

April 9 1812

John Henry Starr, was born in Wilkes County, but spent most of his life in Spalding County. He was a good man, and raised seventeen children to be grown, or they lived after his death to be grown. He gave each one a home consisting of from 50 to 150 acres of land each. He was buried at County Line church, and his children and family relations gathered at County Line church each year on October 18, for several years until they got scattered so far apart until it was disbanded. He was also a great benefactor in the community in which he lived in the way of a peace maker, and helping those that needed help.

Mary Starr, his first wife was a good woman, and the mother of fifteen or sixteen children. Thirteen of her children lived to be grown men and women. Her death was caused from a cancer on her breast.

Ellen Athay Starr, his second wife was a good woman, and the mother of four children, which lived to be grown. My mother had a hard time being left a widow with four small children, never having to attend to any business in a public way, and her girlhood being just before and through the Civil War deprived her of an education of such that would be a great help to a woman attending to her own affairs. My mother was a woman of very few words, but a devoted christian. She died from Phneumonia and Erysipelis on her forehead, and going down one side of her face, and effected her throat. She lived and died at the old home estate in Spalding County, and we never had a picture of her until she was a corpse.

Eleanor Beatrice Starr, was born and raised in Spalding County, and married J. W. Starr, February 2, 1888. She lived close by Union District Court House, what is known as the John Coleman place. We were married at County Line church by John H. Elder. She was a good christian girl, a great lover of music, and could play well for the opportunities she had. She was a good kind wife and mother of three children. She died March 31, 1893. Her death was caused from Measles and confinement with a little girl named Eleanor Kate. Her last words was singing the song, There will be room enough in heaven.

Henry Embry Starr, was born at the old home place, and was a bright baby. Was taken with a cold, and died with a rising in his head, that almost burst his right eye out.

Eleanor Kate Starr, was born while the mother had the measles, and was also broken out just as thick as her mother was, and never was verywell. Was cared for by Aunt Martha Jane Ogletree.

Willie Belle Starr, was a bright fine baby, and was taken with a severe cold, and died from the effects.

Willie Ruth Starr, died from the effects of indigestion. Was born in our home at Sunnyside, Ga. but died in Atlanta, Ga. very suddenly when we lived on Humphries St.

Edne Jane Starr, was born when we lived at 35 Stonewall St. Atlanta. and never was very well, but was a very bright baby, and died when we lived on Davis, St. in Atlanta, Ga. with stomach and bowell trouble.

Rachael Rebecca Starr, was the youngest child of our father's family and the only ~~son~~ sister of J. W., J. T. and E. E. Starr, and was married to H. P. Griffin, and was the mother of three children, and seemed to be a stout young woman, but died with lung trouble at Sunnyside, Ga. in one of her houses down close by the school. She was conscious up to the very last few minutes, and talked of going away, and kissed each one of the family as though going off for a visit. She was a christian girl, and was buried close by Shiloh Church at Sunnyside, Ga.

These notes was wrote by: J. W. Starr.

John Henry Starr, Born April 9, 1812, Died October 18, 1875.

Was married to Mary Elder, July 1831.

Was married to Ellen Athay Ogletree, September 15, 1864.

Ellen Athay Starr, Born August 7, 1840, Died January 23, 1888.

James William Starr, Born August 22, 1867,

Was married Eleanor Beatrice Coleman, February 2, 1888.

Was married to Nettie Belle Leach, December 28, 1893.

Eleanor Beatrice Starr was born September 20, 1870, Died March 31, 1893.

Nettie Belle Starr, Born June 29, 1869. 1870 1869

Henry Embry Starr, Born December 11, 1888, Died November 1, 1890.

James Pierce Starr, Born July 9, 1890,

Eleanor Kate Starr, Born March 25, 1893, Died July 5, 1893.

David Homer Starr, Born February 12, 1895.

John Henry Starr, Born December 24, 1896.

Willie Belle Starr, Born December 16, 1898, Died February 11, 1899.

Willie Ruth Starr, Born May 2, 1900, Died April 2, 1901.

Nannie Ellen Starr, Born March 9, 1903.

Edna Jane Starr, Born August 26, 1905, Died January 28, 1906.

Joseph Tenth Starr, Born December 25, 1869.

Elijah Eleventh Starr, Born Januray 1, 1872.

Willie Belle Starr, Born December 16, 1898, Died February 11, 1899.

Willie Ruth Starr, Born May 2, 1900, Died April 2, 1901.

Nannie Ellen Starr, Born March 9, 1903-4

Edna Jane Starr, Born August 26, 1905, Died January 28, 1906.

Joseph Tenth Starr, Born December 25, 1869. *June*

Elijah Eleventh Starr, Born January 1, 1872.

~~Rebecca Starr, Born August 1874, Died 1897.~~

Alice Elizabeth Willis Starr, Born Sept. 30, 1897

William Louis Waters & Dec 24 - 1900 by J. E. Ellis

W. L. & Ellis was mar June 7 - 1924

Gladis Daryl Thomas Born Jan 10 - 1898

Thomas & Gladis married Nov 30 - 1916 by J. H. Quillian

David Horner Starr Jr Born July 26 - 1919

Charlett Louise & Virginia Ellen Starr Born July 17 - 1921

James Thomas Starr Born July 1 - 1924

~~John Horner Starr & Virginia Ellen Starr married Dec 30 - 1922~~
by R. A. Edmanson

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