

# *Descendants of Moses Ferguson, Part 1*

Courtesy of Frazier Farmstead Museum

Researchers: Sarah Olsen, Linda Kracke

## *Generation No. 1*

1. MOSES<sup>1</sup> FERGUSON was born 01 Feb 1762 in Baltimore, MD, and died 15 Mar 1845 in Johnson, Missouri. He married ELIZABETH COX. She was born Abt. 1765 in New Jersey.

Notes for MOSES FERGUSON:

A roster of Revolutionary ancestors of the Indiana Daughters of the American Revolution : commemoration of the United States

FERGUSON, MOSES, Feb. 1762, Baltimore MD., d. 1845, Johnson Co., Mo., m. ca. 1790, Elizabeth cox, d. Johnson co., Mo. SERVICE: enlisted Feb 1781. Served in 1st Regt. of S.C. State Troops under Lt. Andrew Alexander, Capt. William Alexander, mar. James Rutherford, Col. Wad Hampton and Gen. Sumpter. Left Service in 1781. CHILDREN: Samuel, b. 1791, m. Sarah Mooney; John Cox, b. 21 June 1797, m. Sarah Falls; Aaron; Esther, m. Brinkeley Hornsby; Sarah, m. James R. Reece. DESCENDANT: DEAY, Margedant Shirley (Mrs. Jas. A. Jr.) No. 519771.

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Moses Ferguson

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American Genealogical-Biographical Index (AGBI) Record

about Moses FERGUSON

Name: Moses FERGUSON

Birth Date: 1763?

Birthplace: Missouri,

Volume: 53

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Biographical Info: Rev.War

Reference: Census of pensioners for Rev. military services. Washington, DC. 1841. (195p.):189

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<http://www.rootsweb.com/~mojohnso/cemetery/Blackwater.txt>

Johnson County Missouri

Blackwater Cemetery (Partial)

Compiled by Annette Hulse, 2001.

Moses FERGUSON, Alexander's Co., Hamptons' S.C. Regt. Rev. War

More About MOSES FERGUSON:

Burial: Old Blackwater Church Cemetery, NE Holden MO

Children of MOSES FERGUSON and ELIZABETH COX are:

2. i. SAMUEL<sup>2</sup> FERGUSON, b. 25 Dec 1791, Lincoln, NC; d. 28 Nov 1857.
3. ii. AARON FERGUSON, b. Feb 1794, North Carolina; d. 30 Oct 1869, Missouri.
4. iii. WILLIAM FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1796, North Carolina; d. 1870, Missouri.
5. iv. JOHN COX FERGUSON, b. 21 Jun 1797, North Carolina; d. 10 Aug 1857, Missouri.
- v. TILL FERGUSON, b. Aft. 1797.
6. vi. MARTIN FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1802, North Carolina.
- vii. TOLIFER FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1805; m. LIDIA JOINER.

*Generation No. 2*

2. SAMUEL<sup>2</sup> FERGUSON (MOSES<sup>1</sup>) was born 25 Dec 1791 in Lincoln, NC, and died 28 Nov 1857. He married SARAH MOONIE. She was born 23 Jun 1795 in North Carolina, and died 27 Nov 1877.

**Notes for SAMUEL FERGUSON:**

**1850 Census MO Johnson Jackson Pg 70A**

**Line**

**569 876 Samuel Ferguson 58 M Farmer NC**

**Sally Ferguson 54 F NC**

**Francis A Ferguson 22 M Farm Hand TN**

**Jacob S Ferguson 20 M Farm Hand TN**

**Charles Ferguson 15 M Farm Hand MO**

**Pleasant R Ferguson 15 M Farm Hand MO**

**Mary E Ferguson 12 F MO**

**A. G. Beard 35 F MO**

**Sarah C Beard 7 F MO**

**Wm P Beard 2 M MO**

**Samuel Castles 35 Farming PA**

**Nancy L Castles 6 F MO**

**Francis Castles 1 M MO**

**More About SAMUEL FERGUSON:**

**Census: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 70A**

**More About SARAH MOONIE:**

**Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 70A(See Husband)**

**Census 2: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B(See Son Charles Ferguson)**

**Children of SAMUEL FERGUSON and SARAH MOONIE are:**

**i. FRANCES A<sup>3</sup> FERGUSON, b. 17 Nov 1828, Rhea, Tennessee.**

**More About FRANCES A FERGUSON:**

Census: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 70A(See Father)

ii. JACOB S FERGUSON, b. 17 Apr 1831, Rhea, Tennessee.

**More About JACOB S FERGUSON:**

Census: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 70A(See Father)

7. iii. CHARLES S FERGUSON, b. 08 Oct 1833, Missouri; d. 28 Sep 1917.

8. iv. PLEASANT RUSSELL FERGUSON, b. 08 Oct 1833, Missouri; d. 30 May 1923.

v. MARY FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1838, Missouri.

**More About MARY FERGUSON:**

Census: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 70A(See Father)

3. AARON<sup>2</sup> FERGUSON (*MOSES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Feb 1794 in North Carolina, and died 30 Oct 1869 in Missouri. He married CATHARINE BECK 25 Sep 1821 in Rhea, Tennessee, daughter of JACOB BECK and NANCY ?. She was born 25 Dec 1802 in North Carolina, and died 29 Oct 1889.

**Notes for AARON FERGUSON:**

1850 Census MO Johnson Jackson Pg 69

Ferguson,Aaron,56,M,Farmer,NC

Catharine,48,F,NC

Samuel H.,21,M,Farmer,TN

John H.,19,M,MO

William,15,M,MO

Nancy E.,11,F,MO

Talbot S.,9,M,MO

J. Monroe,6,M,MO

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1860 Census MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B

Aaron Furgeson 66 NC

Catharine Furgeson 62 NC

Nancy E Furgeson 20 MO

Torbert S Furgeson 18 MO

James M Furgeson 16 MO

Lucinda Utt 47 TN

Thos Ayres 22 KY

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**Name: Aaron Ferguson**

**Birth Date: 29 Feb 1794**

**Death Date: 30 Oct 1869**

**Cemetery: Cove Creek**

**Description: Located about 2 1/2 miles southeast of Aaron, Missouri**

**Cemetery Records of Bates County, Missouri Volume IV**

**More About AARON FERGUSON:**

**Burial: Cove Creek Cemetery, Aaron, MO**

**Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 69**

**Census 2: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B**

**More About CATHARINE BECK:**

**Burial: Athena Cemetery, Athena, Umatilla, OR<sup>1</sup>**

**Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 69(See Husband)**

**Census 2: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B(See Husband)**

Census 3: 1870, MO Bates Mingo Pg 86(See Son James Monroe Ferguson)

More About AARON FERGUSON and CATHARINE BECK:

Marriage: 25 Sep 1821, Rhea, Tennessee

Children of AARON FERGUSON and CATHARINE BECK are:

9. i. AUGUSTON W.<sup>3</sup> FERGUSON, b. 17 Aug 1822, Tennessee.

10. ii. SAMUEL H FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1829, Missouri; d. 29 Sep 1907, Umatilla, OR.

iii. JOHN H FERGUSON, b. Oct 1832, Missouri; d. 20 Dec 1913, Umatilla, OR<sup>2</sup>.

Notes for JOHN H FERGUSON:

NOTE: There are two John H Fergusons, one died 30 Nov 1918 and the other 20 Dec 1913. At this point cannot determine which one is which.

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1880 Census OR Umatilla Greasewood Pg 100D

Ferguson,John H.,head,MW,28,Farmer,MO,TN,TN

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1900 Census OR Umatilla Adams ED 105 Pg 3A

Ferguson,C,S,head,MW,Feb 1833,67,m36,MO,NC,TN,Post Master

Nancy E.,wife,FW,Apr 1840,60,m36,4,2,MO,NC,NC

M.A.,son,MW,Nov 1866,33,m4,KS,MO,MO,Insurance agent

Nancy H.,daughter-in-law,FW,Nov 1866,33,m4,3,2,OR,MO,MO

Carrie A.,granddaughter,FW,July 1896,3S,OR,KS,MO

Della F.,granddaughter,FW,Sept 1899,8/12,OR,KS,MO

John H.,brother-in-law,MW,Oct 1832,67S,MO,NC,NC

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1910 Census OR Umatilla Adams Pct Dist 258 Pg 117A

**Line 14**

**Ferguson John H Head MW 36 M1 24 MO TN TN Farmer**

**-----, John H Uncle MW 78 S MO TN TN Retired Farmer**

**More About JOHN H FERGUSON:**

**Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 69(See Father)**

**Census 2: 1880, OR Umatilla Greasewood Pg 100D**

**Census 3: 1900, OR Umatilla Adams ED 105 Pg 3A(See Brother Cornelius Smith Ferguson)**

**Census 4: 1910, OR Umatilla Adams Pct Dist 258 Pg 117A**

**11. iv. WILLIAM H FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1835, Missouri.**

**12. v. NANCY E FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1840, Missouri; d. 26 Oct 1906, Umatilla, OR.**

**vi. TOLBERT S FERGUSON, b. Apr 1842, Missouri.**

**Notes for TOLBERT S FERGUSON:**

**American Civil War Soldiers Record**

**about Tolbert S Ferguson**

**Name: Tolbert S Ferguson ,**

**Residence: Franklin, Kansas**

**Enlistment Date: 27 August 1862**

**Distinguished Service: DISTINGUISHED SERVICE**

**Side Served: Union**

**State Served: Kansas**

**Unit Numbers: 703 703**

**Service Record: Enlisted as a Sergeant 1st Class on 27 August 1862**

**Enlisted in Company E, 12th Infantry Regiment Kansas on 26 September 1862.**

**Mustered out Company E, 12th Infantry Regiment Kansas on 30 June 1865**

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1880 Census OR Umatilla Greasewood Pg 100D

Tolbert S. Furgeson Self S Male W 35 MO Farmer NC TN

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1900 Census OR Umatilla Adams Dist 105 Pg 6A

Line 32

105 105 Fergusone U. H. Head WM Mar 1848 52 S MO TN MO Farmer

Harvey, Louis boarder WM Jan 1867 M2 IN Unk Unk Farm Laborer

-----, Mattie Boarder WF may 1877 23 M 2 (1 child 1 alive) MO Unk Unk Housewife

-----, Wavel Boarder WF Nov 1898 1 S OR IN MO

Ferguson T. S Uncle WM Apr 1842 57 S MO NC TN Carpenter

More About TOLBERT S FERGUSON:

Burial: Athena Cemetery, Athena, Umatilla, OR<sup>3</sup>

Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 69(See Father)

Census 2: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B(See Father)

Census 3: 1870, MO Bates Mingo Pg 86(See Brother James Ferguson)

Census 4: 1880, OR Umatilla Greasewood Pg 100D

Census 5: 1900, OR Umatilla Adams Dist 105 Pg 6A

13. vii. JAMES MONROE FERGUSON, b. 04 Apr 1844, Johnson county, Missouri; d. 09 Apr 1921, Pendleton, Umatilla, OR.

14. viii. SUSAN CAROLINE FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1824, Tennessee.

4. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> FERGUSON (*MOSES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1796 in North Carolina, and died 1870 in Missouri. He married MARGARET HENRY 28 Jan 1822 in Rhea Co., Tn. She was born Abt. 1803 in Tennessee.

Notes for WILLIAM FERGUSON:

From: Brian Ferguson

Subject: Your research re children of Moses Ferguson

To: seadogor@casco.net

I was conducting an internet search and happened across your reference to William Ferguson and Margaret Henry (your notations as William being son of Moses). While your references do not seem to match our family history exactly, I was intrigued by the similarity of reference to "Gidion" as one of the sons. So, I thought that I would provide you with what our family book states about a (the?) William Ferguson/Margaret Henry marriage:

William Ferguson married Margaret Henry of the famous Henry family in Virginia. To this union was born seven children: Marion, Samuel Huston, William Tell, Gideon Blackburn (1826-1877), Joan who wed Elisha Alexander, Mary, and Martha who wed William Kates. The family moved on into what later became West Virginia, where Gideon Blackburn Ferguson was born. The family had slaves, and were therefore unpopular in their new home and we find them moving on to McMinn County, Tennessee.

Gideon Blackburn Ferguson, here in McMinn County, Tennessee, met and married Frances Marian Hankins (1823 - 1906)(See Hankins Family). They moved to Holden, Missouri, where Albert Commodore was born in 1857. Here the family continued their sympathetic attitude with slave owners, but slavery was not popular in Holden, so the good people of Holden burned the Ferguson home and escorted them to the Kansas State Line and told them to keep moving. This they did, settling in Greely, Kansas. To the Union of Gideon Blackburn and Francis were born seven children. Three died in infancy - Laura, Janet, and Theodore, who were buried with their father in Greely; John was a victim of white swelling and died in Montpelier, Indiana, and is buried with his brother, Albert, in Ossian; Jeannette who married James Fryback is buried at Murray, Indiana; Nancy who married Paul Lamb is buried at Peru, Kansas. The mother, Frances Hankins Ferguson is buried at Union Town Cemetery in Wells County (Indiana). In 1882 the family moved to Uniondale, Indiana.

Albert Commodore Ferguson went back to Kansas and returned to Uniondale, Indiana in 1885. How he met Nellie Dailey we do not know, but they were married October 5, 1887. To this union was born five children: Gladys, Dale (my grandfather - born 12/23/1891), Wayne, Dule, and Jess

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I will stop with the family line here. I thought you might be interested, as your tree referenced the William Ferguson/Margaret Henry marriage and seemed to mention "Gidion". Your tree indicates that William's father was Moses. Our family book indicates that William was the son of William Tell Ferguson, but my grandfather's notes are not truly convincing in that regard...his reference to William Tell Ferguson states: "We know that a William Tell Ferguson came from County Clair Ireland with his wife and settled in Lancaster County, Virginia, in the early part of the 18th century. We know that there was at least one child,

William, born in Lancaster County, Virginia." If William Tell came to Virginia in the early 18th Century, then it does not seem reasonable that William Tell was the father of William, as William (married to Margaret Henry) was father of Gideon Blackburn....born 1826. The family book is very direct with respect to the children of William Ferguson and Margaret Henry....it seems a little sketchy with the dates on earlier lineage.

Anyway, thought that you might be interested.

Brian Ferguson

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1870 Census MO Johnson Jackson Pg 483A

Line 7

180 181 Ferguson William 74 MW Retired Stone Mason NC

-----, Frances M 45 MW Brick layer & Plasterer TN

-----, Urancy? 31 FW TN

-----, Susan M 21 FW TN

-----, William H 18 MW TN

-----, Charles H 17 MW MO

-----, John B 13 MW MO

-----, James P 11 MW MO

-----, Cordelia 9 MW MO

-----, Francis M 7 MW MO

-----, Lenora 3 FW MO

More About WILLIAM FERGUSON:

Census: 1870, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 483A

More About WILLIAM FERGUSON and MARGARET HENRY:

Marriage: 28 Jan 1822, Rhea Co., Tn

Children of WILLIAM FERGUSON and MARGARET HENRY are:

15. i. FRANCIS MARION<sup>3</sup> FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1825, Tennessee.

ii. GIDION FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1828, Tennessee.

iii. SAMUEL H FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1836, Tennessee; m. (1) ARTIMESIA LAWRENCE, 01 Jan 1856, Johnson, MO<sup>4</sup>; b. Jan 1838, Meigs Co. TN; m. (2) MARGARET A. RYAN, 20 Mar 1868, Johnson Co. MO; b. Abt. 1832, Missouri.

More About SAMUEL FERGUSON and ARTIMESIA LAWRENCE:

Marriage: 01 Jan 1856, Johnson, MO<sup>4</sup>

More About SAMUEL FERGUSON and MARGARET RYAN:

Marriage: 20 Mar 1868, Johnson Co. MO

5. JOHN COX<sup>2</sup> FERGUSON (*MOSES*<sup>1</sup>) was born 21 Jun 1797 in North Carolina, and died 10 Aug 1857 in Missouri. He married SARAH FALLS Abt. 1820. She was born Jan 1798 in North Carolina, and died Sep 1861.

Notes for JOHN COX FERGUSON:

The History of Johnson County, Missouri :Kansas City Historical Co.. 1881

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This was one of the first townships organized, being the last one of the four that included all the county in 1835, but it may be said it is about the latest township in the county, for, of all the improvements and general wealth, none, comparatively speaking, existed before the war. no settlers crossed the Blackwater previous to 1830, an the family of Fergusons were about the first to cross and settle in what is now the wester part of Madison township.

In 1855, there were no settlements between the present site of Holden and Isaac Hanna's, which latter place is about fifty or a hundred yards south of the southern township line. Most of the settlers lived north of the present site of Holden and a few west. These settlers lived near the two branches of Pin Oak and were very few in number.

Among the early settlers may be mentioned: Samuel and Aaron Ferguson, James Bradley, William Davidson, Squire A. B. Hamilton, P. H. Ray, Archy Ray, and their father Hugh Ray, Moses Tapscott, August Demasters, Squire J. G. Doyle, Matthew Cummings, William Cummings, Sanford Cummings, Joseph Mason, John Windsor, Reuben Fox, John Utt,

Thomas Tapscott, G. Hays, Joseph Christian, Jacob Sahms, Jacob Beck, Charles S. Ferguson, Martin Ferguson, Pleasant R. Ferguson, Joseph Matthews, William Burden Sr. and Jr., Eldridge Burden, George Conley, John Miller, Wm. Miller, James Thompson, George Medlock, G. Cunningham, Barrett Duff, Squire Thompson, Williamson, G. K. Roberts and Dr. Roberts.

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1850 Census MO Johnson Jackson Pg 65B

Line 28

819 826 John C Ferguson 51 M Farmer NC

Sarah Ferguson 50 F NC

Jasper N Ferguson 25 M Teacher TN

James Ferguson 23 M Farm Hand TN

Moses Ferguson 19 M Farm Hand MO

Sophia Ferguson 16 F MO

Mary A Ferguson 14 F MO

Louisa Ferguson 12 F MO

LeRoy Ferguson 10 M MO

[A. V. Ferguson 29 M Farmer TN

[Eliza Ferguson 26 F MO

George W Ferguson 1 M MO

[M. L. Alexander 26 M Farmer NC

[Cynthia Alexander 22 F TN

John H Alexander 1/12 M MO

More About JOHN COX FERGUSON:

Census: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 65B

More About SARAH FALLS:

Census: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 65B(See Husband)

More About JOHN FERGUSON and SARAH FALLS:

Marriage: Abt. 1820

Children of JOHN FERGUSON and SARAH FALLS are:

16. i. A. V.<sup>3</sup> FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1821, Tennessee.

17. ii. JASPER N FERGUSON, b. 15 Apr 1823, Ray, TN.

iii. JAMES FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1827, Tennessee.

More About JAMES FERGUSON:

Census: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 65B(See Father)

18. iv. CYNTHIA FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1828, Tennessee.

v. MOSES FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1831, Missouri; m. MARY J. MULLINS, 22 Sep 1870, Johnson, MO<sup>5</sup>.

More About MOSES FERGUSON:

Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 65B(See Father)

Census 2: 1870, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 471(See Brother Jasper N Ferguson)

More About MOSES FERGUSON and MARY MULLINS:

Marriage: 22 Sep 1870, Johnson, MO<sup>5</sup>

vi. SOPHIA FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1834, Missouri.

Notes for SOPHIA FERGUSON:

1880 Census MO Johnson Jackson Dist 94 Pg 221D

Yoso B. Ellis Self M Male W 28 KY Farmer MD KY

Sarah J. Ellis Wife M Female W 25 MO House Keeper TN KY

Sophia Ferguson Aunt S Female W 46 MO At Home NC NC

**More About SOPHIA FERGUSON:**

**Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 65B(See Father)**

**Census 2: 1880, MO Johnson Jackson Dist 94 Pg 221D**

**vii. MARY A FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1836, Missouri.**

**More About MARY A FERGUSON:**

**Census: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 65B(See Father)**

**viii. LOUISA FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1838, Missouri; m. ROBERT A DOORS, 04 Oct 1856, Johnson, MO<sup>6</sup>; b. Abt. 1835, Kentucky.**

**More About LOUISA FERGUSON:**

**Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 65B(See Father)**

**Census 2: 1880, MO Vernon Richland Pg 510B(See Husband)**

**Notes for ROBERT A DOORS:**

**1860 Census MO Johnson Jackson Pg 838**

**Line 20**

**771 828 Robert A Doors 25 M Farm Laborer KY**

**Luisa E Doors 22 F MO**

**John J Doors 2 M MO**

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**1880 Census MO Vernon Richland Pg 510B**

**Robert A. Doors Self M Male W 45 KY Carpenter VA VA**

**Louisa E. Doors Wife M Female W 42 MO Keeping House NC NC**

**John J. Doors Son S Male W 22 MO Farm Laborer KY MO**

**Wm. H. Doors Son S Male W 19 MO Farm Laborer KY MO**

**Susan E. Doors Dau S Female W 17 MO At Home KY MO**

Hemena Doors Dau S Female W 15 IL At Home KY MO

Leroy F. Doors Son S Male W 13 MO At Home KY MO

Sallie W. Doors Dau S Female W 7 MO KY MO

Cora I. Doors Dau S Female W 5 MO KY MO

Robert M. Doors Son S Male W 3 MO KY MO

Joseph L. Doors Son S Male W 1 MO KY MO

Amanda M. Doors Mother W Female W 80 MO --- ---

More About ROBERT A DOORS:

Census 1: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 838

Census 2: 1880, MO Vernon Richland Pg 510B

More About ROBERT DOORS and LOUISA FERGUSON:

Marriage: 04 Oct 1856, Johnson, MO<sup>6</sup>

19. ix. LEROY BENTON FERGUSON, b. 04 Oct 1839, Missouri; d. 02 Jan 1901.

6. MARTIN<sup>2</sup> FERGUSON (*MOSES*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. 1802 in North Carolina. He married MARY ANN KENNEDY. She was born Abt. 1806 in Tennessee.

Notes for MARTIN FERGUSON:

1850 Census MO Cass Dist 16 Pg 109B

Line 21

703 718 Martin Ferguson 48 M Farmer 150 NC

Morgan Fergerson 44 F TN

Robert Fergerson 20 M Farmer MO

Smith Fergerson 17 M Farmer MO

Milton Fergerson 15 M Farmer MO

Mary Fergerson 12 F MO

Adolphus Fergerson 11 M MO

Manerva Fergerson 1 F MO

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1860 Census MO Cass Mount Pleasant Pg 919

Ferguson,Martin,59,M,Shoe maker,TN

Mary A.,53,F,TN

Dolphus B.,20,M,MO

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1870 Census MO Cass Mount Pleasant Pg 626

Ferguson,Martin,68,MW,Farmer,NC

Mary Ann,55,FW,Keeps house,TN

Minerva E.,FW,21,At home,MO

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1880 Census MO Cass Mount Pleasant ED 75 Pg 11B

Erb,Mary A.,head,49,MO,NC,IN

G.E.,son,MW,13,MO,?,MO

M.,son,MW,8,MO,?,MO

Robet,son,MW,7,MO,?,MO

Minie,daughter,FW,11,MO,?,MO

Fred,son,MW,3,MO,?,MO

Ferguson,M.,Father,MW,78,wd,Farmer,NC,SC,NC

More About MARTIN FERGUSON:

Census 1: 1850, MO Cass Dist 16 Pg 109B

Census 2: 1860, MO Cass Mount Pleasant Pg 919

Census 3: 1870, MO Cass Mount Pleasant Pg 626

Census 4: 1880, MO Cass Mount Pleasant ED 75 Pg 11B

More About MARY ANN KENNEDY:

Census 1: 1850, MO Cass Dist 16 Pg 109B(See Husband)

Census 2: 1860, MO Cass Mount Pleasant Pg 919(See Husband)

Census 3: 1870, MO Cass Mount Pleasant Pg 626(See Husband)

Children of MARTIN FERGUSON and MARY KENNEDY are:

i. ROBERT<sup>3</sup> FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1830, Missouri.

More About ROBERT FERGUSON:

Census: 1850, MO Cass Dist 16 Pg 109B(See Father)

20. ii. CORNELIUS SMITH FERGUSON, b. Feb 1833, Missouri.

21. iii. MILTON V FERGUSON, b. 27 Feb 1836, Missouri; d. 11 Mar 1924, Cass County, Missouri.

22. iv. MARY FERGUSON, b. 04 Apr 1838, Missouri; d. 17 Dec 1904, Greer, Idaho.

23. v. ADOLPHUS BENTON FERGUSON, b. Jun 1839, Missouri; d. Abt. 1912.

vi. MINERVA FERGUSON, b. Abt. 1849, Missouri.

More About MINERVA FERGUSON:

Census 1: 1850, MO Cass Dist 16 Pg 109B(See Father)

Census 2: 1870, MO Cass Mount Pleasant Pg 626(See Father)

*Generation No. 3*

7. CHARLES S<sup>3</sup> FERGUSON (SAMUEL<sup>2</sup>, MOSES<sup>1</sup>) was born 08 Oct 1833 in Missouri, and died 28 Sep 1917. He married JANE THOMPSON 05 Dec 1853 in Johnson, MO, daughter of ANN ?. She was born Abt. 1838 in Tennessee, and died 01 Apr 1915.

Notes for CHARLES S FERGUSON:

1860 Census MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B

Line 31

397 644 Pleasant R Ferguson 27 M Farmer MO

Jane Ferguson 19 F MO

Joepsh Strange 13 M MO

Mary C Strange 10 F MO

Line 35

398 645 Chas H Furguson 26 M Farmer MO

Jane Furguson 20 F MO

Matila Furguson 4 F MO

Lucinda Furguson 3 F MO

Sophronia Furguson 1 F MO

Sarah Furguson 60 F NC

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1880 Census MO Johnson Madison Pg 300C

Chas. Charles S. Ferguson Self M Male W 47 MO Farmer NC NC

Jane W. Ferguson Wife M Female W 45 TN Housekeeper TN TN

Melissa Ferguson Dau S Female W 24 MO TN MO

Lovina Ferguson Dau S Female W 22 MO MO TN

Sophronia Ferguson Dau S Female W 20 MO MO TN

Leonidas P. Ferguson Son S Male W 18 MO --- ---

Sarah Ann Ferguson Dau S Female W 16 MO --- ---

Edwin Ferguson Son S Male W 10 MO --- ---

Mathew Thompon Other S Male W 24 MO Laborer --- ---

More About CHARLES S FERGUSON:

Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 70A(See Father)

Census 2: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B

Census 3: 1880, MO Johnson Madison Pg 300C

Notes for JANE THOMPSON:

1850 Census MO Johnson Madison Pg 57

Thompson,Ann,33,F,TN

Lucinda,16,F,TN

Jane,12,F,TN

Squire,10,M,MO

Priscilla,8,F,MO

Samantha,5,F,MO

Thirza,Givens,54,F,SC

Thompson,Sarah,32,F,SC

Mary,9,F,TN

Polly,7,F,MO

Mahala,2,F,MO

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More About JANE THOMPSON:

Name 2: Jane W Thompson

Date born 2: Abt. 1840, Missouri

Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Madison Pg 57(See Mother)

Census 2: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B(See Husband)

Census 3: 1880, MO Johnson Madison Pg 300C(See Husband)

More About CHARLES FERGUSON and JANE THOMPSON:

Marriage: 05 Dec 1853, Johnson, MO

Children of CHARLES FERGUSON and JANE THOMPSON are:

i. MATILDA<sup>4</sup> FERGUSON, b. 03 Oct 1855, Missouri; d. 04 May 1939.

More About MATILDA FERGUSON:

Census 1: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B(See Father)

Census 2: 1880, MO Johnson Madison Pg 300C(See Father)

ii. LUCINDA FERGUSON, b. 10 Jul 1857, Missouri; d. 24 Mar 1918.

More About LUCINDA FERGUSON:

Census 1: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B(See Father)

Census 2: 1880, MO Johnson Madison Pg 300C(See Father)

iii. SOPHRONIA FERGUSON, b. 01 Aug 1859, Missouri; d. 06 Nov 1934.

More About SOPHRONIA FERGUSON:

Census 1: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B(See Father)

Census 2: 1880, MO Johnson Madison Pg 300C(See Father)

iv. PLEASANT LEONIDAS FERGUSON, b. 11 Dec 1861, Missouri; d. 17 Mar 1935.

More About PLEASANT LEONIDAS FERGUSON:

Census: 1880, MO Johnson Madison Pg 300C(See Father)

v. SARAH ANN FERGUSON, b. 09 Aug 1865, Missouri; d. 24 Jan 1947.

More About SARAH ANN FERGUSON:

Census: 1880, MO Johnson Madison Pg 300C(See Father)

vi. EDWIN FERGUSON, b. 08 May 1870, Missouri; d. 01 Apr 1905.

More About EDWIN FERGUSON:

Census: 1880, MO Johnson Madison Pg 300C(See Father)

8. PLEASANT RUSSELL<sup>3</sup> FERGUSON (*SAMUEL<sup>2</sup>, MOSES<sup>1</sup>*) was born 08 Oct 1833 in Missouri, and died 30 May 1923. He married JANE HARMON 04 Mar 1860 in Johnson, MO<sup>7</sup>. She was born 29 Aug 1840 in Missouri, and died 01 Mar 1905.

Notes for PLEASANT RUSSELL FERGUSON:

Bio of Pleasant Ferguson.

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Pleasant Ferguson is engaged in general farming and stock-raising on section 31, township 46, range 27, Johnson County, and his broad fields comprise something over five hundred acres, located in on of the most fertile and beautiful farming districts in the state. The place is well improved with good buildings, fences and other accessories, which make it a model farm of the period. The proprietor is a progressive and practical agriculturist, keeping in touch with the latest improvements and methods of conducting farm. Within his hospitable doors the stranger and friend alike always find a warm welcome, and it is ever with regret that they turn away.

Samuel ferguson, the father of our subject, was born in Lincoln County, N. C., in 1791, being the eldest of fourteen children, whose parents were Moses and Elizabeth (Cox) Ferguson. All of the brothers and sisters live to maturity and all married and reared families with the exception of one daughter, who remained single. Shortly after his marriage with Sarah Moonie, Samuel Ferguson, with his bride, removed to Rhea County, Tenn., and for fourteen years made his home in that locality, his occupation in the mean time being that of brick-laying. At the expiration of that period he decided to move to Missouri, and in 1831 settled in Lafayette County, where he remained only a short time, thence coming to Johnson County. He located on a farm about one mile west of our subject's present home, and was numbered among the few pioneers then to be found in this region. The nearest market of any size was at Lexington, about forty-two miles distant. When the first court convened, April 13, 1835, there were hardly enough men in the county to properly conduct affairs. Judge Amos Horn

presided, with Uriel Murray and Dr. Robert Rankin acting as Associate Judges. The Court was held on the old Nicholas Houts Farm, at Columbus, under some elm trees, one of which is still standing. Samuel Ferguson continued to dwell in this county until his death, which occurred in 1857. His wife came of one of the first and most wealthy families of North Carolina, they being slave-holders. She was born in 1795, and lived to the good old age of fourscore years. Moses Ferguson, the father of Samuel, was the youngest of four brothers, who, with true loyalty to the Government, fought in her defense during the Revolutionary War.

The birth of our subject occurred in this county, October 8, 1833. he is one of ten children and is now one of three who survive, the others being Charles S. and Mary. His early training was a practical and thorough one, his hardships only serving to bring out the latent manliness of his character. He lived with his parents until he was twenty-seven years of age, giving his assistance to the management of the farm.

March 4, 1859, our subject and Jane, daughter of William and Lucy (Hill) Harmon, all natives of Virginia, were united in marriage. the Harmon family had moved to Cooper County, Mo., about 1835, and later came to this county. mrs. Ferguson is one of six children, three of whom are still living. Her grandmother, Lucy Hill was an own sister of Thomas Jefferson, and her mother, whose maiden name was Lucy Hill, was a cousin, three or four times removed, of Daniel Webster, and has spent many a happy hour with him.

Soon after his marriage Mr. Ferguson moved to his present farm, and since that time has been engaged in its development. He can recall many interesting experiences of life on the frontier during his boyhood, when these prairies abounded with wolves, wild cats, panthers, deer, turkeys, and bear. Though he commenced his independent career on an humble scale, he prospered, and, as his means increased, added to his original farm various tracts of land, until it has reached its present large proportions. His sons, Charles P. and James F., are still at home, and are of material assistance to him on the old homestead. They are both promising young men, and each received a good education, which was completed at the State Normal. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson have lost two children, and the others are Naomi A. and Mary J. Naomi is the wife of J.L. Kirkpatrick, a prominent farmer of this county, and they have two bright boys. mary J. attended the Christian University at Nevada, Mo., and afterwards was a student at St. Celia College at Holden, MO.

On Political questions Mr. Ferguson is always found to be on the side of the Democracy. His membership with the Methodist Church South dates back to 1845, and he is justly considered one of the pillars in the congregation.

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1860 Census MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B

Line 31

397 644 Pleasant R Ferguson 27 M Farmer MO

Jane Ferguson 19 F MO

Joesph Strange 13 M MO

Mary C Strange 10 F MO

Line 35

398 645 Chas H Furguson 26 M Farmer MO

Jane Furguson 20 F MO

Matila Furguson 4 F MO

Lucinda Furguson 3 F MO

Sophronia Furguson 1 F MO

Sarah Furguson 60 F NC

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1870 Census MO Johnson Madison Pg 551

Cunningham,John,26,MW,Farmer,Ireland

Samantha,26,FW,MO

Ferguson,Pleasant,37,MW,Farmer,MO

Jane,29,FW,MO

Naoma,9,FW,MO

Ch. P.,4,MW,MO

James F.,2,MW,MO

Samuel L.,1/12,MW,MO

Harmon,Lucy,57,FW,VA

Sarah H.,23,FW,MO

Bartlett,George,47,MW,Retd. farmer,VA

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1880 Census MO Johnson Madison ED 99 Pg 303A

Ferguson,Pleasant,head,MW,48,Farmer,MO,NC,NC

Jane,wife,FW,40,MO,VA,VA

Naoma,daughter,FW,17S,MO,MO,MO

Charles P.,son,MW,13S,MO,MO,MO

James F.,son,MW,12,MO,MO,MO

Mary Jane,daughter,FW,4S,MO,MO,MO

Manford,Charles,26S,Laborer,OH,OH,OH

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1900 Census MO Johnson Madison ED 111 Pg 6A

Ferguson,Pleasant R.,head,MW,Oct 1833,66,m40,MO,NC,NC,Farmer

Jane P.,wife,FW,Aug 1840,59,m40,6,2,MO,VA,VA

Mary J.,daughter,FW,July 1876,23S,MO,MO,MO

Dodd,Richard,servant,BM,Mar 1850,50,wd,TN,TN,TN

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1910 Census WA Lewis Toledo Pg 314B

Dew,Edward,head,MW,37,m15,IA,OH,IL,Editor,Newspaper

Mary J.,wife,FW,33,15,2,2,MO,MO,MO

Mary J.,daughter,FW,4S,MO,IA,MO

Edward Jr.,son,1 9/1S,WA,IA,MO

Ferguson,Pleasant R.,father-in-law,MW,78,wd,MO,NC,NC

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1920 Census CA Alameda Berkeley ED 182 Pg 12A

Dew,Edward M.,head,MW,47,m,IA,OH,IL,Welfare Worker,Iron Works

Mary,wife,FW,37,M,MO,MO,MO

Mary J.,daughter,FW,14S,MO,IA,MO

Edward M Jr.,son,MW,10S,WA,IA,MO

Ferguson,Pleasant R.,Father-in-law,MW,86,wd,MO,NC,NC

More About PLEASANT RUSSELL FERGUSON:

Census 1: 1850, MO Johnson Jackson Pg 70A(See Father)

Census 2: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B

Census 3: 1870, MO Johnson Madison Pg 551

Census 4: 1880, MO Johnson Madison ED 99 Pg 303A

Census 5: 1900, MO Johnson Madison ED 111 Pg 6A

Census 6: 1910, WA Lewis Toledo Pg 314B

Census 7: 1920, CA Alameda Berkeley ED 182 Pg 12A

More About JANE HARMON:

Census 1: 1860, MO Johnson Jackson Columbus Pg 811B(See Husband)

Census 2: 1870, MO Johnson Madison Pg 551(See Husband)

Census 3: 1880, MO Johnson Madison ED 99 Pg 303A(See Husband)

Census 4: 1900, MO Johnson Madison ED 111 Pg 6A(See Husband)

More About PLEASANT FERGUSON and JANE HARMON:

Marriage: 04 Mar 1860, Johnson, MO<sup>7</sup>

Children of PLEASANT FERGUSON and JANE HARMON are:

24. i. ALICE NAOMI<sup>4</sup> FERGUSON, b. 02 Oct 1861, Missouri; d. 15 Jan 1945.

25. ii. CHARLES PERRY FERGUSON, b. 14 Apr 1866, Missouri; d. 17 Dec 1943.

iii. JAMES FRANCIS FERGUSON, b. 23 Dec 1868; d. 04 Aug 1952; m. ADA E GRIMES, 23 Dec 1897; b. 30 Aug 1875; d. 06 Dec 1937.