

of Co. E, Cobb's Georgia legion of cavalry; served through the war; surrendering at Greensboro, N. C., 1865. He farmed and merchandised, removing for a while to Mississippi. In 1882 he located in Anniston and engaged in the real estate business, changing to the lumber business in 1885, and in 1888 he was elected mayor of Anniston. He is a Mason and a Methodist. Married: August 10, 1885, to Emma, daughter of Major T. D. Evans. Children: 1. Minnie G.; 2. Mattie B.; 3. Thomas W.; 4. Jennie J.; 5. Emmet E.; 6. Ella May. Residence: Tarsus, near Anniston.

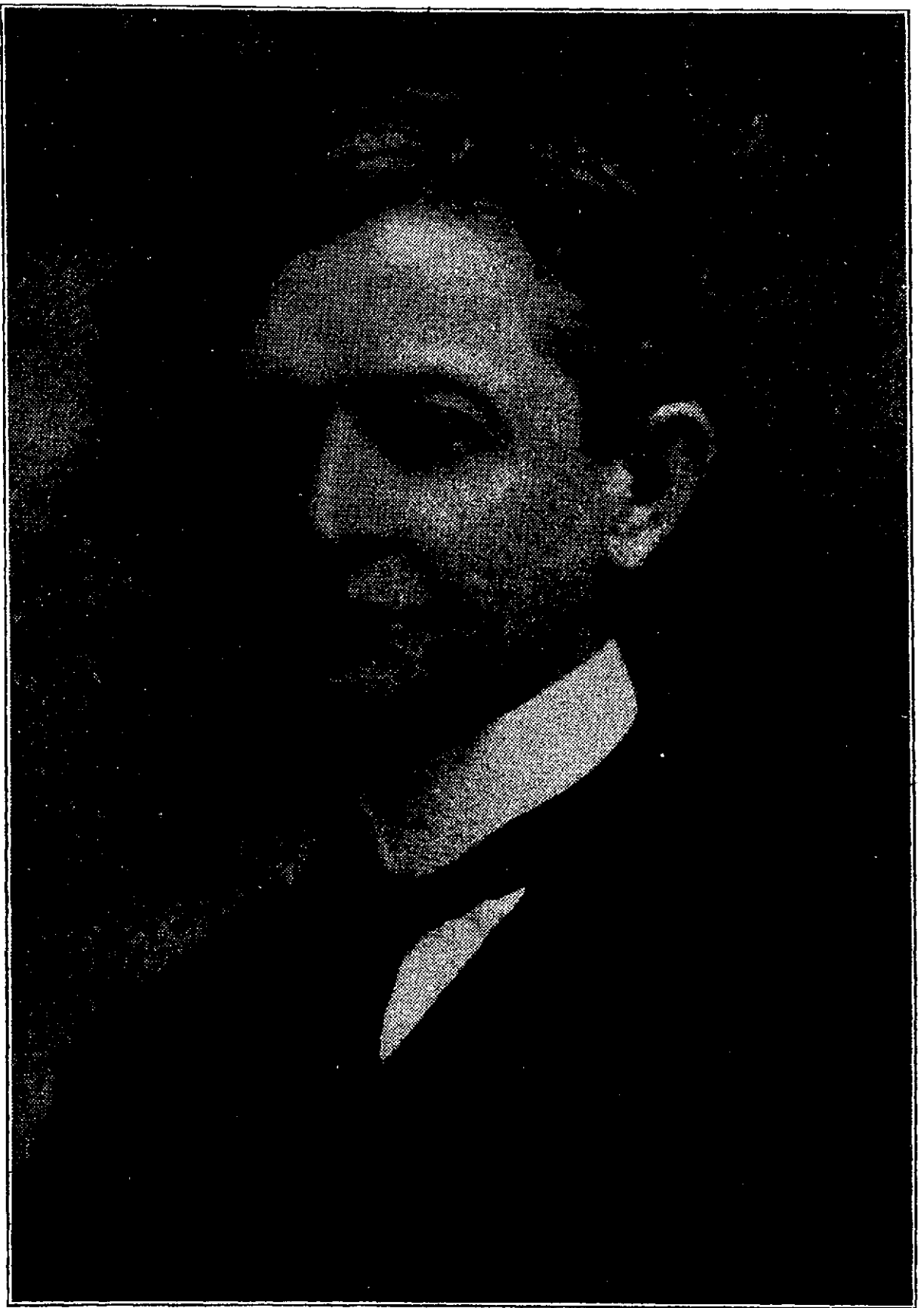
FOSTER, GEORGE W., physician, was born December 19, 1856, in Jackson County; son of T. Boyd and Sarah Mumford (Mason) Foster, of Virginia, the former a civil engineer and surveyor of Jackson County for forty years. Dr. Foster was half-brother to William and Samuel C., who were killed in the Confederate defense of Atlanta; also of Thomas T., who lost a leg in the battle of Peach Tree Creek. He was educated in the public schools, finishing in the Austin academy of Stevenson. He studied medicine under Dr. William Mason of Jackson County and graduated from Vanderbilt university, 1882. He located in Stevenson, and has practiced his profession there since. He is a member of the Alabama State, Tri-State, and the Jackson County medical societies. He is a Mason and a Cumberland Presbyterian. Married: December 5, 1883, to Jennie Graham, daughter of F. J. Graham. Children: 1. Mary; 2. Sarah; 3. Jennie. Residence: Stevenson.

FOSTER, GURDON ROBINSON, Presbyterian minister, was born February 6, 1827, at Claiborne, Monroe County, and died October 26, 1887, Tuskegee; son of Charles Orn Foster, a native of Wrentham, Mass., who lived at Boston until after his marriage to a Miss Lenon, then moved to Alabama. His paternal grandfather was an Englishman, who married Lenoira Hall, and came to America, settling in Sumter District, S. C. His mother's father, Capt. Lenoir, was an Englishman, and his wife was a French Huguenot. They lived at Lenoir, N. C. Rev. Foster was prepared in the high schools of Alabama; was graduated from Oglethorpe university, A. B., 1848, with first honors; and from the theological course at Columbia theological seminary, South Carolina, 1851. He was licensed to preach by the Presbytery of east Alabama in the fall of 1851; served as pastor of the Prattville and Wetumpka churches until 1871, when he was chosen evangelist of the East Alabama Presbytery; and continued the work of evangelist until November, 1880, when he was appointed superintendent of the Orphans' Home, by the Synod of Alabama, the home then being located at Tuskegee. He was superintendent of the home at the time of his death in 1887, and had been a minister of the gospel for thirty-six years. Married: December 1, 1858, near Dadeville, Tallapoosa County, Annie Elizabeth Slaughter, daughter of John Robins and Temperance (Harris) Slaughter, who lived near Dadeville, the former of Irish descent, the lat-

ter of Scotch. Her maternal grandfather was a colonel in the Revolutionary Army. Children: 1. Laura Amelia, m. Rev. M. Kirkpatrick, Memphis, Tenn.; 2. Harriett Cooper, m. W. M. Jones, Talladega; 3. John Harris, deceased; 4. William Clark Coolidge, m. Marget E. Flow, Barium Springs, N. C.; 5. Gurdon Robinson, m. Irene Burt, Talladega; 6. Margaret Holman, deceased; 7. Alfred Slaughter, m. Elise Whitner, Sanford, Fla.; 8. Theron Rice, deceased; 9. James Hazen, New Orleans. Last residence: Tuskegee.

FOSTER, HARDY, planter, was born May 29, 1792, in Columbia County, Ga., and died August 18, 1848, at Foster's, Tuscaloosa County; son of John and Elizabeth (Savidge) Foster of Georgia; grandson of Arthur and Martha (Collier) Foster of Southampton County, Va., and of Lovelace and Elizabeth (Harris) Savidge, of Columbia County, Ga. He was educated in the schools of his community. In 1820, he removed to Tuscaloosa County and became one of the frontier settlers. In 1848, he became a leader in the first temperance movement in Alabama, joining, "Grant's Creek Division, No. 105, Sons of Temperance" October, 1848. He was a Whig and a Baptist. Married: August 12, 1813, to Elizabeth Wyatt, daughter of Joshua and Nancy Wyatt (Collier) Hill, of Abbeville, S. C., the former a Revolutionary soldier. Children: 1. William; 2. James Collier, m. Jane E. Ware; 3. Sarah, m. E. C. Morris; 4. Susan; 5. Martha, m. Thomas Jefferson Hill; 6. Robert Hill, m. Mary Mobley; 7. Joshua W., m. Sarah E. Jordan; 8. Elizabeth; 9. Mary Ellen, d. in infancy; 10. Augusta; 11. Mary Ellen. Last residence: Foster's.

FOSTER, HENRY BACON, lawyer, judge of County court and member Alabama legislature, was born May 9, 1863, at "Glenwood," Tuscaloosa County; son of Rev. Joshua Hill and Frances Cornelia (Bacon) Foster (q. v.); nephew of John Collier Foster (q. v.). He was educated in the schools of Tuscaloosa and graduated from the academic department of the University of Alabama in 1882, with the degree of A. M., and from the law department, 1884, with the degree of LL. D. He was county solicitor, 1896-90, 1901-03; mayor, Tuscaloosa, 1890-92; member of the legislature, 1898-99, 1900-01; was appointed judge of the law and equity court of Tuscaloosa County to succeed Judge J. J. Mayfield, resigned, in 1903 and later was elected to that position. He was elected judge of the 6th judicial circuit subsequently, and still holds that office. Judge Foster was active in the military affairs of the Alabama national guard during 1886-98. He served as a major during the Spanish-American War. He is a Baptist; Democrat; Knight of Pythias; Odd Fellow; Elk; and Woodman of the World. Married: July 24, 1895, in Tuscaloosa, to Jennie, daughter of Dr. William and Sallie (Hayes) Hester of that place. Children: 1. Henry Bacon, jr., officer of the European War, m. February, 1917, in San Antonio, Texas, Helen Driscoll of New York, one child, residence Tuscaloosa; 2. William Joshua; 3. Sallie Olivia. Residence: Tuscaloosa.



GEORGE A. BEAUCHAMP

FOSTER, IRA ROE, state senator, physician, lawyer and planter, was born January 13, 1811, on the Tiger River, Spartanburg County, S. C. and died November 19, 1885, at Gadsden; son of Ransom and Nancy (Foster) Foster, the former a native of Amelia County, Va., who later lived at Spartanburg, S. C., and in Georgia, a soldier of the War of 1812; grandson of Col. Isham and Jane Hollenberry (Hawkins) Foster of Spartanburg, S. C. Dr. Foster was educated in schools of his native state and acquired sufficient knowledge at an early age to teach school. Through this means he secured the funds with which to study medicine, which profession he practiced successfully. In 1841 he was granted a license to practice law by the superior court of Cherokee County, Ga. He served in the legislature of Georgia and was senator in Alabama after his removal to this State, holding that office at the time of his death. In 1836, during the Seminole Indian War in Florida, he served as colonel of a regiment of mounted infantry. He was seriously wounded and carried fifty miles on a stretcher. In 1842, as a member of the Second brigade, Seventh division Georgia militia, he was appointed aide-de-camp to the commander-in-chief with the rank of colonel. In 1844 he was appointed by the governor of Georgia, George W. Crawford, brigadier general, Independent brigade, Seventh division. At the outbreak of the War of Secession he placed himself at the service of the Confederacy and was appointed quartermaster general by Gov. Joe Brown of Georgia, and looked after the wants of the soldiers of that state with devoted interest. Early in 1865, after the surrender he went to Virginia to distribute clothing to the Georgia troops, was taken prisoner but soon released and appointed by Gen. Wilson, U. S. Army, to collect all Confederate States mules, horses, wagons, all supplies and to distribute them to the families of the destitute in Georgia. From Atlanta he removed to Dodge County, Ga., where he practiced law, but on account of his health again removed and located in Gadsden in 1874, where he had made extensive investments in lands some years previous. Married: (1) October 9, 1842, in Cumming, Forsyth County, Ga., to Mildred Arthur Creighton Crooks, widow of Robert Haynes, and daughter of Andrew and Sarah (Barber) Crooks of Rutherford, N. C. Andrew Crooks was born in Ireland in 1775. His mother was a Creighton. His wife was the daughter of James and Mildred (Arthur) Barber, who lived near Monticello, Va., the former a soldier of the Revolutionary war. The Creightons were originally from Scotland. Children: 1. Amalthea C., m. (1) Arthur C. Page of New Hampshire at Eastman, Ga., in 1873, and (2) in 1886, to J. J. Foster of Alabama; 2. Eryclina P., m. O. H. Alford of Griffin, Ga., and later removed to Alabama; 3. Nannie C., m. Albert M. Ayers of Macon, Ga., later Guntersville; Marcus L., m. (1) Mary A. Kyle, of Gadsden, and (2) Willie Sampler, Gadsden. Last residence: Gadsden.

FOSTER, J. H., member of the constitutional convention of 1861, from Macon County.

FOSTER, J. S., Methodist minister; member of the North Alabama conference; living in 1913.

FOSTER, J. T., member of the constitutional convention of 1875, from the twenty-third district.

FOSTER, JAMES HENRY, lawyer and superintendent of city schools, was born October 17, 1862, at Foster, Tuscaloosa County, and died October 16, 1919, in Tuscaloosa; son of John Collier and Georgia Ann (Maharry) Foster (q. v.); brother of John Manly Foster (q. v.). He received his early education in the neighborhood schools of his native place and graduated from Howard college with the A. B. degree, in 1883, and from the law department of the University of Alabama, 1887. He practiced that profession at Ft. Payne and at Tuscaloosa, but in 1894 was elected superintendent of the city schools of Tuscaloosa and thereafter devoted his entire time to that position. He was a Democrat and a Baptist. Married: (1) April 26, 1892, in Los Angeles, Calif., to Alida S., daughter of A. S. and Mary C. Van de Graff; (2) December 26, 1899, at Tuscaloosa, to Mary Adair, daughter of Dr. William Allen and Ann (Coleman) Cochrane, of that place. Children: by the first wife, 1. Frances; 2. John Collier; by the second wife, 3. Elizabeth; 4. Jeannette; 5. Robert Nicholls; 6. Walter Manly; 7. Edward Lee; 8. Mary Adair. Last residence: Tuscaloosa.

FOSTER, JOHN, member of constitutional convention 1865, chancellor of the northern division, was born in Troy, N. Y., in 1818, and died about 1880 in Jacksonville, Benton County. His mother was a Miss Huntington. He was a graduate of Williams college, Mass., and read law under his uncle, Samuel G. Huntington, judge of the circuit court of New York. Immediately after he was admitted to the bar, 1838, he removed to Georgia and in a short while came to Alabama and located in Jacksonville. He began the practice of law with Hon. William B. Martin; was defeated for the legislature in 1843; elected chancellor of the northern division, 1856, re-elected 1862; appointed chancellor by Gov. Lewis Parsons serving until December 1865; elected as a delegate to the constitutional convention of 1865. He afterwards formed a partnership with Gen. W. H. Forney. Married: near Atlanta, to Matilda Scott. Children: 1. Anna, m. L. W. Grant. Last residence: Jacksonville.

FOSTER, JOHN, Presbyterian minister; mentioned in Nall's "Dead of the Synod of Alabama," 1851.

FOSTER, JOHN A., Presbyterian minister, living in 1913. Residence: Birmingham.

FOSTER, JOHN ARTHUR, lawyer and jurist, was born November 11, 1828, in Jasper County, Ga., and died January 1894, at Clayton; son of John L. S. and Susan (Hollifield) Foster (q. v.). He was privately instructed by Rev. E. B. Teague and fitted for college, graduating

from the University of Alabama, 1847. He began the study of law with Judge Harry I. Thornton, of Eutaw; taught school in Mississippi, 1849-55; made president of the Southern female college, La Grange, Ga., 1855-59; and removed to Clayton, where he was admitted to the bar. In 1861, he enlisted in Co. G, 29th Alabama infantry regiment, C. S. Army. While acting as colonel of his regiment, December 1864, he and his entire command were captured at Nashville and held prisoners until the close of the war. He resumed the practice of law and in 1875 was a delegate to the State constitutional convention; made a trustee of the university, 1876-78; represented Barbour County in the legislature, 1878-80; made chancellor of the Southern division of Alabama, 1880. The honorary degree of LL. D. was conferred on him by the Alabama polytechnic institute, 1883. He was a Democrat; a Mason; a Knight Templar; and a Baptist. Married: (1) December 1849, to Mary Webb; (2) May 11, 1858, to Mary Borders of La Grange, Ga. Children by first wife: 1. John Webb (q. v.); 2. Emma, m. John Toole, of La Grange, Ga.; children by second wife: 3. Mary, m. Dr. William Robinson; 4. Pearl; 5. Arthur Borders. Last residence: Clayton.

FOSTER, JOHN COLLIER, planter and minister, was born April 10, 1813, in Columbia County, Ga., and died July 23, 1892 at Tuscaloosa; son of James and Mary Eleanor (Hill) Foster; grandson of John and Elizabeth (Savidge) Foster of Georgia formerly of Southampton, Va., and of Joshua and Nancy Wyatt (Collier) Hill of Abbeville, S. C.; brother of Rev. Joshua Hill Foster (q. v.). He was educated in the schools of Tuscaloosa; attended the University of Alabama for a term. He became a planter, then a Baptist minister, and was pastor of the Grant's Creek Baptist church for nearly fifty years. He was a Whig, but later joined the Democratic party. Married: (1) in 1839, to Emma T. Prince; (2) in 1847, to Georgia Ann, daughter of Joseph Pigott and Mary A. (Barron) Maharry of Augusta, Ga. Children: 1. Mary Ellen, m. Dr. A. B. C. Nicholls; 2. G. Augusta; 3. Mollie A., m. E. R. King; 4. Fannie F.; 5. John Manly (q. v.); 6. James Henry (q. v.), m. (1) Alida Van de Graff; (2) Mary Cochrane; 7. Josephine, m. Walter Patton; 8. Stella. Last residence: Tuscaloosa.

FOSTER, JOHN L. S., merchant, manufacturer, was born in 1800, in Columbia County, Ga., and died in 1875 in Tuscaloosa; son of John and Elizabeth (Savidge) Foster, of Georgia; brother of Hardy Foster (q. v.), and of Robert S. Foster (q. v.). He was educated in the common schools of Georgia. In 1833, he removed from Georgia to Tuscaloosa County, where he engaged in merchandising and manufacturing; from 1862-65, he manufactured hats for the Confederate Army. He was a Baptist. Married: in 1821, to Susan Hollifield, of Jasper County, Ga. Children: 1. Elizabeth, m. Harry Foster; 2. John Arthur (q. v.), m. (1) Mary Webb, (2) Mary Borders; 3. Martha, m. Rev. T. P. Crawford, Baptist missionary to China; 4. David L., phy-

sician, m. Maria Bealle; 5. Jesse Green; 6. Sara, m. Dr. Glen Montgomery; 7. Susan, m. W. H. Pace of Georgia. 8. Robert Savidge, physician, m. Amanda Paschal; 9. Ezra, m. Louella Paschal. Last residence: Tuscaloosa.

FOSTER, JOHN MANLY, lawyer, was born November 5, 1860, at Foster's, Tuscaloosa County; son of John Collier and Georgia Ann (Maharry) Foster (q. v.). He was educated in the schools of Tuscaloosa County; graduated from Howard college, 1881, A. B., with first honors; graduated from the law department of the University of Alabama, 1883, LL. B., and began the practice of his profession in 1886 in Tuscaloosa. He was first lieutenant, Warrior Guards, A. N. G., 1888-89; member of the legislature, 1890-91, 1903 and 1906; county solicitor, 1896-1902; delegate to State constitutional convention, 1901, and a member of the legislature, 1903 and 1906. He removed to Montgomery in 1908 where he was connected with the district counsel's office, of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, but in 1917 returned to Tuscaloosa and resumed private practice in the firm of Foster, Verner and Rice. He was the law partner of W. B. Oliver before he was elected to the legislature. He is a Democrat; a Baptist; and an Elk. Married: (1) April 19, 1893, to Kathleen Mary, daughter of Hon. Richard H. and Mary Kate (Burke) Clarke; (2) October 12, 1898, Mabel Radford Clarke, sister of first wife. Children, by first wife: 1. Richard Clarke; by second wife: 2. Kathleen Mary. Residence: Tuscaloosa.

FOSTER, JOHN WEBB, lawyer, member Alabama legislature and register in chancery, was born October 14, 1850, in Lowndes County, Miss.; son of John Arthur and Mary (Webb) Foster (q. v.). He was educated, partly, in the schools of Clayton and by his father's private instruction. He studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1868; in 1870, he removed to Abbeville having been appointed register in chancery for Henry County; served as county superintendent of education, 1871 to 1881; represented that county in the legislature, 1884-86. He is a Democrat. Married: May, 1871, to L. E. Petty, daughter of B. F. and Kate Petty, the former a Confederate soldier, who served under Gen. Henry D. Clayton. Children: 1. Lola; 2. Emma; 3. Kate. Residence: Abbeville.

FOSTER, JOSEPH, farmer and manufacturer, was born in Georgia and died in Montgomery County, and is buried in the old "New Providence" church-yard, near Robertson's cross-roads. He removed to the "Sankey Neighborhood" about 1819, and was one of the early settlers from Georgia. He acquired a large tract of land on the "Rock Mount Road" and farmed. He established a plow and wagon factory on his farm, for the benefit of that region, the industry being carried on successfully for many years. He was a Baptist. Married: to Miss Daniel, a sister of Mrs. W. D. Sankey, sr. Children: 1. William, a teacher; 2. James; 3. Mary, m. John H. Robertson; 4. daughter, m. Thomas Robertson; 5. daughter, m. James Col-

lins; 6. daughter, m. William Wilkerson; 7. Nannie, m. Prof. Barton; 8. Fannie, unmarried. Last residence: Montgomery County.

FOSTER, JOSHUA HILL, college president and Baptist minister, was born March 17, 1819, in Tuscaloosa County, and died February 28, 1904, in Tuscaloosa; son of James and Mary Ellen (Hill) Foster; brother of John Collier Foster (q. v.). He was educated in the schools of Tuscaloosa County; graduated at the head of his class from the University of Alabama, 1839; and in 1842 he received the degree of A. M. He was a tutor in the University, 1841-44; teacher in Tuscaloosa school, 1844-45; farmer, 1845-49; tutor in University, 1849-50; pastor of Baptist church, Tuscaloosa, 1853-54; joint principal of Central female college, 1869-71; president of that college, 1871-73; professor in University, 1873 to 1892. The degree of D. D. was conferred upon him by Howard college in 1879. Married: (1) December 26, 1843, to Lucy Bolling, daughter of Dr. Clement and Sarah (Lane) Billingslea (q. v.); (2) February 24, 1853, to Frances Cornelia Bacon. Children, by first wife: 1. Lucie Billingslea, m. Prof. Dill; by second wife: 2. Clement C., m. Mattie Shaw; 3. Edwin Hardy, m. Margaret Chunn; 4. Henry Bacon (q. v.); 5. Joshua Hill, jr., m. (1) Gertrude Foster; (2) Eula Sparks; 6. Thomas J., m. Cora Watjen; 7. Sumner B. (q. v.). Last residence: Tuscaloosa.

FOSTER, JOSHUA HILL, jr., Missionary Baptist minister; pastor of the Union Springs and the Parker memorial church, Anniston. He was a son of the Rev. J. H. Foster (q. v.).

FOSTER, LOVELACE SAVIDGE, editor, author, teacher and Baptist minister, was born December 18, 1847, in Tuscaloosa County; son of Arthur and Elizabeth Amelia (Foster) Foster, the former a graduate of the University of Alabama, 1845, teacher, planter, saw mill owner, having lived in Alabama, Texas and Mississippi; grandson of James and Mary Ellen (Hill) Foster. He entered the University of Alabama in 1864; was withdrawn upon the removal of his parents to Mississippi; student of the Southern Baptist theological seminary at Greenville, S. C., 1868-70, and in 1873-75, graduating the latter year with honor; ordained January, 1871, at Starkville, Miss.; served pastorates at Okolona, Miss., Camden, S. C., Louisville, Winston County, Miss., Fellowship and Rodney, Jefferson County, Miss., Winona, Carrollton, Pleasant Prospect, Bethel, Coila, Mt. Vernon, Leona, and Senatobia Baptist churches, all in Mississippi. He also assisted in the organization of many new churches. He taught several terms in a male high school. Author: at one time field editor for Mississippi of the "Western recorder" and has written extensively for church papers; associate editor "Baptist record," 1893; "History of the Columbus Baptist association," 1861; "History of the Louisville (Miss.) association from 1840 to 1882," 1886. He was one of the leading spirits in the organization of the Mississippi Baptist historical society, in 1883, of which he has been corresponding secretary since its organization.

Married: (1) May 22, 1870, to Fannie Merrick, of Greenville, S. C.; (2) August 15, 1880, to Mrs. Kate (Gidden) Raines, of Okolona, Miss. Children: by the first wife, two. Residence: Fruithurst.

FOSTER, ROBERT SAVIDGE, was born about 1796, in Columbia County, Ga.; son of John and Elizabeth (Savidge) Foster; brother of Hardy Foster (q. v.) and John L. S. Foster (q. v.). He was among the early pioneers of Tuscaloosa County, removing with his brothers from Georgia between 1818 and 1821. They settled at Foster's Hill and Sylvan, and were among the largest land owners in the county. He was a Whig; and a Baptist. Married about 1816, in Georgia, to Ann Tompkins. Children: 1. John, m. Mollie Carnathan; 2. James Monroe, m. Malinda Dunlap; 3. Dr. Robert Savidge, jr.; 4. William Lovelace, m. Mildred Maxwell; 5. George Washington, m. Caroline Hasseltine Quarles; 6. Adoniram Judson; 7. Wade, m. Sarah Bell. Last residence: Foster's.

FOSTER, SHEPARD WALTER, dentist, was born June 11, 1861, near Troy, Pike County; son of John L. and Martha E. (Roundtree) Foster, of Georgia, who removed to Pike County, Ala., before the War of Secession, and engaged in teaching, a Confederate soldier, serving in the 46th Alabama infantry regiment. Dr. Foster's education was in the schools of his father. He graduated from Vanderbilt dental college in 1887, with D. D. S. degree. He began the practice in Decatur, removed to Atlanta, Ga., where he practiced for a number of years and is now president of the Southern dental college. Married: in Montgomery, to Sophie Lee, daughter of Dr. Walker and Frankie (Bibb) Jackson of that place. No children. Residence: Atlanta, Ga.

FOSTER, SUMNER B., college president and teacher, was born October 15, 1854, at Tuscaloosa; son of Rev. Joshua Hill and Frances Cornelia (Bacon) Foster (q. v.); nephew of John Collier Foster (q. v.). He was prepared for college by Dr. A. B. Meek and Rev. J. T. Yerby; attended Howard college, 1871-72; was graduated from the State university, A. M., and from the law department, LL. B., 1876. He taught in the high school for boys, Tuscaloosa, with Professor Dill, later taught in Union Springs. In 1885, he was made president of the Central female college, Tuscaloosa, and has devoted his life to teaching. Residence: Texas.

FOSTER, THOMAS GARDNER, business man, was born June 15, 1845, at Columbus, Ga., and died April 26, 1915, at Montgomery; son of Thomas Flournoy and Elizabeth (Gardner) Foster, the former a native of Summerville, Floyd County, Ga., who represented the ninth Georgia district in the U. S. congress for fifteen years, and wrote "Diary and Memoirs"; grandson of George and Julia (Flournoy) Foster, who lived at Columbus, Ga., and of Thomas and Anne (McKinne) Gardner, who lived in Augusta, Ga.; great-great-grandson of Thomas Pope, who came with his father and

brother, William, later an officer in the Revolution, to Virginia from England, and settled on a creek that still bears the name of Pope Creek; great-great-great-grandson of Sir Thomas Pope, the emigrant, who married an aunt of George Washington. Mr. Foster was brother of James Henry Foster, who died as a result of wounds received at Chickamauga, and of Julia McKinne Foster, who married Edwin Gardner Weed, bishop of Florida, and was president of the United Daughters of the Confederacy in 1900. His early education was curtailed by ill health which culminated in the loss of one eye, and his further studies were pursued at home under a private tutor. Mr. Foster was sixteen years old at the outbreak of the War of Secession, and was repeatedly declined for military service on account of physical disability. Toward the end of the conflict, however, he was for a short time on Gen. Joseph Wheeler's staff. He was secretary and treasurer of the Montgomery gas light company for twenty-five years, and by his vote and influence, effected the merger of the Montgomery gas light company and the Electric light company into the Montgomery light company, of which he became secretary and general manager. He was a member of the Montgomery City council, 1906-1907, during which time he was chairman of several important committees, but declined reelection. He was the promoter of the first water works of Montgomery, and it was through his efforts that the first electric car company, not only in Montgomery, but the first in the whole country, was successfully operated. He organized and was the first secretary of the Young Men's christian association, and in 1868 was a delegate to the international convention in Baltimore. He started the first chamber of commerce in the city in the early seventies, and was one of the organizers and the first secretary of the Alabama State fair association. He was a Democrat; a member of the vestry of St. John's, and senior warden of the Episcopal church; a fourteenth degree Mason; grand recorder of the Knights of Honor for thirty-five years; senator of the National Union for twenty years; and a Knight of Pythias. Married: April 11, 1871, at Montgomery, Elizabeth, daughter of Robert and Elizabeth Priscilla (Cooper) Tyler (q. v.), who lived at Bristol, Pa.; granddaughter of John Tyler, tenth president of the United States, and of Thomas A. Cooper, of English birth, the leading tragedian of his day, who was a ward and relative of Godwin, the English philosopher. Children: 1. James Henry, LL. B., lawyer at Montgomery, chief clerk, international revenue service, Birmingham, m. January 2, 1913, Alice Lahey; 2. Priscilla Tyler, m. November 22, 1899, Forney C. Stevenson (q. v.), physician, Montgomery; 3. Thomas Gardner, jr., B. S., 1893, M. D., University of Virginia, 1899, merchant, 1894-1896, physician, house staff, New York Charity hospital, 1900, surgeon, U. S. Navy. Last residence: Montgomery.

FOSTER, THOMAS J., member Confederate congress elected as Alabama congressman, but

not seated, was born July 11, 1809, at Nashville, Tenn., and died in Kentucky in 1887; son of Robert Coleman and Ann (Hubbard) Foster, both natives of Virginia, removing to Bardstown, Ky., 1794, and later locating in Nashville, Tenn., where he was a member of the legislature, president of the State senate and one of the founders and trustees of the University of Tennessee; grandson of Anthony and Rose (Coleman) Foster, of Virginia. He came to Lawrence County, Ala., about 1830, engaged in planting and manufacturing, and was a large slave holder. He entered the services of the C. S. Army as colonel of an organization of Alabama troops known as Foster's regiment, which later became the 27th Alabama infantry regiment. He aided in the location and construction of Ft. Henry; was elected to the Confederate congress, 1861; re-elected, 1863, and served until the overthrow of the Confederacy; was elected to the U. S. congress in 1865, but was prevented from taking his seat by the Radicals on account of his participation in the war. He removed to Kentucky about 1867. Married: (1) October 30, 1836, to Virginia Prudence, daughter of Robert H. and Prudence Thompson (Oliver) Watkins, the former a native of Virginia, who removed to Georgia, where he served as a member of the State legislature, came to Alabama and located near Courtland, Lawrence County; granddaughter of James and Jane (Thompson) Watkins, both natives of Virginia, who removed to Elbert County, Ga., and of John and Frances (Thompson) Oliver, of Petersburg, Ga., the former one of the pioneer settlers and merchants of that State; great-granddaughter of Isham and Mary Ann (Oliver) Thompson, of Virginia; (2) to Ann, daughter of James and Mary (Chalmers) Hood, the former of Ireland, the latter of Scotland; (3) Mrs. Wray. There were no children by the first and third marriages. Children by second wife: 1. James, educated in Edinburgh, Scotland, m. Matilda Toney; 2. Coleman, educated in Edinburgh, Scotland, unmarried, planter of Lawrence County; 3. Annie, m. Lieut. Longshaw of the U. S. Army. Last residence: Kentucky.

FOSTER, WILBUR F., lawyer; president of the State bar association, December 15, 1887, to December 20, 1888. He was speaker of the Alabama house of representatives, 1882-83.

FOSTER, WILLIAM LOVELACE, Baptist minister, chaplain C. S. Army, was born January 29, 1830, in Tuscaloosa County, and died in 1868, in Fannin County, Tex.; son of Robert Savidge and Ann (Tompkins) Foster (q. v.). He was educated in the neighborhood schools and the University of Alabama, receiving from the latter the A. B. and A. M. degrees, and graduating with distinction. He began preaching with the sanction of Grant's Creek church, Tuscaloosa, and was ordained to the full work of the ministry about 1852. He entered the Confederate service as chaplain, in 1861, remaining until the close of the war, when he returned to his home in Siloam and resumed his pastoral work. In 1866, he resigned the

professorship of mathematics in Waco university, Waco, Tex., which he held but a short time, leaving Waco to settle in Fannin County, Tex. Married: June 15, 1855, to Mildred Maxwell, of Clinton. Last residence: Fannin County, Tex.

FOSTER, WILLIAM S., business man and expert accountant. Married: Sarah Owen, of Tuscaloosa. Deceased. Last residence: Jasper.

FOSTER, WILLIAM STORY, grand commander, Masons, was born July 18, 1830, in Hillsborough County, N. Y., and died March 28, 1899, in Mobile. He was grand high priest, 1883 and 1884, and grand commander 1878-79. He was a Presbyterian. Last residence: Mobile.

FOUCHE, R. T., major, 8th Confederate infantry battalion, C. S. Army.

FOUNTAIN, JAMES, merchant, was born on Staten Island, N. Y., July 11, 1812, and died in Montgomery, April 11, 1868; son of Joshua Anthony and Margaret (Holmes) Fountain, both of Staten Island, the former of French origin, the latter English; and the grandson of Margaret (Baker) Holmes. He came by ship to Mobile and thence by river to Montgomery in 1835. He established a carriage factory and sales warehouse, on the south side of Dexter Avenue, in the block bounded by Perry and Lawrence streets; and he also built the residence still standing on the N. W. corner of Monroe and Hull streets. He was a Democrat; and a Methodist. Married: in Montgomery, December 13, 1837, to Lucinda Susan, daughter of James and Susanne (Covin) Thompson (q. v.). Children: 1. George, d. unmarried; 2. Henry, m. Maggie Crozier, both deceased; 3. Anna, m. Benjamin Washburn (q. v.), and left one daughter, Bennie, who m. G. W. Crist, and lives at Cloverdale. Last residence: Montgomery.

FOUNTAIN, BENJAMIN B., grand treasurer, grand lodge, Masons, 1830-34.

FOURNIER, EDMUND H., physician, annual orator, medical association of Alabama, 1877. Deceased. Last residence: Mobile.

FOUST, WILLIAM E., Methodist minister; member of the North Alabama conference; living in 1913. Residence: Huntsville.

FOWLER, JAMES THOMAS, physician, was born June 17, 1863, at Shorterville; son of John Lindsay and Eliza Byrd (Bennett) Fowler, the former a physician, who moved from Lynchburg, Va., to Randolph County, Ga., later to Fort Gaines, Ga., and at the outbreak of the War of Secession was surgeon and first captain of the Cotton Planters Guards, the first company to enlist from that place, moved to Henry County in 1863, and was appointed captain of a company of state militia by Gov. Watts; grandson of Thomas and Christine Fowler of Lynchburg, Va., and of James and Harriett (Grace) Bennett of Shorterville, the former of whom moved to Alabama from South

Carolina and was a colonel in the Indian wars. Dr. Fowler was educated in the common schools of Henry County, and received his degree of M. D. at Charleston, S. C., in 1883, at what is now the medical department of the University of South Carolina. He began to practice medicine in April, 1883, at Shorterville, where he continued to practice until 1905, when he moved to Dothan, Houston County. He was once health officer of Henry County, and later, in 1910, of Houston County. He was appointed by Gov. O'Neal, in 1911, as physician member of the board of inspectors of convicts, continuing in that position until 1913. He is a Democrat, a Missionary Baptist, and a Mason. Married: April 24, 1888, at Lloyd, Fla., to Eliza Talbot, daughter of Francis Moses and Susan C. Bunker, of Lloyd, Fla. Children: 1. James Thomas, jr.; 2. Gertrude Kate. Residence: Dothan.

FOWLER, JOHN, SR., *soldier of the American Revolution*, aged 99, resided in Pike County, June 1, 1840.—*Census of Pensioners*, 1841, p. 149.

FOWLER, LUTHER JEROME, teacher, was born January 26, 1879, near Brooksville, Marshall County; son of Josiah B. and Lettie J. (Jones) Fowler, the former served in the War of Secession under Gen. Joseph Wheeler, a merchant and farmer of Blount and Marshall Counties; grandson of Godfrey and Polly (Carnes) Fowler, the former a native of North Carolina who removed to Alabama, settled near Brooksville, represented Blount County in the legislature, 1840 and 1842, and of Rev. J. W. and Elizabeth (Majors) Jones, of Summit. Prof. Fowler was educated in the public schools of Marshall County, attended the Ninth district agricultural school, the Seventh district agricultural school, and the Alabama polytechnic institute. In 1897 he began teaching in the public schools of Blount and Marshall Counties; was principal Albertville public school, 1901-03; teacher of history, Fourth district agricultural school, 1903-05; Seventh district agricultural school, 1908-11, and appointed teacher of history, Alabama girls' technical institute, 1912. He is a member of the American historical association; Mississippi Valley historical association; Southern and Alabama educational associations. He is a Democrat; and a Methodist. Married: December 26, 1907, at Gadsden, to Elsie, daughter of Jesse E. and Helen (Cornelius) Murphree, of Walnut Grove, the former a captain of Co. I, 49th Alabama infantry regiment, C. S. Army. Children: 1. Luther Jerome, jr. Residence: Montevallo.

FOWLER, WILLIAM HENRY, editor, Confederate soldier, was born June 15, 1826, at Raleigh, N. C., and died August 10, 1867, in Jefferson, Tex.; son of William and Martha Smith (Parrish) Fowler, the former a native of Antrim County, Ireland, born in 1797, who was a merchant at Raleigh, N. C., until he moved with his family to Alabama in 1826, settling first in Tuscaloosa County, and later in Greene County, the latter a native of Raleigh, N. C., who was born in 1799; grandson of Will-

iam and Elizabeth (Curran) Fowler, who farmed in Antrim County, Ireland, the latter a first cousin of Curran, the English barrister and orator, and of William Tyre and Mary (Womack) Parrish, who lived at Raleigh, N. C.; great-grandson of Sherwood and Anna (Smith) Parrish, natives respectively of Wake County, N. C., and of Virginia, the former who fought in the Revolutionary War throughout the entire seven years. Col. Fowler's ancestors all came originally from Antrim County, Ireland, and settled at Raleigh, N. C. He had only a limited education, received at intervals between work with a tailor, a druggist and a printer. He became interested in newspaper work while he was setting type in the printing office, and tried his hand at local and editorial writing. In the meantime, he studied assiduously to increase his meagre schooling. He decided to become a lawyer, and read law in the offices of A. H. Benners and William M. Murphy at Greensboro, working at the same time on the "Alabama Beacon," a newspaper published at Greensboro. He never practiced law, however, but became editor of the Eutaw "Whig," 1853-1856. He was elected to the State legislature, 1855-1857; moved to Tuscaloosa in the latter year to take charge of the "Monitor," a weekly paper; was elected secretary of the constitutional convention of 1861, which voted to take Alabama out of the Union, and resigned from the convention to enter military service. He raised a company, the "Warrior Guards," Fifth Alabama regiment, of which he was made first lieutenant; and was promoted to captain of the company, which at the end of the year was transferred to the artillery service and became Fowler's battery. The battery was put on duty at Mobile, and Capt. Fowler was transferred to the military office at Montgomery, where he was statistician and kept the record of Alabama troops. He was commissioned colonel of artillery, which rank he held at the close of the war. After the war, Col. Fowler went to Texas, and was assassinated in that state at Jefferson, August 10, 1867. He was a Whig; a Methodist; and a thirty-third degree Mason. Married: August 28, 1848, near Greensboro, Martha Elizabeth, daughter of John M. and Elizabeth Bates, who lived at Greensboro, the former a native of South Carolina, born in 1798, who moved to Greene County, in 1818, was the first sheriff of that county, and served in the State legislature for several terms. Children: 1. M. E. Denson, Pittsburg, Tex.; 2. M. S., Lafayette, Tex.; 3. Julia P., deceased; 4. Lilly P., deceased, m. Mr. Darby; 5. William H., Lafayette, Tex. Last residence: Jefferson, Tex.

**FOWLKES, ALPHEUS MONROE**, business man, was born November 22, 1838, in Franklin County, N. C.; son of Edward T. and Mary (Foster) Fowlkes, natives of Virginia, the former a lawyer at Louisburgh, N. C., until he moved with his family to Marion, Ala., in 1850, the latter a relative of the Stapleton family of Virginia. The progenitors of the family, Col. Fowlkes, a Welshman, and Col. Mason, officers in the British army, came to America

with a grant of land in Virginia, given them by the English crown for military services. Their grant was what is now known as Prince Edward County, Va. They settled first in Alexandria County, Va., but later Col. Fowlkes moved to Prince Edward County. The name originally was Ffowlkes. Maj. Fowlkes was about twelve years old when his parents came to Alabama. He was graduated from Howard college, B. A., 1856; was secretary of the Perry insurance trust company at Marion until the beginning of the War of Secession; joined the C. S. Army early in 1861, being made first lieutenant of Co. A, Twenty-eighth Alabama infantry; acted as captain of the company for two years without the commission; and was promoted to major on the staff of Gen. Joseph Wheeler in 1863, where he remained until the close of the war. He took active part in the battles of Shiloh, Farmington, Perryville, Murfreesboro, Chattanooga, Chickamauga, Missionary Ridge, siege of Atlanta and Bentonville. At the close of the war, Maj. Fowlkes turned his attention to farming. He became treasurer of the Selma, Marion and Memphis railroad, now the Cincinnati, Selma and Mobile, in 1868; was made the receiver of the company in 1874; controlled it as such until its sale under foreclosure in 1878; and remained with the road afterward as superintendent and treasurer until 1882. He moved to Selma the next year, and embarked in the wholesale and retail hardware business in that city. At the sale of the New Orleans and Selma railroad in 1886, he became one of its purchasers and since has been general superintendent, secretary and treasurer of the road, which under the new corporation is known as the Birmingham, Selma and New Orleans railroad. He has been president of the Selma land company; director of the Hotel Albert company; president of the Selma bridge company, in which capacity he superintended the construction of the bridge across the Alabama River at Selma, and managed it for one year after its completion; a director in the Improvement and furnace company; and a trustee of the public schools of Selma. He is a steward in the Methodist Episcopal church. Married: in 1859, at Marion, Bettie Jemison. Children: two daughters. Residence: Selma.

**FOWLKES, SAMUEL AUGUSTUS**, business man, was born December 20, 1879, at Rehoboth, Wilcox County; son of Samuel Augustus and Mary Pinkie (Cobb) Fowlkes, the former a native of Marion, was a planter, living in Wilcox and Dallas Counties; grandson of Edward Taylor and Mary (Foster) Fowlkes, who lived at Raleigh, N. C., and later at Marion, and of Dr. Benjamin and Mary Fielding (Vaughn) Cobb, of Dallas County; great-grandson of Fielding Cobb, who won the gold bale of cotton before the war for being the largest cotton producer in Alabama. The Fowlkes family are descended from the Jennings of Virginia, and the Cobbs from the family by that name who settled in Southampton County, Va. Mr. Fowlkes attended the Dallas academy and afterwards the Eastman national business college at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., from which he holds a





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diploma. He was a member of the house of representatives from Dallas County, 1911. He is a banker and business man being the vice-president of the Peoples bank and trust company of Selma. He is a Democrat; a Methodist; recording secretary and a director in the Young men's christian association; and an Elk. Unmarried. Residence: Selma.

FRANCIS, JAMES B., treasurer, tax assessor, lieutenant, C. S. Army, was born August 19, 1843, in Richmond, Ky.; son of Thomas J. and Elizabeth (Gibbs) Francis, both natives of Kentucky, who removed to Platte County, Mo., in 1859; cousin of David R. Francis, a native of Richmond, Ky., who was elected governor of Missouri, in 1899. He received a common school education, and in 1861 entered the Confederate service as a private in Co. H, 7th Missouri infantry regiment, with which he served at the siege and capture of Lexington, Mo., the battle of Elkhorn Tavern, Ark., and at Corinth, Miss. In 1862, he fought at the battles of Iuka and Corinth, and was wounded twice in the latter battle. In 1863, he took part in the campaign against Grant's army, including the battles of Port Hudson, Baker's Creek, Big Black bridge, and the siege of Vicksburg, where on June 22, 1863, he was severely wounded. After the capitulation of Vicksburg he was a prisoner on parole until the fall of 1863, when he was assigned to the ordnance department at Selma, and afterwards, until the surrender, was with the army of Gen. Richard Taylor at Mobile. During the course of his services he was promoted first lieutenant for gallant and meritorious conduct. After the war he located at York Station, and engaged in business. In 1871, he visited the site of Birmingham and bought the third lot sold in the original plot of that city. He was one of the first aldermen of the city by appointment of Governor Lindsay, and in 1872, was made treasurer of the board for four years. For a number of years he was a merchant. In 1896, he was elected tax assessor of Jefferson County. He served on the staff of General Ferguson, commanding the Alabama division, United Confederate Veterans, and also on the staff of his successor, General Harrison. He is a member of the Hardee camp, United Confederate Veterans; a Mason; and a Methodist. Married: in September, 1872, to Dora, daughter of John McCree, of South Carolina. Children: 1. Hines S.; 2. James B.; 3. John S. Residence: Birmingham.

FRANCIS, JOHN C., lieutenant colonel, 30th Alabama infantry regiment, C. S. Army.

FRANCIS, JOHN MILLER, chemist, was born October 25, 1867, at Jacksonville, Calhoun County; son of Miller William and Julia Patterson (Clark) Francis, the former was commissioned surgeon in the C. S. Army, serving in the Sixth Alabama infantry regiment, Rodes' brigade, Morgan's brigade and Wheeler's corps of cavalry and the 51st Alabama cavalry. Prof. Francis was educated in the public schools of Jacksonville; received the degrees

of B. S., 1887, and M. A., 1889, from the University of Alabama, and did post graduate work at Johns Hopkins school of chemistry, 1890. He was connected with the University of Alabama, 1887-91, as first assistant professor of chemistry, later as adjunct professor; removed to Detroit, Mich., 1892, to accept the position of chemist for Parke, Davis and co., and since 1904 has been chief chemist of that company. He is a Democrat; and a Presbyterian. Married: November 25, 1891, at Tuscaloosa, to Evie Eugenia, daughter of Robert Theodore and Stella Maria (Searcy) Harris, of that place, the former served throughout the War of Secession, first as orderly sergeant, Eighth Alabama infantry regiment and later as adjutant, 58th Alabama infantry regiment. Children: 1. John Miller, jr.; 2. Evelyn Searcy; 3. Julia Clark. Residence: Detroit, Mich.

FRANCIS, JOSIAH, or HILLIS HADJO, Creek Chief. See Indian chiefs and associated characters.

FRANKLIN, CHARLES HIGGS, physician and planter, was born in 1838, in Albany, Ga.; son of Talbert H. and Mary (Adams) Franklin, natives of Georgia, the former after his wife's death removed to Coffee County, Ala., in 1846, a planter, veteran of the Creek War of 1836-37; grandson of Esom Franklin, of South Carolina, a Revolutionary soldier, who later settled in Georgia. The family is descended from Josiah Franklin of England, whose son, John, immigrated from that country to Massachusetts in the 17th century. Dr. Franklin received his primary education in the subscription schools of Coffee County, and later attended school at Elba. He entered the medical department of the University of Nashville, Tenn., but his course was interrupted by his service with the Confederate States Army. He was appointed assistant surgeon in the camp of instruction at Camp Watts and remained there during the duration of the war. He then entered the medical department of the University of Louisiana, New Orleans, from which he graduated in 1866, and at once located at Union Springs, where he practiced during the remainder of his life. He was also an extensive planter, operating a farm in Bullock County and owning large tracts in Florida. He was one of the promoters of Union Springs cotton-mills and was president of the company; president State medical association 1889-90, and for many years a member of the State board of health. Married: (1) in 1870, to Sallie, daughter of Jabez Jones and Jane (Harvey) Banks, natives of Georgia, who located in Alabama; granddaughter of James Jones and Hannah (Alston) Banks; great-granddaughter of Ralph and Rachael Alston (Jones) Banks of North Carolina, who removed to the Broad River Country, Ga.; (2) to Lula, his deceased wife's sister. Children: by the first wife: 1. Charles; 2. Lula; 3. and 4. died in infancy; by the second wife, 5. John K. (q. v.); 6. Jerome C.; 7. James J.; 8. Charles Moore, physician, graduated, 1898, Columbia university, N. Y.; 9. Jane; 10. Higgs

B.; 11. died in infancy. Residence: Union Springs.

FRANKLIN, J. N., member of the constitutional convention of 1861, from DeKalb County.

FRANKLIN, JOHN KNOX, lawyer and legislator, was born September 9, 1880, in Bullock County; son of Charles Higgs and Loula (Banks) Franklin (q. v.); grandson of Jabez B. and Jane Banks, of Enon. He was educated in the public schools of Union Springs; attended the Agricultural and mechanical college, Auburn; graduated LL. B., 1902, from the University of Alabama. He began the practice of his profession in July of that year. He represented Bullock County in the legislature of 1903. He is a Democrat; and a Methodist. He is unmarried. Residence: Union Springs.

FRANKS, MARSHALL, *soldier of the American Revolution*, a resident of Pickens County; private and sergeant, particular service not disclosed; enrolled on December 27, 1836, under act of Congress of June 7, 1832, payment to date from March 4, 1831; annual allowance, \$60.—*Pension Book*, State Branch Bank, Mobile.

FRASIER, ALFRED SMITH, physician and surgeon, was born February 28, 1881, at Cross Keys, Macon County; son of William Gregory and Joanna Lee (Smith) Frasier, the former a Methodist preacher who served throughout the War of Secession. Dr. Frasier received his education in the country schools and at the Troy normal college. He graduated from the University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn., 1905, and from Vanderbilt university, with honors, 1906. During vacation he spent his time teaching in order that he might send himself through college. He began the practice of medicine at Thomaston remaining there for five years. He graduated from the New York post graduate hospital in 1914 and became resident surgeon of that institution. In January, 1915, he was made instructor of surgery in the Post graduate hospital and received his license to practice in New York in April, 1915. He resigned in October, 1915, removing to Dothan, where he began to practice privately and in June, 1917, he opened the Frasier hospital. During the European War he was a member of the medical advisory board. He is a Democrat; Methodist; Mason; and a member of the Kappa Alpha and Alpha Kappa medical fraternities. Married: October 12, 1908, at Talladega, to Scottie McKenzie (q. v.). Residence: Dothan.

FRASIER, SCOTTIE (McKENZIE) teacher and author, daughter of William and Leila (Hood) McKenzie, of Talladega, the former a Confederate soldier having enlisted at the age of seventeen; granddaughter of Dr. Robert and Frances (Weisinger) Hood, of Cahaba, the former a Confederate soldier who died during the War of Secession with pneumonia, the latter a descendant of Lawrence Washington, and of Dr. Henry and Amanda (Talmadge) McKenzie, the former a graduate of the University

of Transylvania and one of the first settlers of Talladega; great-granddaughter of Thomas Dewitt and Tabitha (Washburn) Talmadge, of Jefferson County, Ky., and of Murdock and Rebecca (Tyson) McKenzie, the former a native of Scotland who emigrated to America in 1802, settling in Chatham County, N. C.; great-great-granddaughter of Kenneth and Christie McKenzie, of Scotland, and of Campbell and Tabitha (Dulaney) Washburn, the former a Revolutionary soldier, and of Berry and Ann Tyson, of Moore County, N. C.; great-great-great-granddaughter of Daniel and Margaret Dulaney, the former founded a town in Maryland which bears his name. The Dulaney's were among the most prominent of the members of the Maryland colony, one of that name having been the provincial secretary. The first member of the Hood family located in Virginia and married an Arundel of the English family of that name. Mrs. Frasier graduated from the Talladega high school in 1901, and from Judson college, Marion, in 1903. She then taught in the public schools of Talladega and Greenville, the Albertville agricultural college, and had been elected assistant lady principal of the Judson, but married two weeks before the opening of college. In 1914 she attended the school of journalism, short story department, Columbia university, studied public speaking under Mary Sandall, at Carnegie Hall, and attended lectures on psychology. In 1914-15 she lectured in the east on practical psychology. She is the author of numerous poems and short stories, also does a great deal of newspaper work, at the same time looking after the business interests of the Frasier hospital, and lecturing on practical psychology and other subjects. In 1920 she issued a book of poems, "Fagots of fancy." At the 1920 meeting of the Alabama federation of women's clubs she was awarded the Press and authors club prize for the best prayer. During the European War she organized ten counties for minute men; was vice chairman of Woman's division of Four minute men of Alabama, and spoke for liberty bond and war saving stamp drives. She is a member of the Alabama equal suffrage and League of women voters boards; Pen and brush club, New York City; Writers club, Indianapolis, Ind.; Press and authors club, Montgomery; New century club, Dothan; and founder of the Sorosis club, Thomaston, and Writer's club, Dothan. Married: October 21, 1908, at Talladega, to Dr. Alfred Smith Frasier (q. v.). Residence: Dothan.

FRAZER, JOHN STANLEY, Methodist minister, was born near Grove Hill, Clarke County; son of William Emsley and Satira (Cassity) Frazer, the former a native of Greensboro, N. C., who removed to Alabama in early life and located at Old St. Stephens, Clarke County, where he became a merchant and planter; grandson of John Frazer and wife, who was a Miss Stanley, of Guilford County, N. C.; great-grandson of John Frazer, a native of Scotland who emigrated to America, lived for a while in Pennsylvania and later moved to North Carolina. Dr. Frazer was educated in the schools of Clarke County, later attended

Summerfield college, and received the degree of D. D. from Southern university, 1910. He was a member of the ecumenical conference, 1900, London, and a member of the book committee of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, for a number of years. He is a Democrat and a Mason. Married: February 10, 1874, in Clarke County, to Mary Ella, daughter of Rev. Jesse Pugh and Mary Frances (Fluker) Chapman, of Grove Hill, and granddaughter of Giles Chapman, a native of Newberry, S. C., who removed to Alabama and located in Clarke County. Children: 1. Daisy, m. Dr. W. F. Betts, of Evergreen; 2. Maggie, m. Dr. R. F. Washington, of Spartanburg, S. C.; 3. Jessie Otis, d. young; 4. Mary, m. Rev. D. H. McNeal, of Ozark; 5. John W.; 6. Lucile, m. L. L. Shertzer, of Demopolis; 7. George Stanley, minister of Washington, Ga.; 8. Keener C., professor at Wofford college, Spartanburg, S. C.; 9. Leila Dumas. Residence: Evergreen.

FRAZER, ROBERT, president of Judson college, Marion, 1882-87. Residence: Warrenton, Va.

FRAZER, SYDNEY THOMAS, probate judge, was born July 3, 1836, near Eatonton, Putnam County, Ga.; son of Thomas Goodrum and Jane (Goodrum) Frazer, the former a native of Nolansville, Tenn., who lived at Carrollton, Miss., Putnam County, Ga., and Warriier Stand; grandson of Stephen and Jane (Goodrum) Frazer. He received his early education at Warriier Stand, under the instruction of S. T. Strickland, and at the Glenville academy of which Rev. Dr. A. L. Andrews was principal. He taught school until he had acquired the funds to pay his way through college; entered Emory and Henry college, Virginia, finished the three year course in two years, and was graduated A. B., 1859. He taught school near Auburn until the war began in 1861; enlisted at once as a private in the Third Alabama regiment, C. S. Army, under Capt. Tennent Lomax; served for one year in that regiment until, upon application of his colonel, he was detached and commissioned to go home and help raise a new regiment, the Forty-sixth Alabama, commanded by Col. Mike L. Woods. He served in that regiment as first lieutenant, was with his company in every battle and skirmish except two, and was under fire about a hundred times without ever being wounded. He was captured at the battle of Nashville, and sent to Johnson's Island on Lake Erie at the time that the Federal government had just instituted retaliatory measures on account of the Confederate prison at Andersonville. After the war, Judge Frazer resumed teaching at Auburn, and in the fall of 1867, went into the mercantile business at Union Springs in partnership with Maj. R. G. Wright. His brother, Capt. Nathan C. Frazer, later became a member of the firm. In 1886 he was elected to the State legislature, and the following year was appointed probate judge of Bullock County by Gov. Seay. He was returned to that office by popular election in

1882, serving in all in that position for nearly twelve years. He is a Democrat, a member of the Methodist Episcopal church South, served on the board of stewards of that church for a number of years, and is a Mason. Married: December 7, 1865, at Tuskegee, Cornelia Demarius, daughter of Thomas Henry and Roana (Moore) Smith, who lived at Tuskegee. Children: 1. Emmie, m. John Belle Keeble, Nashville, Tenn.; 2. Lee, m. Judge James J. Banks (q. v.), Honolulu, Hawaii; 3. Lucile, m. William T. Park, Nashville, Tenn.; 4. Willodem, m. James J. Colson, Brunswick, Ga.; 5. Capt. Thomas Sydney (q. v.), m. Alice Miller, Union Springs. Residence: Union Springs.

FRAZER, THOMAS L., cotton merchant and probate judge was born December 21, 1835, in Lincoln County, Ga., and died \_\_\_\_\_; son of Addison and Mary A. (Florence) Frazer, both residents of Georgia, who removed to Glenville, Barbour County, Ala., but were forced after the burning of their property in the Indian troubles of that time to flee to Muscogee County, Ga., where they remained about a year, returning to their old home in Barbour County and finally removing to Auburn; grandson of Arthur Frazer, of Scotch-Irish extraction and a native of North Carolina. Judge Frazer received a thorough education after which he turned his attention to the cotton commission business; served as probate judge of Lee County, 1883-86; and was a member of the State Democratic executive committee. He was a Mason and a Methodist. Married: in 1875 near Opelika, to Ella Narcissa, daughter of Isaac II and Narcissa Whitfield (Sledge) Ross (q. v.). Children: 1. Mary Ella; 2. Thomas R.; 3. John A.

FRAZER, THOMAS SYDNEY, lawyer and legislator, was born March 17, 1876, at Union Springs; son of Judge Sydney T. and Cornelia (Smith) Frazer (q. v.). He was educated in the schools of Union Springs, and graduated at the University of Alabama, A. B., 1894, and LL. B., 1896. He entered upon the practice of his profession at Union Springs in 1896 and has since resided there. He represented the twenty-sixth senatorial district in the legislature of 1903, 1911 and again in 1913. He was a member of the staff of Gov. W. D. Jelks with the rank of colonel of the cavalry, and served as chairman of the Democratic executive committee of Bullock County four years. Also a member of the State Democratic executive committee. He is a Democrat; a Methodist; an Odd Fellow; member of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans; and of the Sigma Nu college fraternity. Married: in 1920, to Alice Miller of Brewton. Residence: Union Springs.

FRAZER, TUCKER HENDERSON, physician and dean, medical department, University of Alabama, was born February 14, 1859, at Auburn, and died December 26, 1919, at Mobile; son of Alexander and Catherine Frazer, the former a large cotton planter of Lee County. Dr. Frazer received the degree of B. E. from the Alabama polytechnic institute, in 1878. He

was principal of the grammar school, Barton academy, Mobile, 1879-82, and commandant of cadets, Alabama polytechnic institute, 1883-85. In 1886 he entered the medical department, University of Alabama, then the Mobile medical college, graduating with the degree of M. D., in 1888. He began the practice of medicine at Auburn in 1888, remaining there until 1891 when he removed to Mobile to engage in the practice. He was elected co-demonstrator of anatomy and lecturer on dermatology in the medical department, University of Alabama, 1891; succeeded Prof. W. B. Pope in 1901 as professor of physiology; elected professor of obstetrics and pediatrics in 1904; appointed secretary-treasurer of the school of medicine by the board of trustees of the University in 1907; appointed dean and professor of obstetrics, October 2, 1905; resigned in June, 1919, but continued to act as dean until his death. In 1907 he built and operated with Dr. W. R. Jackson the Southern infirmary, Mobile. He was a member of the board of trustees of the Alabama polytechnic institute for four years and the board of school commissioners of Mobile for six years. He was a Democrat; Baptist; member executive board, National Red Cross society of Alabama; member, International tuberculosis congress; Association for the advancement of science; Mobile county medical society; senior chancellor, Alabama State medical association; American medical association; president, Alumni society, Alabama polytechnic institute, 1883-86; and president of the Alumni association, medical department, University of Alabama, 1892-96. Married: January 20, 1885, at Auburn, to Annie D., daughter of Alsa and Eliza Holifield. Children: 1. Alice B.; 2. Mell A., lawyer, m. Mary V. Danner, of Mobile; 3. Mary, m. C. H. Morian, of Philadelphia, Pa.; 4. Emmett B. Last residence: Mobile.

FRAZIER, SAMUEL WILEY, farmer, was born November 22, 1837, in Jackson County, and died May 17, 1910; son of Joseph Parks and Lucinda Jane (Williams) Frazier, the former a native of east Tennessee, who moved to Larkinsville, took part in the Indian War in Florida, 1836, was made major general of the State militia in 1837, served in the State legislature in both houses from 1843 until 1853, served frequently on the electoral ticket and was never defeated as such, and was president of the Democratic state convention in 1852. His paternal ancestors came from Scotland, settled in Tennessee, and served in the Revolutionary War. His mother's people came from Virginia. Mr. Frazier attended the common schools of the county, and was a student in medicine at the Mobile medical college at the time of the outbreak of the War of Secession. He returned home, enlisted in Capt. Bradford's company which was sent to Fort Morgan, and placed in the Second Alabama volunteers. After a year's service, his term expired and he re-enlisted as first lieutenant in Co. K, Eleventh Mississippi cavalry regiment, Chalmer's brigade, Forrest's corps; served in various engagements; was in the battle of Selma, and was wounded there in April, 1865. After the war, Mr. Frazier engaged in farming. He was elected

a representative in the State legislature of 1892, and was re-elected in 1902. He was a Democrat and a Cumberland Presbyterian. Married: March 12, 1866, to Amanda Mariah, daughter of Shepard and Rosa (Chapman) Shelton, both of Jackson County, but of Virginia origin. Last residence: Scottsboro.

FRAZIER, WILLIAM, planter and merchant, was born in Edgefield, Edgefield District, S. C., in 1806, and died March 19, 1871, on his plantation in Montgomery County; son of Benjamin Marshall and Sarah (Lott) Frazier, natives of South Carolina, the former a merchant, planter and large slave owner in that state; grandson of Benjamin Frazier, a native of Scotland who emigrated to America in his youth. Mr. Frazier was educated in the common schools of Edgefield, S. C., studying under Benjamin Butler, who was afterwards U. S. senator from South Carolina. Before coming to Alabama in 1839, he was a successful merchant at Edgefield. In early life he was connected with the South Carolina militia; was an ardent secessionist, also a great friend of William L. Yancey. He gave liberal aid of money and supplies to the Confederate Army. He was a man of generous heart and distributed thousands of dollars, besides food from his plantation, among the poor of the city. He was a Baptist and a Democrat. Married: in 1833, in Augusta, Ga., to Eliza, daughter of Louis Cantelou. The father of Louis Cantelou came to America from France as captain of artillery under Lafayette and after the Revolutionary War, settled in Augusta, Ga., where he amassed a fortune in the cotton business. Children: 1. Virginia, m. Girard Cook; 2. Mary, m. Dr. J. S. Dillard, three children; 3. Emma, m. Capt. T. S. Herbert (q. v.); 4. Helena, m. C. E. Sadler; 5. Willie, m. Dr. Henry L. Stone, six children; 6. Ada, m. J. A. Olin, one child; 7. Benjamin Marshall, m. Carrie Belle Stone. Last residence: Montgomery County.

FREEMAN, GEORGE CHARLES, planter, teacher, politician, and soldier, was born October 16, 1825, at Athens, Ga., and died July 15, 1866, at Hayneville; son of Allen and Caroline (Robertson) Freeman, the former a merchant and farmer who lived at Athens, Ga., his wife a native of Greenville, Meriwether County, Ga. Maj. Freeman's mother died at his birth and he was reared by his maternal grandparents, and his aunt, Martha Robertson. He received his primary education in Greenville, Ga., where he was taught by Lyman Trumbull, subsequently U. S. senator from Illinois. He graduated from Emory and Henry college, and read law under his maternal uncle, Lemuel Robertson, and was admitted to the bar in 1844, aged nineteen years. He enlisted for Mexican war service but the hostilities ceased before his company was mustered in. After spending a few years in the west he returned to Georgia and taught school, but in 1851, removed to Lowndes County, where he engaged in planting. His experience and educational attainments were such that his neighbors offered him the principalship of the Hayneville female high school, and he was also elected as county superintend-

ent of education. In 1860 he was presidential elector on the Bell and Everett ticket. He represented Lowndes County in the constitutional convention of 1865, and in November of that year was elected to the Federal congress without opposition, but on account of political conditions was not permitted to take his seat. In the spring of 1862, he went as captain of Co. I, 45th Alabama infantry regiment, in the Confederate service, and was mustered into the Western Army under Gen. Pat Cleburne. He was promoted to a majority, and was in command of his regiment in the retreat from Perryville, Ky.; received a severe wound in his temple at the battle of Murfreesboro, Tenn., and was brought home on a litter. In the spring of 1863, he rejoined his command at Wartrace, in an enfeebled condition and was made judge-advocate, in which position he served until military exigencies demanded his return to the field. He joined his command at Chattanooga, Tenn., July 22, 1864. In the battle of Atlanta he was severely wounded and lay for four hours under a cross fire before being taken from the field to Ford's hospital, Forsyth, Ga., where his leg was amputated. His shattered health was never restored and he died from the result of the wound. Married: October 19, 1851, at Pine Level, Montgomery County, to Miranda Dido, daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth Jackson of that place. Mrs. Freeman, in 1874, became the wife of George S. Cox. Children: 1. Charles Paul, m. Alice Houston; 2. Eva, m. Caswell William Garrett, deceased, Hayneville. Last residence: Hayneville.

FREEMAN, GEORGE FOUCHE, botanist, a native and for his early life a resident of the State, was born at Maple Grove, Cherokee County, March 4, 1876; son of George Washington and Laura Carolina (Nuckolls) Freeman, the former a captain in the commissary department, C. S. Army, and at one time county superintendent of education. Prof. Freeman was educated in the common schools of his county; and the seventh district agricultural school; graduated from the Alabama polytechnic institute, B. S., 1903; after graduation was appointed assistant horticulturist, Alabama Polytechnic institute; later became assistant in botany at the Massachusetts agricultural college, Amherst, Mass.; and is now the head of the department of plant breeding at the University of Arizona. He is a Democrat; Baptist; and a Mason. Married: July 18, 1906, at Manhattan, Kans., to Lona Adelle, daughter of Charles Perkins and Lona (McConnell) Blachly, of that place. Children: 1. Eleanor Adelle; 2. George Donald. Residence: Tucson, Ariz.

FREEMAN, LEVI, member of the constitutional convention of 1865, from Pike County.

FREEMAN, NEWMAN H., merchant, member constitutional convention, 1901, was born February 17, 1869, at Arbacoochee, Cleburne County; son of James R. and Margrett A. (Carroll) Freeman, who were married in Georgia in 1850, and came to Randolph, now

Cleburne, County five years later. Mr. Freeman was educated in the public schools of Haleyville, and after finishing the high school course, began his business career as a clerk in the Birmingham postoffice under the Harrison administration. In 1891, he went to Haleyville, where he became the junior member of Freeman and Son; later becoming general manager of the Haleyville mercantile company. He was appointed postmaster for Haleyville by President McKinley in 1897, and was re-appointed in 1901 for four years. He has served three terms as alderman of Haleyville, and was nominated for presidential elector in 1900. In 1901, he was elected a delegate to the constitutional convention, and became leader of the Republicans, especially on the franchise law. He was on the committee on military affairs during his service in that body. He declined nomination for representative to the State legislature in 1902. He is an Odd Fellow, being a delegate to the grand lodge in 1904; is a member of the Woodmen of the World; and a member of the Methodist Episcopal church. Married: November 8, 1892, at Haleyville, Bettie C., daughter of Merrill and Nannie (Brown) Kennedy, of Dawson, Ga., who now live in Birmingham. Children: 1. Esther; 2. Douglas; 3. Eva C. Residence: Haleyville.

FREEMAN, TANDY R., planter, was born August 12, 1842, in Muscogee County, Ga.; son of Tandy R. and Anna E. (Sweet) Freeman, who were married in 1828 in Florida, and moved from that state to a plantation below Columbus, Ga., the former a native of Marion District, S. C., born in 1800, a farmer, who was overseer of a large plantation owned by Col. Fitzgerald in Florida for twenty years, and died in 1844 on his plantation in Georgia, the latter a native of Quincy, Fla., the daughter of Rev. Gospero Sweet, a Methodist minister who lived to be one hundred two years of age. In 1849 he accompanied his mother to Barbour County, Ala., where he received his early education, and in 1819 entered Emory and Henry college, Virginia. When the institution was broken up in 1861, he returned home and enlisted in Capt. Alpheus Baker's company, First Alabama regiment, C. S. Army. He received his first war experience at Pensacola, Fla., during the bombardment of that city by the Federal fleet. When his term of enlistment had expired, he re-entered the service in the Eufaula light artillery, and served as gunner until the close of the war, participating in the battles of Murfreesboro, Mission Ridge, Chickamauga, the Atlantic campaign, Hood's raid, Franklin and Nashville. After the war, he returned to Barbour County and occupied himself with his farming interests. He is a Democrat, and a steward in the Methodist church. Married: January 1866, Eliza J., daughter of Thomas and Eliza Roquemore, of Cowikee Creek, Barbour County. Children: 1. Annie E., m. O. R. Spurlock; 2. Tandy, a graduate of Birmingham business college, and a teacher at Hawkinsville; 3. William E.; 4.

Percival S.; 5. Evaline E.; 6. Mary R.; 7. Eileena M. Residence: Barbour County.

FRENCH, BENJAMIN, *soldier of the American Revolution*, "died—Near Rodgersville on the 21st inst., Mr. Benjamin French, aged 84 years, an old faithful Revolutionary soldier."—*Southern Advocate*, Huntsville, April 2, 1847.

FRENCH, JAMES ADOLPHUS, Baptist minister, was born at Ballsville, Va., and died June, 1916, at Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, Md.; son of John Woodson and Judith Frances (Blanton) French, both natives of Virginia, and after marriage, residents of Richmond; grandson of Col. Hugh and Priscilla (Mosby) French, of Powhatan County, Va., and of James L. and Rebecca (Walker) Blanton, of Cumberland County, Va. Dr. French received his education in the private schools of Richmond, Va.; took a special course at Richmond college; graduated from Southern Baptist theological seminary, Louisville, Ky, 1877; spent one year at the University of Virginia, 1877-1878, and received the honorary degree of D. D., from Howard college, 1893. He was ordained to the Baptist ministry, June 25, 1876, at Richmond, Va., and held pastorates in Virginia, Kentucky, Texas and Alabama. While in this State, he served at Talladega, 1890-96, Eufaula, 1908-13, and Columbia, 1913-16. He contributed many papers to religious publications. Married: May 25, 1880, at Sunny Side, near Montpelier, Va., to Fanny Throckmorton, daughter of Dr. James Ambrose and Lucy (Hiden) Madison; grand-niece of President James Madison. Last residence: Columbia.

FRIEDMAN, BERNHARD, business man, was born in Hungary and died in 1896, in Tuscaloosa; son of Simon and Rosa Friedman, natives of Hungary. He came to America in 1856, and settled in Mississippi, subsequently removing to Georgia. In 1866 he settled in Tuscaloosa, Ala., where he spent the remainder of his life. His education was received in Hungary. He purchased the cotton mill at Tuscaloosa, which he successfully conducted, merchandised and bought land. In 1887, he was elected vice-president of the Tennessee coal, iron, and land company and sold to that corporation 43,000 acres of land personally owned by him. He projected an iron furnace in Tuscaloosa and was interested in all the industrial activities of that section. Married: (1) Adele Black, who died in 1870; (2) Linka Loveman, of Dalton, Ga. Children: by the first wife; 1. a daughter, died in infancy; 2. Emma, m. — Herzberg, Gadsden; 3. Samuel, Tuscaloosa; 4. Victor Hugo, Tuscaloosa. Last residence: Tuscaloosa.

FRIERSON, GIDEON BLACKBURN, lawyer and county court judge, was born in Tennessee, about 1810, and died in Sumter County, in 1853. His father moved from Williamsburg District, S. C., in 1809, to Tennessee, and in 1819, located in Tuscaloosa, where he lived and died. He was the brother of Samuel Gordon Frierson (q. v.). Judge Frierson was educated in the

common schools of Tennessee and in Tuscaloosa. He read law; was admitted to the bar and formed a partnership with Lincoln Clark, of Pickensville, Pickens County. In 1834 he was elected assistant clerk of the house of representatives, and in 1836 succeeded Col. Tunstall as clerk being re-elected in 1837. That year he was elected judge of the county court of Sumter, which position he held for several years. Last residence: Sumter County.

FRIERSON, MARTIN LUTHER, Presbyterian minister, was born May 6, 1838, in Williamsburg County, S. C., and died in the spring of 1895, at Orange, Tex.; son of Daniel and Jane (McIntosh) Frierson, natives of South Carolina, of Irish and Scotch descent, respectively. He received his academic education at Mt. Zion school, Georgia, and was subsequently graduated from Oglethorpe university, near Milledgeville, Ga. From Oglethorpe, he entered the Ninth South Carolina regiment, C. S. Army, and when that regiment disbanded the next year, entered the Fourth South Carolina cavalry, with which he surrendered at Greensboro, N. C., at the end of the War of Secession. After peace was established, he returned to Williamsburg County, S. C., where he studied law. He came to Alabama in 1869, and was admitted to the bar in Lawrence County in 1870. During the four succeeding years while he was practicing law, he established the Courtland "News," 1872; moved the paper to Decatur at the end of one year, and published it there as "The News" for two years. In 1874, he entered the Presbyterian ministry, taking charge of a group of churches comprising Decatur, Somerville, and Fairview, all in Morgan County. He had preached in those places about a year when he was elected to the professorship of English language and literature in the Florence State normal school. In 1887, he severed his connection with that institution to become pastor of the Florence Presbyterian church, in which he succeeded his brother, Rev. O. E. Frierson. In 1888, he was elected to the presidency of the Florence synodical female college. His last residence was at Gainesville, Tex., where he is buried. Married: August 21, 1862, in Williamsburg County, S. C., Margaret Gordan, who is also buried at Gainesville, Tex. Children: 1. John G., physician, Florence; 2. Daniel Irving, d. February, 1872, at the age of five years; 3. William Rogers, d. February, 1870, aged eighteen months; 4. Sarah Camilla; 5. Danella Isadora, m. E. M. Muse, Sacramento, Calif.; 6. Jane McIntosh; 7. Louise Margaret; 8. Lucy H.; 9. Martin Luther, jr. Last residence: Gainesville, Tex.

FRIERSON, SAMUEL GORDON, lawyer, was born in 1805 in Williamsburg District, S. C., and died April 5, 1857, in Tuscaloosa; brother of Judge Gideon Blackburn Frierson (q. v.). He was educated in the common schools of Tennessee; read law in Tuscaloosa with Eli Shortridge; admitted to practice, 1826; represented Tuscaloosa in the legislature, 1834 and 1835; postmaster of Tuscaloosa in 1838; elected



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State treasurer 1840, serving until 1847, when he resumed the practice of the law. Last residence: Tuscaloosa.

FROST, J. M., pioneer Missionary Baptist preacher.

FROW, THOMAS J., early resident of Selma and founder of the "Selma Free Press." He left no descendants.

FROXIL, JACOB, *soldier of the American Revolution*, aged 85, resided in DeKalb County June 1, 1840.—*Census of Pensioners*, 1841, p. 148.

FRY, ANNA MARIA (GAYLE), authoress, was born at Cahaba, August 17, 1852; daughter of Rees Darrington and Mary Louisa (Gill) Gayle (q. v.), granddaughter of Dr. Thomas Worthington and Nancy (Craig) Gill, of Frog Level, near Selma, Ala.; the former was born in Chester District, S. C., and removed to Cleburne in 1818, thence moved to Dallas County, where he entered large tracts of land near Cahaba, and became a man of wealth and influence; great-granddaughter of James and Mary (Gaston) Gill, of South Carolina, the former was one of eight brothers that served under Gen. Francis Marion; the latter had nine brothers who were Whig soldiers. Owing to the War of Secession and the unsettled condition of the country in years immediately following the war, Mrs. Fry was educated entirely at home under the supervision of her parents. She was taught by a governess, Miss Anne Craig, and later was well instructed in Latin and literature by Rev. Dr. Sparrow, a prominent Presbyterian divine. Married: April 9, 1890, in Galveston, Texas, to Dr. Joseph Talbot Fry, son of Joseph and Amanda (Gidden) Fry. Amanda Gidden's mother was Priscilla Buford, of the same family as Gen. Abraham Buford of Kentucky. Dr. Joseph Talbot Fry framed and drafted the present quarantine law of Texas, and on which all the other states base their quarantine law, was a member of the Texas legislature at that time when he framed and introduced the bill that has since so successfully been put into effect. Residence: Selma.

FRY, BIRKETT DAVENPORT, lawyer, manufacturer, and brigadier-general, C. S. Army, was born June 24, 1822, in Kanawah County, Va., and died February 5, 1891, in Richmond, Va.; son of Thornton Fry and wife, who was a Miss Thompson; grandson of P. R. Thompson, who was a member of congress from Virginia, 1801-07, and of Col. Joshua Fry, who figured in Virginia colonial history. He received his higher education at Washington college, Pa., and the Virginia military institute. In 1842 he was appointed from Virginia to the United States military academy at West Point, but did not graduate. Reading law in 1840 he was admitted to the bar. In the war with Mexico, he was commissioned, April 9, 1847, first lieutenant of Voltigeurs, a regiment of regulars, of which Joseph E. Johnston was lieutenant colonel; served as adjutant of the regiment at Contreras and Churubusco; led a company at

Molino del Rey and Chapultepec, where he was officially mentioned as "distinguished"; and served until the disbanding of the regiment at Fort McHenry, Md., on August 31, 1848. In 1849 he opened a law office in Sacramento, Calif. In 1856 he again became prominent in military life. Solicited to unite in Walker's Nicaragua scheme he joined that officer with a body of troops and was the commander sent to quiet the Matagalpa Indians. He fought at Rivas, and soon was made general of brigade, and assigned to the largest of three military districts. With two hundred men he made a successful defense of Grenada, when attacked by a large force, which lost six hundred killed and wounded, while the garrison lost but seventeen. Ordered to California for reinforcements, he assembled a force, but could not secure transportation. In 1859 he came to Tallassee, and took charge of a cotton mill, until the outbreak of the War of Secession. On July 19, 1861, he was commissioned colonel of the 13th Alabama infantry regiment, C. S. Army, which soon proceeded to Richmond, Va.; and thence to Yorktown, where on October 3, 1861, it was brigaded with the 8th Alabama, forming the 5th brigade. At Seven Pines he was seriously wounded, nevertheless, he, with his wounded comrades, remained on the field, bravely performing their duty to the last. He was again wounded at Sharpsburg and still again at Gettysburg, where he commanded the brigade after the first day; was captured and confined at Johnson's Island, being exchanged in 1864. On May 11, 1864, he was assigned to the command of Barton's brigade, and led this brigade in the battle of Drewry's Bluff. He was commissioned brigadier-general on May 24, 1864, and soon after, was specially selected by General Bragg as "a man of gunpowder reputation, and bearing on his person the marks of honorable service," to defend Augusta, Ga., which city was the only one in the Confederacy not captured by the federal troops. At the close of the war he went to Cuba, where he remained until 1868, when he returned to Tallassee, and to his former work. He later came to Montgomery, but left on the death of his wife, and located in Richmond, Va., where he engaged in cotton buying and cotton milling, as president of the Marshall manufacturing company from 1886-91. He was an Episcopalian. Married: Mattie Micou, sister of Benjamin Micou, of Montgomery. Last residence: Richmond, Va.

FRY, T. S., mayor of Mobile, June, 1900 to March, 1902.

FRYE, JOHN H., banker, was born December 23, 1871, in Monroe County; son of John Hancock and Mary Amanda (Parker) Frye, who lived on the homestead in Monroe County; grandson of George Washington and Lucy (Wilkinson) Frye, of Monroe County, the former a native of Fryeburg, Me., who was graduated at Harvard college, came south about 1805, and settled on the family plantation in Monroe County, where he became a successful planter, and of Asa and Flora (Graham) Parker of Monroe County; great-grandson of

Judge Frye, of Maine. The Frye family has been in this country since John Frye came from England to the colony of Massachusetts in 1638. One of his descendants, Gen. Joseph Frye was an officer in the Revolution, who was given a large grant of land in recognition of his services in the army. On this land he established the village of Fryeburg, Me., now a substantial town. The valor of his command in the revolution is commemorated by a tablet on Bunker Hill. The Parkers and Grahams were from North Carolina, of Scotch descent. Mr. Frye attended the public schools in Monroe County, was taught by teachers employed at home, and spent several years at the University of Alabama. After leaving college, he was employed in the First national bank of Aniston, resigning his position there after two years to engage in private banking in the same town. He moved to Birmingham in 1903 and organized the Traders national bank, of which he has been president for seventeen years. In 1910, he organized and was made president of the Realty trust company of Birmingham. He is a Democrat, an elder in the Presbyterian church, and a Mason. He is in the course of preparing a book containing more than six hundred pages relating to the conducting of a banking business. Married: in 1906, Helen, daughter of Dr. John and Cynthia (Gabel) Mushat, who lived at Hayneville, Lowndes County. Children: 1. John H., jr. Residence: Birmingham.

FULLAN, MICHAEL THOMAS, teacher, a resident of Alabama, was born September 14, 1871, at Macon, Ga.; son of James Henry and Elizabeth Agnes (Ward) Fullan, the former originally from Ireland but a resident of Macon for many years and a member of Longstreet's corps, C. S. Army. Prof. Fullan was educated in the public and private schools of Georgia; entered the Alabama polytechnic institute, 1896, graduated in 1899 with the degrees of B. S. and E. and M. E., and in 1902, received the degree of M. E. Before entering college he had served an apprenticeship as machinist in the Schofield's iron works, Macon, Ga. Following his graduation he took up his work as professor of machine design and drawing, Alabama polytechnic institute, and is now head of that department. He is a Democrat; and a Catholic. Married: November 23, 1898, at Macon, Ga., to Eleanor Christine, daughter of Franz Peter and Catherine (O'Neal) Yaeger, of that place. Children: 1. James Michael; 2. Mary Martina; 3. Lysbeth Katherine. Residence: Auburn.

FULLER, HORACE BURGIN, lawyer, was born October 9, 1878, at Montgomery; son of John Boswell and Jane M. (Mathews) Fuller, (q. v.). Mr. Fuller was educated in the common schools of Montgomery, and graduated LL. B., 1901, at the University of Alabama; entered the practice in Montgomery; later admitted to the bar of Nevada, and was appointed assistant district attorney at Goldfield, Nev. He represented Montgomery County in the legislature of 1915. He is a Democrat; a

Presbyterian; a Knight of Pythias; an Elk; a Red Man; a member of the Kappa Alpha college fraternity. Married: April 8, 1914, at Montgomery, to Beryl Ruhamah, daughter of James H. and Ida R. George, of Linden, Marengo County. Residence: Montgomery.

FULLER, JEROME T., lawyer, was born October 21, 1874, at Centerville; son of Nelson and Elmina Harrison (Cleveland) Fuller, the former was a Confederate soldier, 1861-1865, member of the legislature, 1892-93, and 1894-95, treasurer of Bibb County, 1900-08; grandson of Mastin Jeremiah and Hannah (Menettie) Fuller, the former a native of Marlborough County, S. C., who soon after his marriage removed to Alabama, settling in 1897 near Centerville, and of Carter Walton and Mary (Kersh) Cleveland, of near Centerville. Mr. Fuller was educated in the Centerville male and female college; read law in the office of Hogue and Lavender; admitted to the bar September 6, 1896, and is now engaged in the general practice of law at Centerville. He was city attorney twelve years; and was elected a member of the legislature in November, 1906. He is a Democrat; Presbyterian; and a Knight of Pythias. Married: April 21, 1898, at Centerville, to Margaret Kate, daughter of James W. and Margaret Elizabeth (Gardner) Owen, of that place, the former was clerk of the circuit court of Bibb County for twelve years; granddaughter of James Wary Owen who was killed in the Mexican War. Children: 1. Margaret Bernice; 2. Jerome Theodore, jr.; 3. Nelson Owen. Residence: Centerville.

FULLER, JOHN B., lawyer and judge, was born in Montgomery County, March 20, 1841; son of William and Eliza J. (Scoggin) Fuller, the former a merchant, served on detached infantry, C. S. Army, a native of Marlborough District, S. C., the latter of Limestone County; grandson of Hamlet Fuller, who located in Montgomery County with his family in 1826, and died 1847, a valiant soldier with the rank of sergeant in the War of 1812. His early education was received in the common country schools of the time and when he was about fifteen years of age he entered a store in Augusta, Ga., where he clerked for about two years. In 1858 he returned to Montgomery, studied law, was admitted to the bar and at once began the practice. In the fall of 1865 he was appointed justice of the peace by Governor Lewis E. Parsons and, with the exception of an intermission of two years during the reconstruction period, he has held this office continuously down to the present day. In July, 1862, he enlisted in the Confederate Army, but on account of defective eyes was discharged after a short term of service. Returning to Montgomery, he was elected justice of the peace, but soon re-enlisted in the army, Co. D, Third battalion, Hilliard's legion, which upon reorganization became Co. C, 60th Alabama cavalry regiment. He followed the fortunes of his regiment and fought in all its battles until the surrender at Appomattox. He has been an alderman of the city and served for several years as a member of the school board. He is adju-

tant general of the first brigade of Alabama division, U. C. V., and is commandant of Camp Lomax, No. 151, U. C. V. He is a Democrat; and a Presbyterian. Married: (1) in 1868, to Rebecca, daughter of Captain William and Catherine (McCall) Shelby of Lowndes County, the former was born in Georgia and was a descendant of Governor Shelby of Kentucky; (2) in December, 1874, to Jane M., daughter of George H. B. and Catherine (Maysey) Mathews, of Montgomery County; granddaughter of Captain John Maysey of Philadelphia, and of Dr. Franklin and Sarah (Burgin) Mathews; great-granddaughter of William and Elizabeth (Merriwether) Mathews; great-great-granddaughter of Governor Mathews of Georgia. Children: by the first wife: 1. James S., lawyer; 2. Alice, m. W. H. Centerfit, of Montgomery; by the second wife: 3. Kate Sanford; 4. Agnes; 5. Anna Rebecca, m. Prof. A. F. Harmon (q. v.); 6. Fannie, m. Fred P. Caldwell, lawyer, Louisville, Ky.; 7. H. Burgin (q. v.); 8. John B., clerk, Louisville and Nashville railroad; 9. George P., clerk, Western railway of Alabama; 10. Jane M.; 11. Paul B.; 12. Ruth; 13. Luther; 14. Margaret; 15. Justin. Residence: Montgomery.

**FULLER, LITTLETON**, *soldier of the American Revolution*, aged 74, and a resident of Tuscaloosa County; private S. C. Militia; enrolled on September 17, 1833, under act of Congress of June 7, 1832, payment to date from March 4, 1831; annual allowance, \$30.—*Revolutionary Pension Roll*, in vol. xiv, Sen. doc. 514, 23rd Cong., 1st sess., 1833-34.

**FULLER, SUTTON L.**, lawyer, probate judge, farmer and real estate agent, was born April 1, 1855, in Cullman County; son of Fleming and Minerva (Simms) Fuller, both natives of Greenville District, S. C., the former a farmer, enlisted in Captain Stephen's company, Confederate Army, 1863, but on account of disabilities was discharged and died in 1865; grandson of Jonathan and Jane (Hodges) Fuller, natives of Georgia and South Carolina, respectively, who settled in Morgan County in 1832, where he farmed, and of Joel and Elizabeth (McGlathery) Simms, natives of South Carolina, the former a captain in the War of 1812, and soon after that date removed to Morgan County, where he farmed. Judge Fuller received his primary education from his older brother and being an orphan and the economic conditions of the times entailing restrictions on educational advantages he went to work at an early age. Later in life, however, after becoming a man of family, he returned to the school room and prepared himself for the practice of law. For some years he farmed, but in 1875, engaged in the lumber and real estate business. He began the study of law in 1879 and was admitted to the law course that year, and in 1890, passed a careful examination and was admitted to practice in the State and county courts. For several years he was engaged in western land settlement and was the founder of most of the towns on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad from Lincoln to Omaha, west and through Kansas, Nebraska, Wyom-

ing, and Dakota. He also settled a number of soldiers in California on land warrants. He acquired vast landed holdings in Alabama and timber and mineral lands in the west. He was elected probate judge of Cullman County in 1898, his term expiring in 1904. He is a Baptist; a Democrat; and a Knight of Pythias. Married: January 9, 1876, in Cincinnati, O., to Evelyn E., daughter of John G. and Jane (Moore) Hubert, both natives of Ohio. Children: 1. Asa V.; 2. Nellie M., m. F. E. St. John; 3. Harry L.; 4. Dwight C.; 5. George H.; 6. Forney; 7. Evelyn; 8. Evelyn; 9. Gladys. Residence: Cullman.

**FULTON, ROBERT BURWELL**, educator, was born April 8, 1849, in Sumter County; son of William F. and Elizabeth K. (Frierson) Fulton. He finished his college course in the class of 1869 at the University of Mississippi, receiving the A. B. degree, and in 1873 the A. M. degree. The honorary degree of LL. D. was conferred on him by the University of Nashville, 1873, South Carolina college, 1905, University of Alabama, 1906, and the University of Mississippi, 1909. He began his career as a teacher in the high schools at Pleasant Ridge, 1869; removed to New Orleans; later became chancellor of the University of Mississippi and since 1906 superintendent of the Miller technical school, Virginia. He has served as president of the National association of state universities; president department of higher education, National education association; president of the Southern educational association. Author: various articles on the State of Mississippi, published in the *Encyclopedia Britannica*, and numerous reports, addresses and articles on educational, scientific and historical subjects. Married: (1) in 1871, to Annie Rose Garland; (2) April 2, 1903, to Florence Thompson, of New Orleans. Residence: Miller School, Va.

**FULTON, THOMAS**, *soldier of the American Revolution*, aged 81, resided in Lawrence County, June 1, 1840.—*Census of Pensioners*, 1841, p. 148.

**FULTON, WILLIAM FRIERSON**, farmer, was born November 12, 1840, in Sumter County; son of William Frierson and Elizabeth (Dial) Fulton, the former a South Carolinian, who came to Alabama and settled near Gainesville; grandson of Paul Fulton who moved from Maury County, Tenn., to Alabama, settling in Hale, then Greene County, and of Janette (Spence) Dial, who lived near Sumterville. The Fultons first settled at Peach Tree, S. C., and from there moved to Maury County, Tenn., settling on a tract of land bought from Gen. Greene of Revolutionary fame, as a bounty for services in the Revolutionary War. Mr. Fulton was educated at Pleasant Ridge academy, Greene County, and in 1857, entered Oglethorpe college, Georgia. He left school a few months before graduation to enlist in the C. S. Army, and entered the service as a private. He was promoted to second lieutenant, Co. A, Fifth Alabama infantry, which was assigned to Archer's Tennessee bri-

gade. He participated in the first battle of Manassas, July 21, 1861, and continued in the service until the surrender at Appomattox, April 9, 1865. Since the war, he has farmed in Texas, Mississippi, and Alabama; was elected to the State legislature as a representative from Jefferson County, 1894-1895; and as a representative from DeKalb County, in November, 1902. He is a Democrat and a Methodist. Married: (1) September 6, 1866, to Mary Brown, daughter of William and Mary (Brown) Hudson, of Kemper County, Miss.; (2) August 2, 1883, to Mary Virginia Keen, of Woodlawn. Children: four sons. Residence: Collinsville.

FUQUAY, ALDRICH PARTIN, business man, was born March 25, 1861, at Fuquay Springs, Wake County, N. C.; son of David C. and Louisa (Partin) Fuquay, the former of Fuquay Springs, N. C., was a soldier from North Carolina in the C. S. Army, the latter was of Piney Grove Baptist Church, Wake County, N. C.; grandson of Stephen Samson and Sarah (Ausley) Fuquay, and of John and Elizabeth (Rowland) Partin, of Piney Grove Baptist Church, N. C.; great-grandson of William and Mary (Hall) Fuqua—the original French spelling of the name—the former came with Rochambeau from France to Newport, July 10, 1780, was a Revolutionary soldier, and an eye witness to Cornwallis' surrender, settled in Dinwiddie County, Va., where he became a farmer and Baptist, removed to Wake County, N. C., about 1810, and of Jesse and Amanda (Trulove) Ausley, the former a Revolutionary soldier from North Carolina, who was in the battles of Briar Creek and Cowpens, and of Louis and Rhoda (Bagget) Rowland, the former was in the Revolutionary army, and at West Point when Benedict Arnold betrayed his country. Mr. Fuquay was educated in the common schools of Wake County, N. C., at the Oakwood academy and Holly Springs institute, and was awarded a gold medal at the latter. He attended the University of North Carolina, but was not graduated; taught in the common schools of North Carolina, Georgia and Alabama from 1886 to 1894; since 1894 has been in the insurance business at Alexander City; was mayor of that city, 1903-1905; representative from Tallapoosa County in the house, 1911. He is a Democrat; Methodist; and Knight of Pythias. Author: "The Selfish prayer," and "Does yer call it stealin' now." Married: December 30, 1891, at Doles, Worth County, Ga., to Emma, daughter of David and Martha M. (Perry) Champion, of that place; granddaughter of Henry H. Perry, first of North Carolina, later of Twiggs County, Ga., soldier in the War of 1812, and of Micajah F. Champion, of Halifax, Va., a soldier in the War of 1812, and in the French and Indian War; great-granddaughter of Issac Perry, also a soldier in the War of 1812. Children: 1. Rewana Ethlyn; 2. James Aldrich; 3. Margaret Ruth, deceased; 4. Janice Partin; 5. Martha Louisa. Residence: Alexander City.

FURMAN, RICHARD, tutor of chemistry at the University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, 1837-38.

FURNISS, JOHN NEILSON, physician, was born November 2, 1879, at Selma, Dallas County; son of Dr. John Perkins and Elizabeth Mathews (Dawson) Furniss (q. v.); grandson of John P. and Ann (Neilson) Furniss, who lived at Columbus, Miss., and of Col. N. H. R. and Anne (Mathews) Dawson, who lived first at Cahaba, and later at Selma; great-grandson of Joel E. and Elizabeth Mathews. He attended the public schools at Selma, and D. M. Callaway's private school; entered the sophomore class at the University of Alabama, 1895; the University of the South, 1896; the University of Virginia, 1897; was graduated from the latter institution, M. D., 1900; and from the New York university and Bellevue hospital medical college, M. D., 1901. By competitive examination, he secured a position of interne on the house staff of the New York post graduate hospital, 1901-1903; located in Selma in August, 1903, and has practiced medicine, chiefly surgery, there since that time. Dr. Furniss was president of the Dallas medical society, 1909; is a member of the County; State and American medical associations; of the Southern medical association; and an alumnus of the New York post-graduate hospital association. In the fall of 1913, he was elected a fellow of the American college of surgeons. He is director of the Selma national bank, of the Selma trust & savings bank, and of the local Y. M. C. A. He is a Democrat and a vestryman in the Episcopal church. Married: November 6, 1906, at Selma, May, daughter of Charles Word and Caroline (McKee) Hooper, of Selma. Children: 1. Elizabeth Dawson; 2. John Perkins. Residence: Selma.

FURNISS, JOHN PERKINS, physician, was born September 26, 1841, near Columbus, Miss., and died December 3, 1909, at Selma; son of Dr. John Perkins and Ann Frazier (Neilson) Furniss, who lived at Columbus, Miss., the former a native of Somerset County, Md., born December 26, 1808, who was graduated in medicine from the University of Pennsylvania, went to Louisiana and later to Lowndes County, Miss., where he died in 1844 at the age of thirty-five years; grandson of Josiah Furniss, of Maryland, and of William Walker and Sarah Helena (Frazier) Neilson, who lived at "Belmont," Lowndes County, Miss., the former an Irishman, who came with his parents, Nathaniel and Jane (Crawford) Neilson, from Ireland to Baltimore, Md., a captain in the War of 1812, who received a grant of land in Lowndes County, Miss., after the war, the latter a native of Philadelphia, daughter of Nalbro and Anne (West) Frazier, who died at "Belmont," January 19, 1835. Dr. Furniss received his early education at Prof. Tutwiler's Green Springs school. He attended the State university of Mississippi, at Oxford, where he was graduated in June, 1860, in his nineteenth year. He enlisted in the C. S. Army as a private in Co. K, Fourteenth Mississippi regiment, which was later consolidated with the Forty-third regiment, and was transferred, nine months later, to the medical department as assistant surgeon. After the war was ended,

he attended the New Orleans school of medicine and was graduated, M. D., 1866, and attended Jefferson medical college, Philadelphia. He located in Selma and engaged in a general practice of medicine and surgery from 1866 until his death in 1909. He was a member of the Selma medical society, serving as secretary of the organization from 1869 until 1875, and as vice-president in 1876 and 1877; was a member of the State medical association of Alabama; for many years was a member of the State board of censors and medical examiners; and in 1886 became senior life counsellor of the Alabama State medical association. He was a Democrat and a Presbyterian. He contributed a number of articles to the different medical journals of the day, one of the most important of which was an essay on the "Anatomical and Physiological Peculiarities of the Negro," a large portion of which was published in the New Orleans "Medical and Surgical Journal," in 1874. Married: December 21, 1876, in Selma, Elizabeth Mathews, daughter of Col. Nathaniel Henry Rhodes and Anne E. (Mathews) Dawson (q. v.). Children: 1. Dr. Henry Dawson, m. Ruth Kellog Pine, of Frye, N. Y., reside in New York City; 2. Dr. John Neilson (q. v.). Last residence: Selma.

FUSCH, HENRY JOSEPH, teacher, was born May 10, 1856, at Louisville, Ky.; son of Nicholas and Josephine (D'Autel) Fusch, the former a native of Alsace, at that time a province of France, who came to America in 1854, settled in Louisville, Ky., where he was married the next year, and became a merchant in that city, the latter a native of Lorraine, who came to this country in 1853, and lived in Louisville. He was educated in the public schools of Louisville, Ky., at Jarvis college, and at Trinity college, Hartford, Conn., where he almost completed the course. In 1876, he began teaching, remaining for two years near Brandenburg, Ky., as principal of the high school; taught languages and mathematics at Clarksville, Tenn., in the Broadhurst institute and male academy, 1878; was principal of the Spring Hill school, Tennessee, for three years; taught at Grand Junction and at Bolivar, Hardeman County, Tenn., for five years; at Columbus, Tenn., for three years; returned to Bolivar to teach for two years; was principal of Elkmont high school for two years; and accepted the position as professor of languages and mathematics at the North Alabama agricultural college. He is secretary and treasurer of the North Alabama agricultural school; is a member of the Episcopal church; of the Blue Lodge in Masonry; of the Knights of Pythias; Odd Fellows; Woodmen of the World, and Elks. Married: December 19, 1899, Nina, of Athens, daughter of Benton and Eliza (Thach) Sanders (q. v.). Children: 1. Benton Sanders; 2. Josephine D'Autel. Residence: Athens.

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GABLE, JOHN FRANKLIN, Baptist minister, was born August 21, 1867, at Goshen, Elkhart County, Ind.; son of Charles Augustus and

Christena Emilia (Barthel) Gable, natives of Dormstatt and Mannheim, Germany, who emigrated to America about 1852, located in Indiana, later in Ohio, the former a member of the 30th Indiana infantry, U. S. troops, War of Secession. The name Gable was formally Goebel. Rev. Mr. Gable attended the schools of Toledo, Ohio; graduated, A. B., Howard college, 1894; and attended Southern Baptist theological seminary, Louisville, Ky., 1894-96. He entered the Baptist ministry as licentiate, 1891, and was ordained August, 1892. He has served in Chattanooga, Tenn., Abbeville, Columbia, Florala, Bessemer, Albertville, and Montgomery. He is at present stationed in Gainesville, Fla. He is a Democrat; Mason; Odd Fellow; and Knight of Pythias. Married: April 21, 1898, in Montgomery, to Hattie, daughter of Burton and Teresa Upchurch, of Carrollton, Pickens County. Children: 1. Minnie Amelia; 2. John Franklin, jr.; 3. Elizabeth; 4. Virginia. Residence: Gainesville, Fla.

GABOURY, JOSEPH A., civil engineer, was born April, 1852, near Montreal, Canada; son of Francis and Catherine (Lavigne) Gaboury, natives of Canada. His ancestors were among the early settlers of America, coming to this country in 1642 and locating in Canada. He was prepared in Montreal, was graduated from St. Hyacinthe college, and spent a year in Paris, France, to complete his study of mining and civil engineering. He returned to Canada for a short time, then was employed as civil engineer successively on the Cincinnati southern railway, the Big sandy railway, the Fort Worth & Denver City railroad, the Knoxville & Ohio railroad, the Western North Carolina railroad, the Tidesville & Lake Harney railroad, the Georgia division of the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia railroad, the Blue Mountain mineral railroad, the Arcadia, Gulf Coast & Lakeland railroad, the Columbus, Ga., street railroad, and the Capital City Street railroad in Montgomery. On all the roads except the Fort Worth & Denver City railroad, he worked as contractor as well as engineer. He built the street railways in Columbus, Ga., and in Montgomery, but afterward sold them. In 1885, he adopted electricity as a motive power, and is distinguished as having, as a civil engineer, constructed the first practical and successful electric street railway system in the United States, that of Montgomery. He is one of the largest real estate owners and dealers in the state and is sole owner of the Blue Mountain railroad. He went to Jacksonville in 1887, and in February, 1888, in connection with others, perfected the organization of the Jacksonville mining & manufacturing company. He is responsible for the discovery near Jacksonville, of immense beds of kaolin, which chemists and porcelain experts pronounce equal to any found in the world. He is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Married: (1) in 1876, Marion Dolan, of Columbus, Ga., who died in 1882; (2) in 1884, Alice O'Dwyer, of Montgomery, who died in 1891; (3) in 1892, Carrie Frank, of Jacksonville. Children, by first marriage:

1. John D.; by second marriage, 2. Francis; 3. Charles; 4. Arthur; 5. Philip. Residence: Jacksonville.

GADDIS, WILLIAM PEACE, lawyer, was born December 27, 1841, in Coosa County, and died March 24, 1899, at Wetumpka; son of John and Elizabeth (Lloyd) Gaddis, natives of Newnan, Ga. Leaving school in 1861, he enlisted in the early part of the year in the C. S. Army, joining Co. B, Twelfth Alabama infantry, was made a sergeant, and served until the fall of that year when he was discharged because of ill health. In the spring of 1862, he entered the Second Alabama cavalry as second lieutenant; was promoted a year later to first lieutenant; and in June, 1863, was retired on account of wounds received at Mud Creek, Miss. He taught school from 1865 until 1869, when he moved to Wetumpka and entered the law office of Col. Tom Williams to study law. He was admitted to the bar in 1870; was appointed register in chancery in 1871, and held that position for nine years. He was for several years president of the Wetumpka Bridge company; served several terms as mayor of Wetumpka; and at the time of his death was probate judge of Elmore County. He was a member of the Alabama historical society, a Knight of Pythias, and a Knight of Honor. Married: December 20, 1877, Ella, daughter of Col. John and Sarah (Hutcheson) Bass, the former at one time warden of the Alabama State prison. Children: 1. Bessie; 2. Zula; 3. William P.; 4. Eleanor; 5. John B.; 6. Charles B.; 7. Stella; 8. Lloyd. Last residence: Wetumpka.

GAGE, CHARLES PINCKNEY, business man, was born April 9, 1814, at New London, N. H., and died May 23, 1864, at Mobile; son of Asa and Abigail (Gage) Gage, natives of Pelham, N. H., who lived at Methuen, Mass., the former a farmer and shoemaker, who travelled with his tools from house to house as was customary in those days, and was a great reader, too poor to get an education; grandson of Asa and Olive (Hovey), of Bradford, Mass., and of David and Elizabeth (Atwood) Gage, who lived at Pelham, N. H.; great-grandson of Amos Gage, born in 1718, a captain in the Revolutionary War; great-great-grandson of Daniel Gage, born in 1676; great-great-great-grandson of Daniel Gage, born in 1639; great-great-great-great-grandson of John Gage, who came from England in 1630, and lived in Boston until 1633, at which time he moved to Ipswich, Mass., and became one of the founders of that town. Capt. Gage moved from New Hampshire to Alabama, and was for a long time a prominent business man of Mobile. Married: January, 1849, at Boston, Mass., Sarah Crocker. Children: 1. Alice, m. Dr. Francis Harris, both deceased; 2. Frank, m. Odyle Gandric Post, both deceased, children, Alice, m. Mr. Smith, Concord, Mass., Olive, m. Mr. Root, Concord, Mass., Charles, Portland, Oregon, Robert, Malden, Mass., Ripley, Boston, Mass., 3. Olive, deceased. Last residence: Mobile.

GAGE, JOHN B., major and later lieutenant colonel, 14th Confederate cavalry regiment, C. S. Army.

GAILLARD, JOHN, planter, was born November 16, 1814, at "Laurel Hill" plantation, St. Stephens' Parish, Charleston District, S. C., and died January 4, 1860, at Claiborne, Monroe County; son of Thomas and Marianne (Palmer) Gaillard (q. v.). He was educated in the Pineville, S. C., school, the Pendleton academy, of Winnsboro; at Mount Zion college; and in 1831 entered South Carolina college, but was withdrawn the next year by the removal of his family to Alabama. He engaged in extensive planting in Monroe County, and served in the Seminole War, about 1835. He was a Democrat; and a Presbyterian. Married: December 9, 1834, in Claiborne, to Caroline Rachel, daughter of Samuel Scott and Catherine (McConnell) Gordon, of Williamsburg District, S. C., who removed to Claiborne, Monroe County; granddaughter of Capt. William and Margaret (Gregg) Gordon, the former a Revolutionary officer, under Marion, and great-granddaughter of John and Eleanor Gregg, and of James and Elizabeth (Hamilton) Blakely. Children: 1. Catherine Marianne, m. Alphonse Hurtel; 2. Henrietta Porcher, m. Thomas Alexander Hamilton; 3. Martha Rebecca, d. unm.; 4. Thomas, m. Amelia Howard; 5. Sarah Blakely, 2nd wife of Alphonse Hurtel; 6. William McConnell, m. Amelia Hogan Hamilton; 7. Elizabeth Richebourg, m. Wallace John Parham; 8. John; 9. Lydia Hamilton, d. unm. Last residence: Claiborne.

GAILLARD, RICHEBOURG, lawyer, was born July 14, 1821, at "Laurel Hill" plantation, St. Stephen's Parish, S. C.; son of Thomas and Marianne (Palmer) Gaillard (q. v.), the former the great-great-grandson of Isaac Mazyck, the first merchant of Charleston, S. C., and the largest landowner of his day. In 1832 he removed with his father's family to Claiborne County and received his early education in the schools of his community. He spent eighteen months at the University of Alabama and in 1842 entered Yale university where he graduated from the law department, 1844. He studied civil law in New Orleans, and in 1849 went to California with the gold seekers. While there was assistant editor of the "Pacific News," and in 1851 assistant clerk of the lower house of the California legislature. He returned to Alabama in 1852 and located at Camden, where he edited the "Camden Republic" for three years. He was elected solicitor for the eleventh judicial circuit in 1855 and served until 1861, when he enlisted in the First Alabama infantry regiment, being elected first lieutenant of his company in 1862, taken prisoner at Island No. 10; was exchanged and re-entered the C. S. Army. He was captured in 1863 and held until the close of the war. He again entered upon the practice of the law in Camden; and was nominated as delegate to the constitutional convention of 1875 from Wilcox County, but was defeated by the Radicals. He was a frequent contributor to the press on subjects of the day. He was a Democrat; Mason; Pres-



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byterian. Married: in Camden (1) to M. A. Caldwell; (2) to A. F. Caldwell; both daughters of Dr. John D. Caldwell of Camden. There were five children by the first wife. Last residence: Camden.

GAILLARD, SAMUEL PALMER, lawyer and public service commissioner, was born March 26, 1856, at Perdue Hill, Monroe County; son of Dr. Samuel S. and Lucy Susan (Frye) Gaillard, the former captain of Co. A, 42nd Alabama infantry regiment, C. S. Army; grandson of Dr. Thomas and Marianne (Palmer) Gaillard, the former graduated with honors from the South Carolina college, was the author of many literary and historical works, removed in 1832 to Claiborne, and later to Mobile, and of George W. and Lucy (Wilkinson) Frye. On the maternal side Mr. Gaillard is descended from Judge Simon Frye, of the well known family of that name in Maine. He is the fifth in descent from Pierre Gaillard, a Huguenot, who emigrated to South Carolina late in the 17th century, and settled on the Santee river. He was educated at Monroe academy near Claiborne; studied law under Peter and Thomas A. Hamilton, was admitted to the bar July 5, 1881, and has since practiced his profession in Mobile. He was elected a member of the public service commission in 1918. He served for a number of years as president of the Young men's christian association of Mobile. He is a Democrat; a Presbyterian; and a Mason. Married: in Mobile, to Louise Madison, daughter of Louis M. and Mary Frances (Harris) Wilson; and granddaughter of Lorenzo M. Wilson, long prominent in the railroad and business circles of Mobile. The second wife of Mr. Lorenzo M. Wilson was the noted author Augusta Evans (q. v.). Children: 1. Flora Madison; 2. Samuel Palmer; 3. Lorenzo Madison Wilson; 4. Walter Frye; 5. Mary Augusta. Residence: Mobile.

GAILLARD, THOMAS, planter and author, was born April 25, 1790, at St. Stephen's Parish, S. C., and died February 2, 1864, in Mobile; son of Capt. Peter and Elizabeth (Porcher) Gaillard, the former a Revolutionary officer, under Marion, Laurens and Gen. Moultrie; grandson of Peter and Elizabeth (Le Clair) Gaillard, French Huguenots who left France in 1689 and helped form the French Colony on the Santee River, S. C.; and of Peter and Marianna (Gendron) Porcher, of that colony. It was among these colonists after the close of the Revolution, that the cultivation of indigo, as the staple crop, was abandoned, and cotton substituted. He was a juvenile pupil in the log-house school of his community; spent the years 1803-06 at Baskenridge high school, New Jersey; and entered South Carolina college, graduating as valedictorian and with the degree of A. B., 1809. He studied law for two years, 1809-11, under Abraham Nott, but soon abandoned the practice for farming, which he continued to pursue both in South Carolina and Alabama. His crop of cotton, 1815 and 1816, netted \$5,500 and \$7,000, respectively. In 1816, he actively engaged in politics, representing the Parish

of St. John Berkley, Charleston District, in the legislature until 1819; and was again elected 1826-27. He opposed firmly the doctrine of Nullification, his writing on the subject being published in the "Charleston Courier," and copied in the "National Intelligencer," Washington, D. C. In 1831, he bought lands in Claiborne, Monroe County, and in 1832, removed his family to Alabama, where he planted extensively until 1851, when he removed to Mobile, where he continued to reside until his death in 1864. Author: "The Church of Christ," "The History of the Reformation," 1845; and "The History of the Huguenots of France" in manuscript form. Earlier he had written a book unpublished, "Science and Practice of Surveying." In 1848-49 he published in the "Philadelphia Presbyterian," over the signature of "A Huguenot," a series of historical sketches of the Huguenot refugees in England and America. He was a Democrat, but an anti-nullificationist; a Mason; and a Presbyterian. Married: May, 1812, in St. Stephens Parish, S. C., to Marianne, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Richebourg) Palmer, the former a Revolutionary soldier, under Marion, and the latter a direct descendant of Capt. John Gendron, the leader, and Claude Phillippe Richebourg, the pastor, of the Huguenot colony, which settled on the Santee River in 1689. Children: 1. John, m. Caroline Rachel Gordon (q. v.); 2. Dr. Samuel Septimus; 3. Dr. Edmund, d. 1894; 4. Richebourg (q. v.); 5. Elizabeth Octavia, m. W. B. H. Howard; 6. Franklin, lt. col. 2nd Regiment South Carolina infantry, C. S. Army, killed in battle of the Wilderness, May, 1864; 7. Lydia, m. William S. Alderson; 8. Marianne Gendron, m. (1) Edward F. Willison, (2) Maj. J. W. Spratley; 9. Peter James, d. 1869. Last residence: Mobile.

GAINES, EDMUND PENDLETON, physician, was born October 31, 1824, at St. Stephens, Washington County, and died December 7, 1884, at Mobile; son of William D. and Helen (Toulmin) Gaines, who lived in Washington County; grandson of Harry and Martha (Johnson) Toulmin, who lived in Washington and Mobile Counties. His early education was obtained in Pinney's college, a private school in Mobile, of which Norman Pinney was principal. He studied medicine in the office of Dr. Fearn, then went to Philadelphia where he continued his studies in the medical college of the University of Pennsylvania. He was graduated M. D., 1845, and practiced his profession in Choctaw County for two or three years, then opened an office with Dr. Goronway Owen in Toulminville, where he remained for four years. He moved to Mobile in 1852, and practiced medicine there uninterruptedly, save for the period during the War of Secession, until his death. In 1861, Dr. Gaines took charge of the Alabama hospital at Richmond, Va., an institution presided over by Mrs. A. F. Hopkins. His health failed him before the close of the war, and he was forced to return to Mobile, where later he resumed his partnership with Dr. Owen. For more