

ID: I4013

Name: Edward Alexander HARPER

Given Name: Edward Alexander

Surname: Harper

Sex: M

Birth: 10 AUG 1785 in Albemarle Parish,Sussex Co.,VA 1 2 3

Death: 28 JUN 1860 in Harper Plantation,Perry Co.,AL 4

Burial: 1860 Old Greensboro Cemetery,Greensboro,Hale Co.,AL

Note:

"Edward Harper, of Sussex County, Virginia, married Ann Turner. The union produced two sons; Wilkins and William Harper, born April 22, 1763. Edward Harper died in 1764. In 1765, Ann married Thomas Saunders. William migrated to Pike county, Georgia, where he sired John, Wilkins, James, Wyatt, Edward Alexander, and William Turner." Early Settlers in Alabama, Saunders, p. 343.

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Samuel A. Townes, in his book on the History of Perry County, Alabama, mentioned a "Dr. Harper" as being a physician in Marion between 1840-1850 [and this could be his son Wilkins]; and other evidence has presented itself that leads this author to believe that there was indeed more Harpers in Perry County at that time than the census leads us to believe.

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On Edward A. Harper's military records there is evidence to lead this author to believe that Edward Alexander Harper was a medic also (he "tended" his wounded commander, Col. Newman in the War of 1812); he was a private, and was awarded 80 acres. See below:

Edward A. Harper, b 1786 in Sussex Co., VA, served in the War of 1812, Alexander's Battalion, Riflemen, GA Militia.

National Archives, Card 89.507, Edward Harper, under Capt. Wm. E. Adams, GA Mil, vol 13 Sep , dis 14 Feb 1813?[Note: this should read 1814]. Adm 80 acres (very bad copy) Nov 6/27?; [written later on the card] Third Auditor's Office 31 December 1851, Edward Harper served as a private in Capt. W. E. Adams' company from 23 April 1813 - 6 March 1814 [signed] B. F. Gallaher, H. Baun?, Syd Moore, Greensboro, Ala.; wart 96846 ap Jany 10/52 & Sent P. Date V53.h.231

The State of Alabama } The .....can't read  
Greene County } of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one personally appeared before me as Justice of the Peace within and for the county and State aforesaid, Edward harper, aged sixty five years, a resident of Perry County in the State of Alabama, who being duly sworn according to law, declares he is the

identical Edward Harper who was a private in the company commanded by Captain William E. Adams in the Regiment of Georgia Militia commanded by Col. ----- Harris (at one part of the term of the service, and subsequently by Col. Dan'l Newman) and in the Battalion of which Maj. \_\_\_\_\_ Alexander was commanding) in the war with Great Britain declared by the United States on the 18th day of June AD 1812- & in the campaign against the Creek Indians, and that he volunteered at Edenton in Putnam Co., Georgia on or about the 1st day of September AD 1813 for the term of six months and continued in actual service in said war for the term of six months and was honorably discharged at Edenton Georgia \_\_\_\_\_ (he having returned home in company with and to attend Col. Newman as his nurse after he had been dangerously wounded in the battle of the Kalebee scenufe?) about the ninth of February of the year 1814 \_\_\_\_\_ as will appear by the Muster rolls of his company \_\_\_\_\_ He never rec'd any certificate of discharge and none was given to the individual members of the company at the time of their discharge to the best of his knowledge \_\_\_\_\_

[Second page first line unreadable]...of January the bounty land to which he may be entitled under the act of Congress granting Bounty land to certain officers and soldiers who have been engaged in the Military service of the United States, passed 8th Sept AD 1850.

[signed] Edward Harper

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day and year above written. And I hereby certify that I believe the said Edward harper to be the identical man who served as a private and that he is of the age above stated \_\_\_\_\_

[signed] R. D. Huckabee, JP

The State of Alabama } I, James R. Evans Judge of the Probate  
Greene County } Court of said County - and by Law Clerk of said Court  
do hereby certify that R. D. Huckabee Esq. before whom the within  
affidavit was made, and who has thereunto subscribed his name, is now  
and was at the date thereof an acting Justice of the Peace in and for  
said County duly commissioned and qualified.

Given under my hand and seal of Office at Eutaw this the 15th day of  
March AD 1857.

J. R. Evans, Judge

Greensboro 17th March 57

Sir:

I am requested by the claimant Mr. Edward Harper to send you the foregoing application for Bounty Land \_\_\_\_\_ If he should be found entitled to the same, (of which I am satisfied he will,) he requests that you

will forward to him at Greensboro, Ala \_\_\_\_  
Very Respectfully  
Your Ob't Servant  
Syd. Moore  
agent

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Harper's who served in the war of 1812  
[from internet website <[www.sierra.com/sierrahome/familytree/records/w1812/list](http://www.sierra.com/sierrahome/familytree/records/w1812/list)>

Soldier Regiment/Battalion

Allan 1 Reg. Harris  
Ansel A. 2 Reg. Thomas  
Ansel L. 2 Reg. Thomas  
Bedford 1 Reg. Harris  
Benjamin Cap. Hamilton's Co, Art'y  
Charles Cap. Hamilton's Co, Art'y  
Benjamin Q. 1 Reg. Chambers  
Edward Alexander's Batt'n Riflemen \*\*\*\*\* This is our Edward  
James W. 4 Reg. Booth  
John 2 Reg. Pray  
John 4 Reg. Jones  
Joseph R. Brodnax's Detachment  
Josiah B. 4 Reg. Jones  
Lenard 2 Reg. Pray  
Shadrach 2 Reg. Pray  
Thomas 1 Reg. Harris  
Turner Alexander's Batt'n Riflemen \*\*\* I believe this might be William  
Turner. It would stand to reason he would be near his brothers.  
Wilkins 1 Reg. Harris  
Wilkins Alexander's Batt'n Riflemen \*\*\* This more than likely is  
Edward and W. T.'s brother Wilkins  
Wilkins 3 Reg. Few  
William P. 3 Reg. Wimberley  
William T. 1 Reg. Chambers \*\*\* But either one of these could be him also  
William T. 2 Reg. Thomas  
Wyatt Capt. Hamilton's Co. Art'y \*\*\*\*\*Either one of these Wyatt's could  
be a brother also.  
Wyatt 1 Reg. Chambers

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HARPERS IN THE 1820 GEORGIA CENSUS

Name County  
Allen Morgan  
Ann Morgan

Bedford Elbert  
Benjamin Hancock  
Benjamin Jefferson  
Carilton B. Elbert  
Charter Elbert  
Edward Warren  
Edward Putnam \*(This is Edward Alexander Harper of Eatonton, Putnam  
Co., GA, b. 1786 in Sussex  
Elizabeth McIntosh Co., Virginia., son of William and Jane Bonner Harper.)  
Everitt Walton  
Frederick Liberty  
George Hall  
Halcom G. Greene  
Henry Elbert  
James Wayne  
James Wilkes  
John Wilkes  
John Putnam \*(John, William and Jane Bonner Harper's oldest son.)  
John McIntosh  
John Lincoln  
John J. Wilkes  
John W. Clarke  
Joseph Clarke  
Josiah Elbert  
Malachiah Appling  
Nathaniel Wilkinson  
R. Richmond  
Richard Elbert  
Robert Hall  
Sabisy McIntosh  
Samuel Irwin  
Samuel B. Greene  
Samuel Jr. Greene  
Shadrach Liberty  
Sherard Clarke  
Solomon Wilkes  
Tabitha H. Hall  
Thomas Lincoln  
Wilkins Irwin  
William Hall  
William Hancock  
William Hancock  
William Putnam \*This is William Harper, married to Jane Bonner, b.  
1763 in Sussex Co., VA.  
William P. Hancock

William T. Putnam (This is William Turner Harper, son of William and Jane Bonner Harper, b. 1793 in either VA or NC)

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Source: Perry County Heritage, Section I, A History of Perry County by W. Stuart Harris, pg 14.

The following is a list of early settlers who registered land claims in Perry County between 1819-1821 with the date that each person registered: Hoggue Section

Hoggue, John --1820

Evans, Joseph --1820

Bates, John M. --1820

Harper, Edward --1820 \*\*\*\*\* (Since he was still on the 1820 Census of Putnam Co, GA, this can only mean

White, Alexander M. --1820 that he had not moved his family yet, or there was another Edward.)

Evans, William --1820

Abbott, William --1820

Ash, Thomas --1821

Perry, Jonathan --1821

1830 Census Perry Co., AL

pg 69 Harper, Edward 7 4 17

1 male under 5 [Edward, b 1826]

1 male 5-10 [Benjamin, b 1824]

2 males 10-15 [Wyatt b 1820 & unknown boy]

1 male 15-20 [Henry b abt 1812]

1 male 20-30 [Wilkins, b 1810]

1 male 40-50 [Edward Alexander Harper, b 1785]

2 females 10-15 [Harriett b abt 1814 and Amelia b 1816]

1 female 20-30 [Virginia ?]

1 female 40-50 [Mary McDonald Harper, b 1785]

pg 55 Harper, William T. 7 5 0

Some of Edward Alexander Harper's neighbors on the 1830 census of Perry Co.

( 69) Anderson B. Miller 4 4 0

William Weatherford 2 1 1

Jabez Curry [Baptist Minister] 2 5 49

Edward Harper 7 4 17

Joseph Daniel 4 4 0

James Scarborough 3 2 0

Benjamin Reynolds 2 3 2

Elias Wallace 8 4 20

Charles McGehee 2 4 9

James Davis 2 2 0  
Christen McKeller 5 4 1  
Pleasant White 3 3 1  
Joseph Jamerson 3 4 70  
Thomas C. Barron 3 2 4  
Paten Cochran 6 7 0 [Patton? Cochran]

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1840 Census, Perry Co., AL  
Harper, William T. 258  
Harper, Wilkins 258

Harper, Edward 262 \*\*\*\*\*  
1 male 10-15 [Edward A. b ca 1826]  
2 males 15-20 [ Benjamin A. b 1824 & Wyatt b 1821]  
1 male 50-60 [Edward Alexander Harper b 1785]  
1 female 20-30 [Harriett? b abt 1813]  
1 female 50-60 [Mary "Polly" McDonald Harper b 1785]

Harper, George 272 [George Weldon Harper of Uniontown? Probably not]

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1850 Census, Perry Co., AL Dwelling #44 -48  
Edward Harper 64 m ca 1786 \$6300 NC  
Benjamin 26 m 1824 AL  
Edward A. 24 m 1826 AL  
Sarah Weathers 65 f 1787 Housekeeper VA Cannot read or write  
John W. Smith 67 m 1789 Carpenter England  
Lunidas Shackelford 16 m 1834 AL Attended school within the year

1850 Perry County, AL, census shows him as born in North Carolina.  
1860 Free Inhabitants, Greene Co., AL shows VA.

1860 list of Free Inhabitants of Perry County, AL

Edward Harper 74 M Farmer \$8,000 b. VA  
B. A. (Benjamin A.) 36 M Farmer \$18,000 \$25,000 b. AL  
M. E. (Margaret Ann) 30 F Domestic b. AL  
Sarah (Sallie) 3 F b. AL  
Harriett (Hattie) 2 F b. AL

F. Y. Harper 53 F Domestic \$600 \$4,000 b. NC [This is Edward's last wife, the Y may stand for Yeager, Yates....] And why is she in another house the day of the census? She is already in his will of 1859 as his wife. Edward is found that day at the old homestead which now belongs to his son Benjamin. Did Edward just happen to be at his son's that day or was he terminally ill? It is quite obvious from his will that

F. Y. was well-to-do in her own right, and this survey shows she has her own place. Who was she married to before?

H. A. Harper 33 M Clerk b. VA [Who is this? He could be of the Uniontown Harpers that were of James Harper, George etc.]

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WILL OF EDWARD ALEXANDER HARPER

Will Book B, 1858 - 1873, Pg. 100-104, Perry County, AL.

I, Edward Harper, do make publish & declare this to be my last will & testament & do hereby revoke any & all other wills & pacts thereof heretofore at any time made or signed by me.

Item 1st I do hereby nominate appoint and constitute my sons Wilkins Harper & Benjamin Harper to be the Executors of this my last will and testament and do request & direct that the Honorable the Judge of the Court of Probate having jurisdiction thereof to grant unto them or either of them letters testamentary therein without requiring from them or either of them bond or security for the performance of their duties as such Executors.

Item 2nd I do hereby devise bequeath & give to my said Executors all my personal property and perishable property of every kind & description choses in action rights & credit and money which I may have on hand at the time of my death and out of which to pay off all my just debts so soon after my death as the same can be done and they are hereby authorized and empowered to make sale of any and every thing hereby devised to them either for cash or on a credit at public sale on the first day of January there next after my death or so soon after that day as the same can be done after having given three weeks notice of the day place and the times of the sale by advertisement in a news paper published in the Town of Marion in the County of Perry and the Town of Greensboro in the County of Greene except my crop of cotton or the interest that I may have therein which is to be put forward by my Executor and sold at private sale in such market as they shall select & by such agent or merchant as they shall appoint for that purpose.

Item the 3rd I do hereby give bequeath & devise unto my wife Frances Y. Harper all such interest Estate right claim or title as may have vested in me or that my Estate might be entitled to receive in and from the property which she held at the time of our marriage or has acquired thereafter from it such hires increases or profit as has acquired by decent device or gift or in any other manner at law or as

equity to her the said Frances Y. to have and to hold and to enjoy the same in as full and ample a manner as if she had remained single. And I do hereby direct my Executors that they shall immediately after my death deliver to her the said Frances Y. all and every thing hereby devised and bequeathed to her by this clause of my last will and testament to do with as she chooses & further that she shall not be required to account to my Executors for such rent profit hires or receipts as shall have in anywise accrued to be from her separate Estate.

Item 4 I hereby give to my son Benjamin A. Harper a bed stead & bed and sufficient furniture of that character for bedding.

Item 5 The residue of my Estate of every sort kind and description I do hereby devise give and bequeath to be divided share and share alike between my wife Frances Y. Harper my sons Wilkins Harper Henry Harper Wyatt Harper Benjamin A. Harper Edward Harper Edward & Harriet Shackelford the children of my daughter Amelia Shackelford deceased to have one share thereof to which their mother would be entitled if she was living & Mary Amelia Lettice Ann Dobnia Caroline John Boyd Mathew Edward & Harriet S. Gambell the children of my deceased daughter Harriet A. Gambell to have and share thereof to which their mother would be entitled if she was living the share or portion thereof hereby given to my wife Frances Y. Harper is to be holdin in trust by my said Executor for and during the natural life of the said Frances Y. and the interest hires income & profit thereof to be paid over to her annually for and during her natural life to be by her disposed of as she may choose and after the death of the said Frances Y. the share or portion so set apart to her to be divided between and amongst my heirs at law according to the statute of decents & distributions.

Item 6 I do hereby authorize and empower my said Executors to sell as is provided in the second clause of this my last will and testament my real & personal property for the purpose of making division or distribution thereof amongst the legatees named in this my last will and testament and to make & execute to the purchaser or purchasers thereof deeds of conveyance for the same. Further, neither of my said children or their decendants or my said growed children are to be held to account for any advancements heretofore made by me either to my said children or growed children it having been my purpose and intention to make them nearly equal in value in such advancements.

In testimony of all which I the said Edward Harper have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27 day of May A.D. 1859.

Signed published Edward Harper {Seal}  
& declared by Edward Harper  
to be his last will & testament in our presence who have at his  
request in his presence & in the presence of each other Subscribed our  
names as witnesses thereto

R. J. Hill James H. Simms P. B. McLemore

The State of Alabama} Probate Court Regular  
Perry County } Term Sept 10 1860

In the matter of the Probate of the last will and testament of Edward  
Harper dec'd the witnesses R. J. Hill & James H. Simms being called  
and sworn says on oath that Edward Harper the testator whose name is  
signed to the paper submitted as the last will and testament of said  
testator signed his name to the said paper as his last will on the day  
of the date thereof in the presence of the said witnesses that said  
witnesses signed their names to said paper as witnesses thereto in the  
presence of testator and at his instance & request that testator at  
the time of signing said paper was a resident of Perry County Alabama  
was of sound mind and disposing memory and was over the age of twenty  
one years and no undue influence was exercised over the said testator  
to induce him to execute to said will

Subscribed & sworn to before me Sept 10 1860 R. J. Hill  
J. F. Bailey Judge James H. Simms

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Newer Cemetery at Greensboro (Hale County, AL) in Southeast part of town.  
Copied by Dr. Roland Harper, May 3, 1934

Note: The [ ] are this author's, Shirley Gail Holley-Sova

Susan Hill (Mother) died Jan. 11, 1890

Joseph B. Ulmer born Sept 11, 1869, died June 15, 1873.

Alvah Rhodes, confederate soldier died 1866 aged 30 yrs.

Martha Jane Stark died July 6, 1848, aged 15 yrs.

John C. Orrick born Aug. 1816, died Feb. 27, 1848.

C. A. Sheldon - confederate soldier --

Susan M. Sheldon, wife of C. A. Sheldon ---

Rev. T. H. Hudgins born Aug 31, 1869, died June 14, 1889 - AL Conference

Rev. B. E. Catron of Carrollton, Miss. 1866-1890

Joseph Chapman born in Edgefield District, South Carolina Apr. 1 1810  
died Sept 22, 1872

Alonzo B. Chapman (Confederate Soldier) born in Dallas Co. Ala. Oct.  
23, 1838 died May 31, 1862; killed at Seven Pines

Joseph Edwin Chapman born July 20, 1858 died Sept. 17, 1871

Eleanor Thomas born Feb. 3, 1789 died July 21, 1845

Claudius Willingham (Confederate Soldier) born Dec. 7, 1838 died Jan.  
27, 1863 in Virginia.

William H. Willingham (Confederate Soldier) born Dec 1840 died Oct. 3, 1861 in Virginia.  
 Mary Frances, wife of W. G. Hafner, died Sept. 14, 1876, aged 34 yrs.  
 Robert Shackelford (Masonic emblem) born in Hancock County, Ga. Sept. 16, 1806 died Sept 16, 1877, aged 71.  
 Amelia A. [Harper] Shackelford, wife Robert Shackelford and daughter of Edward and Mary Harper, born Sept. 4, 1816, died Dec. 5, 1845, aged 29 yrs.  
 Cordelia Ann [Quigley] Shackelford, wife of Robert Shackelford, born Apr. 3, 1832, died Feb. 7, 1903, aged 70 yrs.  
 Edward Harper, born Aug 10, 1785, died Jun 28, 1860  
 Mary Harper born Dec. 25, 1785, died Dec. 25, 1845, aged 60 yrs.  
 Married Edward Harper October 26, 1809.  
 Benjamin A. Harper born Dec. 25, 1824, died October 24, 1864.  
 Kate Cleaveland Harper born Oct. 27, 1855 died Oct. 1, 1856.  
 Mary A. Harper, born Jan. 25, 1858, died Apr 30, 1859.  
 William Howell Hardin, born Feb. 20, 1834, died Feb. 28, 1884.  
 David J. Castleman (Confederate Soldier) born Nov. 27, 1825, died Dec. 30, 1897.  
 Kate Castleman, Wife of David J. Castleman, born July 18, 1827, died Feb. 15, 1866.  
 C. Walter Castleman, born in Alexandria, Va., Aug. 11, 1854, died in Rodney, Miss., Feb. 2, 1884.  
 Fannie Marbury Sawyer died Sept. 27, 1871, aged 10 yrs.

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Courthouse Records of Greensboro, Hale County, Alabama - List of Cemetery Lots of Greensboro City Cemetery.

Lot #71 (Shackelford-Harper)

Dec 1845 Mary, wife of Edward Harper 60 ca b 1785  
 Dec 1845 Amelia A., wife of Robert Shachelford 29 1816  
 Mar 1857 Willie Anna, dau. of J. N. Gambrell  
 1860 Edward Harper 75 1785 \*\*\*\*\*  
 Sep 1877 Robert Shackelford 71 1806  
 Feb 1903 Cordelia Ann, wife of Robt. Shackelford 71 1806  
 Jan 1915 Mrs. M. A. Harper 87 1828  
 (Is this Benjamin's wife or Edward Alex Jr's wife - she died in 1915 - see below?)

Lot #72 (Harper-True)

1858 Three Infants of B. Harper  
 Oct 1864 Benjamin J. [A.] Harper 40 ca b 1824  
 Dec 1865 Benjamin Edward Harper 2 1863  
 Oct 1877 Betty Cleveland Harper 15 1862  
 Feb 1884 William Howell Hardin 50 1834  
 Jan 1915 Margaret Ann, wife of Ben J. Harper 70 1845 \*\*\*\*see comments

above, this cannot be right - or she would have had her first child at 10 years old! But the age on the above would have been right. Are these the same?

May 1932 Miss Hattie Harper 73 1859

Feb 1936 Martin B. True 81 1855

Sep 1939 Sallie Whitsett Harper, wife of M. B. True 83 1856

Nov 1950 Willie Harper, wife of Chas. L. Pollard 90 1859 [14 May]

Mar 1951 Martin Bradford True Jr. 63 1888

Oct 1952 Sadie Whitsett True 66 1886

Aug 1957 William Howell True 67 1890

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The children of Edward A. Harper and Polly (Mary) McDonald included:

1. Wilkins Harper b. 1811 in GA
2. Henry Harper
3. Wyatt Harper b. ca 1820 in GA
4. Benjamin A. Harper b. Dec. 25, 1824; died Oct.24, 1864
5. Edward A. Harper b. ca 1826-1828 in AL
6. Amelia A. Harper
7. Harriet A. Harper

Edward A. Harper married 2nd Frances Y. \_\_\_\_? \_\_\_\_.

E. V. Knight 15 Jan 2001

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Perry County, Alabama, Deed Record Book H, page 130-131 Recorded 4 Nov 1846

Know all men by these presents that I Edward harper for an in consideration of the love and affection that I bear my son Henry Harper and for the further consideration of one Dollar (the receipt whereof is duly acknowledged) I have this day bargained and sold and by these presents do hereby alien, transfer, convey, give, grant and forever quit-claim to my said son Henry all that tract or parcel of land known and come due as follows — to wit — the south East quarter of Section twenty five in Township twenty of Range 5, containing one hundred and forty seven 15/100 also more or less in the district known as the Cahawba land district in the state of Alabama -- To have and to hold to him & his heirs forever -

In Testimony whereof I have haereunto set my hand and seal at my residence in Perry County and state of Alabama this seventeenth day of September 1846.

Edward Harper {Seal}  
presence of  
E. K. Carlisle

John Agnus  
L. N. Walthall Recorded 4 Nov 1846

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Perry County, Alabama, Deed Record Book H, page 345

Know all men by these presents that I Edward harper for an in consideration of the love and affection that I bear my son Wilkins Harper and for the further consideration of one Dollar (the receipt whereof is duly acknowledged) I have this day bargained and sold and by these presents do hereby alien, transfer, convey, give, grant and forever quit-claim to my said son Henry all that tract or parcel of land known and come due as follows — to wit:

E NE 1/4 of Sec. 19, Township 18, Range 3W, also

W NW 1/4 of Sec 20, Township 18, Range 3, also

E NE 1/4 of Sec 19, Township 18, Range 3W, also

E SE 1/4 of Sec 19, Township 18, Range 3W, all in Demopolis land district... 17 Sep 1846

Edward Harper {Seal}  
presence of  
John Agnus  
Leonidas N. Walthall  
Thomas Mann File for reg 26 Apr 1847  
Recorded 26 Apr 1847

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Perry County, Alabama, Deed Record Book H, page 131 Recorded 4 Nov 1846

This indenture entered into this day the twenty first day of September in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty six between Edward harper of the county of Perry & state of Alabama of the first part and Wilkins Harper of same county and state of the second part and Harriett A. Gamble daughter of said Edward of the County of Greene in said state of the third part - Witnesseth that for an in consideration of the Love and affection entertained by the said Edward for his said Daughter Harriett A. and for the further consideration of one dollar paid to the said Edward by the said Wilkins and diverse other good and valuable considerations the said Edward hath this day bargained and sold and by these presents doth alien transfer and convey to the said Wilkins one Negro Girl named Tu (Su?) aged about nine Years to have and to hold to him and his heirs in Trust - nevertheless that the said Girl shall remain with and serve the said

Harriett A. during her natural life and at her death shall be the property of the children of the said Harriett A. which may then be living. But if she shall die without issue surviving the said Negro Wossian (sp?) Shall then go to the property of the right heirs of the said Edward.

Witness our hands and seals

Edward {Seal} Harper

Wilkins {Seal} Harper

In presence of Filed for reg Nov 2, 1846

E. K. Carlisle Recd' Nov 4, 1846

John Agnus

L. N. Walthall

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Perry County, Alabama, Deed Record Book H, page 132 Recorded 5 Nov 1846

Know all men by these presents that I Edward Harper of the county of Perry, State of Alabama on this twenty-first day of September 1846 for an in consideration ...of the love and affection that I bear for my son Wyatt Harper ....that tract or parcel of land herein described as follows...

S and NE of Sec 23, Township 19, Range 3W, also

the fraction eight, Sec 14, Township 19, Range 3W, also in the district known as the Demopolis land district....in the County of Sumter....

Edward Harper

filed for reg Oct 28, 1846

Recorded Nov 5, 1846 Jno. Cunningham Registrar

By Thomas C. Daniel, P.G.

Change Date: 14 AUG 2003 at 17:09:56

Father: William T. HARPER b: 22 APR 1763 in Albemarle Parish,Sussex Co.,VA

Marriage 1 Spouse Unknown

Married: 26 OCT 1809 in Putnam Co.,GA 5

Children

Wilkins HARPER b: CAL 1810 in Putnam Co.,GA

Henry HARPER b: ABT 1812 in Putnam Co.,GA

Harriett M. HARPER b: ABT 1814 in Putnam Co.,GA

Amelia Ann HARPER b: 4 SEP 1816 in Putnam Co.,GA

One missing boy HARPER b: ABT 1818 in Putnam Co.,GA

Wyatt A. HARPER b: CAL 1820 in Putnam Co.,GA

Benjamin Alexander HARPER b: 25 DEC 1824 in Perry Co.,AL

Edward A.(Asbury?) HARPER b: CAL 1826 in Perry Co.,Al

Sources:

Title: 1850 Census, Perry County, AL

Abbrev: 1850 Census, Perry County, AL

Title: E.V.Knight, Eatonton, Georgia

Abbrev: E.V.Knight, Eatonton, Georgia

Title: Cemetery Inscriptions, Greensboro Cemetery, Hale Co., AL

Abbrev: Cemetery Inscriptions, Greensboro Cemetery, Hale Co., AL

Title: Will of Edward Alexander Harper, Will Book B, Perry County, AL,  
dated 27 May 1859, probated 10 Sep. 1860.

Abbrev: Will of Edward Alexander Harper, Will Book B, Perry County,  
AL, dated 27 May 1859, probated 10 Sep. 1860.

Title: Marriage Records of Putnam Co., GA

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