

July 1997 Queries

DATE: 2 July 1997

NAME: Charles R. Jones

SURNAMES: MONKS

I am doing a research paper on the 6th Provisional Enrolled Missouri Militia. According to the history books that I have read, Capt. William Monks was the Company Commander for F Co. of this Regiment. His home was in Howell County, MO. I need any kind of information that might be available on William. Also I am searching for a book that was written by William Monks and published by the West Plains Journal Co., West Plains, MO in 1907. Any help will be greatly appreciated. [Charles R. Jones](mailto:Charles.R.Jones)

DATE: 12 July 1997

NAME: Bobbie Greenway

SURNAMES: WELCH

I am looking for information on Henry Walker Welch. In 1895, he traded for land five miles south of Burnham, MO. I know that he sold the land again in 1898. One child, Ora Belle Welch, was born 1 Oct. 1897. I have not been able to find any kind of birth record for Ora (Orrie) Belle, who was my grandmother. I know that she was born on the homestead as Henry is listed as paying school tax for the other children. bobefg@sprintmail.com

DATE: 12 July 1997

NAME: Kathy Ford

SURNAMES: ZEIGLER

Searching for information on Homer Zeigler, born 9 Dec. 1889, in Bartholomew County, IN; died September , 1969. Last known address was General Delivery, Mountain View, Howell County, MO. Any information would be appreciated. kford@hsonline.net

DATE: 14 July 1997

NAME: Starlene Johnson

SURNAMES: HUDDLESTON

Seeking any information on Jesse McHenry Huddleston and wife, Louise (Hamilton) Huddleston. Their son was Clarence Newell Huddleston, who was born in West Plains, MO on 7 Dec. 1901. When did the Huddlestons come to Howell County, MO and where did they come from? Birthdates, marriage dates, death dates and cemetery information on Jesse McHenry and wife, Louise (Hamilton) Huddleston, as well as any information further back would be greatly appreciated. crackel@gte.net

DATE: 17 July 1997

NAME: Darrell E. Dennis

SURNAMES: RITCHEY, VAUGHAN (VAUGHN), SPURGEON, TALLEY (TALLY), BRITTAIN

Looking for information on above listed surnames. dennisd@lightspeed.net

DATE: 17 July 1997

NAME: JaNa

SURNAMES: KISSINGER, BREEDLOVE

I am looking for information on Mathias and Elizabeth Kissinger. Mathias died about 1870 and Elizabeth died after the 1880 census. Their son, Willman Kissinger, lived at Spring Creek and West Plains, Howell County, MO from 1869-1893? His first wife was Nancy Breedlove and she died in 1872. Information on all of the above would be greatly appreciated! geltek@3-cities.com

DATE: 17 July 1997

NAME: Gary Qualls

SURNAMES: GODSEY, KNIGHT, SELLS

I am looking for information on my great-grandmother's line. Her name was Rebecca Jane Godsey. She died in Pickett County, TN on 27 July 1920. She was 65 at the time of her death, so she was born about 1854. We are also trying to find out about her Indian bloodline. We were told her family moved out west to Howell County, MO. She was married to John Robert Knight about 1875. Rebecca Jane Godsey's father was Andrew Godsey who was married to Elizabeth Sells. We think they both died in Howell County, MO and are buried in the Moffit Cemetery. We know about Elizabeth's family, but are trying to find out about Andrew's family. Any information would be appreciated.

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DATE: 20 July 1997

NAME: Wayne Parker

SURNAMES: SULLENGER, ELLIOTT

Looking for George Sullenger who married Fannie Elliott. Both are buried in the Willow Springs Cemetery next to a male child, J. Robert Sullenger, who died in 1902. The family came from Carlisle County, KY and was living in Willow Springs about 1900-1910. George and Fannie had a son who had store of some type in Willow Springs. Any information would be appreciated. WGParker@Prodigy.com

DATE: 22 July 1997

NAME: Leona Ritchey Dennis

SURNAMES: VAUGHAN, RITCHEY, BRITTAIN

I am researching Vaughan, Ritchey and Brittain families. I know they all lived in Howell County and they married each other. The Ritcheys and the Vaughans lived near Free Union, where they helped build the church and the school. They occupy a number of graves in the cemetery. Thank you. ddennis@lightspeed.net

DATE: 26 July 1997

NAME: Diane Hanson

SURNAMES: I am looking for any information on Oehlers born in West Plains, MO. Some of the names I have are Jesse, Fred and Nancy Oehler. They name may have been spelled Ohler. Nancy was a Grove before marrying Jesse. Jesse was born about 1895 or 1900. Thanks.

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