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The Jackson County Courthouse circa 1900

The Jackson County Historic Courthouse Restoration Committee (JCHCRC) announces “A Day at the Historic Courthouse”. This event will be held on Saturday, May 8 from 10am-5pm on the grounds of the Jackson County Historic Courthouse located at 85 Washington Street in downtown Jefferson. All proceeds will go towards the restoration of the Courthouse, which, when completed, will appear as it did in 1908. (continue on page 8)

GEORGIA ROOM COLLECTION INDEX

The following index does not include photographs, maps, and various other states histories. Many volunteer hours have been spend and many more needed to research and index material for the Heritage Room Collection.

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 Virginia Colonial Abstracts
 Virginia 1720-1998
 Virginia tax payers
 Guide to Episcopal Church records in VA
 Virginia Colonial Soldiers
 Births from the Bristol Parish register of Henrico, Prince George and Dinwiddie Co.
 Record Book, 1737-1770, land entries Halifax, Pittsylvania, Henry, Franklin, Patrick Co.
 Early Virginia immigrants 1623-1666
 Some Emigrants to VA
 Cavaliers and Pioneers VA land patents and grants 1695-1732, Six volumns
 The Edward Pleasant Valentine papers
 Virginia Wills and Administrations, 1632-1800
 Virginia Revolutionary public claims, Vol. 1,2,3
 Prince George Co. records, 1733-1792
 Some marriages of Virginia residents, 1607-1800
 Revolutionary War State Pensions, VA
 Amelia Co. Wills
 Amherst Deeds 1761-1807, Albemarle Deeds 1748-1763
 Register of Old Concord Presbyterian Church, Appomattox Co, VA 1826-1878
 Bedford Co Index to Wills 1754-1830
 Brunswick Co marriages
 Brunswick Co 1720-1975
 Buckingham Co legal papers
 Campbell Co Wills and Inventories and Deeds
 Campbell Chronicles Stafford Co tithables
 Marriage bonds and minister returns of Chesterfield Co
 Fairfax Co Wills and Inventories 1742-1801
 Fredrick Co marriages and Wills
 Wills Inventories administrations, Frederick Co

Goochland Wills
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 Vestry Book, Antrim Parish
 Virginia Counties Vol 1,2
 Hanover Co Wills
 House of King and Queen
 Loudon Co tithables
 Loudon Co wills and inventories
 Loudon Co marriages
 History of Lunenburg Co and Southside VA
 Northern Neck Land Grants
 Old New Kent Co
 New Kent Co History Vol 1,2
 Orange Co Marriages
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 Vestry book, St Pauls Parrish
 Rockbridge Co history
 Colonial Surry Co
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 Roster of NC soldiers, American Revolution
 Abstract of NC Wills
 NC Wills and testator index 1665-1900
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 Abstracts of land entries, Iredell Co 1789-1804; Cabarrus Co 1793-1795; Anson Co 1795-1797; Macklenburg Co 1778-1795
 Carolina Cradle; settlement of the NW frontier 1747-1762
 NC taxpayers
 Somerset Homecoming
 Revolutionary War Soldiers of Western NC (Burke Co Sketches of Western NC)
 Morgan District NC Superior Court of Law & Equity
 Caswell Co Marriage Bonds 1778-1868
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 The Mecklenburg signers and their neighbors
 Macklenburg Co Deed abstracts
 Minutes of Court of Pleas Prage Co 1787-1795
 Marriages of Orange Co
 Register of Orange Co Deeds 1755-1768, 1793
 Deed abstracts of Tryon, Lincoln and Rutherford Co
 Minutes of Court of Pleas Rowan Co, 1763-1774
 Rowan Co History
 Marriages & Deaths Raleigh NC Newspapers 1796-1826
 Wilkes Co Court Minutes 1778-1788

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Rutherford Co Wills and records 1783-1868
 Early Census Edgefield, Charleston, Barnwell, Orangeburgh
 and Colleton districts
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 South Carolina Wills
 SC Jury List 1718-1783
 SC Marriages 1688-1799
 SC Marriages 1800-1820
 Local and family history in SC
 The Patriots at Kings Mountain
 King Mountain and its Heros
 Roster of SC Patriots in the American Revolution
 Citizens and immigrants SC 1768
 Historic Goose Creek 1670-1980
 Mills' Atlas of SC 1825
 Some SC records Vol 2
 Marriages & Deaths Columbia, SC newspapers 1792-1839
 7500 Marriages from Ninety Six and Abbeville 1774-1890
 Anderson Co SC newspapers, obotuaries 1841-1882
 Anderson Cemeteries Vol 1,2,3,4,5,6,7
 History of the Old Cheraws
 Tombstone Records of Chester Co SC
 Marriages & Death notices, Pendleton SC 1807-1851
 Pendleton District deeds 1790-1806
 Pendleton District & Anderson Co Wills, Estates, legals
 History of Old Pendleton District
 1800 census of Pendleton district Early
 The People's Journal Pickens, SC 1894-1903
 History of Upper Country SC
 Spartanburg Wills 1787-1840
 Spartanburg Minutes of the courthouse 1785-1799
 Greenville Co SC cemetery survey
 Laurens Co Wills 1784-1840
 Union Co deed abstracts 1785-1800
 Union Co Minutes 1785-1799
 York Co Court Minutes 1786-1797

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History of Georgia
 The Georgia Black Book, Vol. 1, 2
 The Georgians
 Research in Georgia
 Census index 1820, 1830, 1840, 1850, 1860, 1870, 1870
 Census of Early GA Counties (Taliaferro 1827, Lumpkin
 1838, Chatham 1845)
 GA Co. Records (Columbia, Hancock, Jefferson, Warren)
 Georgia County Records (Clarke, Jasper, Morgan, Putnam,
 Oglethorpe, Greene)
 The reconstructed 1790 census of Georgia
 The Alexander Letters, 1787-1900

A list of the early settlers of Georgia 1890
 A researcher's library of Georgia
 Abstracts of Colonial Wills of the State of GA 1733-1777
 The Georgia land lottery papers, 1805-1914
 Index to the Headright and Bounty Grants of GA 1756-1909
 1850 Georgia mortality schedules
 Index to the English Crown grants in Georgia 1755-1775
 Index to Georgia tax digest
 Citizens of Georgia
 Germans of Colonial Georgia, 1733-1783
 1820 land lottery of Georgia
 Obituaries published by the Christian index
 Marriages and Deaths 1763-1820
 Marriages and Deaths 1820-1830
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 Index to Georgian colonial conveyances and confiscated
 lands records 1750-1804
 Index to probate records of colonial Georgia 1733-1778
 Index seven census reports for Georgia counties 1838-1845
 1821 Land Lottery of Georgia
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 Georgia Wills, 1733-1860
 Georgia intestate records
 Georgia Bible records
 Passports issued by Governors of GA 1785-1809
 Index to Georgia's 1867-1868 returns of qualified voters and
 registration oath book
 Georgia Land Lottery 1805

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History of Baldwin Co
 The History of Banks Co.
 Cemeteries and Deaths of Banks Co.
 History of Gillsville, Banks Co.
 Pictorial Review of Barrow Co.
 Barrow Co. Georgia cemeteries
 Beadland to Barrow
 Fort Yargo
 Auburn and Carl
 History of Bartow Co.
 Historic Bartow Co.
 Campbell Co. GA
 Bible Records of Cherokee Co.
 Clarke Co. Marriages
 Antebellum Athens
 Athens Pictorial History
 Clarke Co. Newspaper Abstracts Vol 1, 2
 Records of Clarke Co.
 Athens-Clarke Co. Cemeteries
 Coweta Co. chronicles for 100 years

The Story of Decatur 1823-1899
 The Official History of Elbert Co. 1790-1935
 Elbert Co. Deeds Vol 1, 2
 Census of Elbert Co. 1820-1860
 A History of Rome and Floyd Co.
 History of Forsythe Co. 1832-1932
 Deeds of Franklin Co. 1784-1826
 History of Franklin Co.
 Franklin Co. Marriages
 Franklin Co. Court of Ordinary Records
 Franklin Co. tax digest Vol 1, 2
 History of Greene Co. 1786-1886
 Gwinnett Co. Families 1818-1968
 Gwinnett Co. Census 1820-1840
 Genealogical and history records, Habersham Co.
 Families of Hall Co.
 Hall through the Years
 Tombstone Inscriptions of Hall Co.
 History of Hall Co. Vol 1, 2
 Gainesville 1900-2000
 Marriages 1806-1850, Hancock Co.
 Hancock Co Ga Newspapers Abstracts
 Pioneers of Hart Co.
 Lincoln Co. Genealogy and History
 History of Lumpkin Co. 1832-1932
 The History of Madison Co.
 Madison Co. Cemetery Book
 Madison Co. Marriage records 1812-1909
 Madison Co. Probate records 1812-1870
 Madison Co. Census 1820-1860
 Morgan Co. Georgia Heritage 1807-1997
 History of Oconee Co.
 Oconee River Tales to Tell
 History of Oglethorpe Co.
 Oglethorpe Wills and Deeds and 1796 Tax lists
 Oglethorpe Co abstracts & Wills 1794-1903
 Cemeteries of Oglethorpe Co.
 Housing of Oglethorpe Co.
 Oglethorpe Deed Book 1794-1809
 Oglethorpe Deed Book 1809-1820
 Arnoldsville Cemetery
 Pioneer Days, Screven Co.
 The History of Stephens Co.
 History of Stephens Co., Georgia
 Cemetery Census of Taliaferro Co.
 Troup Co. and her people
 Old Union Co. Courthouse
 Marriages, Births, Deaths and Legals, Walker Co. 1888-1892
 Wayfarers in Walton Co.
 Warren Co. Marriages 1784-1849
 History of Washington Co.
 A History of White Co. 1857-1980

Hills of Wilkes Co.
 We Have this Heritage, History of Wilkes Co.
 The Wilkes Co. Papers 1773-1833
 Supplement to Wilkes Co. Papers 1773-1889
 Wilkes Co. Scrapbook
 Chronicles of Wilkes Co.
 Early Records of GA, Wilkes Co. Vol. 1, 2
 Census of Wilkes Co. 1850
 Wilkes Co. Tax Records 1785-1805 Vol. 1, 2
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 Jackson Co Newspaper clippings 1875-1881
 Jackson County slave enumeration
 Jackson County tax digest 1797-1802
 Jackson co Archeological resources
 Gone to Georgia (annotated 1820 census Jackson/Gwinnett)
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 Jackson Co. Early Court Records 1796-1831
 Jackson Co. Marriage Records, 1805-1910
 Jackson Co. Will Abstracts 1803-1888
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 Jackson County tombstones
 Jackson County Cemetery Records
 Sunrise Cemetery records, Maysville
 Jackson Co. Obituaries 1886-1920
 A History of Jackson Co.
 Historical Notes of Jackson Co.
 The Early History of Jackson Co.
 Educational Survey of Jackson Co. Schools 1915
 History of Harmony Grove 1810-1949
 Commerce/Groaning Rock
 Hoschton
 Jefferson
 Maysville/Hurricane Shoals
 Nicholson
 Pendergrass
 Sells
 Talmo
 Tallassee

ETHNIC GROUP RESEARCH

Cherokee Roots
 Unhallowed Intrusion, A History of Cherokee Families in
 Forsyth Eo. GA.
 Cherokee Planters in Georgia 1832-1838
 Whites Among the Cherokee

Cherokee Emigration Rolls 1817-1835
 Guion Miller Roll
 Records of Cherokee Agency in Tenn 1800-1835
 Black Roots, Tracing African American Family
 Georgia's Indian Heritage

CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS RESEARCH

History of the 18th GA Infantry, Jackson Co.
 In Search of Confederate Ancestors
 These Men She Gave
 Roster of Confederate Soldiers, 16 Volumes
 These Men Wore Grey, Jackson Co. Vol. VII
 Civil War Letters
 Georgia Pensioners
 Roster of Confederate soldiers of GA 1861-1865
 Roster of Confederate graves
 Crosses and medals awarded by the GA U.D.C.
 43rd Georgia Infantry Reg. Army of Tennessee C. S. A.

REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS RESEARCH

The Standing Army, Rev. soldier gravesites in GA
 GA citizens and soldiers of the American Rev.
 Collections of the Joseph Habersham Chapter DAR
 600 Revolutionary Soldiers living in Georgia in 1827-28
 Authentic List of All Land Lottery Grants made to Veterans
 of the Revolutionary War by the State of GA
 Rejected or Suspended Pension Applications
 Lost Pensions
 Revolutionary Soldiers Graves 1 & 2

CHURCH HISTORIES

The Huguenots
 Edwards Materials (Baptist in VA)
 History of Sarepta Baptist Association of GA
 Historical Sketches Presbyterian Churches and Early Settlers
 in Northeast GA
 Bowdon United Methodist
 Calvary Baptist, Statham
 Disciples of Christ
 Hebron Presbyterian Church, Banks Co.
 Homer/New Lebanon Presbyterian
 Sardis Baptist, Raye, GA
 Union Baptist, Barrow Co.

JACKSON COUNTY CHURCHES

Academy Baptist
 Antioch United Methodist
 Apple Valley Baptist
 Arcade Presbyterian

Attica Baptist
 Berea Baptist
 Bethany Methodist
 Cabin Creek Baptist
 Cave Springs Baptist
 Center Presbyterian
 Center Union Baptist
 Center United Methodist
 Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
 Commerce First Baptist
 Commerce First Methodist
 Commerce Presbyterian
 Crooked Creek Baptist
 Dry Pond United Methodist
 Ebenezer Methodist
 First Christian Church of Jefferson
 Galilee Christian
 Harmony Christian
 Holly Springs United Methodist
 Hoschton Baptist
 Jefferson First Baptist
 Jefferson Presbyterian
 Jefferson United Methodist
 Jones Chapel Baptist
 Lebanon United Methodist
 Little Valley Baptist
 Macedonia Congregational Church of Christ
 Maxey Hill Baptist
 Mizpah Presbyterian
 Mountain Creek Baptist
 Mt. Calvary Baptist
 Mt. Olive Baptist
 Mt. Pleasant CME
 New Grove Baptist
 New Hope AME
 New Liberty United Methodist
 New Salem Baptist
 Nicholson Pentecostal Fire-Baptized Holiness
 Nimno AME
 Oconee Baptist
 Paradise AME Methodist
 Pendergrass Baptist/Methodist
 Pond Fork
 Prospect Methodist
 Redstone United Methodist
 Sandy Creek Presbyterian
 Sardis Presbyterian
 St. Catherine Laboure' Catholic Mission
 St. Paul Baptist
 Summer Hill Baptist
 Talmo Baptist
 Thyatira Presbyterian

Toney Hill Baptist
 Unity Christian
 Walnut Fork Baptist
 Warren Chapel Methodist
 White Chapel Baptist
 White Plains Baptist
 Wilson Church
 Zion Baptist

MICROFILM

Confederate Pension Applications
 Forest News June 12, 1875–June
 1881
 Jackson Herald July 1881–March
 1974
 Commerce News 1928–
 Southern Banner, Athens March
 11, 1858–Dec. 11, 1868
 1800 Census of South Carolina
 1830 Census Habersham, Hall,
 Hancock, Harris, Henry,
 Houston, Irwin, Jackson,
 Jasper, Jefferson and Jones

BIBLE RECORDS

ANDERSON, William
 ARTHUR
 AYERS, John Henry
 BARBER, Truman
 BARKSDALE, Lester Eldridge
 BELL, Andrew J.
 BENNETT, Clifton
 BENNETT, George D.
 BENNETT, Sam Dean
 BENTON, Thomas
 BOGGS, Ezekiel
 BOGGS, Julius Jillier
 BRASELTON, Jacob
 BRAY, Bonnie Reba
 BRIDGES
 BRYAN, Brown
 BURNS, David Mitchell
 BURNS, William
 CHEATHAM
 CHRISTIAN, Roberts A.
 CLARK, James
 COOPER, Harrison
 CREIGHTON, William
 DAVIS, Joseph Elias
 DAVIS, Mrs. James William
 Addison
 DENNY, John Henry
 DICKSON, Japtha
 DUNCAN
 ELDER, James Sidney
 ELROD, Ebrice Milligan
 ETHRIDGE, I. W.
 EVANS, Thomas Alexander
 FOWLER, Robert Ney
 FREEMAN, Benjamin
 GARRISON, John Henry

1840 Census Irwin, Jackson, Jasper,
 Jefferson, Jones
 1850 Franklin, Gilmer,
 1860 Appling, Baker, Baldwin, Banks,
 Berrien, Bibb
 1870 Jackson
 1880 Appling, Baker, Baldwin, Banks,
 Bartow, Berrien
 1880 Heard, Henry, Houston, Irwin,
 Jackson
 1990 Banks, Bartow, Berrien
 1900 Jasper Jackson
 1910 Jackson

GLEN, Dr. James M.
 GOBER, William
 GOODMAN
 GUFFIN
 HALE, Eldredge Clinton
 HANCOCK, Haralson Hugh
 HANCOCK, John R.
 HANCOCK, Robert Jackson
 HAWKS, Elwood Eldridge
 HAWKS, G. B.
 HAWKS, G. W.
 HAWKS, Otis B.
 HILL
 HOOD, Mrs, Willis Jefferson
 HOSCH, Henry
 HOWINGTON, P. D.
 HUTCHINS, Betty Barnett
 JAMES, Harvey
 JARRETT, James Capers
 JOHNSON, J. M.
 JOHNSON, James Augustus
 JOHNSON, James Eberhart
 JOHNSON, James S.
 JOHNSON, Susan Wise
 JOHNSON, Thomas Sherwood
 KELLY, A. J.
 LAVENDER, Rufus M.
 LEGG, James
 LINDSAY, James Melvin
 LINDSAY, John Greene
 MATHIS, James and Betty Ann
 MATHIS, T. C.
 MAXWELL, Riley
 McELHANNON, James F.
 McELHANNON, John Monroe
 McELHANNON, Sr., Stewart

MEDLEY, Henry Bluford
 MERK, George
 MOON, George
 MOON, Sr., Jacob D.
 MORGAN, Jesse
 NABORS, James Oscar
 PHILLIPS, Wiley
 PITTMAN, Pleasant Cicero
 PITTMAN, John
 POTTER, William A.
 RANDOLPH, Hilliard
 RANDOLPH, John
 RANDOLPH, John W.
 RAY, William Robert
 REIDLING, Tom D.
 ROBERTS, P. J.
 ROGERS, Jacob
 ROGERS, Peleg
 SHARP, Nathan Johnson
 SHEILDS, James
 SHEILDS, Joseph R.
 SHIELDS, William D.
 SIMS, L. D.

STEWART, David Washington
 STOREY, Clifford T.
 STOREY, J.
 STOVALL, Dr. James Thomas
 TAYLOR, James
 THOMPSON, David s.
 TOLBERT, H. H.
 TURNER, Mrs. Sara A.
 VENABLE, John
 WADDELL, Conrad Harrison
 WATSON, Samuel
 WELBORN, Spurgeon La-
 Fayette
 WHITE, Christopher
 WHITEHEAD, Eldridge
 WHITMIRE, Leander Fit-
 zailand
 WILHITE, Edward
 WILLIAMS, Elijah
 WILLIAMSON, Robert
 WILLS, Edward
 WILLS, James E.
 WILSON, Callie Hawks

FAMILY FILES

ADAMS	BRAZEALE	DELAY
AGAN	BROOKS	DOSS
ALEXANDER	BROWN	DOWDY
ALLEN	BRYANT	DUNAGAN
ANDERSON	BUFFINGTON	DUNCAN
ANTHONY	BURNS	DUNNAHOO
APPLEBY	BUSH	DUNSON
ARMER	CAMP	DURHAM
ASBELL	CARR	EASLEY
BACON	CARSON	EASTER
BAILEY	CARTER	EDWARDS
BARBER	CASH	ELDER
BARNETT	CASTLEBERRY	ELLINGTON
BAUGH	CHANDLER	ELLISON
BEAVERS	CHAPMAN	ETERIDGE
BECK	CLARK	FAMBROUGH
BELL	CLARKSON	FOWLER
BENNETT	COFER	FREEMAN
BERRYMAN	COLLIER	GARNER
BETTS	COLLINS	GARRISON
BOGGS	COOLEY	GATHRIGHT
BORING	DALTON	GEE
BOWEN	DANIEL	GILLELAND
BOWLES	DEATON	GROVES
BRADFORD	DEAVOURS	HALEY
BRAY	DELAPERRIERE	HALL

HAMPTON	LYLE	SANDERS	FAMILY BOOKS	KEITH	TOLBERT
HANCOCK	McCARTY	SCOTT	ALEXANDER	LAMBERT	TURK
HARBER	McCLESKY	SHANKLE	BARBER	LANG	VARNER
HARBIN	McCURDY	SHARP	BARNETT	LONG	VENABLE
HARDY	McELHANNON	SHAW	BARROW	LORD	WALKER
HARRIS	McENTIRE	SHOCKLEY-JARRETT	BELL	LOTT	WALLS
HAWKINS	McEVERS	SILMAN	BENNETT	LYLE	WATERS
HAY	McGUIRE	SIMMONS	BOGGS/BULLOCK	McGEHEE	WEBB
HAYES/HAYS	McNEIL	SIMS	BORDERS	MCDONALD	WILBANKS
HEADON	MAHAFFEY	SMITH	BOWEN	MCNEIL	WILLIFORD
HEMPHILL	MALLARD	SPRINGFIELD	BRASELTON	MADDOX	WILSON
HENDRICKS	MANUS	STAPLER	BROCK	MANNING	WHITE
HENSON	MARLOW	STONEHAM	BROOKS	MASSEY	WHITLOCK
HERNDON	MARTIN	STOVALL	CAUDELL	MILFORD	WILLS
HILL	MATHIS	STREETMAN	CHANDLER	MINTZ	WOOD
HINTON	MATTHEWS	STRICKLAND	COCHRAN	MIZE	WRIGHT
HIX	MEADERS	SUDDERTH	COCKES	MINISH	
HOGAN	MEADOWS	SWAIN	CORBIN/LEACHMAN	MOON	
HOLDER	MERK	TAYLOR	CRAWFORD	NIX	
HOLLAND	MINISH	THOMAS	CULPEPPER	NUNN	
HOOD	MONTGOMERY	THOMPSON	DALE	PARKER	
HOSCH	MOORE	THORNTON	DALTON	PARKS	
HOUSE/HOWSE	MORGAN	THURMAN	DEATON	PEELER	
HOWARD	MORRISON	THURMOND	DELAY	PENDERGRASS	
HOWINGTON	MURPHY	TITSHAW	DICKEY	PENTECOST	
HUMAN	NASH	TITWORTH	DOSS	PERRY	
HUMPHRIES	NEWTON	TOLBERT	DUNAGAN	PIERCE	
HUNT	NORVILLE	TROUT	ELROD	PINION	
INZER	NOWELL	TURNER	ETHRIDGE	PIRKLE	
IVEY	NUNN	VARNUM	FINLEY	PITTMAN	
JAMES	ORR	VAUGHAN	FLOURNOY	PRICKETT	
JARRETT	PACE	VOYLES	GAINES	PORTER	
JOHNSON	PARK	WADDELL	GARRISON	RATCHFORD	
KEITH	PARKS	WAGES	GOBER	RAWLS	
KELLY	PARKER	WALKER	HAGGARD	ROBINSON	
KENT	PENDERGRASS	WALLACE/WALLIS	HALEY	SAULS	
KEY	PERRY	WALLS	HAMPTON	SEVIER	
KIDD	PETTYJOHN	WARE	HARDMAN	SHANNONS	
KING	PINSON	WEBB	HARPER	SHEILDS	
KIRBO	PIRKLE	WHITE	HARRIS	SHOCKLEY	
KIRKPATRICK	PITTMAN	WHITEHEAD	HAYDEN	SIMMONS	
KNOX	POOLE	WHITMIRE	HENDERSON	SISSON	
KOLB	POTTER	WIER	HILLEY	SLAYTON	
LANGLEY	POTTS	WILKES	HINTON	SMITH	
LATTA	PUGH	WILLIAMS	HOGAN	STOCKTON	
LEDBETTER	PYRON	WILLIAMSON	HOLDER	STOREY	
LEMASTER	RANDOLPH	WILLS	HOOVER	SUTTON	
LESTER	REYNOLDS	WILSON	HORTON	TATE	
LINDSAY	RICHARDSON	WRIGHT	HOSCH	TELFORD	
LIPSCOMB	ROBERTS		HUNT	THORNTON/CRISLER	
LONG	ROGERS		JOHNSTON	THURMOND	
LOWREY	ROSS		JOINER	TITSHAW/CRONIC	
			JONES		

The Jackson County Historical will meet at the Commerce Public Library Heritage Room on April 17 at 2:30 p.m. for a program on "How to Begin Geneology Research." The Historical Society added their collection of books and family files to the Heritage Room collection in 2000. The Heritage Room has access to Ancestry.com and World Vital Records.com memberships, so that researchers can view census and many other records from around the world. There is also newspaper microfilm of the Forest News/Jackson Herald from 1875-1994 and the Commerce News from 1928-2002

Directions: Travel on Highway 441 North, turn left on highway 334 at the railroad tracks. Travel about 1 mile towards Commerce, the Library is on the right side of the road.

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The highlight of the day's events will be an auction featuring such items as courthouse artifacts, an 1876 Mason Hamlin organ, and the #10 brick from the original 1879 building.

Activities throughout the day will be:

Local musicians playing period music

Food vendors with 1908 period foods

An exhibit of 1900's automobiles

Children's booth

Tours of the courthouse (\$5/person). Because of the ongoing construction, no children under 12 will be allowed on the tour. No open toe shoes or loose fitting clothes, please.

Gene Barrington, architectural consultant in charge of the restoration project, will be leading the tours. He will provide an architectural history of the courthouse, give an update on the exterior restoration and explain plans for completion.

