

Descendants of William Terry

Generation No. 1

1. WILLIAM¹ TERRY was born 1804 in Alabama, and died Abt. 1860 in 1860 Census in Poinsett Co, Ark.. He married MAHALEY CONNELLY. She was born 1810 in Alabama, and died Abt. 1860 in 1860 Census in Poinsett Co, Ark..

Notes for WILLIAM TERRY:

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On the 1850 Census: Dist. 2, Haywood, Tenn.

William Terry

Age: 46

Estimated Birth Year: abt 1804

Birth Place: Alabama

Gender: Male - Farming for Occupation

Home in 1850: District 2, Haywood, Tennessee

Household Members: Name Age

Andrew Terry 10

Felix Terry 4

Freeland Terry 8

James Terry 12

Jane Terry 13

Mahala Terry 40

Mary Terry 6

Nancy Terry 17

William Terry 15

William Terry 46

Note: parents born Alabama

Children born Tennessee

1860 Census:

1860 United States Federal Census

about William Terry

Name: William Terry

Age in 1860: 54

Birth Year: abt 1806

Birthplace: Tennessee

Home in 1860: Mitchel, Poinsett, Arkansas

Gender: Male

Post Office: Cold Water

Household Members: Name Age

William Terry 54

Mahaley Terry 53

Joseph Terry 31

Nancy Terry 27

Harry Terry 17

Andrew Terry 12

Thomas Terry 10

William Terry 7

Amanda Gather 14

Children of WILLIAM TERRY and MAHALEY CONNELLY are:

2.
 - i. JAMES ALVIN² TERRY, b. February 24, 1839, Lafayette Co. Tenn.; d. March 05, 1905, Forrest City, Arkansas.
 - ii. NANCY TERRY, b. 1833.
 - iii. WILLIAM TERRY, b. 1835.
 - iv. JANE TERRY, b. 1839.
 - v. ANDREW TERRY, b. 1840.
 - vi. FREELAND TERRY, b. 1842.
 - vii. MARY TERRY, b. 1844.
 - viii. FELIX TERRY, b. 1846.

Generation No. 2

2. JAMES ALVIN² TERRY (*WILLIAM*¹) was born February 24, 1839 in Lafayette Co. Tenn., and died March 05, 1905 in Forrest City, Arkansas. He married ELIZA JANE NEWMAN September 10, 1865 in Forrest City, Arkansas. She was born August 20, 1848 in Bradley Co., Tenn., and died June 06, 1924.

Notes for JAMES ALVIN TERRY:

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1850 CENSUS:

1850 United States Federal Census

William Terry family

Name: James Terry

Age: 12

Estimated Birth Year: abt 1838

Birth Place: Tennessee

Gender: Male

Home in 1850(City,County,State): District 2, Haywood, Tennessee

Household Members: Name Age

Andrew Terry 10

Felix Terry 4

Freeland Terry 8

James Terry 12

Jane Terry 13

Mahala Terry 40
Mary Terry 6
Nancy Terry 17
William Terry 15
William Terry 46

1870 CENSUS:

1870 United States Federal Census
about James A Terry
Name: James A Terry
Estimated Birth Year: abt 1840
Age in 1870: 30
Birthplace: Tennessee
Home in 1870: Johnson, St Francis, Arkansas
Race: White
Gender: Male
Post Office: Madison
Household Members: Name Age
James A Terry 30
Eliza J Terry 21
John B Terry 3
Mary L Terry 7/12
Newman H Terry 13

1880 Census:

1880 United States Federal Census
about James Terry
Name: James Terry
Home in 1880: Johnson, Saint Francis, Arkansas
Age: 40
Estimated Birth Year: abt 1840
Birthplace: Tennessee
Relation to Head of Household: Self (Head)
Spouse's Name: Jane
Father's birthplace: Alabama
Mother's birthplace: Alabama
Neighbors: View others on page
Occupation: Farmer
Marital Status: Married
Race: White
Gender: Male

Household Members: Name Age

James Terry 40
Jane Terry 30
John Terry 12
James Terry 8
Eddie Terry 5
Charley Terry 3
Henry Terry 8M
Clemen Dauride 26

BANNER, TERRY

Home in 1900: Forrest City, St Francis, Arkansas

Age: 32

Birth Date: Jun 1867

Birthplace: Arkansas

Race: White

Ethnicity: American

Relationship to head-of-house: Head

Father's Name: James

Father's Birthplace: Tennessee

Mother's Name: Elizabeth

Mother's Birthplace: Tennessee

Spouse's Name: Mary

Marriage Year: 1891

Marital Status: Married

Years Married: 9

Residence : Forrest City Town, St. Francis, Arkansas

Occupation: View Image

Neighbors: View others on page

Household Members: Name Age

Banner Terry 32

Mary Terry 32

Lida Terry 8

Velma Terry 3

(Elizabeth Terry 51 wife and he living with son in 1900 census

James Terry 61)

Maggie Terry 17

E*T Terry 14 Ernest B.

Henry Right 48 Servant

More About JAMES ALVIN TERRY:

Burial: Hughes Cemetery, Forrest City, Ark.

More About ELIZA JANE NEWMAN:

Burial: Hughes Cemetery, Forrest City, Ark.

Children of JAMES TERRY and ELIZA NEWMAN are:

3. i. **JOHN BANNER³ TERRY, b. June 28, 1867; d. February 06, 1913.**
4. ii. **MARGARET MAYBELL TERRY, b. March 06, 1883, Crowley's Ridge, SArkansas; d. December 21, 1971, Harrisonburg, Mennonite Home, Virginia.**
- iii. **EARNEST B. TERRY, b. February 12, 1886, Arkansas; d. January 06, 1942; m. ELOISE SCOTT, July 1910, Home of Sister, Mrs.J.E.Darr, Little Rock, Ark.; b. March 14, 1885; d. May 18, 1955.**

Notes for EARNEST B. TERRY:

TERRY ERNESTB. m.1910-07-? SPOUSE:>SCOTTELOISE MISS FCTIMESTERRY-SCOTT=Mr.Ernest Terry, formerly of this city, and Miss Eloise Scott were married at the home of his sister in Little Rock, Mrs.Edgar Darr, nee Miss Maggie Terry.7-8-1910

5. iv. **HENRY W. DR. TERRY, b. October 05, 1879, St.Francis Co., Ark.; d. October 30, 1906, Konawa, Indian Territory.**
- v. **PLEASANT EDDIE DR. TERRY, b. 1875.**
- vi. **MARY TERRY, b. 1870.**
- vii. **JAMES TERRY, b. 1872.**
- viii. **CHARLIE TERRY, b. 1877.**

Generation No. 3

3. JOHN BANNER³ TERRY (*JAMES ALVIN*², *WILLIAM*¹) was born June 28, 1867, and died February 06, 1913. He married (1) MARY LINDSEY January 04, 1891 in Page G-2-St.Francis Co., Ark.. She was born March 22, 1869, and died April 22, 1901 in Forrest City, Arkansas. He married (2) MARY ROBERTA MRS. MONTGOMERY December 11, 1901 in Book I-Page 276-St.Francis County, Ark.. She was born 1869.

Notes for JOHN BANNER TERRY:

TERRY JOHNBANNER 23m.1891-01-04 SPOUSE:>LINDSEY MARY 21 G-002

TERRY JOHNBANNER m.1911-12-11 SPOUSE:>MONTGOMERYM. R. MRSFCTIMESTERRY-MONTGOMERY= Announced for Dec.11,1901, at First Methodist Church in Searcy, Ark. between Mr.J.B.Terry and Mrs.M.R.Montgomery, Miss Maggie Terry, sister of the groom, attended the wedding. 12-6-1901

In the 1905 Art Souvenir, pages 99 and 101, this is the article along with his and his home pictured, as above: John B.Terry was born June 28,1867, on a farm five miles north of Forrest City, in this county. He is a son of James A. and Eliza (Newman) Terry. His parents were pioneers, his father coming here in 1848 from Tennessee and his mother in 1851 from Maury county, in the same state. His father was one of the successful farmers of the county. The subject of this sketch received a limited education in the schools of Forrest City and began his career as a merchant. He located in Forrest City from Caldwell in January 1898, an has since been engaged in farming and merchandising. He is a stockholder in The J.W.Beck Company, of which he is one of the directors; in the Planters' Gin & Manufacturing Company and the Choctaw Brick & Tile Company. In 1904 Mr.Terry was appointed assessor to fill out an unexpired term and was elected to the same office in the September election. He enjoys the distinction of having made the largest and best assessment ever made in this county, turning in two of the neatest and prettiest books ever filed in the clerk's office. Prior to his removal to Forrest City, Mr.Terry was postmaster and railroad ticket agent at Caldwell for four years. He is a Democrat in politics, having cast his first vote for Grover Cleveland. He was first married in 1891 to Miss Mary Lindsey, of Caldwell, and to them two children, Lida and Velma, were born. The latter died in 1901. He was again married, this time in 1901, to Mrs.Roberta Montgomery, of Searcy, White county, Arkansas. He is a member in good standing of the Masons, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Knights and Ladies of Honor, Knights of the Maccabees and the Redmen. He owns his lovely home in this city, a splendid picture of which is shown herewith, and three good farms, comprising about seven hundred acres, all situated in this county, west of the St.Francis river. He will be glad to answer any inquiries concerning the resources, opportunities, etc., of this vicinity, and his thorough knowledge of conditions will render his answers valuable. He has been entirely successful in his business undertakings, and from the day he started as a farmer boy has gradually attained his high position. He will be a candidate for re-election before the Democratic primary next March.. He regards manufacturing establishments as the greatest need of our section. Mr. Terry considers coming to Forrest City the greatest event in his life-except marriage.

1900 Census:

Banner Terry

Home in 1900: Forrest City, St Francis, Arkansas

Age: 32

Birth Date: Jun 1867

Birthplace: Arkansas

Race: White

Ethnicity: American

Relationship to head-of-house: Head

Father's Name: James

Father's Birthplace: Tennessee

Mother's Name: Elizabeth

Mother's Birthplace: Tennessee

Spouse's Name: Mary

Marriage Year: 1891

Marital Status: Married

Years Married: 9

Residence : Forrest City Town, St. Francis, Arkansas

Occupation: [View Image](#)

Neighbors: View others on page
Household Members: Name Age
Banner Terry 32
Mary Terry 32
Lida Terry 8
Velma Terry 3
Elizabeth Terry 51
James Terry 61
Maggie Terry 17
E*T Terry 14
Henry Right 48

More About JOHN BANNER TERRY:
Burial: Hughes Cemetery, Forrest City, Ark.

Notes for MARY LINDSEY:
Birth: Mar. 22, 1869
Death: Apr. 21, 1901

Death of Mrs.J.B.Terry-The spirit of this good woman has flown into the realms of eternity and while our hearts are wrapped in sorrow, we know that her soul has found piece and comfort in Paradise. The deceased has been an invalid for more than a year and it was seemed her afflictions were beyond the control of medical science. Every effort was exhausted by her loving husband to palliate her ills, but to no avail. At 5:15 o'clock Sunday, Apr.21,1901, Mrs.J.B.Terry passed from earthly trials and sorrows into that great beyond. In 1891, Miss Mary Lindesy was married to Mr.J.B.Terry, and two children blessed their union-two bright baby girls-to whom the entire household is sincerely attached. Mrs. Terry was always kind, and endured her afflictions with a beautiful patience and fortitude. The deceased was a member of the Methodist church when a mere child, and lived a consistent member of that organization until her demise. The remains were interred in Hughes cemetery followed by a large concourse of friends which was augmented by a large assemblage from Johnson and Telico townships and was one of the large ones seen at Hughes cemetery. Bro.Davidson of the Methodist church officiating. FORREST CITY TIMES NEWSPAPER APR.26,1901

More About MARY LINDSEY:
Burial: Hughes Cemetery, Forrest City, Ark. Plot 275

Children of JOHN TERRY and MARY LINDSEY are:

- i. VELMA⁴ TERRY, b. September 1896, Arkansas; d. July 19, 1901, Forrest City, Arkansas.

Notes for VELMA TERRY:

TERRY VELMA MISS 1895 719 1901 HUGHES

7-26-1901 Velma, the little six year old daughter of Mr.& Mrs. J.B.Terry, died on Friday, July 19,1901, after a brief illness, and was buried the following day at the Hughes graveyard, about eight miles north of Forrest City. This is the second time within the past three months that the grim reaper has left this home in gloom and depression, taking from the good man of the house his dearest treasures and leaving him in mental torture and his soul riven with sorrow. Rev.Davidson read the burial service at the open grave where the precious fondling was laid to rest beside it's mother, and upon that sacred spot, his mind and heart torn by conflicting emotions as memories of his wife and child came up before him as they appeared in life, Mr.Terry poured out his grief. No more touching scene of sorrow can be imagined than a strong man convulsed with sobs in the face of trials over which he has no control and against which he is powerless to rebel. Little Velma was the youngest child, and her sweet disposition and lovable ways always endeared her to every member of the household.

More About VELMA TERRY:
Burial: Hughes Cemetery, Forrest City, Ark.

ii. LIDA TERRY, b. March 1892, Arkansas.

4. MARGARET MAYBELL³ TERRY (*JAMES ALVIN*², *WILLIAM*¹) was born March 06, 1883 in Crowley's Ridge, SArkansas, and died December 21, 1971 in Harrisonburg, Mennonite Home, Virginia. She married JOHN EDGAR DARR April 08, 1910 in Book K-Page 265-Forrest City, Arkansas by Elder W.E.Pippin, Baptist Church. He was born April 17, 1881 in Atkins, Pope Co., Ark., and died July 27, 1959 in Fountain City, Tenn..

Notes for JOHN EDGAR DARR:

MARRIAGEDARR JOHNEDGAR NA FORREST CITY TIMESDARR-TERRY=Mr.John Edgar Darr and Miss Margaret Maybelle Terry were united by Elder W.E.Pippin of the Baptist church. The wedding took place in the home of Mr.& Mrs.J.B.Terry. Mrs.Darr is the daughter of Mrs.E.J.Terry, and was reared in this county. He is from Atkins, Ark., and now lives in Little Rock where they will make their home.-4-10-1908

Possible:

FCTIMESMr.& Mrs.Edgar Darr, having interests in Round Pond, who have been making Forrest City their home for over a year, are moving to Charleston, S.Carolina.-4-19-1912

Children of MARGARET TERRY and JOHN DARR are:

- i. JOHN EDGAR⁴ DARR, b. January 03, 1909, Little Rock, Arkansas; d. January 24, 1989, Charleston, S.Carolina; m. EVELYN TOMLINSON; b. 1917.
- ii. ERNEST CLAUDE DARR, b. 1914; d. 1933, Tennessee.

5. HENRY W. DR.³ TERRY (*JAMES ALVIN*², *WILLIAM*¹) was born October 05, 1879 in St.Francis Co., Ark., and died October 30, 1906 in Konawa, Indian Territory. He married EMMA HUMPHRIES March 12, 1903 in Rev.J.N.Jessup-Christian Church, Forrest City, Arkansas.

Notes for HENRY W. DR. TERRY:

TERRY H. W. DR. m.1903-03-12 SPOUSE:>HUMPHRIES EMMA MISS FCTIMESTERRY-HUMPHRIES=Dr.H.W.Terry and Miss Emma Humphries, of Forrest City, were married yesterday at the parsonage of the Christion church, presiding Rev.J.N.Jessup, Kearney, Arkansas=Arkansas Democrat. 3-13-1903

FCTIMESThe Caldwell Camp of the Woodmen of the World will dedicate the grave of their deceased Sovereign, Dr.Henry Terry at the gravesite at the Hughes Cemetery next Sunday afternoon.6-5-1908

FCTIMESQuite a crowd passed the home of Mr.J.B.Hambleton on way to see the new monument at the Hughes cemetery to Dr.H.W.Terry. It was erected by the Woodmen of the World, Caldwell Camp, No.421. Dr.Terry was a brother of the Blackton Camp, of Blackton, Arkansas. Mr.F.M.Satterfield was orator for the day.6-14-1907

DR.H.W.TERRY-Sticken with pneumonia succumbs to the Grim Reaper. The sad news of the death of Dr.H.W.Terry reached his relatives and many friends Wednesday, and there has been genuine and sincere regret. Dr.Terry was born in this county, and was a graduate of Memphis Medical College Class of 1904. He was married in 1903 to Miss Emma Humphreys of this city, and one child has blessed their union. They located Devall's Bluff, Ark., and then at Konawa, Indian Territory, where he was practicing his profession. He was sick about ten days, and died Tuesday night, Oct.30,1906, of pneumonia. The remains were brought here, arriving last night. They were met at the depot by the Masons and Stevens Bros.Undertakers, and the body was taken to the residence of his brother, Mr.J.H.Terry, on South Washington Street. The precious remains will be interred in the Hughes cemetery Sunday morning, under the auspices of the Masonic Lodge, Rev.P.H.Hensley conducting the funeral services. Mr.J.B. and Dr.P.E.Terry, brothers of the deceased, were with him during his illness, and his mother, Mrs.E.J.Terry, left Monday for his bedside, but arrived too late. He was 27 years of age. His parents, John A. and Mrs.Eliza J.Terry. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, and the Knights of Liberty. Besides his wife, Emma, daughter Eunice, his two brothers, Dr.P.E.Terry of Brinkley, and Mr.J.B.Terry of Forrest City,

and a sister, Miss Maggie Nov.2,1906-Forrest City Times Newspaper

More About HENRY W. DR. TERRY:

Burial: Hughes Cemetery, Forrest City, Ark.

Child of HENRY TERRY and EMMA HUMPHRIES is:

- i. EUNICE⁴ TERRY.**