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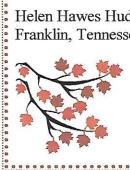
HONORARY **MEMBERSHIPS**

Colonel Benjamin Walker Hawes (1900-1988)

Mildred and Jack Foster Lewisport, Kentucky

Anna Hawes Greaves (1912-1999)

Helen Hawes Hudgins Franklin, Tennessee



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MEMORIAL MEMBERSHIPS

Dorothy Horn Hawes (1912-1989) Anna Lewis Hawes (1855-1937) Edwin Combe Hawes (1856-1928) Lloyd Clark Hawes (1916-1981) Betty Lou (Carlton) Wilhoyte (1925-1993) Dr. Oscar Garth Fitzhugh (1901-1994) Mrs. Oscar Garth Fitzhugh (1904-1994) Thomas J. Abbott, Jr. (1929-1994) Louise Hawes Applegate (1907-1995) Robert Taylor Haase (1911-1996) Camilla (Gillette) Hawes (1919-1996) Lucille Mae Russell (1911-1996) Edith McCallum Howard (1910-1997) Colonel Edwin Hugh Hawes (1912-1945) John Anthony Seaman, Jr. (1918-1997) Hugh Adrian Hawes (1922-1992)



Purpose of The Hawes Family Association:

To continue to collect and preserve family histories of Hawes people and allied families; to share our knowledge of family histories and to strengthen extended family ties.

WELCOME TO THESE NEW MEMBERS OF THE HAWES FAMILY ASSOCIATION

Brenda C. Joehnk Scottsdale, Arizona

John L. Joehnk Bismark, Arkansas

Kathleen J. Keegahn Bellingham, Washington

John G. McBrayer Washington, D.C.

Kathleen Hawes Watkins Houston, Texas

Horace H. Beyette San Antonio, Texas

Geoffrey Jugel Annapolis, Maryland

Mrs. Joan Pridgen Waycross, Georgia

Anne C. Mayer Greenwood Village, Colorado

Dr. George Walter Hambrick, Jr. Charlottesville, Virginia

Lincoln County Public Library Lincolnton, Georgia

Roberta Blythe Henegar Laurel, Maryland

Carol "Jeanie" Hawes Holt Seguin, Texas

Index To Marriages Calhoun County, Texas Marriage Book B, page 148 Wm. Isaac Hawes married Alice Ann Bludworth on April 24, 1876.

NEW ARRIVALS

Zachary Dayton Long, a son born November 15, 2000, to Marc & Carrie (Foster) Long, in Orlando, Florida. He is the grandson of Jim & Susan Foster of Kentucky.

Joseph Lyle Nugent, a son born in California, in February, to Barry & Clare (Husband) Nugent. Clare is the daughter of Philip & Elaine (Hudgins) Husband and granddaughter of Helen Hawes Hudgins.

Nathan Alan Carville, born September 10, 1999

Nicolas Adam Carville, born March 31, 2000

The above baby boys were adopted, in February 2001, by Willi Hawes & Kim (Kohutek) Carville. They are the grandsons of Robin & Becky (Hawes) Carville and the great-grandsons of Joe D. & Marjorie Hawes. They all live in Texas.

A Few Plantations & Homes with a **Family Connection**

Montville, an early Aylett home in King William County, Virginia.

Fontainebleau, another Aylett home in King William County, Virginia, which was looted and ruined by federal troops during the War Between the States.

Springfield, near Louisville, Kentucky. The home of Colonel Richard Taylor acquired by his marriage to Annah Hornsby Lewis.

Locust Grove, an old Buckner home in Caroline County, Virginia.

The Neck, the King William County, Virginia home of William Buckner.

Woodpecker, the Caroline County, Virginia home built by Samuel Hawes II, in about 1750. Wintergreen, a home built by Hawes Coleman about 1800 near the Rockfish River, in Rockfish Valley, Nelson County, Kentucky.

Pine Forest, the home of John Coleman located in Spotsylvania County, Virginia.

Rockford, a home built about 1769 in Nelson County, Virginia by Major William Harris.

GONE AHEAD TO A BETTER PLACE TO WAIT FOR US.

Grace Lola MacEwen Hawes

Maryland – Grace Lola MacEwen Hawes, 87, of Leonardtown died Sunday, January 28, 2001 at St. Mary's Hospital in Leonardtown.

Born January 21, 1914 in Glyndon, she was the daughter of the late Walter Dyer & Grace Mildred Eppley MacEwen.

Mrs. Hawes was the wife of William E. Hawes of Leonardtown, whom she married August 18, 1935 in Bethesda; and mother of Celia Hawes Taylor of Leonardtown and Marc Hawes of Helen. One brother, Walter D. MacEwen of Owens Mills; 11 grandchildren; and 12 great grandchildren survive her. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Patrice Hawes Walton; two sisters, Roma Cate and Helen Custer; and one brother, Lloyd MacEwen.

Mrs. Hawes moved to St. Mary's County 33 years ago from Landover. She was formerly employed with the Department of the Treasury as an assistant secretary and Peoples Drug Stores. She was active in volunteer and civic associations throughout her life and had a lifelong love of art. As a volunteer, Mrs. Hawes enjoyed teaching art, dancing, music and gardening.

The Reverend Samuel C. Walker Sr. of Christ Episcopal Church officiated at her service held on January 31.

Memorial contributions may be made to Christ Episcopal Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 8, Chaptico, Maryland 20621.

[On page 5, there is a sweet tribute to Grace written in a letter to me by her daughter, Celia Hawes Taylor. It appears with her permission.]

Parrie Lane Hawes

Narrows, Kentucky – Parrie Lane Hawes, 89, of Narrows died Monday, July 3, 2000, at her home. She was born in Ohio County and was a housewife. She was a member of Edenside Christian Church in Louisville and enjoyed genealogy. Her husband, William Marshall Hawes, died February 10, 1962.

Survivors include three daughters, Betty Miller and Vicki Hawes, both of Narrows, and Violet Bartley of Louisville; a granddaughter; a greatgranddaughter; a great-grandson; and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services were held on Thursday at Cave Hill Cemetery in Louisville. Visitation was on Wednesday at Harl-Geary Funeral Home in Fordsville.

Rita Wells Thompson

Kentucky – Rachel Wells Thompson, 92, of 5058 Backsquare Drive, Owensboro, died Tuesday, March 13, 2001, at Owensboro Mercy Health System. The Spice Knob native was a member of Chestnut Grove Baptist Church and lifetime member and past matron of Goal Chapter 104, Eastern Star of Ensor. Her husband, Dorsey Thomspson, Sr., died in 1988.

Survivors include two sons, Dorsey Thompson, Jr. of Lewisport and Worden Thompson of Owensboro; five grandchildren; eight greatgrandchildren; and two sisters, Frances Evans of Owensboro and Dorothy Marksberry of Spice Knob.

Burial was at Yellow Creek Cemetery. Expressions of sympathy may take the form of donations to Chestnut Grove Baptist Church.

HAWES FAMILY REUNION

A Thompson/Hawes reunion is being planned. <u>Date:</u> Sunday, June 10, 2001 near Owensboro, Kentucky. <u>Time:</u> 11:30 a.m. until all the visiting is completed. <u>Location:</u> Yellow Creek Park, shelter 3N & 3S, on Hwy 144 (East of Owensboro just beyond Thruston, Kentucky; bear to the right, onto Hwy 144, from US Hwy 60E, just opposite the old steel mill.)

There are volleyball nets, a playground, & a horseshoe pitch. It is necessary to bring your own balls or horseshoes. Also, there are walking trails for the exercise-

challenged and a fishing pond for those under 16 or over 65 years of age.

Tables & benches are available but we are requesting that those in the area please bring deck chairs, blankets, etc. to insure seating & tables for all.

Food: We are asking everyone to bring a covered dish to share, and your own cold, soft drinks. Those flying or coming a great distance may be unable to bring anything but themselves, so it would be great if we could all bring a little extra. Each family should bring their own paper plates, plastic cups, utensils, & napkins. I will bring extras and I am sure others will, too. There will be a charcoal grill available.

If you will be able to attend: Please drop a card or letter into the mail to advise the planners of (1) your name and the number of people in your party (2) the type of covered dish (if any) you plan to bring; salad, main dish or casserole, dessert, etc. (3) any suggestions, ideas, or comments you may have (4) your email address, if you have one, and your mailing address.

To: Reunion Committee, 2405 Griffith Ave., Owensboro, KY 42301

The planners are: <u>Marian Sue Hawes</u>, 2405 Griffith Ave., Owensboro, KY 42301, telephone (270) 683-7803 and <u>Worden Thompson</u> 1530 Wrights Landing Rd, Owensboro, KY 42303, telephone (270) 281-9771. The email address for the reunion committee is: <u>ReunionComm2001@aol.com</u>

If you are interested in getting together with some of the other family members for a casual buffet/dinner gathering at a hotel or restaurant, on Saturday the 9th, where each would order & pay for their own meal, please advise Marian Sue Hawes as soon as possible. This might be as informal & casual as having a few tables in the same area of Ryan's or a hotel dining room. You will be advised of the location and time. Is there an Owensboro area family member who will volunteer to coordinate this? If so, please call Marian Sue Hawes.

Some of the HOTELS in or near Owensboro:

Executive Inn Rivermont . . . located in downtown Owensboro, on the Ohio River. (1-800-626-1936) Has recently been remodeled to include suites, whirlpools, restaurants, etc. Rates vary depending on the riverside view & amenities from \$65.00 to \$195.00. They expect to sell out quickly because of a the appearance on June 9th of Pam Tillis, at the hotel.

<u>Best Western Parrish</u> . . . 3220 W. Parrish Ave., nearest the airport. Weekend rates currently quoted as \$59.95. (1-270-685-2433)

<u>Best Western Hancock</u>... Hwy 60W in downtown Lewisport. New Construction, open perhaps within the year. Rate of \$58.81. (1-270-295-3234)

Would you consider bringing old family photographs and albums to the reunion?

PRESIDENT'S CORNER by Susan Foster

Dear Hawes Cousins,

Cousin Joanne has graciously invited me to write a column for the Hawes family newsletter and as I sit down to try and find something of interest to write, I am eternally grateful to Cousin Helen for choosing Joanne to be your scribe!

In this first column I would like to introduce myself and tell you a little about how I came to be interested in our Hawes family and how I met Cousin Helen.

I grew up in a small town called Maceo, sixteen miles west of Hawesville, Kentucky. My maternal grandparents just two doors away. My grandfather's name was William Hawes Carlton but everyone called him "Hawes". Probably not a day went by that I did not trek to their house. Many days my grandfather and I would visit the Hawes family relatives – Cousin Mag (Hawes) and Cousin Sue (Hawes) and others. Oh, how I wish I had paid more careful attention to him and also to those Hawes family relatives! On Sunday afternoons our family would frequently drive to Hawesville where we would catch the ferry to Cannelton, Indiana and have an ice cream cone. As we would drive through the town Mother would point out the house where my grandfather was raised by his mother, Aurelia Hawes Carlton and where Aurelia's parents lived – in the McAdams house that still looks out at the Ohio River.

When I was in junior high school, one of our assignments was to do research and write a paper on a subject of our own choosing. I chose to write a history of Hawesville. Mother and I went to Hawesville where I interviewed Eleanor (Powers) Ayers and drove the folks at the courthouse crazy. But, it was a wonderful experience and again, how I wish that I had paid closer attention! I still have that paper — complete with bibliography. It is all of 10 pages long, double-spaced. (I got an A+ by the way!)

So, as you can see, the Hawes family and Hawesville was in my blood from a very early age! I grew up, married a wonderful guy from Philpot, Kentucky, graduated from the University of Kentucky, went far far away with my husband and returned in 1989 to build a house on the family farm in Maceo. I was so fortunate to spend those three years visiting and doing things with my dear mother as she was killed in July of 1993 - a month before I was due to go back to Saudi Arabia to join my husband. Our family was devastated and not only did I feel that I had lost my best friend, but I knew that we had lost our family historian. Mother knew everything about every relative and could go through the most complicated litany tracing ancestors through the annals of time. Mother and I had just finished putting together our connection to the Hawes family and we were going to call this lady, Helen Hawes Hudgins to give her our "connection"... This is how I met Cousin Helen. I called her up out of the blue, crying my heart out and she invited me to come and see her in Franklin, Tennessee and bring my family tree. She greeted me with hot bread and when I met her I felt that we were not only kindred spirits, but we were actually quite closely related, as we were both descendents of William Franklin Hawes. So, here I am.. Your president .. And humbly so ..

Susan Elizabeth Wilhoyte Foster

The new mailing address for Helen Hawes Hudgins follows:

(Helen tells me that she doesn't miss housework at all. . . JHS)

Southern Care Assisted Living 4277 S. Carothers Road Franklin, Tennessee 37064

About Grace MacEwen Hawes

"My mother was a lovely woman - a lady in every sense of the word. She was gracious, loving and beautiful, a wonderful person to talk to and a gentle soul.

Mother was an amazing artist, and understood color like no one I have ever known. She was in awe of every sunrise and sunset. She was a treasure to all who knew her and was my dearest friend."

Celia Hawes Taylor

Ferry Operation between Hawesville, Kentucky & Cannelton, Indiana

Clary Walker Hawes, the widow of Richard Hawes I, was issued the first ferry-operating license in Hancock County, Kentucky, on May 26, 1834.

Rates were fixed by the court at the time the license was issued as:

A man 12 ½ cents, a man and horse 25 cents, a single horse 13 ¾ cents, a wagon or wheel carriage 50 cents, cattle, per head 8 cents, sheep, per head 6 ½ cents, hogs, per head 4 cents, a coach wagon chariot and driver . . \$1.50, a four-wheeled chaise phaeton and driver \$1.00, a two-wheeled riding carriage 50 cents, a hogshead of tobacco 25 cents, and meat of a head of cattle 12 ½, meat of a head of sheep, goat, or lamb 2 ½ cents.

Happy Birthday to:

John Calhoon, father of Corilla (Calhoun) Hawes, April 13, 1793

John Jay Coleman II, spouse of Catherine Walker (Hawes) Coleman, April 11, 1797

Jane Bertha Dallis, spouse of Moseley Hawes, April 17, 1827

Albert Gallatin Hawes, son of Richard & Clary Walker Hawes, April 1, 1805.

Benjamin Walker Hawes, son of Richard & Clary Walker Hawes, April 4, 1810

William Franklin Hawes, son of Richard & Clary Walker Hawes, April 28, 1819

Emma Juliette Nicholas, spouse of John Churchill, Sr. and granddaughter of Hugh Walker Hawes, April 14, 1854

Richard Walker Hawes, son of Benjamin Walker Hawes, April 14, 1833

Georgietta Adams, spouse of Richard Walker Hawes, April 12, 1840

Susan Mitchell Hawes, daughter of Benjamin Walker Hawes and spouse of Walker Roberts, whose maternal grandparents were Hugh & Maria (Fry) Walker, April 22, 1851

Martha A. Taylor, spouse of Samuel Burks Hawes, whose parents were Charles Theodore Hawes & Anna Allen Taylor, April 13, 1863

John Harold Barbee, great-great grandson of Hawes Barbee, April 10, 1906

Edwin Coleman Brown, grandson of William Harris & Ann Hawes Coleman, April 2, 1857 John James Blaydes, great-great grandson of John Coleman, Sr. & Eunice "Nicey" Hawes Coleman, April 3, 1845

Leila Blanchard, spouse of John Stokes Norman who is the grandson of Peyton Hawes, April 11, 1850

QUERIES

- 1. Do you know the date or county of birth for our memorial member, Edith McCallum Howard? J.H.S.
 - Answer: November 19, 1910. Thanks to Mary Eleanor Fitzhugh Hitselberger.
- 2. Does anyone know of living descendants I might contact of Hugh Walker Hawes? & his first wife, Maria Juliette de Rion? J.H.S.

For Civil War Buffs

At Christmas this past year I received a wonderful book from my son and his family, John, Wanda, Joshua, & Cody McNeley.

North Across the River – A Civil War Trail of Tears, by Ruth Beaumont Cook, published by Crane Hill Publishers of Birmingham, Alabama in 1999.

There is a Cannelton, Indiana & Hawesville, Ky connection in this story about how General William Tecumseh Sherman pianned and carried out his "total war" on the South; forcing the people of a small Georgia mill town, even children, to move north to work in the Cannelton cotton mill.

Send cards, letters, & information to:

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Joanne Hawes Stoe

April 2001

Dear Cousins & Friends,

It is hard to believe that this is the third newsletter I have prepared. Time has flown by and you have been so generous and encouraging with your comments and are keeping me informed when you have news. My thanks.

Susan Foster, the president of our family association, has agreed to write a column for each newsletter and the first one appears this month. I believe that you will enjoy it as much as I did.

Helen Hawes Hudgins has relocated and you will find her new mailing address on page 5. She continues to provide me with help and guidance for the newsletter and in my family history quest.

Richard J. Haase very kindly responded to my request for his Hawes connection, with a great family tree. He is descended from two of the children of Richard & Clary Walker Hawes; Edwin & Cary Ann (Trotter) Hawes, and Jonathan Gibson & Susan Elizabeth (Hawes) Taylor.

Two of the reasons I continue to ask all of you for family tree information are that I am: (1) building our Hawes and allied families trees for my book and (2) adding the information to a new card file system for our association so that there will be a permanent record to pass on to another in the future. The distant future I hope, since I find this enterprise to be a pleasure and greatly rewarding.

The Thompson-Hawes reunion being held this June near Owensboro should be great fun. I plan to attend along with my cousin Molly (Hawes) Rader, and look forward to meeting many of you there.

In August, I will travel to Lincolnton, Georgia to attend the Norman family reunion. There is a Hawes-Norman connection. Some of the Normans are descendants of Isaac Hawes, Sr.

Let me hear from you. I welcome family history or anecdotes or news, old and new. Please keep me informed.

Farewell, until our next issue in July.

Sincerely,

Joanne

HAPPY EASTER TO ALL OF YOU