillum (1760-1845) & Elizabeth Bailey (1766-1862) were married in Albemarle County, VA on 25 Dec 1785. John B.'s grandparents were John Gillum (& ?Mary Talley) and Callam Bailey & Elizabeth Roundtree.⁴² John P. Gillum, father of John B., was a Revolutionary War soldier. In the pension file of John P. it is stated that he moved to Madison County, KY in 1816 and from there to Logan County, KY in 1821.⁴³ John P. appears in the Madison County tax

³⁸ Copies of original marriage bond & marriage register, Madison County Courthouse; copy of original marriage bond, Daviess County Courthouse [see copies pp236 & 278].

³⁹ Hancock Co., KY 1852-61 Vital Statistics, 1857 deaths.

⁴⁰ Marriage Book F, p157, Daviess County Courthouse.

⁴¹ Federal Censuses, 1810 Madison Co., KY, p208, 1820 Madison Co., KY, p164, 1830 Daviess Co., KY, p194.

⁴² Will Book 3, p218, Albemarle County Courthouse, Charlottesville, VA; Battle, Perrin & Kniffin, eds., *Kentucky: A History Of The State* (Louisville & Chicago: F. A. Battey Publishing Co., 1885), 874; Betty Dittman Hamlet, *A Researcher's Workbook: Book of Gillums* (Irving, TX, 1996), 1, 4, 6, 218.

⁴³ White, *Genealogical Abstracts Of Revolutionary War Pension Files, Vol.II*, 1355.

lists in 1817-1820 and beginning in 1822 in the Logan County tax records. In the 1820 Madison County census he is enumerated immediately next to Dudley Faris, an uncle of Milly Faris Boucher. In the same census John P.'s son, William, appears next to Mrs. Pheby Ferris, the mother of Milly Faris Boucher.⁴⁴

Prior to Polly Boucher's marriage to John B. Gillum her parents and siblings had left Madison County and relocated in Daviess County, KY. Polly's marriage in Madison County in 1818 was from one to two years subsequent to their departure. Polly apparently had either stayed behind with other relatives in Madison County or she had returned there on a visit. On her mother's side of the family her grandmother, Phebe Faris, and several uncles, aunts and cousins were still living there.

John B. Gillum is listed as "John D." in the 1820 Madison County census. On his marriage and in the Madison tax lists in 1819, 1820, 1823 & 1824 he is listed as "John B." At the time of his marriage to Polly Boucher in 1818 he was a widower with two children, Elizabeth L. (born 1815) & William F. (born ca 1817 in KY).⁴⁵ In Albemarle County, VA it is recorded that John B. Gillum married Rebecca B. Porter on 25 Nov 1812; his father, John Gillum, signed consent.⁴⁶ John B. Gillum is absent from the Madison County tax lists in 1821 & 1822. This was the period when his father, John P. Gillum, left Madison County and moved to Logan County, KY. If he had accompanied his father to Logan County he apparently did not stay long since he was not located there in the annual tax lists. James L. Gillim, a son of John B. & Polly, who was born in 1821 or 1822, according to an 1885 biography of Dr. William F. Gillim (1846-1920) was born in Logan County. In this article the following was written:

"The Gillim family was first represented in the State of Kentucky about the year 1820, when John Gillim [this was John B.], grandfather of our subject, removed from Virginia and settled in Logan County, where was born James L. Gillim, the father of Dr. Gillim."⁴⁷

The author of this passage knew that members of the family had settled in Logan County but possibly he was mistaken about his statement that John B. Gillum was the family member who had settled there. The writer apparently was not aware of the family's connection to Madison County, KY, where records show that John B. Gillum was taxed for at least five of the seven years of 1818-1824. The marriage record of another child of James L. Gillim states that her father was a native of Madison County, KY. Hamilton B. Gillim, a son of John B. & Polly, who was born in 1823, reported on his marriage that he was born in Madison County, KY.⁴⁸

John B. Gillum appears to have died between 1824-1826. He last appears in the Madison County tax records in 1824. In the Madison County will and estate records no reference to him could be found.⁴⁹ By 1826 his family had left Madison County, and moved to the Yelvington-

⁴⁴ Madison Co., KY 1820 Federal Census, p140, 176.

⁴⁵ Hamlet, *A Researcher's Workbook: Book of Gillums*, 6, 218-9.

⁴⁶ John Vogt & T. William Kethley, Jr., *Albemarle County, Virginia Marriages, 1780-1853, Vol.I* (Athens, GA: Iberian Publishing Co., 1991), 133.

⁴⁷ Battle, Perrin & Kniffin, eds., *Kentucky: A History Of The State*, 874 [see copy p267].

⁴⁸ Marriage Book F, p157 (Hamilton B.), p247 (Rebecca L.), Daviess County Courthouse.

⁴⁹ Letter of Kathy Vockery, Richmond, KY to Bruce T. Ferguson, Owensboro, KY, 11 Jun 1996 [Ms. Vockery found no references to John B. Gillum in the Madison County will, court order, deed or guardian records].

Gatewood section of Daviess County, KY, where William Boucher had settled circa 1817. On August 31 of 1826 John B.'s wife, Mrs. Polly Gillim, married James Frazier in Daviess County.⁵⁰ When John B. Gillum's father, John P., wrote his will in 1841 (recorded in Logan County, KY in 1844) he refers to his deceased son, John, and the children of his two marriages. He divided his son, John's share, between Elizabeth (wife of John Ripley Aingel) & William F. Gillum, the children of John B.'s first marriage. These two children resided in Logan County. They may have been raised by their grandparents, John P. & Elizabeth Gillum, in whose home in the 1830 census were listed a boy and girl aged 10-15. John P. Gillum in his will refers to his four grandchildren, who his son, John, left by his last wife, but does not give their names. The latter only received \$1.00 each from his estate and were poignantly excluded from any other share by his will.⁵¹ The four unnamed children at the time of their grandfather's will were residents of Daviess and Hancock Counties, KY.

Mrs. Polly Gillim and James Frazier were married by Othello Williams, a Methodist minister. James Frazier was born about 1800. His father, James, Sr., in the 1820 Daviess County census was listed five households after the family of William Boucher & Milly Faris. In the 1830 census the family of James Frazier & Polly Boucher were enumerated in Daviess County, in the eastern part of the county, near Blackford Creek.⁵² Six children, all under the age of ten, were shown in their home. Four of these were Polly's children by John B. Gillum and the other two were probably, Hiram D. & William P. Frazier, sons by Polly's second marriage. James Frazier in 1834-1835 moved to Hancock County, KY. He is last in the Daviess County tax books in 1833. His name is first found in the tax records of Hancock County in 1835; the tax list there for the previous year is missing.

Polly Boucher Gillim Frazier died during 1834 or 1835. A daughter, Emily Frazier, was born in 1834-1835 and shortly afterwards her mother died. On 24 Aug 1835 the Hancock County court ordered that an allowance be paid to Alexander Bevins for the keeping of Emily Frazier, infant orphan of James Frazier.⁵³ Emily's father was living at this time but her mother had died by this date. In earlier times, in order that their father could be free to make a living, young children were frequently raised by relatives of their mother when their mother died. Alexander Bevins was Emily's uncle. In 1850 Emily Frazier, age 15, was living with the family of her half-sister, Sally Ann Gillim Toler. A Hancock County death certificate records that Emily Frazier Wilson, daughter of "James & Mary Frazier", died on 6 June 1857 at the age of 22.⁵⁴

⁵⁰ Copy of original marriage bond, Daviess County Courthouse. [This marriage is one of several pre 1830 marriages that were not recorded in Daviess County's first marriage book, A; it is in the original loose marriage documents, filed in metal drawers, old records room of the County Court Clerk's office. In two published sources of these unrecorded marriages the groom is erroneously listed as Sam Frasier – Emma Dunn Mastin, *Daviess County, Kentucky Marriages, 1815-1865* (Owensboro, KY: West-Central KY Family Research Association, 1978), 58 (she also misinterpreted the bride's last name as Gillian), and Michael J. Edgeworth, "Unindexed Marriage Bonds, Daviess County, Kentucky", *Kentucky Family Records*, Vol.7 (Owensboro, KY: West-Central KY Family Research Association, 1978), 3.]

⁵¹ Will Book G, p528, Logan County Courthouse, Russellville, KY; Logan Co., KY Federal Censuses, 1830 p70, 1840 p57, 1850 p16; Hamlet, *A Researcher's Workbook: Book of Gillums*, 6, 13-4, 218-9.

⁵² Daviess Co., KY Federal Censuses, 1820 p365, 1830 p194.

⁵³ Order Book 2, p55, Hancock County Courthouse.

⁵⁴ Hancock Co., KY 1850 Federal Census, p289; Hancock Co., KY 1852-61 Vital Statistics, 1857 deaths.

James Frazier by 1836 left Hancock County, KY. About this time he may have moved across the Ohio River to Perry County, Indiana, located just north of Hancock County. The next record found of James Frazier is when he remarries in Perry County on 30 July 1839. His bride, Rebecca Roof, was the widow of Gabriel Mahan, who she had married in Perry Co., IN in 1830.⁵⁵ James Frazier was listed in the 1840 census of Perry County, IN. Two households from him was the family of his sister, Elizabeth Frazier & her husband, George Duncan, who had been married in Daviess Co., KY in 1829.⁵⁶ James died between 1844-1850; after the birth of a son, John, who was born about 1845 and before the 1850 census. His widow, Mrs. Rebecca (Roof) Mahan Frazier, appears in the listing of the Troy Township in the 1850 Perry County, IN census.⁵⁷ Rebecca Frazier died at the age of 78 on 7 April 1879; she has a grave marker in the Bolin Cemetery, in Perry County, IN.⁵⁸ Children born to James Frazier, & his second wife, were: Willis J., Elizabeth, Mary & John.

Sarah (Sally) Ann Gillim, daughter of John B. Gillum & Mary Boucher, was born between 1819-1822. At the time of the 1820 census three children, under the age of 10, were reported to be in the home of John B. Gillum. Two of these were a son and daughter by his first wife. The third could be Sarah. In the home of her stepfather, James Frazier, at the time of the 1830 census, there is a female aged 5-10 that is probably, Sally Ann. In the 1840 census she was listed as being aged 20-30 and in the 1850 census as age 28.⁵⁹ On her marriage her name appears as Sally Ann and on several Hancock County deeds her name was signed as Sarah Ann.⁶⁰ In Hancock County, KY in March 1837 she married John Toler. Bond for their license was paid on March 17. No marriage return, confirming the actual date their marriage was celebrated on, was recorded. Six days prior to this Sally Ann's uncle, William W. Boucher, posted bond for his marriage to Sarah Toler, who is believed to be a sister to John.⁶¹

John Toler, born about 1812 in KY, is first listed in the Hancock County, KY tax lists in 1836. In the same year he purchased a farm of 100 acres on Yellow Creek, a tributary of Blackford Creek. He later purchased several other tracts of land. In 1849 he sold 98 ½ acres to John T. Gillim, Sally Ann's brother.⁶² In the Hancock census of 1840 John Toler was listed 8 households from William Boucher (Sr.) and in 1850 near neighbors were Sally Ann's uncles & aunts: Daniel & Phebe Boucher Colbert, William W. & Sally Boucher, Richard & Sally Boucher, Jackson & Felia Boucher, and Alexander Bevins. Living with the Tolers in 1850 were William & Emily Frazier, a half-brother and half-sister to Sally Ann.⁶³

⁵⁵ Doris Leistner, *Marriages of Perry County, Indiana, 1814-1852* (Hartford, KY: McDowell Publications, 1977), 48, 57.

⁵⁶ Perry Co., IN 1840 Federal Census, p410; Marriage Book A, p38, Daviess County Courthouse.

⁵⁷ Perry Co., IN 1850 Federal Census, p364.

⁵⁸ Sharon Patmore & Kristine Manley, *Perry County, Indiana Tombstone Inscriptions, Vol.1* (Chrisney, IN, 1993), 2.

⁵⁹ Federal Censuses, 1820 Madison Co., KY, p164, 1830 Daviess Co., KY, p194, 1840 Hancock Co., KY, p6, 1850 Hancock Co., KY, p289.

⁶⁰ Deed Book 4, p168, Deed Book 5, p97, Hancock County Courthouse.

⁶¹ Marriage Book 1B, p14, Hancock County Courthouse.

⁶² Deed Books 2, p281, 3, p429, 4, p8 & 168, Hancock County Courthouse.

⁶³ Hancock Co., KY Federal Censuses, 1840 p6, 1850 p289.

John Toler is last listed in the Hancock County, KY tax lists in 1852. The next year he begins appearing in the Daviess County, KY tax records. The 1853 tax list shows him as owning 100 acres on Blackford Creek in Daviess County & 40 acres on Yellow Creek in Hancock County. He lived in the vicinity of where the Toler Bridge Road is located today, along the banks of Blackford Creek, just across the county line from Hancock County. In the Daviess County tax lists he last appears in 1858. The following year John B. Haywood appears in the tax records as the administrator of the estate of John Toler, deceased. John & Sally Ann Toler died a few days apart in August 1858. This was reported by family historian, Emma Dunn Mastin (1889-1973), and is verified by papers on the settlement of John Toler's estate filed in Daviess County.⁶⁴

John Toler & Sally Ann Gillim left 8 children: Elizabeth E., William F., Ollie Ann, Mary Jane, John C., James Holmes, Camden Riley, and Amanda Frances. All were still under the age of 21 at the time of their parent's death. Seven of the children were found in the 1860 census scattered among different homes in Hancock County, KY, Perry & Spencer Counties, IN. In this census two of the children were even enumerated twice, at different locations. Jane & Amanda, in 1860 were living with Sarah Boucher Jagers, who would have been their great-aunt.⁶⁵ All eight of John & Sally Ann's children appear to have died in Hancock County or at least were residents there close to the time of their deaths. William F. Toler was a Confederate soldier during the Civil War. He enlisted in Company K of the 4th KY Volunteer Infantry on 10 Sep 1861.⁶⁶ The Report of the Adjutant General of the State of Kentucky: Confederate KY Volunteers lists him as having been wounded and the W.P.A.'s Registration of Veterans' Graves for Hancock County, KY reports that William Toller, born 20 Nov 1836 & died 19 Dec 1865, was buried in the Johnston Cemetery.⁶⁷ Emma Dunn Mastin recorded that "Will Toler was killed Dec. 26, 1862 inlisted [sic] 1861" and was born on 28 Jan 1836.⁶⁸ Elizabeth E. Toler married Dr. Thomas J. Lively & William T. Dodd, Ollie Ann Toler married Samuel Dodd, Mary Jane Toler married Zachariah Roberts, John C. Toler married Fannie and James Holmes Toler married Mary Elizabeth Stewart. Camden Riley Toler (1851-1934) married Jane T. Bevins, a granddaughter of Alexander Bevins & Nancy Ann Boucher, and Amanda Frances Toler married John W. McCaslin, a grandson of James Frazier & Mary Boucher.⁶⁹

⁶⁴ Daviess County Circuit Court Suit #305, John B. Heywood Administrator of John Toler, dec'd vs. John Toler's heirs & creditors, 1860, Judicial Center [see footnote 10, chapter 4]; Emma Dunn Mastin, *Mastin – Toler and Allied Families*, Toler section (unpublished manuscript, unpagged), Kentucky Room, Daviess County Public Library, Owensboro, KY [see copies pp249-50]; Toler family research by Margaret Alford, Owensboro, KY, from Bruce Toler Ferguson [son of Paul Miller Ferguson & Ruth Haynes Toler, grandson of James Albert Toler & Willie Lambert, great-grandson of James Holmes Toler & Mary E. Stewart, & great-great-grandson of John Toler & Sarah Ann Gillim], 1805 Lewis Lane, Owensboro, KY (502-684-4110) [see copies pp255-56].

⁶⁵ Federal Census for 1860, Hancock Co., KY, p957, 987-8, 1015, Perry Co., IN, p808; Sharon Patmore & Kristine Manley, *1860 Spencer County, Indiana Federal Census* (Chrisney, IN: Newspaper Abstracts, 1992), 26.

⁶⁶ *Report Of The Adjutant General Of The State Of Kentucky: Confederate Volunteers, Vol.I* (Frankfort, KY: State Printer, 1915), 188, 192.

⁶⁷ "Registration of Veterans Graves", *Forgotten Pathways*, Vol.XI, #3 (Winter 1995), 59.

⁶⁸ Mastin, *Mastin – Toler and Allied Families*, Toler section, unpagged [see copies pp249-50].

⁶⁹ Marriage Books C, p169, D, p335, O, p428, Daviess County Courthouse; Marriage Books 2, p27 & 3, p2, 9), Hancock County Courthouse; Marriage Book 4, p559, Spencer County Courthouse, Rockport, IN.

James L. Gillim, son of John B. Gillum & Mary Boucher, was born in 1821 or 1822. His daughter, Rebecca Morris, on her marriage reported that he was born in Madison County, KY.⁷⁰ In the court orders of Hancock County, KY it is recorded that James Gillam, on 25 Nov 1837, choose Hardin A. Davison as his guardian, he being over age 14 but under 21.⁷¹ In Daviess County, KY James married Elizabeth Newsom on 3 Dec 1839. In the 1840 Daviess County census he was enumerated in the Blackford Creek area. He is first listed in the Daviess County tax lists in 1841. After his name in that list a zero is entered in the column for the number of male tithables over age 21. In the following year a one is shown in the same column. In the 1850, 1860, 1870 & 1880 censuses of Daviess County James L. Gillim's age was reported consistently as 28, 38, 48 & 58 years.⁷²

James L. Gillim's wife, Elizabeth, died on 18 May 1870, of measles.⁷³ Later the same year, on Nov 23, in Daviess County he married Mrs. Rachel Jane Colbert Gillim, the widow of his brother, John T. Gillim. James L. Gillim died between the dates of 9 Feb 1892 and 5 July 1892. On 9 Feb 1892 James L. Gillim & his wife, Rachel Jane, transferred to their heirs 1-acre of their 90-acre farm, the acre contained their family cemetery. On 5 Jul 1892 Lee P. Castlen, a son-in-law, was appointed the administrator of the estate of James L. Gillim, deceased; bond on the document was by William F. Gillim. In 1896 Mrs. Jane Gillim sold to Lee P. Castlen her dower interest in the estate of her deceased husband, James L. Gillim; including land on which the family cemetery was located.⁷⁴

James L. Gillim was probably buried in the family cemetery on his farm in Daviess County. Shortly before his death he deeded the cemetery to his heirs. If he thought enough of it to do this he surely would have been buried there. The Gillim-Newsom family cemetery is on the Foster Road, .3 of a mile northwest of the Pleasant Valley Christian Church, on property currently owned by Carl F. Roberts. This farm is plotted on an 1876 map of landowners in the Knottsville Precinct. It is shown as being 122 acres. Part of it (55½ acres) was acquired in 1852 from his first wife's parents, William & Reuah/"Rewey" (Shown) Newsom and the rest was purchased in 1854 from Edward L. Jones.⁷⁵ A visit to the cemetery on 21 Sep 1998 found it in a deplorable state - part of it was a thicket, the ground contained several large foxholes, and half of the monuments were broken. Two relatives of the Newsom and Castlen families interred here reported that the current owner several years ago had erected a "cattle rubber" in the cemetery to keep the weeds down. On my visit six monuments were found. They were for James L.'s wife, Elizabeth Newsom; their daughter Margaret; Everet L. Gillim, a son of James L. & Rachel Jane; and three children of James L.'s daughter, Elmira Gillim Castlen (wife of Lee P.). Gloria Castlen Boarman, a descendant of Lee P. Castlen, by his first wife, Fannie Minnis, visited the

⁷⁰ Marriage Book F, p247, Daviess County Courthouse.

⁷¹ Order Book 2, p251, Hancock County Courthouse.

⁷² Daviess Co., KY Federal Censuses, 1840 p19, 1850 p390, 1860 p764, 1870 p165, 1880 p346.

⁷³ "Gillim - Newsom Cemetery", by Jerry Long, *Kentucky Family Records*, Vol.23 (Owensboro, KY: West-Central KY Family Research Association, 1999), 6-11 [see copy pp261-6]; death record of Elizabeth Gillam, 1870 Daviess Co., KY Federal Census Mortality Schedule, Knottsville Precinct; *History Of Daviess County, Kentucky*, 806.

⁷⁴ Deed Books 56, p29, & 64, p271; Administrator Bond Book 10, p351, Daviess County Courthouse [see copy p259].

⁷⁵ *Historical Atlas Map Of Daviess County, KY*. (Leo McDonough & Co., 1876), 26 [see copy p260]; Deed Books K, p414 & L, p362, Daviess County Courthouse.

cemetery in the spring of 1992 and in addition to the preceding monuments she also found a gravemarker for Rebecca (1845-1885), wife of N. B. Morris and daughter of James L. & Elizabeth Gillim. About 1976 the gravestones of William Newsom (c1787-1863) & his wife, Rewey Shown (c1792-1860) were moved from the cemetery. They were taken just down the road and erected by the grave of their son, William F. Newsom (1825-1903) in the Pleasant Valley Christian Church Cemetery. Ewing Bell, a great-grandson of William F. Newsom, who lives in the neighborhood and a former caretaker for the church cemetery, moved the monuments fearing that they would be completely destroyed if they stayed where they were.⁷⁶

James L. Gillim & Elizabeth Newsom were the parents of 12 children.⁷⁷ They included: Charles Franklin, Rebecca L. (wife of Norman Beeler Morris), William Francis, James A., Mary Elmira (wife of Lee P. Castlen), Phernetta/Nettie T. (wife of Andrew B. Shobe), Margaret (died age 11), Alexander F., John H. and three others died childhood. Charles F. Gillim (1841-1909) operated a drug business for 35 years, first at Livermore, KY and later in Owensboro, KY. William F. Gillim (1846-1920) was a prominent doctor of Livermore and Owensboro. Of the latter's children, Parvin D. (1883-1937), was also a noted Owensboro doctor, and Abigail Rowan Gillim married George Julian Zolnay, an accomplished sculptor, among whose creations was the Confederate Statue that stands on the Courthouse square in Owensboro, KY.⁷⁸

Hamilton Bailey Gillim, son of John B. Gillum & Mary Boucher, was born on 1 Feb 1823 in Madison County, KY. His gravestone records his birth date and on his second marriage he reported that he was born in Madison County.⁷⁹ His full name is stated in an obituary of his daughter, Sister Mary Louis Gillim.⁸⁰ Bailey was the middle name of his father and the maiden name of his paternal grandmother. Hamilton is listed in the Hancock County, KY tax lists in 1846 & 1847. In both years he was shown with 100 acres on Yellow Creek. Beginning in 1848 he appears in the Daviess County tax records and is enumerated there in the 1850, 1860, 1870 & 1880 censuses.⁸¹ Like his brother, James L., he lived in the Pleasant Valley community, in the Knottsville Precinct. Their farms are shown near each other on a plat map published in the 1876 Historical Atlas Map of Daviess Co., KY.⁸² Hamilton B. Gillim died on 7 Oct 1884. His final

⁷⁶ Interviews of: Phillip Castlen, 5411 Highway 144, Owensboro, KY 42303 (502-281-4455), 28 Sep 1998; Mrs. Larry (Gloria Castlen) Boarman, 6103 Alma Ct., Owensboro, KY 42303 (502-281-9172), 28 Sep 1998 [Phillip & Gloria children of Louis Eugene Castlen & Helen Jean Volk, grandchildren of William Elmer Castlen & Mary Ellen Wood, great-grandchildren of John Wilson Castlen & Mary B. Christian, & great-great-grandchildren of Lee P. Castlen & Fannie Minnis, Lee P. married 2nd Elmira Gillim]; & Mrs. Ewing (Grace) Bell [her husband is a son of Ewing Craig Bell, Sr. & Bess Newsom, grandson of Thomas Jefferson Newsom & Elizabeth Evans Allan, great-grandson of William F. Newsom & Susan E. Lambert, & great-great-grandson of William Newsom & Rewey Shown], 6381 Foster Road, Philpot, KY 42366 (502-281-5063), 21 Sep 1998.

⁷⁷ *History Of Daviess County, Kentucky*, 805-6 [see copy p271].

⁷⁸ *Owensboro Messenger*, Owensboro, KY, 18 Jul 1909, 5 Feb 1920, 3 Apr 1937; Battle, Perrin, & Kniffin, eds., *Kentucky: A. History Of The State*, 874; *The National Cyclopaedia Of American Biography*, Vol.37 (New York: James T. White & Co., 1951), 75-6 [see copies pp267-70]; Lee A. & Aloma W. Dew, *Owensboro, The City on the Yellow Banks* (Bowling Green, KY: Rivendell Publications, 1988), 62.

⁷⁹ Panther Creek Baptist Church, *Ohio County, Kentucky Cemeteries, Vol.I* (Owensboro, KY: West-Central KY Family Research Association, 1975.), 4; marriage book F, p157, Daviess County Courthouse.

⁸⁰ *Owensboro Messenger & Inquirer*, 22 Jan 1956 [see copy p275].

⁸¹ Daviess Co., KY Federal Censuses, 1850 p391, 1860 p770, 1870 p149, 1880 p346.

⁸² *Historical Atlas Map Of Daviess County, KY.*, 26.

resting place is marked by a monument in the Panther Creek Baptist Church Cemetery. This cemetery is located in Ohio County, KY, just across the county line from Daviess County.

Hamilton B. Gillim married three times and had issue by all three marriages. All of his marriages were recorded in Daviess County, KY. On 9 Dec 1847 he married Mrs. Middy (Newsom) Veach. She was a sister of his brother, James L. Gillim's wife. At least four children were born to them, Eugene Bailey, John T., William Commadore & Susan J. (wife of Joseph D. Gordon). After the death of his wife in 1860-61 Hamilton B. Gillim married America/Mack Kellam on 1 Aug 1861. To them were born: James H., Mary Lou (wife of Benedict Patrick Hamilton), Robert Lee, Florence, Freddie & Herman Cletus. The last two were twins and died at the age of 2 years and 10 months, respectively. The twins and their mother, Mack Gillim, who died on 16 Dec 1872, have monuments in the Pleasant Valley Christian Church Cemetery.⁸³ Florence Gillim became a Catholic nun, entering the order of St. Francis of the Immaculate Conception on 7 Feb 1891. When she took her final vows on 7 July 1902 she was given the name of Sister Mary Louis, possibly after her older sister, Mary Lou, who also had become a Catholic convert. Sister Mary Louis was a teacher for over 46 years and died at Burlington, Iowa on 17 Jan 1956, where she was interred in the Sacred Heart Cemetery.⁸⁴

Hamilton B. Gillim married third Mrs. Margaret (McCray) Allen on 7 Oct 1875. She died on 9 Jan 1912 in Owensboro, KY, where she was buried in the Catholic cemetery.⁸⁵ The mother of four children - two, Louis & William U. Allen, were by her first marriage to an Allen, and Margaret Ann (wife of Otto Ratican) & Ollie B. were by her marriage to Hamilton B. Gillim.⁸⁶ Ollie B. has a monument at the Panther Creek Baptist Church Cemetery; he died at the age of 1 year, three days following the death of his father. The second and third marriages of Hamilton B. Gillim were performed by Rev. Hiram Kellam, whose wife, Jane Boucher, was a sister to Hamilton B.'s mother. America Kellam, Hamilton B.'s second wife, was a daughter of Elisha Johnson Kellam, a brother of Hiram Kellam.⁸⁷ At the time of their marriage, America, was only 13 years old, and Rev. Kellam wrote on the marriage return "An old man that needed a wife and took a child to raise him one". Rev. Kellam also married two of the children of James L. & Elizabeth (Newsom) Gillim.⁸⁸

John T. Gillim, son of John B. Gillum & Mary Boucher, was born in 1824 or 1825. The 1830 census suggests he was born between 1820-1825 and in 1850 he was reported to be aged 25 years.⁸⁹ In Daviess County, KY Order Book D it is recorded that on 13 Nov 1843 it was ordered that John T. Gilliam be discharged from further service as an apprentice of Hiram Kellam and

⁸³ *Daviess County, Kentucky Cemeteries, Vol.I*, 34; visit to Pleasant Valley Christian Church Cemetery by Jerry Long, Foster Road, Daviess Co., KY, 18 Sep 1998.

⁸⁴ Letter from Sisters of St. Francis, Mount St. Clare, Clinton, IA to Lou Royal [Lula wife of James Robert Royal, daughter of John Patrick Hamilton & Louella Krahwinkle, & granddaughter of Benedict Patrick Hamilton & Mary Lou Gillim, sister of Sr. Mary Louis], 5077 Millers Mill Road, Owensboro, KY, 3 Sep 1991; Owensboro *Messenger & Inquirer*, 22 Jan 1956.

⁸⁵ Owensboro *Messenger*, 10 Jan 1912 [see copy p275]; KY death certificate 1912-#774.

⁸⁶ Daviess Co., KY Federal Censuses, 1880 p346, 1900 p2 [latter records that she was mother of 4 children, 3 of whom were living].

⁸⁷ Daviess Co., KY Federal Censuses, 1850, p359, 1860, p770; Kellam records compiled by Claribel Phillips, Kellam file, Archives, Hancock County Courthouse.

⁸⁸ Marriage Books F, p157, 247, M, p458, N, p450, Daviess County Courthouse.

⁸⁹ Federal Censuses, 1830 Daviess Co., KY, p194, 1850 Hancock Co., KY, p284.

that his indenture be canceled.⁹⁰ At about this time John T. probably had attained the age of 18. The first three order books for Daviess County, for the years of 1815-1837 are missing. These may have contained other entries pertaining to the guardianship of John T. and the other orphans of Mary Boucher Gillim/Frazier.

John T. Gillim is first found in the tax records in 1847 in Hancock County, KY. In that county on 31 March 1846 he married Rachel Jane Colbert. Her father, Daniel Colbert, gave consent for her to marry. Five years previous to this Daniel Colbert had married Phebe (Boucher) Richardson, a sister to Mary Boucher Gillim. John T. & Jane in the 1850 Hancock County census are shown in the same neighborhood where many of the family of William Boucher & Milly Faris were living.

John T. Gillim died between 1852-1856. His widow and two children are listed in the 1860 Hancock County census. Jane Gillim, guardian for Daniel T. & Phoebe, heirs of John T. Gillim, on 12 Feb 1866 petitioned the Hancock County Circuit Court for the sale of a tract of land that had been owned by John T. Gillim. The 47 acre tract on Yellow Creek had formerly been owned by the family of John T.'s sister, Sally Ann & John Toler. They sold it to John T. Gillim in 1849. John T., in 1852, sold the same to John P. Miller, who in 1855 resold it to John T. Gillim. The deed for the latter transaction was dated 19 June 1855. The wording of the deed seems to imply that John T. was then living. However, interpreting it in lieu of other records, this implication is not so clear. The deed was not produced for recording until 24 March 1862. John T. disappears from the county's tax records prior to the date the deed was made. He is in the 1852 tax list but in the subsequent list his wife, Mrs. Jane Gillim, appears and he does not. In both of these they were shown with no land. No Gillims could be found in the 1854 tax book. John T. Gillim's name reappears in the 1855 list and is shown as being taxed on 50 acres. After his name, however, in the column for number of male tithables over 21 a zero is entered. Possible interpretations are: the person was not yet age 21, he had been excused from the county levy for some reason, such as being old or infirm, or he was deceased and the estate of the decedent was being taxed in his name. The 1856 Hancock tax list & subsequent ones list Mrs. Rachel J. Gillim as being taxed on 50 acres. In her suit before the Hancock County Circuit Court the tract of 47 acres was ordered to be auctioned at the Courthouse door. At the sale her brother, Richard Colbert, became the purchaser on 26 March 1866.⁹¹

John T. Gillim & Rachel Jane Colbert were the parents of at least three children: Daniel Thomas, William (died childhood) and Phoebe Ann. Mrs. Jane Gillim and her two children about 1866 moved from Hancock County, KY to the Knottsville area of Daviess County, KY. The 1876 Historical Atlas Map of Daviess County, KY reports that her son, D. T. Gillim, a native of Hancock County, came to Daviess County in 1866.⁹² On 11 March 1869 Phoebe Gillim married at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Jane Gillim in Daviess County. Phoebe's husband, James A. Gillim, was her cousin, a son of James L. Gillim. The following year, on Nov 23, Mrs. Rachel Jane Colbert Gillim married James L. Gillim, her brother-in-law.⁹³ A son,

⁹⁰ Order Book D, p405, Daviess County Courthouse.

⁹¹ Circuit Court Suit #802, Petition in Equity to sell land by Jane Gillam, guardian of John T. Gillam's heirs, & Deed Book 4, p168, Deed Book 5, p267, Hancock County Courthouse.

⁹² *Historical Atlas Map Of Daviess County, KY.*, 24.

⁹³ Marriage Books J, p195, K, p230, Daviess County Courthouse.

Everet L., was born to James L. & Rachel Jane. Everet died at the age of 3 and has a grave marker in the Gillim-Newsom Cemetery in Daviess County.⁹⁴ Rachel Jane Colbert Gillim died subsequent to 10 Feb 1896, the date of the deed when she sold her interest in the estate of her husband, James L. Gillim.⁹⁵

Mary Boucher and her second husband, James Frazier, were the parents of at least three children: William Pinkston, Mildred Jane (Milly) and Emily. A fourth child is probably Hiram D. Frazier, who was born between 1825-1829. Since, there is no indication that James Frazier was married prior to his marriage to Mary in Aug 1826, Hiram was probably born to their marriage. The two males under age 5 in James Frazier's household at the time of the 1830 census are probably Hiram and his brother, William P. Frazier. Unlike his baby sisters, Hiram, may have continued to live with his father. He may be one of the 3 males aged 10-15 listed in James Frazier's home in the 1840 Perry County, IN census. In Perry County in 1847 Hiram married Elizabeth Hall. In the 1850 Perry County census Hiram is listed immediately after the residence of Mrs. Rebecca Frazier, his stepmother. In 1851 Hiram is first listed in the tax lists of Hancock County, KY, where he is listed in the 1860 & 1870 censuses. When his sisters, Emily (1855) & Milly (1858) married, they were married at the residence of Hiram Frazier. Hiram D. Frazier died between 1870-1877. His children were: Polly Ann, James, Phoebe, John Wesley, Harriett, Samuel, George, Rebecca, Edward B. & Rosa. Edward B. Frazier in the 1900 Hancock County census was listed immediately next to his cousin, Camden R. Toler.⁹⁶

⁹⁴ "Gillim – Newsom Cemetery", by Jerry Long [see copy p261].

⁹⁵ Deed Book 64, p271, Daviess County Courthouse.

⁹⁶ Federal Censuses, Daviess Co., KY, 1830 p194, Perry Co., IN, 1840 p410, 1850 p364, Hancock Co., KY, 1860 p992, 1870 p208; Leistner, *Marriages of Perry County, Indiana, 1814-1852*, 163; Marriage Books 1B, p60 & 90, 3, p21[When daughter, Harriett, married in 1877, was married at home of Mrs. Frazier, suggesting that father, Hiram Frazier, may have then been deceased]; *Hancock County, Kentucky 1900 Federal Census* (Lewisport, KY: Genealogical Society of Hancock County, KY, 1992), 105.