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Hughes							
Robert	64	M	Farmer	400	SC		
Mary	63	F			NC		
William	16	M			GA		
William	5	M			AL		
Harriet	1	F			AL		
Burns							
Dorcas	54	F	----	---	SC		
Margaret	15	F			SC		
Harriet	13	F			SC		
Salina	9	F			AL		
Downey							
Peter J.	32	M	Farmer	---	SC		
Saphronia	20	F			AL		
Sarah A.	1	F			AL		
Brown							
William	26	M	Farmer	1500	AL		
Matilda	25	F			AL		
Robertson							
Reuben	42	M	Farmer	600	SC	Reuben Robertson married Malinda Knight.	
Malinda	40	F			SC		
Manoah	16	M	Laborer		AL	Manoah married Rebecca Coward on 22 Dec 1853. ⁴	
Caroline	14	F			AL	Caroline married Stephen Hodges bet 1859-1860 ⁴	
Martha	13	F			AL	Martha (9 Dec 1837 – 11 Oct 1901). ⁴	
Henry	11	M			AL	Henry married Martha A. Thomas on 2 Sep 1877. ⁴	
Marvin	9	M			AL		
Elias	7	M			AL	Elias Robertson married Nancy Melissa Huey on 18 May 1871. ⁴	
Mary Ann	5	F			MI	(MI = Mississippi ?)	
Margaret M.	4	F			AL	Margaret Melissa married Robert J. Hughes on abt 10 Dec 1884. ⁴	
Jesse	6/12	M			AL	Jesse Toliver married Carrie 1869-1882; then married Rose Parsons on 22 Mar 1888. ⁴	
Higgins							
Thomas	57	M	Laborer	---	SC	Thomas married Milly Stone aft 1810. ⁴	
Milly	56	F			SC		
Andrew	17	M			SC		

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Hogan Eli Lauret E. Caroline Frances William T.	33 22 4 2 1/12	M F F F M	Farmer	---	AL AL AL AL AL	Eli Manuel married Laurett Emaline Hooper. ⁴ Nancy Caroline married James Dudley Goolsby on abt 1 Mar 1870. ⁴ Frances Elizabeth married William Hogan? ⁴ William Thomas married Margaret J. Goolsby. ⁴	
Goolsby Josiah Susan Malissa Hezekiah Elizabeth William S. James A. Reuben L. Louisa Page 172A Rodah	41 29 11 10 8 7 6 4 3 1/12	M F F M F M M M F F	Farmer	---	GA AL AL AL AL AL AL AL AL AL	Josiah, son of Reuben? Goolsby & ?, married Susan Shoemaker, dau. of Flemmon? Shoemaker & Mary W. ?, on abt 5 May 1838. ⁴ William S. married M. Elizabeth. ⁴ James married Mary J. Godfrey on 11 Oct 1894. ⁴ Reuben Lindsey married Margie M. Hancock. ⁴ Rhoda (1 May 1850 – 1 Apr 1918). ⁴	
Goolsby Reuben Elizabeth Mary Elizabeth Lucinda William	68 45 31 25 13 17	M F F F F M	Farmer Laborer	200	VA GA GA GA GA GA		
Goolsby Dudley Echols Newton Martha Elizabeth Mary	24 25 22 4 2	M M F F F	Laborer Laborer	---	GA GA GA GA GA	Son of Reuben? Goolsby. ⁴ Isaac Newton married Martha Goolsby, dau. of Reuben Goolsby. ⁴ Elizabeth Elvira married Felix Samuel Snow on abt 9 Jan 1868. ⁴	
Shoemaker Flemmon Mary W. Mary Flemmon James	60 56 18 16 15	M F F M M	Farmer Laborer Laborer	220	GA SC AL AL AL	Mary married George W. Woodruff on 23 Dec 1854. ⁴ Flemmon married Eliz Amanda Lovett on 23 Apr 1857. ⁴ James W. married Elizabeth Hancock on 17 Jan 1854. ⁴	

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Shoemaker Hiram Elizabeth Permelia	24 20 2	M F F	Farmer	---	AL SC AL	Hiram married Elizabeth A. Higgins?	
Early William Louisa Mary E.	34 17 2	M F F	Laborer	80	KY AL AL	William married Louisa/Eliza Shoemaker on abt 30 Apr 1846. ⁴ Mary Earley married Franklin Reese McDonald. ⁴	
Carmichael James Daisy Martin Reuben William B. Benjamin G. James D.	37 35 12 10 8 6 2	M F M M M M M	Farmer	300	AL GA AL AL AL AL AL	James married Dannie? Reuben married Martha Brackett. ⁴ William Bailey? married Caroline. ⁴ James D. (28 Oct 1847 – 2 Apr 1887). ⁴	
Brown James Sarah G. Nancy William Thomas	37 32 12 10 3	M F F M M	Farmer	2000	TN NC AL AL AL		
Bridges Jackson Mahala Martha Thomas George Charles	36 35 8 7 4 1	M F F M M M	Overseer	---	NC TN AL AL AL AL	Jackson Bridges married Mahala Gill on 1 Jan 1839. ⁴ Martha M. married Archibald Anderson Justice on abt 15 Jun 1859. ⁴ Thomas William Bridges married Frances A. Hamaker on 15 Oct 1865. ⁴ George Montgomery Bridges married Martha S. Mayfield on 13 Feb 1865. ⁴ Charles H. Bridges married Polly Ann Hamaker on 25 May 1867. ⁴	
Owen Robert Page 172B Nancy Mary Ann James Henry Malinda	40 35 11 9 7 4	M F F M M F	Farmer	800	VA NC AL AL AL AL		

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Draper John Mahulda Baylis Lavina Philip M George F.	51 46 21 17 15 14	M F M F M M	Farmer Laborer Laborer	800	SC SC AL AL AL AL	John married Mahulda Ayers on abt 2 Jun 1821. ⁴ George H. Draper married 1 st - Mary A.; 2 nd - Nancy Melissa Huey on 14 Aug 1884. ⁴	
Ayres Joseph Sarah Thomas McClain Frances James Caroline Jane Goyne William Julia	48 43 22 20 18 16 14 11 12 10	M F M M F M F F M F	Farmer Laborer	1800	SC SC AL AL AL AL AL AL AL AL		
Lovett Elijah B. Rodah James Rufus Robert Amanda Elizabeth Frances George Sarah	45 38 17 15 11 10 8 6 3 10/12	M F M M M F F F M F	Farmer Laborer	250	GA SC AL AL AL AL AL AL AL AL	Elijah B. married Rhoda Roberson on abt 8 Jan 1830. ⁴ Amanda married Flemmon Shoemaker on 23 Apr 1857. ⁴	
Drummond Temy Harriet	38 5/12	F F	-----	---	VA AL		
Fields Moses, Jr. Eliza Ann William M.	23 19 6/12	M F M	Farmer	300	AL AL AL	Moses Fields married Eliza Howton. ⁴ William M. married Eliza J. Smith on 5 Nov 1871. ⁴	

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Shoemaker William Jane Louisa Rebecca Gilbert W. Manerva Page 173A Catharine	63 50 26 21 15 7 4	M F F F M F F	Farmer Laborer	--- 	VA SC SC SC SC GA GA		
Burgin William Elizabeth James L. Nancy A. Mary James	33 22 3 1 14 17	M F M F F M	Farmer Laborer	1000 	AL AL AL AL AL AL		
Brown Joseph Mary Ann William B. Bernard F. Mary E. Sarah Easter M.	35 35 10 8 5 4 7/12	M F M M F F F	Farmer	1500 	TN TN AL AL AL AL AL		
Hodges John C. Jane Margaret John Frances Stephen William Mary	40 37 13 11 9 6 5 1/12	M F F M F M M F	Farmer	1000 	SC SC AL AL AL AL AL AL		
Snow William H. Mary Martha John W.	27 21 3 1	M F F M	Farmer	700 	AL GA AL AL		

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Rutledge James Martha Melissa Joseph Thomas George Lucy	61 45 17 14 9 6 4	M F F M M M F	Farmer	1000	NC NC AL AL AL AL AL	James married Martha Sadler.	
Snow William, Jr. Nancy Phelix S. William O. Martha A. James G.	33 30 8 6 4 1	M F M M F M	Farmer	1500	GA AL AL AL AL AL	William Hill, son of William Snow & Margaret Burnside, married Nancy Tucker. ⁴ Felix Samuel married Elizabeth Elvira. ⁴ William Allious married Mary Ann Laird on 19 Oct 1880. ⁴ Martha Ann (15 Feb 1849 – 10 Dec 1921). ⁴	
Brown Isaac Eliza Margaret Mary E. Isaac A. John W. Ira W. William	42 35 15 10 5 3 1 68	M F F F M M M M	Farmer	3000	GA GA AL AL AL AL AL NC	Page 173B	
Snow William, Sr. Margaret Black Margaret	62 56 19	M F F	Farmer	400	VA NC AL	William married Margaret Burnside.	
Snow Willis T. Sarah Catharine Eliza L. William L.	27 24 3 2 4/12	M F F F M	Farmer		AL AL AL AL AL		
Hodges Stephen Mary Coward Rebecca	52 56 20	M F F	Farmer	1500	TN GA SC	Stephen married 1 st - Mary; 2 nd - Caroline Robertson, dau. of Reuben Robertson & Malinda Knight, abt 1859. ⁴ Rebecca married Manoah Robertson on 22 Dec 1853. ⁴	

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Hughes Robert Elizabeth Mary G. Stephen F/H Sarah E.	29 31 6 5 8/12	M F F M F	Farmer	---	GA AL AL AL AL	Robert married Elizabeth Snow on abt 14 Sep 1842. ⁴	
Price John D. Emily Nancy Marinda A. James John Eli Bradford Peter	39 27 9 8 6 4 1/12 60	M F F F M M M M	Mechanic	---	NC NC AL AL AL AL AL GA	(Color – Black)	
Crooks John Nancy William F/H Mary E. Ashton John C.	38 22 1 4/12 5	M F M F M	-----	---	SC GA AL AL AL	John married Nancy on 3 Sep 1847. ⁴ Nancy married 1 st - ? Ashton; 2 nd - John Crooks on 3 Sep 1847. ⁴ Mary Elizabeth (1852 - 12 Feb 1932). ⁴ Son of ? Ashton & Nancy ?	
Jordan Mortimer Amy Flemming Charles Mariah Sarah Mortimer	57 46 21 16 12 10 5	M F M M F F M	Farmer	10000	GA CT AL AL AL AL AL	(CT = Connecticut)	
Clark John Jane B. James W. Mary Thomas F/T Francis William E. John F.	43 38 16 11 8 6 4 1	M F M F M M M M	Farmer Laborer	500	NC SC AL AL AL AL AL AL		

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Clark Elizabeth James	58 18	F M	----- Laborer	---	SC AL		
Justice Charles Martha Berry Charles Rebecca Archibald Martha Margaret	40 50 20 17 15 13 10 8	M F M M F M F F	Farmer	1000	SC SC SC SC SC SC SC SC	Charles married Martha Green on abt 5 Apr 1832 in Haywood County, North Carolina. ⁴ Berry married Mahala McCarty on abt 25 Jul 1853. ⁴ Charles M. married Martha Carrington on 17 Dec 1854. ⁴ Rebecca married Archibald McFerrin on 30 Jul 1856. ⁴ Archibald Anderson married Martha M. Bridges on abt 15 Jun 1859. ⁴ Martha married Anderson N. Hamaker on 22 Aug 1857. ⁴ Margaret married Washington Shoemaker on abt 25 Oct 1857. ⁴	
Dees James Sarah Nancy John A. David F. Thomas Frazier Unity C.	34 29 6 5 3 2 18	M F F M M M F	Farmer	100	NC VA AL AL AL AL	James William married Sally Hamaker, dau. of John Hamaker & Sarah Elizabeth Spears, on 20 Apr 1843. ⁴ Nancy married James R. Crowder on 26 Oct 1875. ⁴ John A. married Martha E. Booth on 3 Feb 1879. ⁴ Thomas Jefferson married Frances M. Hornsby on 10 Dec 1874. ⁴ Unity married George W. Cox on 21 Nov 1853. ⁴	
Brown David Lucinda John Elizabeth Isaac William Robertson William	38 30 12 8 4 1 72	M F M F M M M	Farmer	1000	TN AL AL AL AL AL VA		
Brown Robert Elizabeth Francis William Sarah E. Eliza C. John W. Martha	31 28 10 9 7 5 3 1	M F M M F F M F	Farmer	800	AL AL AL AL AL AL AL AL		

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Levi	36	M	Overseer	---	GA		
Permelia	30	F			GA		
Martha Ann	12	F			GA		
Louisa	9	F			AL		
William A.	6	M			AL		
James A.	4	M			AL		
Robert G.	4/12	M			AL		
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