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## A GENEALOGICAL NIGHTMARE

Originally published in the "Newsletter of the Genealogy Society of Southern Illinois" Vol. 15 No. 6, March 1987. Elisabeth Pinkerton Leighty is the Editor of this newsletter and the address of the society is: Genealogy Soc. of Southern Illinois, c/o John A. Logan College, Carterville, IL 62918.

A new development is taking place that could be disastrous to genealogy. According to an article that appeared in "The Wall Street Journal" on Feb. 11, 1987, there is a trend not to use the father's surname as a family name as has been the custom for many centuries.

It is no longer unusual for children to be given the mother's family name as a surname or even a hyphenated surname by combining the surnames of the father and the mother. In recent years, some parents are bestowing on "their children the surname of their choice. For example, Pierce Barker and Carol Frost, gave their firstborn the last name of 'Roth-Tubman,' in honor of author Philip Roth and abolitionist Harriet Tubman; their second child, the name 'Smith-Cook,' after maternal and paternal ancestors; and their youngest, the name 'Woods,' after the child's maternal great-great-grandmother."

This is developing into a problem. State legislators are now worrying about the effect different surnames in one family will have on society, on family unity, and on record-keeping. Genealogists, too, have their worries if this trend becomes widely followed. How will this affect tracing family histories? Will the records that are kept be sufficient to document births, marriages, and deaths that occur in families?

It is encouraging to learn from the publication that some states such as North Carolina, Florida, Louisiana and New Hampshire have passed laws specifying that a child born in wedlock bear the father's surname and one born out of wedlock bear the mother's, unless paternity was established and both parents requested in writing that the father's name be used. Also, New Jersey moved quickly to enact regulations when a "Mr. Greenberg and his wife Ms. McBride wanted to name their baby 'Greenbride.'"

Other states have permitted allowing the mother's surname or a hyphenated surname. However, Nebraska ruled the father's name had to be the first of a hyphenated name.

"According to several state registrars, the fused surname is the most popular alternative to passing along a family name. One example is a Florida couple, Christine Ledbetter and her husband, Dean Skylar, who gained the right to name their son Sydney Anthony Skybetter and their second child, Rachel Amelia Skybetter."

What effect this new trend in naming children will have on society, on the family, and on genealogists remains to be seen many years from now. In the meantime, we hope that each family using surnames of their choice for their children will have the foresight to keep good family records.

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### ANOTHER "FAMILY ALBUM" SCAM!!!

Your editor's husband just received a card in the mail advertising THE CORNELL FAMILY ALBUM. It is the same type of book offered by Beatrice Bailey and others, however, this ad is very careful not to state that it is a book of the Cornell lineage. Instead, it describes the book as, "our informative edition of knowledge about the location of Cornell Families in America." This card was sent to my husband by "Elizabeth Cornell Ross." It is my understanding that others have received similar offers from such a person, but the middle name changes according to the Family Album being offered. Hopefully, everyone is now aware that such "Family Albums" only contain lists of current families bearing this surname and are not aids to genealogical research. -NJC.

NORTH CAROLINA MARRIAGES

Continued from Volume 7 Number 3

DATE	NAMES OF BRIDE & GROOM	COUNTY
11/29/1821	POLLY STRICKLAND & EATON STRICKLAND	Franklin
9/2/1858	POLLY STRICKLAND & SIDNEY WRIGHT	Franklin
3/8/1856	POLLY ANN STRICKLAND & JOSEPH LOCKLAER	Robeson
12/29/1836	QUINCY STRICKLAND & GEORGE POWELL	Granville
9/11/1859	RACHEL STRICKLAND & AMOS JOHNSON	Cumberland
1/19/1838	RAINY STRICKLAND & WILLIAM BRYAN	Johnston
2/27/1840	REANY STRICKLAND & WILLIAM HOGG	Nash
1/28/1863	REBECCA STRICKLAND & ALLEN HATCHER	Johnston
1/17/1843	REBECCA STRICKLAND & SIR WILLIAM STANLY	Johnston
4/3/1852	REDDIN STRICKLAND & ELIZABETH H. WILDER	Nash
5/20/1866	RICHARD F. STRICKLAND & LUCETTA BRYANT	Cumberland
10/15/1829	RICHARDSON STRICKLAND & JANET McLERAN	Cumberland
9/20/1843	ROBERSON STRICKLAND & SUSAN BRANCH	Franklin
4/19/1857	ROBERT STRICKLAND & MARY ELIZA SAMMONS	Halifax
12/29/1836	ROENA STRICKLAND & HILLIARD PERRY	Nash
12/15/1843	RUFFIN STRICKLAND & JOSEPH F. HOPKINS	Wake
9/27/1827	RUTHY STRICKLAND & CADE BUNN	Wake
8/15/1800	SALLY STRICKLAND & JOHN HALL	Wake
12/9/1846	SALLY STRICKLAND & ALLEN CAPPS	Johnston
10/31/1833	SALLY STRICKLAND & HARDY STRICKLAND	Nash
4/27/1867	SALLY ANN STRICKLAND & MATTHEW THOMAS (Additional information on Bond)	Franklin
11/30/1790	SAMUEL STRICKLAND & SARAH HOCUTT	Johnston
3/15/1821	SAMUEL STRICKLAND & REBECCA RHODS	Wake
7/18/1835	SAMUEL STRICKLAND & SUSAN STANLY	Johnston
8/25/1803	SAMUEL STRICKLAND & SALLY THOMPSON	Johnston
3/14/1867	SARAH STRICKLAND & WILLIAM B. JOHNSON	Johnston
11/14/1836	SARAH STRICKLAND & PERRY LOYD; Samuel Strickland, Bondsman	Wake
2/14/1866	SARAH STRICKLAND & KEARNY MORGAN	Nash
7/11/1866	SARAH STRICKLAND & DAVID A. NEWSOM	Edgecombe
4/25/1867	SARAH STRICKLAND & JAMES N. PHELPS	Halifax
8/6/1861	SARAH JANE STRICKLAND & CASWELL G. ONEAL	Wake
9/11/1846	SARAH M. STRICKLAND & HENRY H. BRYANT	Nash
2/13/1859	SIMON STRICKLAND & LILA MAY HAGWOOD	Nash
9/19/1764	SOLOMON STRICKLAND & AMEY PACE; Jacob (x) Strickland, Bdmn	Edgecombe

DATE	NAMES OF BRIDE & GROOM	COUNTY
11/22/1811	SOPHIA STRICKLAND & WILLIAM WILDER	Wake
12/28/1848	STEPHEN STRICKLAND & BARBARA HEATH	Duplin
5/5/1837	STEPHEN STRICKLAND & NELLY JONES	Edgecombe
12/20/1860	STEWART H. STRICKLAND & MARGARET GRIMMER	Halifax
1/17/1814	SUSAN STRICKLAND & THOMAS ATKINSON	Nash
3/10/1835	SUSAN STRICKLAND & WILLIAM PITTMAN (Pitman)	Nash
7/11/1848	SUSAN STRICKLAND & JIMERSON PUCKET	Nash
1/25/1848	SUSAN STRICKLAND & PRESSLEY ROOKER	Franklin
12/7/1843	SUSANNAH STRICKLAND & JAMES POWELL	Cumberland
6/3/1855	THENA STRICKLAND & JOHN BLACKMON	Johnston
5/21/1836	THEOPHILOUS STRICKLAND & MARTHA BRYANT	Nash
3/7/1861	THOMAS STRICKLAND & SUSAN GAY	Cumberland
3/15/1831	THURSDAY STRICKLAND & THOMAS J. HUFF	Franklin
1/10/1868	TIMOTHY STRICKLAND & RUFINA K. A. JOHNSON (Additional information on Bond)	Duplin
10/3/1834	UNEY STRICKLAND & WILSON GAY	Franklin
4/20/1841	UNITY STRICKLAND & AARON CORE	Cumberland
2/14/1867	W. B. STRICKLAND & ELIZABETH PHELPS; Thos. Strickland, Bondsman	Halifax
11/11/1848	W. D. STRICKLAND & AMICA HAMMONDS	Nash
9/14/1867	W. D. STRICKLAND & CHARITY MEDLIN	Nash
12/5/1865	W. H. STRICKLAND & AMANDA GROVES	Duplin
7/14/1828	WARREN STRICKLAND & MASON FERRELL	Wake
7/25/1845	WARREN STRICKLAND & ELIZABETH FERRIL	Nash
4/13/1848	WATSON STRICKLAND & MARTHA JANE MUARRAY	Nash
8/2/1845	WILEY STRICKLAND & ELEANOR JOHNSON	Cumberland
5/18/1841	WILEY STRICKLAND & CATY PERSEY	Cumberland
8/3/1854	WILLIAM STRICKLAND & CHARITY AUTERY	Cumberland
6/17/1852	WILLIAM STRICKLAND & SOPHIA CAIN	Cumberland
11/30/1813	WILLIAM STRICKLAND & LANY CREECH	Johnston
6/5/1851	WILLIAM STRICKLAND & SALLY CROWELL	Nash
2/10/1835	WILLIAM STRICKLAND & BETSEY EVANS	Duplin
2/2/1848	WILLIAM STRICKLAND & JANE GUNN	Franklin
9/12/1788	WILLIAM STRICKLAND & ROHODY SPIGHT; John Strickland, 2nd Bondsman	Wake
12/12/1826	WILLIAM D. STRICKLAND & JENCY BRYANT; Bolen Strickland, Bondsman	Nash
9/14/1867	WILLIAM D. STRICKLAND & CHARITY MEDLIN	Nash

DATE	NAMES OF BRIDE & GROOM	COUNTY
4/6/1854	WILLIAM D. STRICKLAND & INDINA J. PERRY	Wake
10/28/1829	WILLIAM G. STRICKLAND & SOPHIA IVEY	Wake
4/7/1866	WILLIAM R. STRICKLAND & SARAH A. GEORGE	Johnston
11/6/1867	WILLIAM S. STRICKLAND & MARY A. BEDDINGFIELD, widow	Franklin
9/17/1821	WILLIE STRICKLAND & MILLY BUNCH	Wake
11/25/1829	WILLIE STRICKLAND & GRANBERRY B. WILLIAMS	Franklin
4/14/1852	WILSON STRICKLAND & PIETY BOLTON	Franklin
12/31/1833	WINSEY STRICKLAND & NATHAN BOLTON	Wake
4/8/1866	WM. B. STRICKLAND & LUCY F. BASS	Nash
11/16/1847	WM. JANE STRICKLAND & JOHN W. BRYANT	Nash
4/29/1850	WM. Y. D. STRICKLAND & MARIA H. RICKS	Nash
9/6/1825	WRIGHT STRICKLAND & LUCINDA CHAMLEE; Warren Strickland, Bondsman	Wake
10/4/1855	WRIGHT STRICKLAND & MARGY A. FERRELL	Nash
5/23/1836	WRIGHT STRICKLAND & SUSAN TAILOR	Johnston
1/28/1861	ZABRIEL STRICKLAND & AILEY HICKS	Wake
2/3/1856	ZADOCK STRICKLAND & REBECCA WIGGANS; Condory O. Strickland, Bondsman	Franklin
12/10/1834	ZELPHIA STRICKLAND & FRANKLIN PHILLIPS	Johnston
9/19/1839	ZILPHA STRICKLAND & LUTON LEWIS	Nash
11/4/1801	JOHN STRICKLEN & PATSEY COLE	Richmond
3/17/1783	LOTT STRICKLEN & LUCY HALEY	Richmond
3/27/1856	ABINGTON STRICKLIN & JANE WADKINS	Guilford
7/8/1866	ACENA STRICKLAND & WM. J. DAVENPORT	Halifax
1/4/1864	ANN MARIAH STRICKLIN & ANDERSON ALLEN	Surry
4/22/1856	ARCHY L. STRICKLIN & NANCY M. WATERS	Duplin
3/12/1835	BOLEN STRICKLIN & MARTHA TRIGNITH	Nash
12/7/1791	CHARITY STRICKLIN & EDWARD MOREMAN; Jesse Strickland Bdmn	Richmond
10/13/1862	CHARLOTTE STRICKLIN & JOHN W. STANLY	Johnston
1/26/1814	CLARY C. STRICKLIN & MARK COLE	Wake
4/30/1857	DUNCAN STRICKLIN & NANCY HAMILTON	Cumberland
11/13/1835	EPHRAIGH STRICKLIN & BETSEY STRICKLAND; Wm. Strickland, Bondsman	Duplin
8/24/1854	HENRY STRICKLIN & MARY TURLINSTON	Cumberland
9/24/1842	HENRY WRIGHT STRICKLIN & ELISABETH BAKER	Johnston
7/31/1815	JAMES STRICKLIN & CELAH HORN	Johnston
4/19/1862	JAMES R. STRICKLIN & MISSOURIE BOND	Guilford
5/18/1865	JAMES R. STRICKLIN & MEETY LENARD	Guilford

DATE	NAMES OF BRIDE & GROOM	COUNTY
2/9/1815	JANNET STRICKLIN & VINCENT STRICLAND	Cumberland
8/12/1836	JERYMIAH STRICKLIN & KATHERINE HOLLAND; Wm. Strickland, Bondsman	Duplin
1/10/1815	JESSE STRICKLIN & SALLEY BUNN	Wake
1/29/1825	JESSE STRICKLIN & ELIZABETH SHUFFIELD	Duplin
2/16/1826	JOHN STRICKLIN & MARY FOCKS	Guilford
2/24/1844	JOSEPH STRICKLIN & MARION PURNELL	Cumberland
12/11/1815	KINSBERD STRICKLIN & ELIZABETH JACKSON; Brinkley Strickland, Bndsman	Franklin
1/27/1851	KINSMAN STRICKLIN & ANNA BEASON	Surry
12/19/1762	LUCRETIA STRICKLIN & WILLIAM HICKMAN	Edgecombe
1/15/1851	LUCY STRICKLIN & GIBBON EUBANK	Jones
12/13/1852	MAJOR STRICKLIN & HELEN CATHARINE WELLS	Duplin
12/31/1850	MATTHEW STRICKLIN & CATHARINE SINCLAIR	Cumberland
11/21/1780	NANCY STRICKLIN & JESSE WARD	Duplin
5/28/1793	NATHAN STRICKLIN & ELIZABETH HARRELL; John Strickland, Bondsman	Johnston
12/15/1827	PATSEY STRICKLIN & WRIGHT MORGAN	Nash
3/12/1840	PETER STRICKLIN & ELIZABETH FROST	Guilford
1/11/1816	REUBEN STRICKLIN & NANCY CHAMLEE	Wake
7/15/1823	RICHARD STRICKLIN & CATHARINE FREDERICK	Duplin
1/7/1868	SUSAN STRICKLIN & WILLIAM COVINGTON (Additional information on Bond)	Richmond
3/15/1805 (or 3/15/1808)	THOMAS STRICKLIN & UNITY WILLIAMS	Mecklenburg
2/13/1864	WILLIAM STRICKLIN & SARAH GRIFFIN	Wake
5/26/1830	WILLIAM STRICKLIN & AMELIA McKINNEY	Surry
11/21/1867	WILLIAM R. STRICKLIN & PATIENCE PARKER	Cumberland
8/12/1848	DREWRY STRICKLING & TEMPERANCE EDWARDS	Northampton
4/25/1827	HARRIOT STRICKLING & HENRY STEPHENSON	Northampton
3/25/1839	MARY STRICKLING & ANDREW LILES	Northampton
3/11/1780	MARGARET STRICKLON & WILLIAM MUSSLEWHITE	Johnston
12/28/1824	ROBERT STRICKLY & CATHARINE SESSUMS	Edgecombe
11/9/1866	PENNINA STRICLAIN & JOHN WHITE	Halifax
2/9/1815	VINCENT STRICLAND & JANNET STRICKLIN	Cumberland
3/6/1866	M. J. STRICLING & WM. HENSON	Rutherford
10/27/1867	ADLINE STRICTLIN & BENJAMON CHESNUT	Randolph
8/23/1836	MOSES STRIKEN & ELIZABETH CASPEN	Duplin

DATE	NAMES OF BRIDE & GROOM	COUNTY
9/30/1857	MARY E. STRICKLAND & STEPHEN DANIEL	New Hanover
1/26/1858	HENRIETTA E. STRICTLAND & JAS. W. HALL	Halifax
7/4/1866	Mrs. NANCY M. STROCKLAND & JOHN O. BONEY	Duplin

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STRICKLAND DEED OF GIFT, LAWRENCE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

Contributed By Mrs. Lily Carter Thurman

Lawrence County Deed Book 1, page 12:

The State of Mississippi)	To all whom may see these presents Greetings
Lawrence County )	I Mary Carter in and for the love and Esteem
	which I have for my Grand child Nancy

Stricklin I do hereby give and bequeathe the following property and its increase to the said Nancy Stricklin five head of cattle consisting of two cows and calves and one heefer 1 feather bed and Stead and furniture one mare. The aforesaid property I do declare by the presents that after my death to be in the rights and title of the said Nancy Stricklin her hairs and assigns forever in testimony of this being my last will and Testament I have hereunto set my name and affixed my seal this 13th day of June in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty Six and of the Independance of the United States of America the Forty ninth and Fiftyth and in the presents of these witnesses

Atteste  
R.A. H A R G I S  
her  
Mary (x) Stricklin  
mark

her  
Mary (x) Carter  
mark

The State of Mississippi)	Personally appeared before me the undersigned
Lawrence County )	Justice of the peace for said county the
	within named Mary Carter who acknowledged

that she signed and sealed this within deed on the day and year herein mentioned as her act and deed and Also appeared Mary Stricklin one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed deed who being first duly sworn deposeth and saith that she saw the above named Mary Carter sign and seal the within deed and that she saw the other subscribing witness sign the same in the presence of the said Mary Carter This Given under my hand and seal this 14th day of June 1826

Filed August 2nd 1826  
Harmon M. Runnels clk

R. A. HARGIS JP

[Note: This child, Nancy Strickland, is the child of Mary Carter Strickland and Noah S. Strickland. She was born in 1826. Mary Carter is Mary Strickland Carter, daughter of Rev. War Solomon Strickland of North Carolina and Georgia. Mary Strickland married William Carter and lived in Jackson County, GA for a time. He made a deed of gift to his children in Jackson County. The family then moved to St. Tammany Parish, LA where he died in 1814. Mary Carter Strickland was their youngest child who later moved with Noah to Sabine County, Texas. -Mrs. Lily Carter Thurman.]

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Have you sent your Lineage Chart to us for your membership file?



DATA FROM WAR OF 1812 BOUNTY LAND WARRANT FILE OF  
JAMES STRICKLAND OF NORTH CAROLINA

It is said that bounty land warrant application files generally hold less information of genealogical interest than do pension files. Unfortunately that is the situation in this case. JAMES STRICKLAND was born in the state of North Carolina. There was no indication when or more precisely where. He was 5'7" tall, with dark eyes, dark hair, dark complexion. He was a blacksmith by occupation. No names of relatives or acquaintances were indicated.

JAMES STRICKLAND (aka STRICKLING) was enlisted 8 July 1812 by Captain WILLIAM JONES to serve for a period of 5 years. He served as a private of Captain THOMAS C. HUNTER's company of the 8th Regiment of U.S. Infantry, under the command (subsequent to T.C. HUNTER's death?) of Captain JESSE ALLISON & Major D. APPLING, both of the 7th Regiment of U.S. Infantry. Having been reported unfit for service in consequence of chronic rheumatism, he was discharged at Fort Hawkins, Georgia, on 21 August 1815, with the commendation of his captain that he had "honourably & faithfully discharged his duty as a Soldier in the service of his Country".

On account of his service in the War of 1812, he was allowed 160 acres of bounty land on warrant #20339 under the Act of 1812. At that time he was identified on the records as JAMES STRICKLAND, alias STRICKLINE.

A letter in the file dated 12 June 1940 was written by A.D. HILLER, Executive Assistant to the Administrator (of the Veterans Administration?) to Mayor W. L. EDMONDS of Potosi, Missouri, in reply to the mayor's query seeking to ascertain the parents of WILSON STRICKLAND, and the identity of any JAMES STRICKLAND serving between 1800 and 1840. The letter stated, "A search of the records of the Veterans Administration has been made and no claim for pension or bounty land found based upon service of WILSON STRICKLAND cited above." The letter provided data regarding two JAMES STRICKLANDS, this one born in North Carolina and the one described in the following article.

This and the data in the article immediately following are from a copy of Bounty Land Warrant File 20339-160-12 of JAMES STRICKLAND, provided by the National Archives.

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JAMES B. STRICKLAND (ca. 1795- )  
WAR OF 1812 VETERAN FROM HALIFAX COUNTY, VIRGINIA

In the June 1940 letter from A. D. HILLER to W. L. EDMONDS, mentioned in the preceding article, there was a summary of data from file S.C.10429 of a second JAMES STRICKLAND, a JAMES B. STRICKLAND (aka STRICLING).

This JAMES B. STRICKLAND volunteered near Brooklyn, Halifax County, Virginia (date not indicated). His name on the military roll was STRICLING. He served as a private in Captain SAMUEL CARTER's company of riflemen in the 7th Regiment of Virginia Militia, commanded by Colonel DAVID SAUNDERS. He was discharged on 22 February 1815 after six months service.

He married LUCRECIA TANNER in Halifax County, Virginia in 1815. No other reference regarding their family was made.

He applied on 7 November 1850 for bounty land due under the Act of 28 September 1850, on account of his service in the War of 1812. He was then still a resident of Halifax County, Virginia. His age at the time was 55 years. The date and place of birth and names of his parents were not given. He was allowed 80 acres of bounty land on warrant #30489, and an additional 80 acres of bounty land under the Act of 3 March 1855 on warrant #11042. JAMES was allowed a pension of \$8.00 per month from 14 Feb. 1871 under certificate #10429 issued 5 January 1872 based on his application executed 24 April 1871. He resided then at Brooklyn, Halifax County, Virginia.

ADDITIONAL DATA REGARDING WAR OF 1812 VETERAN  
JAMES B. STRICKLAND (1795- ) OF HALIFAX COUNTY, VIRGINIA

The following data is that found in the just obtained War of 1812 pension file S.C. 10,429 of JAMES B. STRICKLAND, that is additional to that already noted in the previous article.

JAMES B. STRICKLAND (aka STRICLING) volunteered at Brooklyn, Halifax County, Virginia, on or about 20 August 1814 for a term of six months. He was honorably discharged at Fort Norfolk, Virginia, on 22 February 1815. The 27 November 1871 report from the Treasury Department's Third Auditor's Office to the Commissioner of Pensions stated that the rolls of Captain SAMUEL CARTER's Company of Virginia Militia showed that JAMES STRICLING served from 13 August 1814 to 4 March 1815.

The following is a copy of his signature as it appeared on his 22 March 1855 declaration for the purpose of obtaining additional bounty land under the act of 3 March 1855, which declaration was signed and acknowledged in the presence of JAMES STRANGE and WILLIAM M. IRBY, Jr., residents of Halifax County, Virginia:



Signature of JAMES B. STRICKLAND

ELISHA BARKSDALE, Jr., and B.L. SHELTON testified as to the loyalty of JAMES B. STRICKLAND, date and place not stated. The names H.E. BARKSDALE and J.B. STOVALL, both of Meadsville, Virginia, appear among miscellaneous notes on the cover of the file.

FORT NORFOLK, FEBRUARY 22, 1815.

This is to Certify, That *James Stricling*  
a *Private* — in my company of *Rifl. men*, of the *7th Regiment*,  
Virginia Militia, commanded by Lieut. Col. DAVID SAUNDERS, in the  
service of the United States, at Norfolk, having performed his tour of  
*Six months duty*, as a good and faithful Soldier, — is hereby honorably  
discharged.

SAMUEL CARTER, *Captain*  
*7th Regiment, Va. Militia*

Copy of Discharge Submitted by JAMES B. STRICKLAND as Proof of Service

(Contributed by Robert C. Stricklin)

1266  
**Strickland, Seth**

**1 Regiment (Metcalf's),  
 West Tennessee Militia.  
 (War of 1812.)**

Private | Private

**CARD NUMBERS.**

1	38477727	22
2	7830	23
3	7922	24
4		25
5		26
6		27
7		

8 | **1** | **W. Tenn. Militia.**  
 (Metcalf's.)

10 **Seth Strickland**

11 **Prv**, { Captain John Cunningham's Co. of  
 Inf., 1 Reg't Tennessee Militia.\*

(War of 1812.)

15 Appears on

**Company Pay Roll**

18 for **Apr 13 1814 to May 13, 1815**

19 Roll dated **Apr 13, 1814**

21 Commencement of service or of this settlement, { **Apr 13, 1814**

22 Expiration of service or of this settlement, { **May 13, 1815**

23 Term of service charged, **6** months, days.

24 Pay per month, **8** dollars, cents.

25 Amount of pay, **48** dollars, cents.

26 Signer's name, \_\_\_\_\_

27 Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

**Book Mark**  
  
**See also**

**1** | **W. Tenn. Militia.**  
 (Metcalf's.)

**Seth Strickland**

**Prv**, { Captain John Cunningham's Co. of  
 Inf., 1 Reg't Tennessee Militia.\*  
 (War of 1812.)

Appears on

**Company Muster Roll**

for **Apr 13, 1814**, when mustered

into service, to **May 13, 1815**

Roll dated \_\_\_\_\_

**Asville, May 13, 1815**

Date of appointment or enlistment, { **Apr 13, 1814**

Date of appointment or commencement of service, { \_\_\_\_\_, 181

To what time engaged or expiration of service, { \_\_\_\_\_, 181

To what time engaged or enlisted, { **May 13, 1815**

Present or absent, **Present**

**1** | **W. Tenn. Militia.**  
 (Metcalf's.)

**Seth Strickland**

**Prv**, { Capt. Alexander Hill's Co. of Inf.,  
 1 Reg't West Tennessee Militia.\*  
 (War of 1812.)

Appears on

**Company Muster Roll**

for **Apr 13, 1814**, when mustered

into service, to \_\_\_\_\_, 181

Roll dated \_\_\_\_\_

**Camp Wynns, Apr 18, 1814**

Date of appointment or enlistment, { **Apr 13, 1814**

Date of appointment or commencement of service, { \_\_\_\_\_, 181

To what time engaged or expiration of service, { \_\_\_\_\_, 181

To what time engaged or enlisted, { **May 13, 1815**

Present or absent, **Present**

MILITARY RECORD OF SETH STRICKLAND  
WAR OF 1812 SOLDIER IN TENNESSEE

Submitted by Robert C. Stricklin

SETH STRICKLAND (also known as SETH STRICKLIN) served as a private in an infantry company designated variously as Captain ALEXANDER HILL's Company or Captain JOHN CUNNINGHAMS's Company, in the 1st Regiment (WILLIAM METCALFE's) of the West Tennessee Militia under the command of General WILLIAM CARROLL.

SETH appears on the company muster roll on 13 November 1814, when he enlisted and was mustered into service, to 13 May 1815 at Nashville, when his tour of duty ended. (see page 70) One muster roll card shows him present at Camp Hynes on 18 November 1814, five days after his enlistment (possibly indicating Camp Hynes was in or near Warren Co.).

This is the same company that JOHN STRICKLIN (ca.1790-1867), later of Holt County, Missouri, joined on the same date. In his bounty land warrant application, JOHN STRICKLIN stated that he volunteered for the company in Warren County, Tennessee ("at Stone's River" per his widow CATHARINE's pension file W.C. 24,618). He also stated therein that Captain ALEXANDER HILL had been promoted to major, at which time Captain JOHN CUNNINGHAM took command of the company. On the 1850 census of Montgomery County, Missouri, JOHN appears at age 59 as head of household #608 with his wife CATHARINE (Hunsucker) STRICKLIN, both born in North Carolina, with a 20 year old SETH the third eldest son listed.

This was the same regiment (METCALFE's), but not the same company, in which Sergeant SAMUEL STRICKLIN, later of Maury County, Tennessee, had served.

As a matter of coincidence, both a SETH STRICKLAND and a SAUNDERS AUSTIN appeared together on the Warren County, Tennessee 1812 Tax List returned by ALEXANDER HILL, Esq. (see Ansearchin' News. ;092, p. 110). Revolutionary War veteran STEPHEN AUSTIN resided in the home of SAUNDERS AUSTIN in Hardin County, Tennessee in 1840 adjacent to WILLIAM STRICKLIN. (Several other names closely associated with Hardin County area STRICKLINS also appeared on that tax list, including MILLICAN, RICHARDSON, TIDWELL, HARRISON, DEAN, MARTIN and WARD.)

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MISSOURI MARRIAGES

Contributed by Bethel Miller

DALLAS COUNTY, MO:

06 Dec. 1868	Richard CROSS & E. T. STRICKLAND
21 Nov. 1869	J. C. VANDERFORD & Nancy G. STRICKLAND
02 July 1871	George STRICKLAND & Mary Jane BARTLEY (should be Barclay)
27 July 1871	James R. E. COX & Malissa J. STRICKLAND
27 Aug. 1874	Monroe COFER & Mary E. STRICKLAND
06 Aug. 1876	Jesse W. NELSON & Lula STRICKLAND (bride of Arkansas)
22 Feb. 1880	Clement E. STRICKLAND & Sarah E. ARNOLD
17 Feb. 1880	S. N. CALHOUN & G. L. STRICKLAND
29 Nov. 1882	Clement W. STRICKLAND & Isabell BABB
01 May 1883	M. E. STRICKLAND & Annie DYER
11 Sept 1884	Noah J. STINECIPHER & Sarah F. STRICKLAND

POLK COUNTY, MO:  
 23 May 1865 Benjamin FRAKER & Martha D. STRICKLAND  
 11 Feb. 1866 Daniel BILLS & Frances STRICKLIN  
 05 June 1870 Hanry RANDLEMAN & Delana STRICKLAND  
 15 Oct. 1865 Henry COLSTON & Sarah STRICKLAND

CALLAWAY COUNTY, MO:  
 -- June 1848 George STRICKLAND & Jane HUMPHRIES  
 27 Feb. 1855 Wade H. STRICKLAND & Bettie BROOKS

CASS COUNTY, MO:  
 12 Feb. 1858 Andrew BARNES & Missouri STRICKLAND

ST. FRANCOIS COUNTY, MO:  
 15 Aug. 1835 John STRICKLIN & Mrs. Talley BOUNDS (groom of Materson Co., bride  
 of St. Francois Co.)  
 07 May 1854 Henderson STRICKLIN & Elender HENDERSON  
 16 Oct. 1855 Joseph F. GLADDEN & Mary STRICKLAND  
 01 Apr. 1857 Elija O. STRICKLAND & Nancy J. TRAP? (Trass?)  
 10 Jan. 1861 Benjamin F. STRICKLIN & Minerva BOTHE

DADE COUNTY, MO:  
 26 Jan. 1870 Stephen D. STRICKLAND & Mary C. DUNHAM

FRANKLIN COUNTY, MO:  
 23 Apr. 1845 Griffith THOMAS & Caroline STRICKLAND  
 23 Nov. 1847 Andrew C. HEREFORD & Mary Ann STRICKLAND  
 30 Sept 1851 James M. LIPSCOMB & Cyrene STRICKLAND

REYNOLDS COUNTY, MO:  
 03 July 1872 James W. SHRUM & Isabel STRICKLAND  
 15 Jan. 1874 James STRICKLAN & Sarah BAXTER  
 18 July 1880 John C. STRICKLAND & Matildy Jane SHERRILL  
 18 Dec. 1881 Francis Marion STRICKLAND & Sarah Emaline HASTY  
 13 Dec. 1883 John H. STRICKLAND & Catharine G. TROUTMAN

PERRY COUNTY, MO:  
 09 July 1837 James STRICKLAND & Margaret SHAVER

HOLT COUNTY, MO:  
 24 Dec. 1857 Seth STRICKLAND & Melvina EARIXSON  
 18 Jan. 1859 Jonas CARTER & Sophiah Ann STRICKLIN  
 10 Jan. 1866 William J. HENDRICKS & (blank) STRICKLAND

15 Nov. 1868 Henry SHUEY & Lucesice STRICKLAND

JASPER COUNTY, MO:

17 Feb. 1867 James CARSELL & Josephine STRICKLIN

DENT COUNTY, MO:

06 Apr. 1866 James STRICKLIN & Polly A. WINCHESTER

27 Dec. 1868 James SMITH & Ellen STRICKLAND

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STRICKLANDS IN 1900 CENSUS SOUNDEX FOR TEXAS

Extracted & Contributed by David N. Strickland

Continued from Strickland Scene, Vol. 7 No. 3. Information in brackets [ ] is:  
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STRICKLAND, J. B., 38, b. TN February 1862 [106/135/13/18] Van Zandt Co, 7th Precinct  
" , Fannie, 35, b. AL February 1865, wife  
" , Darga, 8, b. MS February 1892, daughter  
" , Luther, 6, b. MS January 1894, son  
" , Relmond, 3, b. TX October 1896, son  
" , Carrie, 1, b. TX August 1898, son

STRICKLAND, J. D., 33, b. MS June 1867 [70/70/12/37] Lamar Co., 4th Precinct  
" , Mollie, 34, b. MS February 1866, wife  
" , Birdie, 12, b. MS December 1887, daughter  
" , Bessie, 9, b. MS November 1890, daughter  
" , Flossie, 6, b. TX October 1893, daughter  
" , Hattie, 4, b. TX February 1896, daughter

BRONSEN, Mary J., 48, b. AL February 1852, mother

STRICKLAND, J. F., 25, b. MS January 1875 [69/76/18/75] Lamar Co., 3rd Precinct  
" , Lula, 26, b. KY August 1873, wife  
" , Pauline, 1, b. TX October 1898, daughter  
" , Humphrey, 18, b. MS November 1882, brother

STRICKLAND, J. L., 42, b. AL January 1858 [73/54/25/2] Limestone Co., 2nd Precinct  
" , A. V., 42, b. AR January 1858, wife  
" , Myrtle, 6, b. TX September 1893, daughter  
" , Jessie, 3, b. TX July 1896, daughter  
" , John, 1, b. TX May 1899, son  
" , Rufus, 20, b. TX August 1879, step-son  
" , Maggie, 16, b. TX April 1884, step-daughter  
" , James, 9, b. TX July 1890, step-son  
" , Joe, 8, b. TX May 1892, step-son

STRICKLAND, J. L., 39, b. AL July 1860 [14/49/4/53] Burnet Co., 3rd Precinct  
" , J. L., 37, b. AL July 1862, wife  
" , Claudie, 17, b. AL August 1882, daughter  
" , Minnie, 16, b. AL September 1883, daughter  
" , Mirtle, 12, b. TX March 1888, daughter  
" , John, 10, b. TX May 1890, son  
" , Shelby, 8, b. TX March 1892, son  
" , Hugh, 4, b. TX January 1896, son  
" , Joe, 1, b. TX February 1899, son

STRICKLAND, J. M., 41, b. LA December 1858 [80/77/4/40] Milam County, 5th Precinct  
son-in-law of Maggie WARREN

STRICKLAND, J. R., 39, b. MS August 1860 [69/73/25/8] Lamar County, 2nd Precinct  
" , Fannie, 33, b. AR September 1866, wife

FITZGIBBON, M. C., 13, b. AR October 1886, step-daughter  
" , N. W., 11, b. AR April 1889, step-son  
" , J. H., 9, b. AR June 1890  
" , Mary A., 6, b. TX August 1893, step-daughter

STRICKLAND, T. Will, 5, b. AR July 1894, daughter

GUFFIN, Geo., 33, b. TX September 1866, boarder

STRICKLAND, J. S., Jr., 25, b. AR December 1874 [11/2/28/66] Bowie Co., 1st Precinct  
" , M. B., 23, b. TX November 1876, wife  
" , J. B., 11, b. TX August 1889, (?)  
" , B. B., 4, b. TX January 1896, daughter

STRICKLAND, J. S., 50, b. MS March 1850 [11/2/28/62] Bowie Co., 1st Precinct  
" , Elizabeth, 51, b. TX August 1848, wife  
" , Martha, 22, b. TX February 1877, daughter  
" , May, 9, b. TX December 1890, daughter

STRICKLAND, J. S., 48, b. TX February 1852 [15/116/6/1] Caldwell Co., 1st Precinct  
" , Cordelia, 37, b. IL August 1863, wife

COREY, Charles, 16, b. MO December 1883, step-son  
" , Ida, 15, b. MO March 1885, step-daughter  
" , Charlotte, 13, b. MO August 1887, step-daughter  
" , Archie, 11, b. AR March 1889, step-son  
" , Serena, 8, b. MO March 1892, step-son

STRICKLAND, James, 3, b. TX May 1897, son  
" , Dollie, 18 mos., b. TX December 1898, daughter

STRICKLAND, J. W., 42, b. AL September 1857 [66/101/10/32] Jones Co., 4th Precinct  
" , M. J., 47, b. AL March 1853, wife  
" , W. J., 18, b. AL November 1881, son  
" , George E., 15, b. AL October 1884, son  
" , Markie W., 10, b. AL October 1889, son  
" , Larkus C., 10, b. AL October 1889, son  
" , James E., 7, b. AL June 1892, son  
" , Nancy P., 7, b. AL June 1892, daughter

STRICKLAND, J. W., 30, b. MS April 1850 [103/115/2/90] Travis Co., 6th Precinct  
" , Lizzie, 48, b. MO December 1851, wife

STRICKLAND, Jack M., 27, b. MS February 1873 [91/105/15/75] Red River Co., 3rd Precinct  
" , Abbie, 25, b. MS November 1874, wife  
" , Willice, 6, b. TX November 1893, son  
" , Roy, 3, b. TX December 1896, son  
" , Addie, 2 mos., b. TX April 1900, daughter

STRICKLAND, Jacob, 45, b. NC [84/100/6/76] Navarro Co., 2nd Precinct  
Boarder with J. L. Lonsford

STRICKLIN, JAMES, 30, b. AL June 1869 [65/60/1/43] Johnson Co., 4th Precinct  
" , Dona, 24, b. AL February 1876, wife  
" , Lela B., 9, b. AL December 1890, daughter  
" , Alma W., 6, b. AL November 1893, daughter  
" , Floyd, 4, b. AL August 1895, son  
" , Vernal, 2, b. TX January 1898, daughter

CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS BURIED IN OAKLAND CEMETERY, ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Located on microfilm at Georgia Department of Archives & History, Atlanta, Georgia.

C. STRICKLAND - GA - 43rd, Co. F - Buried 6-27-1862 - Block C Row 7 Grave 32  
Died at City Hotel Hospital

DRURY STRICKLAND - GA - 66th Co. B - Buried 1-26-1864

H. K. STRICKLAND - GA - 29th, Co. A - Buried 6-22-1864 - Block D Row 6 Grave 50  
Died at Fair Ground #2 Hospital

J. E. STRICKLAND - GA - 25th, Co. C - Buried 12-2-1863 - Block A Row 16 Grave 34  
Died at Institute Hospital

[Editor's Note: Oakland Cemetery is the oldest cemetery within the city boundary lines in 1864. All Confederate soldiers buried here died in one of the hospitals in Atlanta. Since Atlanta was the railroad center of the south, wounded and sick soldiers were brought to Atlanta hospitals from battlegrounds to the north. No soldiers were buried in the Confederate section prior to 1862 and none after 1864. A few were removed after the war and reinterred in other cemeteries. -NJC.]

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SOME STRICKLAND MARRIAGES IN LOUISIANA

Claiborne Parish, LA:

STRICKLAND, Elijah & Eliza McNEIL 14 September 1851  
STRICKLAND, S. & Semantha O'REAR 7 October 1867  
STRICKLAND, Ephram & Louisiana ALMAND 13 December 1871  
STRICKLAND, Narsissa & Nathaniel T. TURNER 5 November 1867  
STRICKLAND, Ella & W. A. YOUNGBLOOD 17 September 1879

Sabine Parish, LA:

STRICKLAND, Mary & Elon A. CAMPBELL 14 June 1846

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STRICKLAND MARRIAGES IN VIRGINIA

This list of marriages were ordered from Hunting For Bears, Inc.

Southampton:

STRICKLAND, John & Charlotte CABBELL 10 February 1796

Tazewell:

STRICKLEN, John R. & Judy Ann RATCLIFF (2 dates) 14 August 1863 & 18 August 1863

Frederick:

STRICKLING, Alexander & Jane BOWMAN 27 November 1788  
STRICKLING, Elizabeth & James GRIMES 4 August 1791  
STRICKLING, Fanny & William SHUTZ 11 December 1823



(Frederick Co., VA) STRICKLING, John & Mary TAYLOR

11 November 1819

Southampton:

STRICKLING, Amey & John STRAUD

1 December 1798

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STRICKLANDS ON 1850 MORTALITY SCHEDULE, RANDOLPH COUNTY, ALABAMA

Contributed By Jane Shelton

NAME	AGE	SEX	MARITAL STATUS	BIRTH PLACE	MONTH DIED	OCCUPATION	CAUSE OF DEATH	NO. DAYS SICK
Elizabeth Striplin	55	f	married	SC	July	-	cancer	250
George W. Strickland	22	m	married	GA	July	farmer	remittant fever	21

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OBITUARY OF DR. N. STRICKLAND, DUNWOODY, GEORGIA

From the Scrapbook of Franklin M. Garrett:

SANDY SPRINGS RITES FOR DR. N. STRICKLAND, DUNWOODY PHYSICIAN, August 14, 1932

Funeral services for Dr. N. Strickland, 50, prominent physician of Dunwoody, Ga., who died Saturday morning at a local hospital following an operation, will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:00 at the Sandy Springs Methodist Church. Rev. B. F. Mize and Rev. W. F. Burdette will officiate and burial will be in Eidson Cemetery near Dunwoody. Pallbearers will be Dr. Dan Griffith, Dr. Rufus T. Dorsey, Dr. J. T. Floyd, Dr. J. C. Ivey and Dr. J. H. Nicolson.

Surviving are his wife; 2 daughters, Miss Celia Strickland and Miss Virginia Strickland; 2 sons, Glenn Strickland and Edwin Strickland; his mother, Mrs. W. A. Strickland of Decatur; 3 sisters, Miss Odell Strickland of Decatur, Mrs. Henry Rawlins of Stone Mountain, and Miss Cora Strickland of Decatur; 3 brothers, R. C. Strickland of Decatur, D. F. Strickland and Buck Strickland of Atlanta.

Dr. Strickland was a member of the Board of Stewards of the Sandy Springs Methodist Church; a member of Chamblee Lodge No. 444 of Masons, as well as the Roswell Lodge and of the Chamblee Lodge of the Junior Order.

STRICKLAND RESEARCH FUND

JERRY V. STRICKLAND, Donor

"In Memory of PENNY STRICKLAND"

NANCY J. CORNELL, Donor

"In Memory of ELZIE BERRY JONES, grandson of Enoch Solomon Strickland"

WAR OF 1812 PENSION FILE DATA CONCERNING  
HENRY STRICKLAND (ca.1792-1845) & WIFE ASENATH L. ALEXANDER (ca.1795- )  
OF PENDLETON DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA & BIBB COUNTY, ALABAMA

HENRY STRICKLAND and ASENATH L. ALEXANDER were married 5 January 1813 in Pendleton District, South Carolina, by SAMUEL HOUSTON, J.P. This was the first and only marriage for each of them.

HENRY was drafted on or about 1 February 1814 for six months service as a private in Captain JACOB REED's Company of AUSTIN's regiment of the South Carolina militia. In an 1878 widow's declaration it was stated that he served only 45 days because of the coming of peace.

ASENATH declared on 22 May 1872, at age 77, that she had one child when HENRY left home to go into the army. Her post office address at the time of this pension application was Woodstock, a town in Bibb County close to the Tuscaloosa County line. G.W. WALLACE and JAMES DOWDLE witnessed her mark on the application.

HENRY died in Bibb County, Alabama on 11 August 1845, per his widow's 1855 bounty land application. (Her 2 May 1878 declaration stated 14 August 1844. The 14 December 1872 statement of JAMES H. GREEN, who was present at HENRY's death, and who helped make the coffin and bury him, indicated he died between the first and tenth days of August 1845.)

ROBERT W. WOODS of Bibb County, Alabama, stated in a 14 April 1856 affidavit that he was present at the wedding of HENRY and ASENATH, and that HENRY died in Bibb County in 1845.

On 26 April 1856, ASENATH, at age 62 and a resident of Bibb County, made declaration for purpose of obtaining bounty land under the act of 3 March 1855. Her mark was witnessed by ELISHA McMATH and JOHN SALMONS. Her bounty land application was numbered 248,569.

JAMES DOWDLE deposed on 22 May 1872 in Tuscaloosa County that he had been acquainted with HENRY and ASENATH for 40 years, and knew them in South Carolina. The same deposition was also signed by G.W. WALLACE, declaring that he along with JAMES DOWDLE had examined the bible records regarding their marriage.

Another affidavit of ASENATH, undated but appearing to match the handwriting of one of December 1872, showed her post office address as Woodstock, Tuscaloosa County (actually in Bibb). This was witnessed by R.E. HARRIS and G.W. WALLACE.

On 3 December 1872, SAMUEL N. HOUSTON, aged 72, personally appeared in Tuscaloosa County, deposing that he lived in Pendleton District, South Carolina, one mile from the place HENRY and ASENATH were married in 1813, and that he knew them to have lived as man and wife from that date until HENRY's death in Bibb County in 1845.

In another declaration dated 3 December 1872, JAMES H. GREEN, age 66, a resident of Tuscaloosa County, declared that he was personally acquainted with HENRY STRICKLAND in his lifetime and his wife ASENATH, and had known them to live together from 1822 to 1845 when HENRY died.

The U.S. Department of the Interior pension office transmitted land warrant number 113,246 for 160 acres to ASENATH on 7 January 1873 for HENRY's service in the War of 1812, under the act of 3 March 1855.

On 2 May 1878, when ASENATH was aged 84 and a resident of Tuscaloosa County (but with post office address as Woodstock, Bibb County), she made declaration that HENRY was age 22 when he was drafted, his occupation was mechanic, he was about 5½ feet in height, with black hair, blue eyes, and fair complexion. This pension application was witnessed by DRURY PRUETT, aged 60, and JAMES HILL, age 72, residents of Bibb County, each of whom had known her for 40 years.

On 2 October 1878 DRURY PRUETT of Bibb County and JAMES H. HILL of Tuscaloosa County made declaration as to ASENATH being the widow of HENRY STRICKLAND, in support of her application for pension under the act of 9 March 1878.

The above data was extracted from a copy of National Archives combined files W.C. 11,093 and B.L. Wt. 113,246-160-55 in the name of HENRY STRICKLAND.

(Extracted by Robert C. Stricklin)

#### STRICKLAND REUNION IN 1927

Contributed by Cherryl Weil

The following article was originally printed in an Oklahoma newspaper, probably the Alva Review-Courier, and contributed to Strickland Research by Cherryl Weil.

REUNION. The annual Strickland reunion was held the 19th of June 1927 eight miles above Medicine Lodge the town made famous by the residence of Jerry Simpson, Chester I. Long, Tom McNeal, and Carrie Nation. It was held in the grove of the late H. L. Strickland and now owned by his son-in-law W. A. Clark. There were seventy-seven present from every walk of life. Merchants, garage owners, railroad conductors, musicians, farmers, carpenters, news paper men and five states were represented, Texas, California, Oklahoma, Colorado, and Kansas. An imprompt program was quickly arranged and carried out to a T. First came dinner served cafeteria style and after dinner was the program consisting of singing, readings, clog dancing, wrestling, boxing, foot races. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ward Strickland and son of California, Mrs. Esther E. Morris of Texas, Miss Florence Anderson of Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Claude Strickland and family of Colorado, R. G. Crilly and wife and son of Hutchinson, Kansas, I. T. Strickland, wife and family, Francis Strickland wife and daughter and mother, of Alva, Oklahoma, W. A. Clark and family, Levi Strickland, Earl Strickland and family, Hershel Shriver and family, Bert, Tom, Fred and Troy Strickland and their families and Miss Lura Marshall and Miss Madge Aubley of Medicine Lodge and Hazel Byers of Sharon Kansas and Jenks Scott of Freeport, Kansas. It was decided to hold the annual get together keep acquainted picnic the first Sunday after the fourth of July of each year.

[Editor's Note: Another article tells of the 10th Annual Reunion with 94 in attendance. Those attending the 10th reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. Tell Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. William Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nurse, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hittle, Frank Strickland and two sons and Levi Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kiser, all from Medicine Lodge and vicinity; Mr. and Mrs. John Gruber and son of Great Bend; Mr. and Mrs. Alva L. Mock and two children from Monte Vista, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Strickland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Strickland and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Strong and baby, all of Canon City, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Strickland of Eads, Wyo.; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Vickers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Strickland, Rex Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Strickland, of Alva. Also listed as "visitors" (apparently not relatives) were Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nurse, Mr. and Mrs. Pres Parr of Medicine Lodge; Alma Gindlesberger, Marie Horner, Roscoe Horner and Russell Rhodes of Alva.]

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DO YOU KNOW.

Queries are published free of charge for members; \$1 per query for non-members. There is no limit as to the number of queries you may submit; nor is there a limit as to the length of each query. We request you use at least one date and the geographical location in each query.

STRICKLAND L. DOUGLAS, 8305 Moon Ct., Alta Loma, CA 91701: Any information on  
WHITE AARON STRICKLAND who came to Gibson Co., Indiana about 1808. Had  
3 sons and a daughter by first wife. Son, JOHN, born 1819 and mar.  
Jennie WHITE of Davies Co., in 1841. Her father was Thos. WHITE.

STRICKLAND PEGGY CANSLER, 5151 S. Greenway Dr., Tucson, AZ 85706: Need infor-  
ROGERS mation on SARAH STRICKLAND, b. 1844 Pickens Co., AL. Who were her  
COTHER parents & siblings? One brother known to Sarah - JOE STRICKLAND.  
Sarah married JOHN N. ROGERS in Monroe Co., MS. After two children  
were born, they moved to Hunt Co., TX, ca. 1880. Joe STRICKLAND came, too. He lost  
an arm in a Cotton Gin accident. All contact with him & any of his descendants was  
lost years ago. Sarah and her 4 brothers and sisters lost their father when young and  
were taken in by her mother's brother, either JESSIE or BENJAMIN COTHER.

STRICKLAND Mrs. GIRDON L. WATSON, Rt. 2 Box 174, Georgiana, AL 36033: Need  
STANLEY information on children fo SAMUEL STRICKLAND, b. 3 April 177?;  
married Peggy Margaret STANLEY.

STRICKLAND Dr. T. WAYNE ROBINSON, 505 E. Main, Mexia, TX 76667: Seeks informa-  
RICHARDS tion on JOSHUA STRICKLAND, b. 22 July 1771 in New London, CT and  
MUNSON d. 1 Jan. 1827; married ANNA RICHARDS (1777-1852); both buried in  
New York City, NY. At least one son, SILAS b. 28 July 1800-02, mar.  
Olive M. MUNSON (1801-1886). Are there others? Family rumor is that Joshua was a desc-  
endant of emigrant JOHN STRICKLAND. One of John's sons would have been the grandfather  
of Joshua. John's sons were: Jacob, Solomon, Isaac, Henry and Matthew. Will exchange  
information with anyone.

STRICKLAND KRISTINE BRUINS, P. O. Box 279, Parma, Idaho 83660: Seeking infor-  
PENCE mation on parents of WILLIAM STRICKLAND b. 1817, TN, marries  
THURSTON Christianna PENCE (b. 1826 PA, dau. of William and Mary THURSTON).  
They have son, William Redman STRICKLAND b. 1845 Idaho (my line).  
Other children are: John, Luther, Jane, Elisa, Thomas, Emma, Carrie, Naomi, Marry. Is  
William's father Redman STRICKLAND who resides in TN and IL?

[Editor's Note: I received the following letter from Mrs. Stedham and decided to use  
it in the query section because of the information contained in it. If anyone can help  
Mrs. Stedham, please do. -NJC.]

Dear Friends,

I would very much appreciate it if you can give me any information on the Strick-  
land Families. I have seen the name spelled Stricklin and have found this to be just  
another way in which some family members spelled the name.

My mother's name before her marriage was BALMA STRICKLAND. She was born May 3,  
1882. Her mother's name before her marriage was ELIZABETH MORRIS. The family lived in  
Morrisville at the time and the community was named for their family. My mother's father  
was HENRY JACKSON STRICKLAND. My grandmother died when my mother was a very small child,  
2 years old. Her father married again later and there were 2 children born to him by  
this wife, so my mother had a half-sister and a half-brother. I believe they both may  
be deceased, yet I am not sure. I am anxious to add other information of her relatives

to my notes. Most of them passed away while I was very small, so I do not know all about them.

My Mother and Father passed away in 1946 and I failed to ask all the things I wanted to know. I have found a very small amount of information on them and would be very happy if you could help me in any way by telling me where to search.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Sarah N. Stedham  
417 McArthur Drive  
Anniston, Alabama 36201

STRICKLAND                    Mrs. AGNES D. BEDIENT, 838 Murray Street, Wichita, KS 67212: I would  
COOK                            like to learn more about JOEL STRICKLAND. In the 1850 census of  
BEDIENT                        Amboy Township, Lee Co., Illinois is listed:

STRICKLAND, Joel B., 47, m, SC  
"                                , Nicenund, 49, f, SC  
"                                , John R., 21, m, SC  
"                                , Emily M., 17, f, SC  
"                                , Limca E., 14, m, SC  
"                                , Nelson F., 10, m, SC  
"                                , Dallas F., 5, m, SC

Later, daughter Emily married Joel COOK, probably in Lee County. I believe they were the parents of only 2 daughters. One of them, Kate Ola Cook, married Fred B. Bedient of Amboy. I have the drop leaf table that belonged to either Joel Cook's parents or to Joel Strickland's. Kate said that she had been told that when she was very young, she was at her grandparents. She held onto the edge of the table trying to see the food as they were being seated for dinner. Over it went, food and all. That table was our only wooden table we had for nearly 40 years.

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#### EDITOR'S LETTER:

I apologize (again!) for being so late in getting an issue prepared. This year has been filled with numerous problems and each one delayed me even more. My biggest deterrent was learning the company my husband has been employed by for 20-plus years closed its doors last November. Rather than search for similar employment, we decided to open our own business. It has taken many months to get everything organized, but, in May, we will open our own graphic arts studio - GraphicSouth. Though my time will be limited, hopefully, something can be worked out so all of Volume 8 can be printed and mailed within 1987.

Since I was not certain anyone has been indexing this volume and since I simply did not have time to contact individuals, we do not have an index for Volume 7. If some kind soul will volunteer to index all 4 issues and type it so that it can be printed (contact me first), I will be glad to print it separately.

Strickland Scene means quite alot to me and I will continue as your editor for as long as you can put up with my inconsistency. As soon as our business is a little more established, I hope I can get on a better schedule. In the meantime, I thank you for your patience.

Nancy Cornell, Editor