

Crawford County Genealogy

Remembering our Heritage — Enriching the Present — Ensuring the Future

2007 February

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Historical Society Sponsors its Third Founders Day Dinner March 1st, 6:30 P.M. At the English Senior Citizens Center

Jim Kaiser, president of the Crawford County Historical & Genealogical Society invites anyone interested to attend the annual Founder's Day Celebration on Thursday evening, March 1st at the English Senior Citizens Center at 6:30 P.M. for a pitch-in dinner. This event, now its third year, is held to celebrate the founding of Crawford County.

There will be a special speaker for this event to be announced later.

The society meets in remembrance of Crawford County's establishment on March 1, 1818. The first Establishment Day gathering was on March 1st in 2005 at the Ohio River Overlook Restaurant in Leavenworth. The second gathering was at the Senior Citizens Center in English last year with an old-fashioned pitch-in dinner.

Crawford County was formed from Harrison, Orange, and Perry County in 1818. The act was passed January 29, 1818, to go into effect March 1, 1818. Originally, Crawford County had four townships. Over time it was subdivided into our present nine townships.

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Don and Mary Beth Colpitts of Las Vegas, NV were recent visitors to the archives on January 11th. She copied a marriage license of her grandmother, an Adams.

From The *Democrat*, Thursday, Jan. 6, 1938, page 5.

Mrs. W. H. Jones

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Jones, 79, wife of William H. Jones, of Grantsburg, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Riddle United Brethren Church, the pastor, The Rev. H. D. Hudson, was in charge.

Mrs. Jones' maiden name was Askrens, and she was a native of Harrison County. She was the mother of 11 children, four of whom preceeded her. They were: Charles, Myrtle, Mrs. Robert Denbo and Mrs. Marie Holcomb.

She is survived by her husband, four daughters: Mrs. George (Lizzie) Hubbard, of Anconia, IL; Mrs. W. H. (Liza) Satterfield, of Streator, IL; Mrs. Luther (Dora) Levell, of Marengo and Mrs. Dennis (Josie) Sarles, of English; three sons: Cleo of Loogootee; Cyrus and William W. of Grantsburg; 39 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Communications

Amos Blunk

Evelyn Jackson had asked me to see if I could find where Amos Blunk was buried.

I found several trees on Amos in Ancestry.com. This one is interesting and sounds like it may be just what you want.

Amos Blunk born 9 NOV 1784; died 6 JAN 1858 in Downhill, Crawford County, Indiana

1804 — Marriage to Mary Senor in Harrison Co., IN she born 8 AUG 1804

1812 — Military 21 AUG 1812 War of 1812 enlisted
Pension record for Catherine on Amos; War of 1812
Pvt Capt H C Boone's Co Ind mil

1812 — Military 21 SEP 1812

1820 — Census Location: Harrison Co., IN

1821 — Marriage to Martha Elizabeth Anderson 28 JUN 1821

1845 — Marriage to Catherine Mitchell 25 SEP 1845
Crawford Co., IN

1850 — Census 19 AUG 1850, age 65 Patoka Township
in, Crawford Co., IN

1850 — Christened Crawford Co., IN

1850 — Occupation Farmer

1858 — Will 25 FEB 1858 Crawford Co., IN

1858 — Died in Downhill, Crawford Co., IN 6 JAN
1858.

BURIAL: Birdseye, Johnson Township, Crawford
County, Indiana

Blunk Cemetery Located 2 miles south east of
Birdseye.

Military — H. C. Boone's Co., Indiana

I have this information printed out and will give it
to you at our next meeting.

Larry B.

Blunk Marriages listed in Crawford Co. Index

Ada m. Daniel Kellems 1903
Amos m. Katherine Kellems 1845
Amos Dow m. Aldora Waller 1908
Andrew J. m. Sarah A. Bruce 1865
Catherine m. Purlaska Austin 1868
Clella M. m. Thomas H. Finch 1915
Edward D. m. Minnie A. Brown 1919
Elizabeth m. Harrison Tucker 1860
George W. m. Sarah Brown 1867
George W. m. Sarah E. Kendall 1880
George W. m. Eliza M. Johnson 1881
Harriet M. m. Wm. O. Winger 1886
John m. Mary Ann Weedman 1854
John m. Mary I. Reason 1858
John m. Margaret Jones 1879
John J. m. Emma E. Johnson 1886
Louesa m. Francis F. Spencer 1841
Manford m. Clella M. Barnett 1912
Margaret Ann m. Isaac Newton 1850
Mary m. Winfield S. Austin 1885
Mary A. m. Reubin Cox 1899
Mary Adeline m. Samuel Flanagan 186
Mary C. m. Hiram Cummins 1873
Mary E. m. Thomas W. Nash 1870
Mary E. m. John H. Doolittle 1890
Mary Jane m. M. T. McMickle 1852
Mattie R. m. Myron S. Bottorff 1900
Nancy A. m. John W. Crecelius 1862
Nancy J. m. Willis E. Hawley 1901
Neva G. m. Stanley Reisert 1934
Pearl m. Augustus Bates 1911
Rachel m. John O. Nash 1863
Sarah F. m. Spencer Kellums 1851
Susan m. Samuel M. Nash 1870
Susie M. m. Jesse E. Polen 1886
Thomas S. m. Esther J. Hollowell 1884
W. L. m. Dora Velcin 1903
William m. Edna Oxley 1900



Blunk Cemetery, Johnson Township

Located on Riceville Road, on left when going South, just before meeting with Governor Trace Road which you can see from the cemetery.



Ott Marriages in Crawford County Marriage Index

Abraham L. m. Viola F. McFarland 1887
Anderson m. Sarah Jane Roberts 1859
 2. Mary E. Jacobs 1866
Annie m. George S. Jones 1886
Ducila m. Ira R. Smith 1911
Edith m. A. Wayne Stroud 1912
Elwood m. Glade Holt 1923
Emily m. William A. Land 1867
Emma S. m. William E. Highfill 1880
Frank m. Jessie Lee Brown 1943
George W. m. Pruila Denbo 1859
 2. Mariah S. Cole 1895
Grace m. Friedly Pavey 1899
Hattie m. Alva Boone 1905
John H. m. Carrie Kerher 1884
 2. Phoeba J. Allen 1890
 3. Delia Perkhiser 1892
Lela m. Ernest B. Sturm 1914
Malachi m. Jane Seaton (3) 1875
Lela m. Edward Ballard 1923
Marion m. Maria E. Hulett 1881
Offa Lua m. Reuben Small 1908
Pearl m. Curtis Hoover 1909
Peter m. Rebecca E. Downs 1881
Sarah E. m. John F. Peterson 1876
Sherman m. Adeline Elliott 1904
Webster m. Leota Sturms 1904
Wesley m. Sarah Brown 1874
Wilbur Wyman m. Rhoda
 Rosella Vandiver 1908
William H. m. Lizzie J. McBurnie 1877

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Postcard to Webster Ott from a nephew named Earl

The 1913 Ott Post Card is found and Published to the Internet December 2006

Hi, my name is Roberta Toby and today I was in the second hand store at Taswell, Indiana (Joyce's) and I saw an old photo lying on the counter and I asked about it. It is a postcard photo that was addressed to Mr. and Mrs. Webster Ott and it is signed by their nephew Earl and I cannot make out the last name. I thought could be DuPont but not sure. I am writing to you to let you know about this photo as I thought someone just might like to have the photo. I told the lady that I would see if I could find any info about it on the internet. I don't find much on a Webster Ott except census records. I did find that he was a store-keeper in 1920 census in Johnson Twp. Crawford Co., IN. Looked for trees to tell me who Earl was but with no luck. The postcard is dated 1913 and has a 1 cent stamp on it. I didn't ask what she wanted for it but it was found in an old house.

Postcard Photo





Tombstone in Milltown Cemetery



Tombstones in Proctor / Wood Cemetery

Schedule I — Free inhabitants in Liberty Township in the County of Crawford, State of Indiana, enumerated by me, on the 10th day of September, 1850. John R. Land, Asst. Marshall.

| <u>No.</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>age</u> | <u>sex</u> | <u>Occ.</u> | | <u>Born</u> | |
|------------|-----------------|------------|------------|-------------|------|--------------|---|
| 462 | Pilgrim Pope | | | | | | |
| 463 | William Proctor | 57 | M | Farmer | 1500 | Pennsylvania | |
| | Mary | 47 | F | Wife | | Pennsylvania | |
| | Isabelle | 18 | F | Daughter | | Crawford Co. | 1 |
| | John | 14 | M | Son | | Crawford Co. | 1 |
| | Mary | 12 | F | Daughter | | Crawford Co. | 1 |
| 464 | Andrew Bales | | | | | | |
| 465 | John Hammond | | | | | | |
| 466 | Riley Stroud | | | | | | |

The Proctor name in Pennsylvania seems dominant in a place called Crawford County — can there be any connection to our county name?

Larry B.

Conclusion of Dec. 1818

John Samuels Sr., Martin Scott and Archibald Allen verbally acknowledged themselves indebted to the State of Indiana in the sum of \$500 to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements, but on this condition, that if the said John Samuels appear on the first day of the next term to answer an indictment for and against him, then this recognizance to be void, else to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Felix Hoover, Martin Followell and Thomas Lynch severally acknowledged themselves indebted to the State of Indiana in the sum of \$50 to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements, but on this condition, that if the said John Samuels appear on the first day of the next term to answer an indictment for and against him, then this recognizance to be void, else to remain in full force and virtue in law.

James McCullum acknowledged himself indebted to the State of Indiana in the sum of \$300 and John Lynch and Samuel Wilks in the sum of \$200 each to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements, but on this condition, that if the said James McCullum appear on the first day of the next term to answer an indictment for and against him, then this recognizance to be void, else to remain in full force and virtue in law.

The Court then adjourned until tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

Henry Green & James Glenn, Associate
Judges

Fresh from My Printer:

TRACT BOOK TWO — 1869-1874

Land transactions in Crawford during that time. 116 pages in 8-point type, over 4,000 listings with a 33-page index in 12-point type. No price yet, but if interested contact Richard Eastridge as we must have the order before we print it. Gives deed date, name, description of location, total acres. Transcribed by LMB.

Lemuel Ford

Born: Oct. 2, 1821 in Crawford

Married: Feb. 24, 1842 — Sarah Jane Sturgeon in Crawford

Married 2nd: Elizabeth Denbo Graves on Oct. 28, 1853 in Crawford.

Died: January 7, 1902 in Crawford

Burial: Grantsburg Cemetery

Information from his Civil War Discharge:

A private in Capt. James McCellun Company, 32nd Battery Regiment of Veteran Reserve Corps.

Enlisted on Nov. 4, 1861 (age 40) to serve 3 years or duration.

Discharged on Nov. 21, 1864 at Washington, D.C.

Birth: Crawford County, Indiana

Age: 40 Statue: 5 feet 8 inches

Complexion: dark Eye color: Hazel

Hair Color: dark Occupation: Cooper

Dated: Nov. 25, 1864 by Capt. B. H. Kelis, Commander

Children of Lemuel Ford: (taken from 1860 census)

Parents: Lemuel & Jane

1. Melinda 1843 married William Goodson 1860
2. Hannah 1846 married John Miller 1875
3. Horace 1849 married Zuby Ford 1868 (a 2nd cousin)
Buried in Grantsburg Cemetery
4. Nancy Jane 1852 married John Deal 1882
5. Sarah E. 1848 married John R. Rodgers 1878

Horace Ford

1900 Crawford County Census, Union Twp., June 7

LEMUEL, B. Oct. 1821, age 78, m-47, IN-MASS-MASS
ELIZABETH B. Sept. 1831, age 68, IN-KY-KY

HORACE, B. Jan. 1849, age 51, m-32, IN-IN-IN

AZUBA, B. Dec. 1845, age 54, m-32, IN-IN-IN

CHARLES, son, B. Aug. 1893, age 26, IN-IN-IN

LILLY, B. May 1886, age 14, daughter

1910 Crawford County Census, Union Twp., April 15

HORACE, age 61, Farmer

AZUBA, age 64, wife

LAURA J., age 31, single, daughter

LILLIE L., age 23, single, daughter

DEAL, HENRY, age 25, single, nephew, carpenter

1920 Crawford County Census, Union Twp., Jan. 19

HORACE, age 70

AZUBA, age 74

LILLIE, age 33, daughter

DOLLIE, age 41, widowed daughter

Horace died 1940; Azuba died 1946; Charles died 1973.

Parents of Lemuel Ford:

Father of Lemuel Ford: Noah Ford born 1769 in Abington, Mass and died 1834 in Crawford County. His father was Joseph Ford and mother Freelove Beal. Parents of Joseph were Jacob Ford and Sarah Poole.

Mother of Lemuel Ford: Sarah Beal "Nabby" in 1794 in Otsego, New York. She was born 12 OCT 1779 and died 12 NOV 1846 in Cumberland Co., IL. Parents of Sarah "Nabby" Beal were Abraham Beal II and Bathsheba Shaw.

Children of Joseph Ford and Freelove Beal:

Moses Cross FORD b. 1766 in Mass; died 1831 in Hardin Co., KY

Joseph FORD born 1767 in Mass; death unknown

Noah FORD (listed above)

Sarah "Sally" FORD b. 1777; d. 1846

Molly 1779

Jacob 1779

Nehemiah 1780-1820

Anna 1785

Genealogy found at Ancestry.com is traced back to Andrew Ford born 24 FEB 1629 in England; died 4 MAR 1693 in Hingham, Mass., he was the son of Robert Fourde and Elizabeth.

Ancestry of Lemuel Ford:

Early Virginia Immigrants, 1623-1666, GPC, 1912.

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FORD, Jonathan, 1635 by Robert Bennett.

Richard, 1638 by George Mynifie, merchant.

Some Virginia Marriages, page 43

EDWARD FORD of Fairfax County married Elizabeth Keith Randolph, daughter of Thomas and Judith Fleming; removed to Bourbon County, Kentucky and had 13 children.

ELISHA FORD, born 1777 married 1796 Elizabeth Duncan, born 1776; removed to Knox County, Tennessee with brother, JOSEPH FORD.

JAMES FORD, died 1845 in Woodford County, Kentucky; married Lucy Shipp in Caroline County, VA. She born 1757, daughter of Thomas & Rachel.

JOSEPH FORD, born 1765-68, Buckingham County; died

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Communications

From: "Carol or Billy"

To: burmeisterlarry@yahoo.com Subject: Crawford Newsletter for January 2007 Date: Sun, 7 Jan 2007 19:02:18 -0700

Mr. Burmeister: I enjoyed this newsletter forwarded to me by Suzanne Key Sloan. Please add me to your list of those receiving the newsletter. My great grandparents were Meade and Ona Lockhart Sloan. Thanks for providing the wonderful stories.

Carol Nicholson from NW Montana

From: NormLynch@aol.com

Date: Mon, 8 Jan 2007 20:27:01 EST

Subject: Census To: burmeisterlarry@yahoo.com

Hello Larry,

I followed your suggestion and contacted Catherine at the Crawford County Library. She said she would like to have a copy of the census I had put together for library so I mailed one for the library at English and a copy for the Breeden Library at Leavenworth.

I found it to be very interesting, not that it covered any one family but if a person spends a little time I think there is much to be learned from them.

On the 1910 census I noticed that it had what number the marriage was for each person, like M1 - M2 - M3 which would show if some of the children in the family would have had an older mother than the wife who is listed.

It also has about 4 or 5 school teachers listed so it stands to reason that these family;s must have known each other.

There are about 26 people listed as being button cutters at the button factory so you know these family's all knew each other.

It has the proprietor of the Hawn Hotel, the manager and the cook listed so these folks knew each other. All the men who had gotten haircuts would have know the barber and probably exchanged many tales while in the shop.

There are many other businesses in town that those from the community would be doing business with. Again, all of those who were working in the skiff shop, river pilots, fisherman, and docks hands had probably all had something's in common.

What I am trying to get across is that all of these people working together had built a thriving community that had survived for many years by being located on the bank of the Ohio River.

I hope there may be others who see the things that I see when I start looking at the records. Norm

Ancestry of Lemuel Ford: Continued

in 1846 in Knox County, TN; married 1788 Mary Maxey, she born 1766-69; died 1850, daughter of Edward Maxey of Buckingham County, VA.

From *Virginia Colonial Soldiers, GPC*

Bartlet Ford, Land certificate from Lord Dunsmore for 50 acres in Fincastle Co, 2 June 1774. Assigned to Joseph Watkins.

Christopher Ford, Amelia County, Capt. commission 24 January 1765.

Hezekiah Ford, Amelia County, Officers commission 16 May 1740.

James Ford, returns of Capt. Hog's Co., 9 July 1754, Wounded at Battle of The Meadows.

James Ford, returns of Capt. Andrew Lewis, pay July to Sept. 1754.

James Ford at Willis Creek after Battle of the Meadows, 3 July 1754.

James Ford petition for pension, wounded in right eye, lost sight, old and weak, 29 May 1770.

James Ford wounded at Braddock's defeat in 1755, aged 65 on 12 May 1787, Frederick Co, #147.

Joseph Ford, Sgt., Muster Roll: Capt. Michael Cresap; Dunmore's War 1774, Pittsylvania Co.

Samuel Ford, muster roll of Maj. John Brown, 1758.

Thomas Ford, muster roll of Maj. John Brown, 1758.

Tandy Ford, bounty land warrant, served in French & Indian War, 15 Nov. 1779.

Tandy Ford, warrant for 50 acres issued to Joseph Watkins, assignee of Tandy Ford. 15 Nov. 1779, Goochland Co., VA.

William Ford, Lt., Militia Rooster, Richmond Co., VA, 3 Oct. 1756.

William Ford, Sgt., pay for services in French & Indian War, 1763.

The Pension Lists of 1792-1795, Clark, GPC

Isaac Ford, private, 2nd NY Reg., 1 Dec. 1783.

James Ford, Capt., Col. Nichols, wounded 6 Aug. 1777, 1/2 pension, W. Nottingham, VA.

James Ford, Capt., District of New Hampshire

William Ford, private, 3rd S. Carolina Reg., 1 July 1781.

Roll of Honor I-VI, GPS

Arlington National Cemetery

Ford, D. B., private, 49th PA, Co. F, 11 June 1864.

Andersonville National Cemetery

Ford, E. V., private, 132nd NY Co., Co. K, 26 March

1864.

Ford, William, private, 53rd PA., Co. K, 9 July 1864.

Ford, P., teamster, 3 Aug. 1864.

Ford, N., Sgt., 17th Illinois, Co. I, October 1864.

Ford, A., private, 7th NJ, Co. K, 6 Nov. 1864.

Ford, Thomas, private, 7th PA, Co. F, 26 Aug. 1864.

Alexandria, VA National Cemetery

Ford, Michael, private, 57th NY Co. A, 22 Feb. 1864.

Ford, Edward, private, 5th MI Co. B, 15 March 1864.

Hampton, VA National Cemetery

Ford, William H., private, 5th Mass. Cav., Co. D, 8 Oct. 1865.

Fortress Monroe, VA National Cemetery

Ford, —, Sgt., 4th Artill., Co. D, 5 June 1861.

A Census of Pensioners For Revolutionary or Military Services, GPC (All FORD name)

Amos, CT, Hampton, age 78.

Billy, Mass., Pembroke, 83.

Charles, Maine, Sumner, 82.

Dabney, VA, Preston Co., 89.

Elisha, VA, Pittsylvania Co., S. Dist., 79.

Isaac, Pa, Pike Co., 76,

John, TN, Bledsoe Co., Dist. 2, 78.

Joseph, KY, Pike Co., 88.

Joshua, TN, Rutherford Co., 83.

Loyd, TN, Washington Co, 83.

Nathaniel, NY, Marshall, 74.

Sanborn, NY, Ballston, 84.

William, KY, Caldwell Co., 77.

Communications

To: burmeisterlarry@yahoo.com

Subject: Crawford Newsletter

Date: Wed, 10 Jan 2007 13:54:03 -0800

Hi Larry,

I was just sent a copy of your wonderful newsletter and if you would please put me on the list. What a great newsletter. On page 1 of the January 2007 newsletter is where my gggrandfather John Riddle was appointed to the Crawford Circuit Court.

Thank you very much.

myron d riddle idahoriddle@msn.com

**Continued from last Newsletter — Order Book A —
Tuesday, December 15th, 1818 — 2nd Day**

The Court met pursuant to adjournment. Present: same as yesterday.

John Samuels vs. James Barker.

ON MOTION of the plaintiff by E. Macdonald, his attorney, for the defendant to elect which of the two pleas filed he will abide by the said pleas being inconsistent. — Said motion is sustained.

State of Indiana vs. Alexander Tadlock, Indictment.

AT THIS time came a jury to-wit: William Followell, Alex Barnet, Peter McMickel, Brice Patrick, Constant Williams, Jeremiah Sturgeon, John Sturgeon, David Miller, Arthur Whitehead, John Followell, John Underhill and William Anderson twelve good and lawful men who being elected, tried and sworn well and truly to try the issue joined returned into Court the following verdict, to-wit: WE THE JURY find the defendant guilty. Brice Patrick, foreman.

When on motion of the defendants attorney and after argument a new trial is granted.

State of Indiana vs. Jeremiah Sturgeon — Indictment.

AT THIS time came a jury, to-wit: John Ruth, John Teal, Joseph Kincaid, James Land, Elijah Lane, Felix Hoover, Peter Peckenpaw, Jonathan Rice, Alexander B. McRoe, Henry Barker, William Followell and Samuel Mekes, twelve good and lawful men who being elected, tried and sworn well and truly to try issue joined returned into Court the following verdict, to-wit: WE THE JURY find the defendant guilty. A. B. McRoe, foreman.

When on motion of the defendant, a rule is ordered for the prosecuting attorney to show cause why a new trial should not be granted.

John Samuels vs. James Barker — Slander.

By consent of parties this cause is dismissed, each party paying his own costs.

James Barker vs. John Samuels — Slander.

Same order.

John Samuels vs. William Wilkerson — Slander.

Same order.

State of Indiana vs. William Wilkerson, Indictment

AT THIS TIME came as well the prosecuting attorney as the defendant in his proper person and the defendant having plead not guilty, which being joined by the prosecuting attorney, then came a jury, to-wit: Richard Weathers, Felix Hoover, Peter Peckenpaw, John Teal, William Osborn, William Goodman, John Ruth, Malachi Monk, Enos Campbell, James Rawlins, David Miller and James Bowman twelve good and lawful men who being elected tried and sworn will and truly to try the issue joined retired from the bar to consult.

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Order Book A — Continued

Isaac Landers vs. Henry Buckner, Discontinued.

State of Indiana vs. Alex Tadlock

By consent recognizance continued.

Daniel French, Assignee vs. Isaac French and others

AT THIS time came the plaintiff by E. Macdonald, his attorney, and the defendants James Barker, Benjamin Bogard and John Tipton, who confessed judgment for the amount of the debt in the declaration mentioned to be credited by \$600 — Paid on the 27th Nov. 1818.

It is therefore considered that the plaintiff recover of the defendant Barker, Bogard and Tipton six hundred and fifty dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of June, 1817 until paid (to be credited by \$600 paid on the 27th Nov. 1818) together with the costs and charges by him about his suit on their behalf expended and the defendants in mercy.

And therefore Henry Barker came into court and acknowledged himself security for the payments of the above judgment interest and costs at the expiration of five months from and after this date.

ON MOTION of Allen D. Thornburg by E. Macdonald, his attorney; ORDERED that a summons issue directed to George and Henry Wilks commanding them to show cause on the first day of the next term why the said Thom should not have cause to erect a dam and build a mill according to the inquisition of the jury on the southwest quarter of section nine, township four south, range one east.

Daniel Fulton vs. Aaron Cunningham, continued.

John Duncan vs. Samuel Philpot — continued.

Henry Barker vs. Joseph Tibbs — continued.

Thomas Andrew vs. Elizabeth Andrew — Libel.

AT THIS TIME came the complainant by Henry Stephen Esq., his attorney, and filed his libel whereupon on his motion ordered that a supena [be] issued against the defendant.

Andrew Mason vs. Clary Mason — Libel.

AT THIS TIME came the complainant by H. Stephen Esq., his attorney, and filed his libel and on his motion and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the defendant is not a resident of this State: ORDERED that notice of the pendency of this complaint and that the defendant appear upon the first day of the next term to answer the said complaint

Order Book A — Continued — December Term 1818 2nd Day

or the matter and things will be decreed against her in her absence, to be published four weeks successively in the Indiana Gazette published at Jeffersonville.

Thomas Andrew vs. James Helms — continued.

James McCullum acknowledged himself to be indebted to the State of Indiana in the sum of \$300 — and Henry Barker and Samuel Wilks acknowledged themselves indebted to the State of Indiana in the sum of \$200 each to be levied of their goods and chattels, lands and tenements, but upon this condition: that if the said James McCullum appear in court tomorrow morning to answer an indictment and not depart therefrom without leave, then this recognizance to be void, else to remain in full force and virtue.

Mark Hoback and wife vs. Joseph Tibbs — Slander

AT THIS TIME came the parties by their attorneys and the plaintiffs by their attorneys. Discontinues his suit. IT IS THEREFORE considered that the defendant recover of the plaintiffs the costs and charges by him about his defense expended and the plaintiffs in mercy.

The court then adjourned until tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

Henry Green and James Glenn, Associate Judges

Wednesday, Dec. 16, 1818 — 3rd Day

The court met pursuant to adjournment. Present as yesterday.

Alex Copeland vs. A. Ralston

On motion of E. Macdonald, attorney for A. Ralston, ordered that this case be dismissed.

D. Raymond vs. Landriss H. Smith — Debt.

IN THIS CAUSE the defendants being called, came not but made default, wherefore it is considered that this plaintiff recover of the defendants the debt in the declaration mentioned with costs — When the defendants appeared by their attorneys and on motion and affidavit filed the judgment is opened and the defendants to file tomorrow morning a plea.

Hoback and wife vs. Aquilla Musgrove — discontinued.

ORDERED THAT the 2nd Saturday in each month be established as general return days of executions.

J.J. Jamison vs. Isaac Feneé and others

Continued on affidavit and at the defendants cost.

State of Indiana vs. William Wilkerson

By consent a juror is withdrawn and the jury dismissed.

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State of Indiana vs. Jeremiah Sturgeon

Rule for a new trial refused — When a rule being entered for the prosecuting attorney to show cause why the judgment should not be arrested after argument had said rule is refused — When on motion of the prosecuting attorney for judgment, it is considered that the State of Indiana recover of the defendant twelve dollars (the amount of the fine) and that the defendant pay costs of prosecution — But the Sheriff is directed to suspend the collection of the said fine and costs until the next term — Whereupon Jeremiah Sturgeon and Martin H. Tucker come into court and acknowledge themselves indebted to the State of Indiana in the sum of \$50 each to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements, but on the condition that if the said Jeremiah Sturgeon be and appear on the first day of the next term of this court to answer what then shall be objected against him on account of an indictment for retailing liquor without a license and not depart without leave, then this recognizance to be void, else to remain in full force and virtue.

ORDERED THAT it be certified to the Board of County Commissioners that the Grand Jurors served three days at the present term, except Riggs Pennington, who served two days.

THE GRAND JURY returned into Court the following indictments as true bills:

State of Indiana vs. John Samuels, Assault & Battery.

State of Indiana vs. William Wilkeson, Counterfeiting.

State of Indiana vs. Robert Samuels, Assault & Battery.

State of Indiana vs. John Samuels, False Swearing.

State of Indiana vs. James McCullum, Larceny.

WHEREUPON the Grand Jury were discharged.

ORDERED TO be certified that Thomas Golden be allowed three dollars for three days attendance on the grand jury.

John J. Jamison vs. Isaac Fenee and others — Debt.

ORDERED THAT a *fieri facias* issue against the defendants Tipton, Fenee and Bogard.

State of Indiana vs. James McCullum — Larceny.

The defendant came in his own proper person and pleaded not guilty which being joined by the prosecuting attorney. Then came a jury, to-wit: Peter McMickle, John Followell, Constant Williams, William Followell, John Lynch, James Land, Jonathan Rice, Joseph Kincaid, Benjamin Bogard, Joseph Tibbs, William Goodman and James Rawlings twelve good and lawful men who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to try the issue joined and not being able to agree on a verdict by consent a juror is withdrawn and the jury discharged.

Andrew Copeland vs. A. Ralston

On motion to docket this cause said motion is overruled.