

## *Descendants of John Donnell*

### *Generation No. 1*

**1. John<sup>2</sup> Donnell** (John<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 30 Jan 1789 in Guilford County, North Carolina<sup>2,3</sup>, and died 20 Aug 1882 in Spring Creek, Madison County, Tennessee<sup>4</sup>. He married **Jane S. McGaha** Abt. 1811 in prob. Guilford County, North Carolina. She was born Abt. 1790 in North Carolina<sup>5</sup>, and died 05 Sep 1869 in Spring Creek, Madison County, Tennessee<sup>6</sup>.

Notes for John Donnell:

Will of John Donnell, Sr.

Proven Oct Term 1882

Madison Co., Probate, Roll 528, 1862-1894, p. 315-316

In the name of God Amen, I John Donnell Sr. of the County of Madison State of Tennessee being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of the frail life do therefore make ordain publish and declare this to be my last will and testament that is to say that after all my lawful debts are paid and discharge the residue of my estate real and personal I give bequeath and dispose of as follows, to wit to my grand son William Justice I give five hundred dollars. To my children I give my graveyard for a Burying place and two acres of land around it. To my Son John Donnell I give twenty acres of land and appurtainances being and bound as follows, beginning at the South East Corner of my five hundred acre tract of land on which I now live running thence north 160 poles thence west 20 poles to the beginning. To my Son Washington I give and bequeath all my five hundred acre tract and appurtainances on which I now live on except what I have disposed of above. To my sons and daughters now living I give my beds bed covers and books, share and share alike. All the rest residue and remainder of my real and personal estate is to be sold the proceeds of the sale thereof and the money I have in notes or on hand and money that is deposited for safe keeping I give to my 5 five sons and two daughters, that is alive at this time share and share alike (the money that I have disposed of above and money that will be necessary to pay all expenses and fees in settling my estate is excepted)

Likewise I make constitute and appoint my two Sons John Donnell and Washington Donnell executors of this my last will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills made by me. In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this 12 day of April 1870.

Witness

R. M. Mason     John Donnell, Sr. {seal}

L. Day

I hereby expressly confirm my former will dated April 12-1870. This codicil added to my last will is to explain as I omitted to say anything about the gifts or advancements to my children in my lifetime. Viz. to my son Samuel L. Donnell I gave (\$820.00) eight hundred & twenty dollars. To Reuben, Adam, & John I gave land, To my daughters Elizabeth-Jane and Levina I gave Negroes, Thos gifts or advancements are not charged, and is not to be charged nor interest hereon, nor to account for them in any way whatever, Therefore they are not to affect my last will in anyway whatever, this April 16th 1873.

John Donnell, Sr. {seal}

Signed sealed and acknowledged

In our presence and we attest the

Same at the request of the testator

In his presence and in the presence

Of each other the day this codicil

Bears date.

Joseph D. Askew

L. Day

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## DONNELL CEMETERY

Donnell Cemetery located approx 1¼ mi. NE of Spring Creek on farm now owned by Harold Donnell, approx. 1/4 mi. E of Hwy 70 in Carroll County, Tenn. Copied by Wm. B. Elan, Medina, Tenn.

John Donnell, Sr., Jan 30, 1789-Aug 20, 1882

Adam M. Donnell, Mar 9, 1817-Feb 24, 1898

Levigy A., wife of A. M. Donnell, Feb 23, 1821-Jan 3, 1852

James W., son of A. M. & L. A. Donnell. Mar 21, 1846-Jan 3, 1851

Janes S. Donnell, wife of John Donnell, D. Sept 5, 1869, Age 79y

Sarah Ann, wife of Samuel Donnell, Born in Madison Co, Ala., D. Dec 6, 1872, Age 50y 10m 17d

Laura O., dau of G. L. & M. E. \_\_\_\_\_, Apr 7, 1870-May 6, 1872; Broken & cemeted & family name covered with cement

John Donnell, Jr., Feb 2, 1824-Mar 27, 1895

George Washington Donnell, Nov 25, 1826-Nov 21, 1901, Age 74y 11m 26d

Josephine Ellis, wife of G. W. Donnell, June 10, 1838-Aug 17, 1889, Age 51y 2m 7d

More About John Donnell:

Burial: Donnell Cemetery, near Spring Creek, Carroll Co., TN<sup>7</sup>

More About Jane S. McGaha:

Burial: Donnell Cemetery, near Spring Creek, Carroll Co., TN

Children of John Donnell and Jane McGaha are:

- 2 i. Samuel Levi<sup>3</sup> Donnell, born 02 Jan 1812 in Guilford County, North Carolina; died 23 Dec 1887 in Grayson County, Texas. He married Sarah Ann Smith 23 Jul 1838; born in Tishomingo, Mississippi.
- 3 ii. Elizabeth Jane Donnell, born Abt. 1813 in Guilford County, North Carolina.
- + 4 iii. Reuben Donnell, born Abt. 1816 in Guilford County, North Carolina; died 1889 in Grayson County, Texas.
- 5 iv. Adam M. Donnell, born 09 Mar 1817 in Guilford County, North Carolina.
- 6 v. John Donnell, born 1824 in Guilford County, North Carolina<sup>8</sup>.

Notes for John Donnell:

John Donnell, a worthy citizen of the Twelfth District; was born in North Carolina in 1824, and is the son of John and Jane S. (McGaha) Donnell. The parents are natives of North Carolina, and came to Tennessee in 1835, and located in this county. The father was a life-long farmer, and accumulated considerable property. He and wife were members of the Presbyterian Church. He was born in 1789 and died in 1882. His wife was born in 1790, and died about 1809. Our subject was reared on a farm, and has followed it all his life, being very prosperous. In 1846 he married Miss Adahine Barham, of Carroll County. She was born in Madison County, Tenn., in 1826, and is the mother of three children - one daughter and two sons. One son died in infancy. His wife died in 1853. He has a good farm of 280 acres, that is well improved. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and also of the Masonic order. In politics he is a Democrat.

Source: GOODSPEED'S HISTORY OF TENNESSEE Madison County, Tennessee, BIOGRAPHICAL APPENDIX, 1887

- 7 vi. George Washington Donnell, born 1826 in Guilford County, North Carolina.

Notes for George Washington Donnell:

George W. Donnell was born in North Carolina, in 1826, and is the son of John and Jane S. (McGaha) Donnell, both parents being natives of the above named State. They came to Tennessee in 1835, locating in this county, and were farmers by occupation, acquiring a considerable competency. Both were members of the Presbyterian Church. The father was born in 1789 and died in 1882. The mother was born in 1790, and died in 1809. They were excellent people.

Our subject has spent his life thus far on a farm. In 1859 he married Josephine Ellis, daughter of John W. and M. (Norval) Ellis, who was born in Marshall County, Miss., in 1838, and is the mother of four sons and four daughters. Both parents were members of the old school Presbyterian Church. Mr. Donnell is a member of the Masonic order, and is a Democrat. A portion of his present well improved farm he inherited from his father. Mr. Donnell is one of the substantial citizens of the county.

8       vii. Levina Donnell, born Abt. 1838 in Madison County, Tennessee.

*Generation No. 2*

**4. Reuben<sup>3</sup> Donnell** (John<sup>2</sup>, John<sup>1</sup>)<sup>9</sup> was born Abt. 1816 in Guilford County, North Carolina<sup>10,11</sup>, and died 1889 in Grayson County, Texas<sup>12</sup>. He married **Mariah Ann Hill**<sup>13,14</sup> Abt. 1839 in McNairy County, Tennessee, daughter of Daniel Hill and Elizabeth?. She was born 15 Sep 1822 in Tennessee<sup>15,16</sup>, and died 31 Dec 1874 in Tippah County, Mississippi<sup>17,18</sup>.

Notes for Reuben Donnell:

Reuben Donnell . . . was born in North Carolina, and was taken to McNairy County [TN] by his parents when a youth. The Hills also emigrated from Madison county and accompanied the Donnells into McNairy, Daniel Hill being at their head. Reuben Donnell married Maria Ann Hill, a daughter of Daniel Hill, and in 1865 he settled in Tippah county, Mississippi, whither Daniel Hill also went and where he died in 1877. There Mr. Donnell brought his family to mature years on a farm and provided them with such educational advantages as the rural schools afforded. In 1878 he came to Texas and settled in Grayson county, where his death occurred in 1889, being then seventy-three years of age. His wife died in Tippah county, Mississippi, in 1874. They were the parents of several children, as follows: Rufus, who was killed in the Confederate service during the Civil War; Washington, of St. Jo, Texas; Jane, who died in childhood; Lizzie, wife of Thomas Glen, of Hardy, Texas; Annie, who passed away young; John, who died in Grayson county; Jacob, our subject; Calvin, of Clay county; Harris, of Hardy, Texas; Samuel, of Cleveland county, Oklahoma, and Albert, of Oklahoma; Lee, of Colgate, Oklahoma, and Eddie, wife of Richard Worley, of the state of Washington.

Source: History of North and West Texas, p. 296, author and publisher unknown.

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Reuben Donnell appears in the following census records:

1840 Census West TN, McNairy Co., M704-529, p. 60  
1850 Census TN, McNairy Co., M432-888, p. 9-10  
1860 Census TN, McNairy Co., M653-1262, p. 430  
1870 Census MS, Tippah Co., M593-750, p. 146  
1880 Census TX, Grayson Co., T9-1307, p. 321

1850 McNairy County TN. census:

Donnell, Reuben age 33 born N.C. a farmer property value \$1,000.00  
wife, Maria age 26 born TN  
son, Rufus age 9 born TN  
son, Washington age 8 born TN  
daut., Elizabeth age 3 born TN  
daut., Anna age 1 born TN

1860 McNairy County, TN census

Donnell, Reuben age 42 born N.C. a farmer property value \$3,500.00  
wife, Maria age 37 born TN  
son, Daniel W. age 17 born TN  
daut., Elizabeth age 13 born TN  
son, John age 8 born TN  
son, Jacob age 6 born TN  
son, Peter C. age 4 born TN  
son, Albert age 3 born TN  
son, Harris age 7/12 b. TN

1870 Tippah County, Mississippi census

Donnell, Reuben age 55 born N.C. a farmer property value \$3,500  
wife, M.A. age 47 born TN

daut., E. age 20 born TN  
son, John age 18 born TN  
son, Jacob age 16 born TN  
son, Calvin age 14 born TN  
son, Albert age 12 born TN  
son, Harris age 10 born TN  
son, Sam age 8 born TN  
son, Lee age 6 born TN  
daut., Ebney age 3 born MS

1880 Grayson County, Texas census  
Donnell, Reuben age 65 born N.C.  
son, Albert F. age 23 born TN  
son, William H. age 19 born TN  
son, Samuel age 17 born TN  
son, Robert E.L. age 15 born TN  
daut., Mary E. age 12 born MS  
daughter in law Elizabeth age 23 born in TX  
mother in law Elizabeth Hill age 75 born TN

More About Reuben Donnell:

Burial: Dixie Cemetery, four miles north of Whitesboro, Texas<sup>19</sup>

Notes for Mariah Ann Hill:

Tippah County, Mississippi Cemeteries, USGenweb, Tippah Co., MS

Donnell, Mariah A., 9/15/1822, 12/31/1874, Antioch, Wife of Ruben

More About Mariah Ann Hill:

Burial: Antioch Cemetery, Tippah County, Mississippi<sup>20</sup>

Children of Reuben Donnell and Mariah Hill are:

- 9 i. Rufus J.<sup>4</sup> Donnell<sup>21</sup>, born Abt. 1840 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>21</sup>; died Bet. 1861 - 1865 in Civil War. He married Roxanna ? 1860 in Prob. McNairy Co., Tennessee<sup>22</sup>; born Abt. 1844 in Tennessee<sup>22</sup>.

Notes for Rufus J. Donnell:

Rufus J. Donnell Civil War - Company E Unit: 21 (Wilson's) Tennessee Cavalry Rank - Induction: Corporal Rank - Discharge: Corporal Allegiance: Confederate

- + 10 ii. Daniel Washington Donnell, born 09 Jan 1843 in McNairy County, Tennessee; died 31 Mar 1928 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas.  
11 iii. Jane Donnell, born Abt. 1844 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>23</sup>; died Bef. 1850 in Prob. McNairy County, Tennessee.  
12 iv. Elizabeth J. Donnell<sup>24,25</sup>, born Abt. 1848 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>26,27</sup>. She married Thomas Glenn.  
13 v. Anna Donnell<sup>27</sup>, born Abt. 1849 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>27</sup>; died Bef. 1860 in Prob. McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>28</sup>.

Notes for Anna Donnell:

Died young.

- 14 vi. John Donnell<sup>28</sup>, born Abt. 1852 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>28</sup>.  
+ 15 vii. Jacob Donnell, born 05 Feb 1853 in McNairy County, Tennessee; died 26 Nov 1932 in Collingsworth County, Texas.  
+ 16 viii. Peter Calvin Donnell, born 05 Feb 1855 in McNairy County, Tennessee; died 18 Nov 1933 in Clay County, Texas.  
+ 17 ix. Albert Franklin Donnell, born 25 Apr 1857 in McNairy County, Tennessee; died 26 Nov 1931 in Harrah, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma.  
18 x. William Harris Donnell<sup>28</sup>, born Jul 1860 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>28,29</sup>. He married Mrs. M. (Tilda) E. Truss<sup>29</sup> 23 Oct 1896 in Montague County, Texas<sup>30</sup>.

Notes for William Harris Donnell:  
of Hardy, Texas

- + 19 xi. Samuel Donnell, born 11 Aug 1862 in McNairy County, Tennessee; died 27 Oct 1939 in Wheatland County, Oklahoma.
- 20 xii. Robert E. Lee Donnell, born Abt. 1864 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>31,32</sup>. He married Laura E. Ellis<sup>33</sup>.

Notes for Robert E. Lee Donnell:  
of Colgate, Coal County, Oklahoma.

- 21 xiii. Mary Edna Donnell<sup>33</sup>, born Abt. 1868 in Tippah County, Mississippi<sup>33,34</sup>. She married Richard Worley<sup>35</sup>.

Notes for Richard Worley:  
of the state of Washington

### *Generation No. 3*

**10. Daniel Washington<sup>4</sup> Donnell** (Reuben<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, John<sup>1</sup>)<sup>36,37</sup> was born 09 Jan 1843 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>38,39,40,41,42,43,44,45,45</sup>, and died 31 Mar 1928 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>46,47,48</sup>. He married **Jane Catherine Grissom** 09 Jan 1868 in Tippah County, Mississippi<sup>49,50</sup>, daughter of Edwin Grissom and Margaret Kinney. She was born 06 Jun 1850 in Tippah County, Mississippi<sup>51,52,53,54,55,56</sup>, and died 05 Jul 1920 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>57,58</sup>.

Notes for Daniel Washington Donnell:

1870 TIPPAAH CO., MISSISSIPPI CENSUS; RANGE 3 TWP. 4; RIPLEY P. O.;  
ENUMERATED 23RD AUGUST (living two dwellings from his father) DWELLING #146: D. W. Donnell, age 25, Farmer, \$500 (personal property); born in Tennessee;  
Catherine Donnell, age 21, born in Mississippi;  
Rufus Donnell, age 1, born in Mississippi

1880 COOKE CO., TEXAS CENSUS (from Soundex);E. D. 115  
Washington Donell, age 36, born in Tennessee;  
Catherine Donnell, age 30, born in Mississippi;  
Rufus J. Donnell, age 11, born in Mississippi;  
John Donnell, age 9, born in Mississippi;  
Isaac Donnell, age 8, born in Mississippi; annie Donnell, age 2, born in Texas

Compiler's Note: From the above census record it is apparent, based on the ages and birth states of the two youngest children that Daniel Washington and family moved from Tippah Co., Mississippi to Texas between 1872 and 1878.

1900 MONTAGUE CO., TEXAS CENSUS; E.D. 48 PCT. 2 (from Soundex)  
Daniel W. Donnell, age 57, cattle dealer, born January 1843 in Tennessee;  
Jane C. Donnell, age 49, born June 1850 in Mississippi;  
John Donnell, son, age 28, born Feb 1872 in Mississippi;  
Fannie Donnell, daughter, age 22, born April 1878 in Texas;  
Homer Donnell, son, age 18, born June 1881 in Texas;  
Ola M. Donnell, daughter, age 14, born December 1885 in Texas

1910 MONTAGUE CO., TEXAS CENSUS; E.D. 166 (from Soundex)  
Daniel W. Donnell, age 67, born in Tennessee;  
Jane C. Donnell, age 58, born in Mississippi

1920 MONTAGUE CO., TEXAS CENSUS; E. D. 92 (from Soundex)  
Daniel W. Donnell, age 76, born in Tennessee; Jane C. Donnell, wife, age 69, born in Mississippi

More About Daniel Washington Donnell:

Burial: 01 Apr 1928, Mountain Park Cemetery, Saint Jo, Texas<sup>59,60</sup>

Cause of Death: senility

Military service: Bet. 01 Aug 1862 - 1864, Enlisted in Confederate Army, Company A, 7th Mississippi Cavalry, at Tippah Co., MS<sup>61</sup>

More About Jane Catherine Grissom:

Burial: Jul 1920, Mountain Park Cemetery, Saint Jo, Texas<sup>62,63</sup>

Cause of Death: cirrhosis of liver

Children of Daniel Donnell and Jane Grissom are:

- 22 i. Rufus Jefferson<sup>5</sup> Donnell<sup>64,65</sup>, born 19 Oct 1868 in Tippah County, Mississippi<sup>66,67</sup>; died 16 Jul 1945 in Montague County, Texas<sup>68</sup>. He married (1) Mary Elizabeth "Mollie" Pate; born 19 Feb 1874 in Texas<sup>69</sup>; died 23 Mar 1912 in Montague County, Texas<sup>69</sup>. He married (2) Mattie Perkins<sup>70</sup> Abt. 1917<sup>71</sup>; born 1886<sup>72</sup>; died 1953<sup>72</sup>.

More About Rufus Jefferson Donnell:

Burial: Mountain Park Cemetery, Saint Jo, Texas<sup>73</sup>

More About Mary Elizabeth "Mollie" Pate:

Burial: 1912, Antioch-Gladys Cemetery, Montague Co., TX<sup>74</sup>

- 23 ii. John Donnell<sup>75,76,77</sup>, born 06 Feb 1871 in Tippah County, Mississippi<sup>78,79,80,81</sup>; died 1959<sup>81</sup>. He married Iva A. May<sup>81,82</sup>; born Abt. 1875 in Pike County, Illinois<sup>83</sup>.

Notes for John Donnell:

John's profession is listed as cattle dealer in the 1900 Montague Co., TX census.

E.D. 92

John Donnell, age 48, born in Mississippi

Iva M. Donnell, age 45, born in Illinois

John W. Donnell, son, age 17, born in Texas

Guy R. Donnell, son, age 15, born in Texas

Mary A. Donnell, daughter, age 9, born in Texas

- 24 iii. Isaac C. Donnell<sup>84,85,86</sup>, born 19 Mar 1873 in Tippah County, Mississippi<sup>87,88,89</sup>; died 11 Mar 1946 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>89</sup>. He married Lela Cobb<sup>89</sup> 20 Oct 1894 in Montague County, Texas<sup>90</sup>; born 20 Apr 1873 in Oklahoma<sup>91,92</sup>; died 19 Apr 1929 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>93</sup>.

Notes for Isaac C. Donnell:

1900 Montague Co., TX Census (from Soundex); E.D. 49

Isaac Donnell, age 27, born March 1873

Lelia Donnell, wife, age 27, born April 1873 in Indian Territory

1910 Montague Co., TX Census (from Soundex); E.D. 166

Isaac Donnell, age 37, born in Mississippi, living in St. Jo

Lela M. Donnell, wife, age 36, born in Oklahoma

Ralph W. Donnell, son, age 6, born in Texas

1920 Montague Co., TX Census (from Soundex); E.D. 92

Isaac C. Donnell, age 46 born in Mississippi

Lela M. Donnell, wife, age 46, born in Texas

Ralph W. Donnell, age 16, born in Texas

More About Isaac C. Donnell:

Burial: Mountain Park Cemetery, Saint Jo, Texas<sup>94</sup>

More About Lela Cobb:

Died 2: 19 Apr 1929<sup>95</sup>

Burial: Mountain Park Cemetery, Saint Jo, Texas<sup>96</sup>

- 25 iv. Frances Donnell<sup>97,98,99</sup>, born 08 Apr 1878 in Montague County, Texas<sup>100,101,102,103</sup>; died 15 Oct 1963 in Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas<sup>104</sup>. She married Thomas Newton Field<sup>105,106</sup>; born 20 Apr 1863<sup>107</sup>; died 22 Apr 1960 in Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas<sup>108</sup>.

More About Frances Donnell:  
Burial: Mountain Park Cemetery, Saint Jo, Texas<sup>109</sup>

Notes for Thomas Newton Field:  
Thomas lived in Collingsworth County, Texas and was in the ranching and banking business. He retired to Saint Jo, Texas.

His nephew, John Wiley, remembers this about him:

"Tom Field was 14 when he and his two or three brothers went to Colorado to look for gold. They found it! And none of the brothers ever worked again! Tom married our favorite aunt, Fannie, our mother's sister. Tom and his brother H.D. lived across the street from each other in St. Jo; they had the two biggest houses in town."

More About Thomas Newton Field:  
Burial: Mountain Park Cemetery, Saint Jo, Texas<sup>110</sup>

- 26 v. Homer Donnell<sup>111,112</sup>, born 06 Jun 1881 in Montague County, Texas<sup>113,114,115,116</sup>; died 18 Mar 1959 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>117,118</sup>. He married Myrtle Melvina Harvey<sup>119</sup> 10 Oct 1909 in Montague County, Texas<sup>120</sup>; born 18 Dec 1888 in Texas<sup>121,122</sup>; died 19 Nov 1968 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>123,124</sup>.

Notes for Homer Donnell:  
1920 Montauge Co., TX Census (from Soundex); E.D. 92  
Homer Donnell, age 38, born in Texas  
Myrtle M. Donnell, wife, age 32, born in Texas  
Joe Donnell, son, age 9, born in Texas  
Paul Donnell, son, age 9, born in Texas  
Mabel M. Donnell, daughter, age 3 yrs and 3 mos., born in Texas  
Edith Lorraine, daughter, age 8 months, born in Texas

More About Homer Donnell:  
Burial: Mountain Park Cemetery, Saint Jo, Texas<sup>125</sup>

More About Myrtle Melvina Harvey:  
Burial: Mountain Park Cemetery, Saint Jo, Texas<sup>126</sup>

- 27 vi. Ola Mae Donnell<sup>127,128</sup>, born 05 Dec 1885 in Montague County, Texas<sup>129,130,131</sup>; died 10 May 1958 in Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas<sup>132,133,134,135</sup>. She married Doddridge Walter Wiley<sup>136,137</sup> 18 Aug 1904 in Cooke County, Texas<sup>138</sup>; born 13 Jan 1877 in Montague County, Texas<sup>139,140</sup>; died 27 Feb 1941 in St. Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>141,142,143,144,145</sup>.

More About Ola Mae Donnell:  
Burial: Riverside Cemetery, Wichita Falls, Texas<sup>146</sup>

Notes for Doddridge Walter Wiley:  
D. W. was a cotton broker in Wichita Falls, Texas. He was a charter member of the Texas Cotton Association. He also held membership in the Elks and Knights of Pythias Lodge in Wichita Falls and was a member of the Saint Jo Methodist Church.

More About Doddridge Walter Wiley:  
Burial: Riverside Cemetery, Wichita Falls, Texas<sup>147</sup>

**15. Jacob<sup>4</sup> Donnell** (Reuben<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, John<sup>1</sup>)<sup>148</sup> was born 05 Feb 1853 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>148,149,150</sup>, and died 26 Nov 1932 in Collingsworth County, Texas. He married **Margaret V. Poff** 15 Jan 1880 in Grayson County, Texas<sup>151</sup>, daughter of Michael Poff. She was born 26 Oct 1863 in Texas, and died 16 Mar 1953 in Collingsworth County, Texas.

Notes for Jacob Donnell:  
The following sketch was abstracted from HISTORY OF NORTH AND WEST TEXAS edited by Capt. B. B. Paddock, The Lewis Publishing Co. Chicago- New York 1906:

"Jacob Donnell was born in McNairy County, Tennessee on 5 February 1853, his father having emigrated there from Madison County, Tennessee. In 1865 he removed with his father's family to Tippah County, Mississippi where the family remained until 1878 when his father came to Texas settling in Grayson County. There his father, Reuben Donnell, died in 1889 at the age of seventy-three. Jacob discharged his obligation to his father by remaining with him until past his majority and acquired only a meager education with which to enter the world of affairs. When he reached his destination in Texas the limit of his funds was also near at hand, and had he been disposed otherwise, it was necessary for him to find work. He did his first independent farming in Texas on James Higgs' place in Brazos county, where he remained until 1879, when he settled in Grayson, and there he received the impetus which started him well on toward his final success.

He married Margaret V. Poff, daughter of Michael Poff, on 15 January 1880 in Grayson County, Texas and the efforts of two on the farm told more effectively than the efforts of one. Little by little they gathered substance about them and when it was discovered that they were in a position to "pay out" on a farm in Clay County Mr. Donnell came hither and located. He bought a fractional quarter three miles southeast of Vashti, Clay Co., Texas from James Rigger, and farmed this land intelligently and successfully. From the products of the land he met his obligations on his farm, added materially to its improvements and bought a second farm. Through the means of raising corn, cotton and stock, Mr. Donnell won a measure of independence and as citizen suffered no embarrassment in comparison with his position as a business man."

"The Donnells maintained themselves upright as citizens and were nothing if not representative as tillers of the soil. Jacob Donnell interested himself in nothing outside of the direct business of his life and his eventual success is accountable for on this hypothesis alone. He discharged his political obligations, as he saw it, when he voted and on national or state questions the Democratic ticket received his support."

Compiler's Note: Jacob Donnell died 26 November 1932 in Collingsworth County, Texas where, along with his wife and son Charles and his wife, he had settled by 1910. From History of Biographical Record of North and West Texas by B B Paddock. VOL II pg 296.

Children of Jacob Donnell and Margaret Poff are:

- 28        i. Charles T.<sup>5</sup> Donnell, born Feb 1886 in Texas.
- 29        ii. Lillie Donnell, born in Texas.
- 30        iii. Frank Donnell, born in Texas; died in in childhood.

**16. Peter Calvin<sup>4</sup> Donnell** (Reuben<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, John<sup>1</sup>)<sup>152,153</sup> was born 05 Feb 1855 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>154</sup>, and died 18 Nov 1933 in Clay County, Texas<sup>155</sup>. He married **Matilda Hartzog** Abt. 1890 in Texas. She was born 18 Jul 1858 in Texas<sup>155</sup>, and died 10 Mar 1937 in Clay County, Texas<sup>156,157</sup>.

Notes for Peter Calvin Donnell:  
to Tippah County, MS in bef 1870  
to Grayson County, TX in 1877  
to Montague County, TX in bef 1900  
to Clay County, TX in bef 1911

1900 MONTAGUE COUNTY, TEXAS CENSUS (from Soundex); E. D. 52, Pct. 2  
Calvin Donnell, age 45, born February 1855 in Tennessee;  
Matilda Donnell, wife, age 41, born July 1858 in Texas;  
Docia Donnell, daughter, age 7, born August 1892 in Texas;  
Mirtie Donnell, daughter, age 6, born October 1894 in Texas

1910 CLAY COUNTY, TEXAS CENSUS (from Soundex); E. D. 37

Calvin P. Donnell, age 55, born in Tennessee;  
Matilda Donnell, wife, age 51, born in Texas;  
Docia Donnell, daughter, age 17, born in Texas;  
Myrtie Donnell, daughter, age 15, born in Texas

1920 CLAY COUNTY, TEXAS CENSUS (from Soundex); E. D. 23

P. C. Donnell, age 64, born in Tennessee;  
Matilda Donnell, wife, age 61, born in Texas;  
Docia Donnell, daughter, age 27, born in Texas

Source: Bage Neimeyer at bage@wf.net or at Rt 2 Box 132, Bowie TX 7623

More About Peter Calvin Donnell:

Burial: Vashti Cemetery, Clay Co., Texas<sup>157</sup>

Notes for Matilda Hartzog:

Maiden name from Louise Bragg's papers via Tom McBride.

More About Matilda Hartzog:

Burial: Vashti Cemetery, Clay Co., Texas

Children of Peter Donnell and Matilda Hartzog are:

- 31 i. Docia<sup>5</sup> Donnell, born 10 Aug 1892 in Texas<sup>157</sup>; died 25 Jul 1968 in Prob. Bowie, Montague Co., TX<sup>157</sup>.

More About Docia Donnell:

Burial: Vashti Cemetery, Clay Co., Texas

- 32 ii. Myrtle Lee Donnell, born 07 Oct 1893 in Texas<sup>157</sup>.

**17. Albert Franklin<sup>4</sup> Donnell** (Reuben<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, John<sup>1</sup>)<sup>158</sup> was born 25 Apr 1857 in McNairy County, Tennessee<sup>158,159</sup>, and died 26 Nov 1931 in Harrah, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma<sup>159</sup>. He married **(1) W. E. E. "Betty" McCalip**<sup>159</sup> 23 Nov 1879 in Grayson County, Texas. He married **(2) Leona Alice Honea**<sup>159</sup> 14 Oct 1894 in St. Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>159</sup>, daughter of Sion Honea and Talitha Wilson. She was born 14 Sep 1869 in Atlanta, Georgia<sup>159</sup>, and died 05 Feb 1945 in Harrah, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma<sup>159</sup>.

Notes for Albert Franklin Donnell:

of Oklahoma.

Children of Albert Donnell and W. McCalip are:

- 33 i. Othar<sup>5</sup> Donnell, born in Texas.  
34 ii. Leo Donnell, born 05 Sep 1883 in Texas.  
35 iii. Twin Donnell, born 05 Sep 1883 in Texas; died 05 Sep 1883 in Texas.  
36 iv. Annie Donnell, born 07 Aug 1886 in Grayson County, Texas.

Children of Albert Donnell and Leona Honea are:

- 37 i. Nettie I. T.<sup>5</sup> Donnell<sup>159</sup>, born 03 Mar 1897 in Powell, Indian Territory (Marshall Co., OK)<sup>159</sup>.  
38 ii. Thomas Glenn Donnell<sup>159</sup>, born 04 Dec 1899 in Luther, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma<sup>159</sup>; died 24 Apr 1957<sup>159</sup>.  
39 iii. Pervice Allen Donnell<sup>159</sup>, born 08 Dec 1902 in Luther, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma<sup>159</sup>; died 13 Apr 1979<sup>159</sup>.  
40 iv. Paul Donnell<sup>159</sup>, born 17 Feb 1906 in Luther, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma<sup>159</sup>; died 12 Nov 1979<sup>159</sup>.  
41 v. Theorn Calvin Donnell<sup>159</sup>, born 22 Oct 1908 in Luther, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma.  
42 vi. Effie May Donnell, born 22 May 1904 in Luther, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma. She married Casimir Konechney 18 Apr 1924.

**19. Samuel<sup>4</sup> Donnell** (Reuben<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, John<sup>1</sup>)<sup>159</sup> was born 11 Aug 1862 in McNairy County,

Tennessee<sup>159,160</sup>, and died 27 Oct 1939 in Wheatland County, Oklahoma<sup>161</sup>. He married **Lula Pilcher** 18 Jul 1890 in Montague County, Texas<sup>161</sup>. She was born 01 Sep 1872 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>162</sup>, and died 04 Jul 1925 in Slaughterville, Cleveland County, Oklahoma<sup>162</sup>.

Notes for Samuel Donnell:

Willow View Cemetery, Slaughterville, Cleveland Co., Oklahoma

<http://www.rootsweb.com/~okcemete/cleveland/willowview/willowview.htm>

R5-10 DONNELL SAMUEL 8/11/1862 No date

R5-11 DONNELL LULA J. 9/1/1872 7/4/1925 Wife of Samuel

R5-12 DONNELL JESS D. 9/19/1903 8/18/1930

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1900 Census

Cleveland Co. OK census Canadian District E.D #25

Donnell, Samuel Born Aug. 1862 in TN married 11 years

wife, Lue Born Aug. 1872 in TX married 11 years children 4/4 [error? Rutha Belle d.]

daut. Hester Born June 1891 in TX

daut. Monnie Born Sept. 1892 in TX

daut. Ollie J. Born April 1897 in TX

Will: According To Wife Of Richard Donnell, He Had A Will But It Was Never Found 4

Census: 1870 Mississippi

Census: 1880 TX

Census: 1900 TX Wife Lula, Daughters Hester, Monnie, Ollie J.

Census: 1910 OK Wife Lular, Daughter Ollie J., Sons Richard, Jess D., Daughter Viola

Census: 1920 OK Wife Lula, , Son Jess D., Viola, Callie, Lorene

Event: Purchased 80 acres for the price of \$600.00 on Slaughterville Rd. OK Property 4 Feb 1904 Purchased Property On Slaughterville Rd. In OK

More About Samuel Donnell:

Burial: Willow View Cemetery, Slaughterville, Cleveland Co., OK<sup>162</sup>

More About Lula Pilcher:

Burial: Willow View Cemetery, Slaughterville, Cleveland Co., OK<sup>162</sup>

Children of Samuel Donnell and Lula Pilcher are:

- 43 i. Hester<sup>5</sup> Donnell, born 15 Jun 1892 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>163</sup>; died 21 Feb 1962 in Riverside, California<sup>163</sup>.
- 44 ii. Monnie Donnell, born 12 Sep 1893 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>163</sup>; died 24 Dec 1974 in Hugo, Texas<sup>163</sup>.
- 45 iii. Rutha Belle Donnell, born 11 Nov 1895 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>164</sup>; died 01 Mar 1896 in Montague County, Texas<sup>164</sup>.

More About Rutha Belle Donnell:

Burial: 1896, Antioch - Gladys Cemetery, Montague Co., TX<sup>164</sup>

- 46 iv. Ollie Jane Donnell, born 03 Apr 1897 in Saint Jo, Montague County, Texas<sup>165</sup>; died 11 Nov 1990 in Riverside, California<sup>165</sup>.
- 47 v. Richard R. Donnell, born 11 Dec 1900 in Lexington, Oklahoma<sup>165</sup>; died 21 Mar 1973 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma<sup>165</sup>.
- 48 vi. Jess B. Donnell, born 19 Sep 1903 in Noble, Cleveland County, Oklahoma<sup>165</sup>; died 18 Aug 1930 in Slaughterville, Cleveland County, Oklahoma<sup>166,167</sup>.

More About Jess B. Donnell:

Burial: Willow View Cemetery, Slaughterville, Cleveland Co., OK<sup>168</sup>

- 49 vii. Viola Donnell, born 22 Feb 1907 in Noble, Cleveland County, Oklahoma<sup>169</sup>; died Sep 1981 in

- Oklahoma City, Oklahoma<sup>69</sup>.
- 50 viii. Callie Donnell, born 1910 in Noble, Cleveland County, Oklahoma<sup>69</sup>.
- 51 ix. Living Donnell.

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