

Riverton, Alabama was known as Chickasaw, Alabama from 1849 to 1867 and before this time it was known to settlers as Point Smith, Mississippi Territory. Riverton, Alabama is located across Pickwick Lake from Tishomingo County, Mississippi.

During the Civil War it was known as Chickasaw and played an important role. This was before Pickwick Dam was built across the Tennessee River in Hardin County, Tennessee, flooding the river and Bear Creek. Unless there had been a lot of rain, the rock shoals in the river prevented boats from going up further than Chickasaw. Years later, a section of canal through the rocks was dug here to permit boats to travel on up to Muscle Shoals, Alabama.

According to remembrances of historical names of founders of Riverton, Daniel Wilcox, born in Kentucky, and his wife, Lucy Ann Madison Wilcox, born in Virginia, came to Point Smith, Mississippi Territory in 1812. Alabama at this time was still a part of Mississippi Territory which was later divided and Mississippi became a State in 1817. It is believed that Captain Wilcox, who served on the staff of General George Washington, was buried, along with his wife, in the Wilcox-Davis family cemetery.

William Jesse Hays, born in North Carolina, came to the area from North Carolina as a tutor for the Wilcox children, bringing with him saddle bags of books. He later married Mary Ann Wilcox, born in Kentucky. One of their children, John Jesse Hays, Co. A 11th Alabama Cavalry CSA, married Caldonia Grady, born December 2, 1849; died October 7, 1924, around 1860. They are buried in the Riverton Cemetery. Selvia Belle Hays, a daughter born in Colbert County, Alabama, married Andrew Jackson Sherrod in 1859. He was in Co. A 16th Alabama Infantry CSA. Their graves are in the Davis-Wilcox Cemetery. They are the great grandparents of Grace Watts Deaton and Victoria Hawn Dean of Iuka.

CSA prisons of war buried at Frederick, Maryland, Mt. Olivet Cemetery: William F. Biggs, Co. K 2nd Mississippi Infantry, died October 13, 1862, Grave No. 118. He was the son of Jesse and Sarah Ashcraft Biggs. Military record says he was shot in the lung and hip and left on the battle field at Antietam. He died in a hospital. M. M. Cottingham, Co. A 2nd Mississippi Infantry, died November 18, 1862, Grave No. 169. William T. Goode, Co. K 2nd Mississippi Infantry, died January 15, 1863, Grave No. 187. He was the son of Nathan and Hulda Goode of Iuka. Robert Harris, Co. C 2nd Mississippi Infantry, died October 9, 1862, Grave No. 96.

*Brother of
Leash Biggs
unmarked at
Riverton Cem.
my ancestors.
I have pictures
of his mother &
Mt. Olivet & his
military record*

Charles B. Jourdan, of Iuka, witnessed the destruction of the Japanese City of Nagasaki in World War II. He became a Baptist minister and married Celeste Hendrix of Burnsville, Mississippi.

Every family tree has its squirrels.

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Wadell, Mary (Mother)	b. 1860	d. 1953
Waddell, John	b. 10 Jan. 1850	d. 7 Mar. 1917
Moody, Fred	b. 3 Sept. 1908	d. 5 Feb. 1914
Moody, J. Clark	b. 2 Oct. 1849	d. 5 Jan 1914
Moody, Millie A.	b. 1 Jan. 1835	d. 3 Jan. 1935
Moody, Lula	b. 7 Mar. 1913	d. 15 Sept. 1914
Clark, Ed	b. 12 Apr. 1909	d. 14 Feb. 1953
Elam, Calvin	b. 1852	d. 1917
Elam, Mandy	b. 1850	d. 1914
Farrett, Lela	b. 3 June 1917	
Biggs, Joseph L (called Leash)	b. 19 Apr. 1871	d. 14 Aug 1896, unmarked
Hall, Dona E.	b. 14 June 1885	d. 14 Dec. 1917
Hall, Jerome	b. 18 Aug. 1875	d. 19 Nov. 1937
Higgins, Roger Dale	b. 25 Sept. 1935	d. 25 Sept. 1935
Hayes, Dossie Bell	b. 25 Feb. 1900	d. 16 Aug. 1962
Hayes, Dona Hall	b. 20 June 1905	d. 19 Dec. 1977
Jones, Olean Hays	b. 1 June 1927	d. 23 July 1966
Morris, Edward W.	b. 24 Oct. 1904	d. 7 Mar 1953
Hardwick, Petty Hawn	b. 1847	d. 1910
Hawn, Robert Lee	b. 25 Aug 1877	d. 19 Jan. 1953 &
Hawn, Cora H.	b. 16 Mar. 1886	d. 10 Nov. 1969
Hawn, Andrew	b. 1806	d. 1899
Harland, Terry	b. 3 May 1927	d. 5 Oct. 1927
Jones, Sam Henry	b. 6 Nov 1878	d. 5 Nov. 1954
Jones, Mollie K.	b. 1881	d. 1924
Jones, Marjorie	b. 1910	d. 1912
Jones, Lucy & Lucille	b. 1905	d. 1905
Moore, Sina Duke W/O R. J. Moore	b. 1861	d. 1943
Moore, R. J.	b. 16 Mar. 1850	d. 16 Jan. 1885
Moore, Richard T.	b. 17 Aug. 1885	d. 25 Jan. 1902
Moore, Mary ? W/O R. O.	b. 24 Jan. ?	d. 25 Apr. 1901 ?
Moore Betty	b. 7 Jan 1859	d. 11 Dec 1937
Terry, Kibbie	b. 16 Mar 1812	d. 16 Nov. 1876
Terry, Mary A.	b. 14 July 1825	d. 14 Mar. 1897
Nave, Thomas	b. 2 Mar. 1827	d. 20 Apr. 1901
Nave, Loucretia Taylor W/O Thomas	b. 13 Mar. 1837	d. 20 Jan. 1914
Nave, Della Faker d/o L.M./Thomas	b. 27 Dec. 1867	d. 22 Mar. 1884
Taylor, Sallie J. d/o W. & M. Feltsb.	b. 3 Apr. 1812	d. Dec. 9, 1865
Nave, John W., s/o T. W. & L. M.	b. 22 Feb 1862	d. 21 Mar 1865
Nave, Sallie J., d/o T. W. & L. M.	b. 1 Apr 1864	d. 24 Feb 1865
Nave, Maggie J., d/o T. W. & L. M.	b. 2 Sept. 1853	d. 21 Dec. 1855
Nave, Mary E., d/o T. M. & L. M.	b. 5 June 1839	d. 25 Apr. 1877
J. M. T.	only	
Parker, Marie Lucille ?d/o J. S.	b. 19 Mar 1891	d. 14 June 1892
Armstrong, Eliza	No dates	
Armstrong, J. L.	No dates	
Scott, Faby d/o J. & E.	b. 11 Aug. 1895	d. 22 Aug. 1895
Easley, T. V.	b. ?	d. 20 Aug. 1898
Rishardson, Margaret M. C.	b. 29 Feb. 1820	d. 27 Dec. 1899
Tice, Henry Levi	b. 13 Sept 1847	d. 8 Mar 1896
Tice, Son Charles Henry	b. 22 Jan. 1875	
Tice, Roy Mack, s/o C. L. & R. T.	b. 21 Feb. 1908	d. 30, Dec 1917
Tice, Henry B., s/o C. L. & R. T.	b. 3 Nov. 1914	d. 21 Dec. 1917

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Adat, John P.	b. 16 Aug. 1903	d. 26 Mar. 1975
Beavens, Sallie w/o R. G.	b. 15 Oct. 1873	d. 6 June 1918
Turbevill, Josephibe Sherrod	b. 18 Jan. 1861	d. 25 Nov. 1926
Turbevill, Pinkney Pascal	b. 25 Nov. 1851	d. 1 June 1902
Harland, A. C.	b. @ Mar. 1845	d. 26 Sept. 1888
Harland, Lizzie M.	b. 26 Sept. 1886	d. 15 Feb. 1888
d/o A. C. & Mattie Harland		
Douthit, Mattie B.	b. 11 Sept. 1859	d. 26 Mar. 1926
Till, R. W. Co. H - 5th Al. Cav. CSA	No dates	
Lee, Emmeline	b. 10 July, 1846	d. 15 June 1914
Wilson, Johnie	b. 20 Mar. 1868	d. 30 Sept. 1874
McWhorter, Stephen Decatur	b. 12 Nov. 1857	d. 13 April 1880
s/o G. W. & E. C. McWhorter (our brother)		
McWhorter, Griselda Ann (our sister)	b. 1853	d. 1883
d/o Geo. W. & E. C. McWhorter		
McWhorter, George Tilgham	b. 1984	d. 1917
McWhorter Susie Suke (sister)	b. 1895	d. 1918
McWhorter, Mary Susan Terry (mother)	b. 1859	d. 1920
Pickens, Dollie V.	b. 26 Feb. 1882	d. 25 Oct. 1939
Pickens, James P.	b. 3 April 1878	d. 13 June 1955
Oickens, Inf. d/o Mr. & Mrs H. E.	b. 5 April 1929	Only
Smith, Glyn	b. 23 Nov. 1915	d. 18 Dec. 1925
Null, Jennie	b. 11 Sept 1891	d. 1 Aug. 1918
Thompson, w/o W. R. & M, A.	b. 7 Sept 1858	d. 16 Feb 1878
Thompson, Bessie M.	unreadable	
Thompson, Inf. child/o C. C. & N. A. E.	b & d 19 July 1904	
Thompson, William R.	b. 8 Oct. 1825	d. 26 Aug. 1897 &
Thompson, Mary A.	b. 17 Nov. 1835	d. 19 Mar. 1920
Hurd, Minda Lou d/o J. F. & M. A	b. 28 Aug. 1889	d. 14 Aug. 1902
Moore, James A.	b. 15 Dec. 1821	d. 14 June 1887
Walker, William A.	b. 10 Mar. 1830	d. 17 Mar. 1900
Walker, Thomasanuid/o W. A. & M. L.	b. 26 April 1873	d. 25 June 1877
Walker, Inf. d/o W. A. & M. L.	b. & d. 28 Aug 1871	
Walker, Mattie M. d/o W. A. & M. L.	b. 2 Feb 1870	d. 16 Mar. 1870
Walker, Albert O. e/o W. A. & M. L.	b. 8 June 1882	d. 16 Oct 1882
Walker, William E. s/o W. A. & M. L.	b. 9 Dec. 1856	d. 3 Jan. 1859
Waddell, George W.	b. 3 Aug. 1897	d. 25 Dec. 1975 &
M. 6 May 1921		
Waddell, Maudie Hayes	b. 25 Feb. 1900	d. _____
Hays, J. J. Co. A 11 Al. Cav. CSA	no dates	
Hays, Celdonia (<i>Grady</i>)	b. 2 Dec. 1849	d. 7 Oct. 1924
Hardeman, Lila Louise	b. 1939	d. 1941
Hardeman, Oscar F.	b. 1901	d. 1954 &
Hardeman, Lillian L.	b. 1915	d. _____
Hays, Lee R. s/o Viola Hays	b. 3 Feb. 1927	d. 23 Nov. 1942
Hays, Elmer Lee Al, Ovt. 1 Cl 322 31 Div.	7 Dec. 1926	only
Hays, Ed	b. 16 April 1856	d. 28 Mar. 1933
Hays, Pell	b. 22 Feb. 1886	d. 22 May 1956
Hayes, Thaddie	b. 1891	d. 1965
Hayes, Lettie	b. 11 Mar. 1895	d. 21 Mar. 1948
Hall, Davis	b. 1852	d. 1922
Hall, Florence	b. 1855	d. 1923
Goss, Swan Hall	b. 1890	d. 1918
Hall, Mary V.	b. 1885	d. 1961

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Hall, John L.	b. 14 Aug. 1881	d. 21 April 1952	
Hall, Owen F.	b. 1888	d. 1941	
Burton, J. L.	b. 11 Mar. 1854	d. 27 April 1933	
Burton, Mary A. w/o J. L.	b. 23 Aug. 1861	d. 21 Dec. 1922	
Burton, Goodloe s/o J. L. & M. A.	b. 17 May 1885	d. 26 Jan 1927	
Burnhart, Della Burton	b. 22 Dec. 1881	d. 28 Dec. 1951	
Ellis, D. F. W. M.	b. 6 Dec. 1825	d. 20 July 1908	
Ellis, L. J.	b. 29 Sept. 1833	d. 17 Nov. 1921	
White, William T.	b. 22 Feb 1819	d. 9 Nov. 1895	&
White Elizabeth P	b. 10 Nov. 1822	d. 1 April 1894	
Moore, W. B.	b. 13 Sept. 1856	d. 24 Dec. 1903	
Moore, Forrest s/o W. B. & S. M.	b. 5 June 1895	d. 28 Mar. 1896	
Moore, Lena Irwin	b. 4 July 1902	d. 13 Mar. 1907	
Harland, Mary A. w/o R. O. H.	b. 4 Sept. 1839	d. 13 June 1882	
Campbell, John A.	b. 22 Nov. 1853	d. 15 May 1876	
Harland, Z. O. s/o A. C. & M. A.	b. 16 May 1869	d. 20 Aug. 1869	
Wilmoth, Jane B. w/o J. A.	7 Mar. 1814	d. 8 Oct. 1868	
Thompson, Theodocia w/o F. D.	b. 16 Mar. 1794	d. 11 Dec. 1868	
Wilmoth, Joel A. (Mason)	b. 25 Nov. 1812	d. 11 Oct. 1868	
Turbeville, Nancy Campbell w/o P. P. b.	b. 23 Mar. 1881	d. 28 June 1882	
Tuberville, Malorair	b. 20 April 1897	d. 30 June 1914	
Tuberville, Rilley	b. 8 Dec. 1861	d. 17 Mar. 1935	
Hayes, C. N.	b. 14 April 1884	d. 11 Aug. 1931	
Hayes, Sallie E.	b. 23 April 1854	d. 7 April 1928	
Carrithers, John Calvin, Jr.	b. 29 Jan. 1831	d. 21 July 1916	
Carrithers, A. A.	b. 1851	d. 1937	
Russell, Emily	b. 20 Feb. 1875	d. 16 June 1963	
Harland, Lelia Russell	b. 1910	d. 1914	
Williams, James	b. 1 Feb. 1894	d. 17 Oct. 1909	
Williams, Maggie M.	b. 1892	d. 1926	
Williams, Wiley	b. 23 Mar. 1906	d. 2 Mar. 1941	
Williams, Arthur Harvey h/o Mable	b. 1868	d. 1943	
Williams, Frances A.	b. 28 Oct. 1869	d. 2 Aug. 1952	
Williams, R. P.	b. 23 Aug. 1854	d. 1 July 1900	
Crouch, Mary E. w/o H. P. Crouch	b. 29 Aug 1899	d. 24 Aug 1917	
Tarvin, Charles Allison	b. 6 Nov. 1911	d. 30 June 1929	
Walker, Preston	b. 28 Dec 1837	d. 15 Jan 1923	
Powell, James	b. 21 Nov. 1835	d. 24 June 1939	
Powell, Catherine w/o James	b. No dates		
Sullivan, Dave	No dates		
Whitaker, Mary A.	No dates		
Whitaker, W. C.	No dates		
Whitaker, Nellie L.	b. 20 Sept 1925	d. 15 Feb. 1926	
Whitaker, Dora A.	b. 4 Dec. 1907	d. 11 May 1978	&
Whitaker, Charles W.	b. 22 Sept. 1904	d. 20 Nov. 1971	
Bankhead, Safrony	b. Oct. 1838	d. Dec. 1876	
Johnson, Lydia Ann	b. 25 Dec. 1853	d. 16 July 1889	
M. to L. F. Johnson 7 June, 1876			
Johnson, Levi	b. 7 Oct. 1845	d. 22 Mar. 1935	
Johnson, Laura	b. 3 Dec. 1878	d. 23 May 1926	
Bankhead, Sarah,	d. 21 June 1902, age 70 Yrs.		
Johnson, Terrell	b. 18 Aug. 1882	d. 18 April 1920	

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Paldwin, J. M.	b. 28 Mar. 1875	d. 9 Aug. 1928
Paldwin, John	b. 1846	d. 18 Mar. 1899
Boyland, S. J.	b. 15 July 1871	d. 9 Mar. 1899
Boyland, Delia w/o John	d. 22 Sept. 1907, age 51 yrs.	
Pickens, Horace E.	b. 1 July 1905	d. 15 Jan. 1969 &
Pickens, Jennie Mae	b. 25 Oct. 1909	d. 17 May 1963
Davis, Mr. Tillman	d. 22 Sept. 1980, age 62 yrs.	
Davis, Moses T.	b. 6 July 1886	d. 4 Oct. 1963 &
Davis, Mattie H.	b. 13 Sept. 1890	d. 17 June 1967
Latimers, Alma U.	b. 1898	d. 1968 &
Latimers, Yeatman	b. 1891	d. 1963
Latimers, Joseph H.	b. 25 Feb 1920	d. 2 April 1962
Al. S. Sgt. 137 Engr Combat En. WWII		
Smith, Dink	b. 3 Sept 1894	d. 13 June 1949
Smith, Emma T.	b. 6 Mar. 1897	d. 31 Aug. 1964
Smith, Walter Winn	b. 30 Sept 1916	d. 17 Dec. 1964
Al. QH2-USNR - WWII		
Smith, Joe Riley	b. 16 June 1926	d. 6 Aug. 1971
Al. Pvt. USA WWII		
Thompson, Thomas M. s/o W. F. & M. A.	Unreadable	
Blanton C.	b. 9 Feb, 1805	d. 12 June 1877
Carithers, Thomas s/o John & Sarah	b. 11 Feb. 1870	d. 30 Sept 1874
Carithers, Inf. s/o John & Sarah	b. 14 July 1860	d. 13 Sept 1860
Carithers, Sarah A. d/o John & Sarah	b. 4 Nov 1861	d. 23 Aug. 1863
Carithers, John	b. 12 Jan. 1828	d. 22 Nov. 1907
Johnson, John	b. 23 Aug. 1823	d. 15 April 1878
West, Martha S. w/o F. A.	b. 20 Dec. 1822	d. 21 May 1855
Bennett, Jeremiah	b. 19 May 1797	d. 27 Feb. 1859
M. S. W. Only		
Puryear, William H.	b. 1815	d. 1871
Sloan, Mable	b. 11 Dec. 1903	d. 10 Jan 1948
Sloan, William Alfred	b. 2 June 1890	d. 12 April 1956
Sloan, Jane Bell	b. 9 June 1893	d. 30 Aug. 1974
Sloan, Margaret E.	b. 1 April 1894	d. 24 Oct 1980
Buchanan, Inf. d/o C. W. & Minnie	31 July 1936	
Buchanan, Mary McCorkle	b. 1860	d. 1944
Buchanan, W. M.	b. 1860	d. 1924
Talley, Porter A.	b. 25 Aug. 1912	d. 23 May 1946
Sloan, John M.	b. 17 Aug. 1888	d. 18 Dec. 1920
Lewis, Laura Dent w/o Wm. H. Lewis,	b. in Hancock County, Ga.	
	14 Oct. 1804	d. 13 Oct. 1867
Buchanan, Robert C., b. in the County Tyrone Ireland	21 Nov. 1820;	
	d. 21 Dec. 1851---also his inf. son thomas aged 7 days old.	
Buchanan, Dorcas	b. 12 April 1857	d. 9 May 1866
d/o Thomas and Anne Buchanan		
Buchanan, Thomas F. b. in Annahilla, Tyrone County Ireland	1816, came to this	
	country in 1844, returned to his native land in 1856.	
	Married to Miss Ann McCully 27 June 1856 ?, returned to	
	Chickasaw, Al. the same year which he died 12 April 1873.	
Buchanan, Anne	d. 18 Mar. 1898, age 80 yrs.	
Buchanan, Thomas F. s/o W. M. & M. E.	d. 4 Jan. 1908, age 18 yrs.	
Sloan, Stewart M.	b. 10 Sept 1860	d. 12 Nov. 1917
Sloan, Cathren d/o A. & S.	b. 4 Aug. 1899	d. 2 Dec. 1909
Sloan, Inf./o S. M. & Annie	No dates	

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Sloan, Elisa	d. 24 May 1895, aged 72 yrs.	
Spencer, Jas. E. s/o Mary & Jessie b.	11 July 1854	d. 8 Oct. 1878
Spencer, Mary w/o Jesse	d. 20 Mar 1878, aged 52 yrs.	
Spencer, Jesse	b. 12 Oct 1825	d. 13 April 1882
Keenum, Mrs. A. C.	b. 7 Nov. 1863	d. 4 Mar. 1895
Tune, Elizabeth w/o Jas. A.	b. 11 Aug. 1827	d. 21 Nov. 1883
Tune, Lafayette J. s/o W. H. & Mary b.	April 2, 1895	d. 21 Mar. 1896
Tune, John W. s/o S. H. & Mary E.	b. 30 July 1893	d. 6 Sept. 1894
Hogland, Henry Stephens s/o W. M. & S. A.	b. 19 May 1887	d. 8 Feb. 1891
Douthit, William R.	b. 10 Feb. 1873	d. 30 Nov 1937 &
Douthit, Emma	b. 26 Nov 1883	d. 8 April 1933
Thompson, Thomas W.	b. 11 Feb. 1890	d. 9 June 1926
Thompson, Mary Katherine	b. 10 Dec. 1896	d. 4 Dec. 1979
Thompson, Farley D.	b. 29 Sept. 1855	d. 25 Sept. 1940 &
Thompson, Charlotta Jane	b. 13 Mar. 1861	d. 8 May 1928
Waugaman, Albert C.	b. 8 Oct 1879	d. 7 Jan. 1974 &
Waugaman, Jessie T.	b. 25 Dec. 1885	d. 11 April 1972
Green, Catherine L.	b. 1 Sept. 1852	d. 20 Jan. 1859
	d/o John & Mary Green	
Green, Inf. s/o John & Mary	No dates	
Boatright, William P.	b. 22 Aug. 1809	d. 12 May 1849
Moore, Caledonia w/o Thomas	b. 10 June 1834	d. 27 Aug 1858
Wallace, Elma	b. 10 Nov. 1890	d. 12 May 1910
Wallis, H. C.	b. 20 Nov. 1857	d. 25 July 1894
Hayes, Bill	b. 18 June 1898	d. 3 Dec. 1919
Wallis, Sally L. d/o J. C. & M. C.	b. 13 April 1871	d. 12 Sept. 1891
Wallis, J. C. (Mason)	b. 8 July 1838	d. 12 Jan. 1905
Wallis, Martha S. w/o J. C.	b. 12 June 1838	d. 4 Aug. 1883
Wallis, Bell Zorah, d/o J. C. & M. C.	b. 18 June 1873	d. 31 July 1876
Long, Margaret A. e/o J. S.	b. 3 Dec. 1845	d. 16 Mar. 1904
Long, Vida C. d/o J. S. & L. J.	b. 5 April 1897	d. 2 Aug. 1898
Spencer, Mary E., w/o W. S.	b. 5 May 1853	d. 27 Sept. 1877
Spencer, Lou w/o W. S.	Died 1890, age 24 yrs.	
Spencer, Thomas	Died 29 July, 1898, aged 65 yrs.	
Spencer, Elizabeth Willard	b. 5 Jan 1863	d. 5 Sept. 1864
Spencer, Thomas Benton	b. 10 Nov. 1870	d. 31 May 1873
Spencer, Mary Elizabeth	b. 7 June 1837	d. 18 Feb. 1882
	w/o Thomas Spencer	
Bryant,	Nothing else	
Grissom, Thomas J.	b. 6 Oct 1882	d. 17 May 1947
	Al. Pfc. Co. K 2 Inf Al. WWI	
Grissom, L. P.	b. 5 May 1844	d. 11 Feb. 1908 &
Grissom, Agnes Grenshaw w/o L. P.	b. 28 Oct. 1843	d. 22 Oct. 1907
Grissom, Sarah d/o L. P. and Sarah	b. 22 Aug. 1866	d. 11 Nov. 1894
Allan, George	b. 1854	d. 1933 &
Allan, Mary	b. 1870	d. 1960
Johnston, Charles P.	b. April 1873	d. 22 Aug. 1937 &
Johnston, Annie M.	b. 5 Sdpe. 1878	d. 8 Oct. 1930
Johnston, Myrtie C.	b. 20 Dec. 1889	d. 15 May 1968 &
Johnston, O. Ralph	b. 10 April 1895	d. 6 Nov. 1978
Douthit, Roby L.	b. 9 July 1895	d. 26 Sept. 1968 &
Douthit, Virgie J.	b. 29 Nov. 1897	
Armstrong, Mary E.	b. 1880	d. 1931

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List of unmarked graves in Riverton Cemetery submitted by Margaret S. Bearnson, 1363 Ramona Ave., Salt Lake City, Utah 84105 on 10 Jan. 1985.

Truitt, Elijah	b. N. C.	d. 31 Oct 1837
Truitt, Fannie w/o Elijah		d. 6 Nov. 1845
Truitt, Fannie Elizabeth Tice	b. N. C.	d. 1852
Tice, Henry Levi	b. N. C.	d. 1852
Armstrong, James R.	b. 1881	d. 1938
Armstrong, L. W.	No dates	
Armstrong, L. W.	No dates	
Armstrong, Florence	No dates	
Armstrong, C. R.	No dates	

DAVIS-WILCOX CEMETERY

Location: NW $\frac{1}{4}$ -NW $\frac{1}{4}$ -S28-T2S-R11W. Take county road No. 21 north from Cherokee to county road No. 1. Follow county road No. 1 until you see an old road that turns off left (where there is a sign that says "A. L. Cockran-no hunting or trespassing") there is an old road that goes back through the woods. Follow this road until you see a sign that says A. L. Cochran west line. Cemetery is on left at top of hill.

About four marked graves. A list of unmarked graves of this cemetery submitted by Margaret S. Bearson, 1363 Ramona Ave., Salt Lake City, Ut. 84105

Wilcox, Daniel	born in Ky	Unmarked
Wilcox, Lucy Annie Madison	born in Va.	Unmarked
Hays, William Jesse	born in N. C.	Unmarked
Hays, Sarah Annie Wilcox	born in Ky.	Unmarked
Sherrod, Sylvia Belle Hays	born in Colbert County, Al.	Unmarked
Sherrod, Lizzie Belle	died age 3 yrs.	Unmarked
Sherrod, Inf.	Unmarked	
Hays, Wiley	died age 9 yrs.	Unmarked
Tuberville, Hattie	d. 5 yrs.	Unmarked
Hays, Isaac,	died age 3 yrs.	unmarked
Tuberville, Oliver	died age 4 yrs.	unmarked
Tuberville, Inf.	unmarked	
Hays, Richard Henry	CSA	unmarked
Wilcox s/o Daniel & Lucy Wilcox	CSA	unmarked

Note: The Government still furnished Civil War markers "free". Someone related to these two soldiers should apply. Veterans Service offices have application forms.

Near Eastport, Ms is the old "chalk mine"-Silica mine where silica was carried to Riverton, Al., conveyed by a cart on tracks. Brick chimneys of old homes were made from this. They were a little smaller than the present bricks and somehow had a groove to latch onto the next brick. A friend of mine is trying to find a souvenir of the fine china he says was made here from this silica. That I had never heard about.

Many workers developed lung problems from the dust of that "chalk" and the mine closed. In 1922 W. B. Leatherwood sold 310 acres on which the silica mine stands to Messrs. S. H. Whitsett and George S. Spraulding of St. Louis for \$20,000 cash. The old mine would be rebuilt and about 20 men would be employed. This never happened.