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It is fitting, perhaps, in the very beginning hereof to state the origin of the name of PRICHARD with the writer's reason for believing the foregoing to be its only proper spelling. Besides the foregoing the same name frequently appears as—PRITCHARD; PRITCHETT; PRITCHET; PRICHETT; and PRICHET.

In a little volume published by W. and R. Chambers, of London and Edinburgh, entitled "CHAMBER'S MISCELLANY" will be found an article dealing with "Names of Persons," which is numbered 106, and from which the following is copied: "Patronymics, or names derived by modification from the father's name, form a very large class of surnames. This, as already observed, was one of the oldest expedients in name-making. The most obvious kind of English patronymic is made by affixing son, as Williamson, Johnson. Others consist of the father's name in the possessive case, the son being suppressed; John Williams was originally John William's (son); William Jones was William John's (son); Harris corresponds to Harrison. The Normans prefixed Fitz (Lat. filius, son), and formed names like Fitz-Alan. This is exactly parallel to the Gaelic Mac (son) in Macadam, M'Alaster. The Welsh form of the word is Map, which shortened into ap, gives ap Griffith, ap Roger, ap Rhys. Where the p is capable of coalescing with the first letter of the name, the a is dropped, and we have Prodger, Price, Pritchard (ap Richard)."

Now why did the author say "Pritchard (ap Richard)", when in the same breath he said "where the p is capable of coalescing with the first letter of the name, the a is dropped"? Surely when we have ap Richard and drop the a we
have left simply P-Richard. To insert the "t" is to depart from the origin of the name.

In BURKE'S LANDED GENTRY will be found the lineage of the Prichards of Pwllywrach, Glamorgan co., Wales. Here the name is correctly spelled. William Prichard may or may not have belonged to that family, the lineage of which is here copied as matters of interest to others of the same name who may not know their pedigree beyond their great-grand-father, and yet who may not find it difficult to persuade themselves that they belong to this ancient family, even though they may have no proof. Believe it if you choose. Who is likely to question it, if you draw the book upon them?

(The following is copied from BURKE'S LANDED GENTRY.)

"Prichard of Pwllywrach.

Capt. Hubert Cecil Prichard, of Pwllywrach, co. Glamorgan, Lord of the Manor of Calwinston, and patron of that living, late Capt. East York's Regt., b. 6 Feb. 1865; s. his mother 1898.

LINEAGE.—The ancient family of PRICHARD, formerly of Llanover, now of Pwllywrach, is lineally descended from Caradoc Vraich Vras, Earl of Herefore and Prince between Wye and Severn. He reigned from A.D. 520-570, and m. Tegau-Eurvron, dau. and sole heir of Belenaur, King of Monmouth. His eldest son,

Cawrdaf ap Caradoc, Prince between Wye and Severn, who left issue, a son,

Gloyw ap Caw, Prince between Wye and Severn, whose son,

Hoyw ap Gloyw, Prince between Wye and Severn, governed Fferregs about 640. His son,

Cynfarch ap Hoyw, Prince between Wye and Severn, lived about 680, and left issue, a son,

Cyndeg ap Cynfarch, Prince between Wye and Severn, whose son,

Teithwalch ap Cyndeg, Prince between Wye and Severn, assumed the government of Fferregs and Brecknock. His country was invaded by King Offa, who was repulsed by Prince Teithwalch. Fferregs was also invaded by the Mercian Prince Ethelbald. Teithwalch left issue, a son,

Tegid ap Teithwalch, Prince between Wye and Severn, who lived about 780; his son,
Tangwydd ap Tegid, Prince of Brecon, Regulus of Radnor and Builth. In his time Wales suffered greatly by the incursions of Egbert, King of the West Saxons. He left issue, a son,

Anarawd ap Tangwydd, Prince of Brecon, Regulus of Radnor and Builth, his son,

Gwendydd ap Anarawd, Prince of Brecon, Regulus of Radnor and Builth, was contemporary with Rodri Mawr and his sons (A. D. 860). He left issue, a son,

Gwengy ap Gwendydd, Prince of Brecon, who reigned about 890 and 896, and left issue, an elder son,

Hydd Hwgan ap Gwengy (Sir Huganus "of John de Cast"), Prince of Brecon. In 914 he was defeated by Ethelfreda, wife (and afterwards widow) of Ethelfred, Earl of Mercia, and his castle of Brecenamere taken by storm. The Prince rallied at Derby, but was finally slain by Ethelfreda. He left issue, a son,

Dryffyn ap Hwgan, Prince of Brecon; he was one of those “eight tributary princes”, known in English history as rowing King Edgar down the river Dee. He m. the Princess Chrisly ap Meyric ap Edwal, and left issue, an eldest son,

Maenarch ap Dryffyn, Prince of Brecon, who m. Elinor, dau. of Eineon ap Seliffe, Lord of the Comnod, and had issue,

1. Bleddyn, who was slain in 1090 by Bernard Newmarch, one of King William’s barons, at a place called “Battle” on the Usk, and was bur. in the Abbey of Strata Florida. He m. the Princess Chrisly ap Meyric ap Edwal, and left issue,

The 2nd son,

Rhys Goch, Lord of Ystradwy (now the hundred of Crickhowel) m. Joan, dau. of Cadwgan ap Elystan Glodrydd, and left issue, a son,

Cyhyllen Voel ap Rhys, Lord of Ystradwy, living 1056, whose son,

Rhys ap Cyhyllen Voel, Lord of Ystradwy, m. Anne, dau. of Moveiddig Warwyn, by Elinor, dau. of Rees ap Tudor Mawr, Prince of South Wales. His son,

Cynhyllin ap Rhys, Lord of Ystradwy, m. about 1180, Janet, dau. of Howel, Prince of Caerleon. His son,

Cynfyn ap Cynhylllin, Lord of Ystradwy, m. Gladis, dau. of Sitsillt ap Dydnwal, Lord of Upper Gwent. His son,

Arther ap Cynfyn, Lord of Ystradwy, and Ynis Ellan, m. Elen, dau. of Meyric ap Cradoc. His son,
Howel ap Arther, m. Jonanne, dau. of Gronow of Llowarch, Lord of Cy-bor, Glamorgan. His eldest son,

Griffith ap Howel, Lord of Penrhos Castle, near Caerleon, called "Dew, a Theg, the fat and handsome"; m. Jannett, dau. and heir of Gronow Ychan, Lord of Penrhos Fwrdios Castle. Penrhos Castle continued to be the seat of the family till late in Elizabeth's reign. Griffith was slain by Gilbert de Clare, A. D. 1282. His eldest son,

David ap Griffith, of Penrhos Castle, m. Maud, dau. of Llewellyn ap Cynfrig Ychan, of Llansamlet, by the co-heiress of Sir Ralph Maelog. His eldest son,

Howel Gam ap David, of Penrhos Castle, was living in 1326 and was engaged in levying troops for Edward II, m. 1st Joan, dau. of Adam ap Rhys ap Einem Sais. He m. 2ndly, Joyce Scudamore, and had issue, Ievan, who m. Alice, dau. of Morgan Vawr. He is ancestor of Williams of Llangibby Castle. His eldest son by his 1st marriage,

Howei Ychan, of Penrhos Castle, who d. before 1399, m. Jane, dau. of Sir John Norris, of Penllyne Castle, co. Glamorgan. His only son,

Meuric ap Howel Ychan, of Penrhos Castle, who d. before 1399, m. Gwenllian, dau. of Gwilym ap Jenkyn, alias Herbert, Lord of Gwernddu. His eldest son,

Ievan ap Meuric, of Penrhos Castle, living 1433, m. Joan, dau. of Llewellyn Ychan ap Madog ap Howel Ychan, and had issue,

1. Trahearne, Deputy Steward of Caerlion, 1454, Penrhos Castle and estate descended from him to Sir Roger William of Penrhos Castle. 2. Howel.

The 2nd son,

Howel ap Ievan, Lord of Llanover, of Curt y Porthir (i.e. the court with the long porch), m. Jane, heir of Ievan ap Trahearne ap Meiric ap Gwilym Sais ap Madoc, of Llanover. Howel was bur. in the Abbey of Strata Florida. His son,

Jenkyn ap Howel, of Llanover Court, m. the dau. of Gwilym ap David Gwarin, of Lanfoyst. His eldest son,

Richard ap Jenkyn, of Llanover Court, m. Anne, dau. of William ap John ap Roger, Lord of Gwemdda, High Sheriff for Brecon in 1554, by Margaret, dau of Lewis Philip, both of which families were of lineal male descent from the house of Herbert. His eldest son,

WILLIAM ap RICHARD (or PRICHARD), of Llanover Court was buried at Llanover, where his memorial brass is still to be seen over his tomb, with this inscription—"Here lyeth the bodies of William Prichard, of Llanover, Esq., and of Matthew Prichard, of Llanover, Esq., his sonne and heire, lineally descended from the bodye of Cradocke Vraich Vras, Earle of Hereford, and Prince between Wye and Severne". He m. Elizabeth,
heiress of Watkin ap Hugh, of Killwch (by his 2nd wife, Margaret, widow of John Griffiths, and dau. of Sir Richard Herbert, of Ewyas, by Margaret, dau. and heir of Sir Mathew Cradoc, of Swansea, Elizabeth was thus of the house of Herbert by both father and mother) and had issue,  

1. Matthew.
2. Charles, Vicar of Llanover, 1583.

1. Anne.

The eldest son,

Matthew Prichard, of Llanover Court, High Sheriff, co. Monmouth, 1596; d. 1622; m. Sissylt, dau. of Edward Lewis, of Vann, co. Glamorgan (High Sheriff 1548, 1555, 1559) by Anne, dau of Sir William Morgan, of Pencoed Castle, and had issue,

1. William (see St. George and St. Michael, by G. Macdonald) of Llanover, and Goytrey Manor, ruined himself by paying the fines of the royalist prisoners, and sold the estate of Llanover. His dau. Maud, was bapt. at Goytrey, 22 Nov. 1617. The address to Oliver Cromwell, in 1655, was signed by “William Prichard of Monmouthshire.”

2. Jenkin, or John, bapt. 2 April, 1599, was Captain in the army of Charles I. At the destruction of Reglan Castle in 1646, he sent his infant son William to Chorley, in Lancashire, in the care of a collector of excise. His son, Thomas Prichard, m. Miss. Dalrymple, niece of the Earl of Stair, and resided at Hampton Court. Another son, William, was Mayor of Preston 1643, and being ex-Mayor at the time of the Pretender’s arrival in Preston, it is said of him that he was as faithful as his ancestors to the Stewart cause.

3. Benjamin.

The 3rd son,

Benjamin Prichard, after the destruction of Reglan Castle, suffered voluntary exile during the Commonwealth; but at the Restoration returned and obtained the estate known as the Manor House of Goytrey, within the Llanover Manor. His son

William Prichard, of Goytrey Manor, b. 1686, sold (about 1730, Goytrey Manor, the last and only remaining part of the estate held by the Prichards at Llanover, to Charles Hanbury Williams, and went to reside at “The Hill,” Trostrey, New Llanover; m. Blanch Thomas, of Goytrey, and d. 1755, having by her (who d. 1726) had issue,

1. William,
   1. Maria, d. an infant. 2. Anna, b. 1707.

His only son,

William Prichard, bapt. at Goytrey 1718; m. Sarah, dau. of J. Braban, of Chepstow, and co-heiress of her brother Henry Braban, and d. at Chep-
stow 20 March, 1795, leaving issue (with daus. who were all educated by
the celebrated Hannah More),

1. William, b. 1759; d. 1821.
2. Henry, merchant, of Bristol, now represented by Capt. Charles
Prichard, of Northamptonshire Regt.
3. Thomas.
The 3rd son,
Thomas Prichard, of Tancred House, Kingsdown, Bristol, b. at Chep-
stow, 1765; m. Susan, dau. of ———— Horler, of Bristol, and d. 1834, hav-
ing had issue,
1. Thomas, of whom presently. 2. William, d. s. p.
1. Mary, m. W. P. Coley, Lieut. R. N.
2. Eliza, m. David Thomas, of Pwlywrach, co. Glamorgan, and had
issue.
The oldest son,
Thomas Prichard, b. 1791; m. Judith, dau. of Rev. John Collins, Rector
of Oxwich (by Judith his wife, sister of Nathaniel Wells, of Piercefield, co.
Monmouth), co. Glamorgan, and d. 1846, having had issue.
The youngest son,
Charles John Collins Prichard, of Clifton, Bristol, b. 1820, m. 1858, his
first cousin, Mary Anna, dau. of David Thomas, of Pwlywrach, and sister
of the late Hubert de Burgh Thomas, of Pwlywrach. She d. 24 Nov. 1898,
leaving issue,
2. Hubert Cecil, now of Pwlywrach.
5. Hugh Trevor, b. 1877, Sub-Lieut. R. N.
1. Edith Lilian, m. Rev. W. A. Edwards, Rector of Llangan, Glamor-
ganshire.
3. Evelyn Mary, m. Capt. Charles Gilbert Carnegy, I. S. C., eldest sur-
viving son of Gen. Carnegy, C. B.

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Tradition says that William Prichard was born in Wales, where he was kidnapped and brought to Virginia, landing at or near Norfolk, when about fourteen years of age, in company with his brother John who was a few years his senior; and that upon their landing in Virginia the boys were apprenticed to Virginia planters by the captain of the ship upon which they had been carried away from their native land.

William Prichard emigrated from Russell County, Virginia, to Greenup County, Kentucky, in the year 1811. The records in the office of the clerk of the county court of Russell County show that, in the year 1800, he purchased a tract of land there which he sold in 1810. In 1805, at the November Court, (Book No. 3, page 469 of the first records of Russell County) the following order was entered: “Ordered that William Pritchett and William James Sen’r be exempted from paying county levies and poor rates on account of their age and bodily infirmities.” From this it may be assumed that William Prichard was then about seventy-five years of age. If then there is any truth in the tradition aforesaid he must have landed in Virginia sometime between 1740 and 1750, perhaps about 1744. His wife’s name was Dorcus; but whether, before marriage, it was Dorcus Glover or Dorcus Lunsford, there is some difference of opinion in the family at the present time with a little, perhaps, in favor of the name of Lunsford. After the death of her first husband she was married to Solomon White in Greenup County, Kentucky. She died in 1839 at the home of her son, James Prichard, on the waters of Bolt’s Fork in what is now Boyd County, Kentucky; and was there buried. The writer is of opinion, that William Prichard lies buried among a clump of locust trees that still
stand in the midst of a meadow near the Big Sandy River a short distance below the house in which his son, Lewis Prichard, lived at the time of his death. No one at the present time appears to have any accurate information as to the time or place of his death or burial. It is likely that he remained unmarried until old age because his oldest child was not born until 1796, and some of his children claim Norfolk as his birth-place, but this is doubtless an error. This son’s name was James, and he served in the war of 1812, being stationed at Norfolk, Virginia.

Among the records in the office of the clerk of the county court of Norfolk County, Virginia, will be found many deeds made by William Prichard and Mary, his wife, between the years 1784 and 1814; the latter date, however, being subsequent to the time when the subject of these lines emigrated to Kentucky. The Norfolk County records also disclose a John Prichard who died sometime between 1784 and 1791; for, in the latter year, it appears that this William Prichard, as his administrator, and Mayson Prichard, as his relict, conveyed certain of his land to one Dugald McDugald. From the fact that this William Prichard outlived the said John Prichard by some twenty-five or thirty years, it may be that William was the son of John; and from the similarity of names among the children and descendants hereinafter enumerated to those above mentioned, it may be that the John Prichard mentioned above, was the brother, mentioned in the tradition aforesaid, of the William Prichard whose descendants appear hereafter. A little strength may be added to this presumption from the fact that James Prichard served at Norfolk, Virginia, in the war of 1812, the year succeeding his father’s emigration to Kentucky, having perhaps gone to Nor-
folk to visit his relatives before following his family to Kentucky.

It is claimed by some of the descendants of William Prichard that he served in the Revolutionary War. That may be true, but the writer has been unable to find any authentic evidence of such fact. William H. English, in his history of the "Conquest of the Northwest, and Life of George Rogers Clark," gives the name of William Prichard as a Sergeant in the regiment of Clark in his expedition against the British posts in Indiana and Illinois. However in Crozier, W. A., ed.—Virginia County Records; volume 1 (Spotsylvania County 1721-1800) page 534, the following appears: "William Pritchett, decd., late of Spts. Co., was Sergeant in the Revolutionary War. (May Court, 1835.)" The writer assumes that the Sergeant William Pritchett of Spotsylvania County was none other than the Sergeant William Prichard of George Rogers Clark's regiment, and not the man whose descendants are herein enumerated. In this connection it may be observed that Mr. T. K. Cartmell, in his book entitled "Shenandoah Valley Pioneers and their Descendants.—A History of Frederick County", at page 105 states that "Ensign Reese Pritchard of" Hampshire County, now West Virginia, was an officer in the regiment of George Rogers Clark. His name, however, does not appear in the list of Mr. English which is generally considered the most authentic roster of that regiment ever published. It is therefore likely that Mr. Cartmell has confused Reese Pritchard with William Prichard of Spotsylvania, between whose respective families the writer has discovered no relationship.

The records in the office of the clerk of the county court of Brunswick County, Virginia, reveal the fact that a man
bearing the name of William Pritchett emigrated from Dinwiddie County to that county in 1765; and that his will was probated in Brunswick County in 1795, as was also the will of his son, William Pritchett, in the year 1813. The revolutionary war records disclose the names of many Prichards in the New England States as well as in other eastern and central states, but the writer has been unable to trace any relationship between any of them, or of any of the many other Virginia Prichards whose names have appeared in the course of his research, to the subject of this title.

If the tradition related at the beginning hereof should be nothing but a myth; then, of the many war records which the writer has examined, the following may or may not prove to be that of the subject of these pages, viz:

12 Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors In the War of the Revolution. 774–775.

"PRICHARD, William. Marblehead. Capt. John Selman’s (8th) co., Col. John Glover’s (21st) regt.; receipt for advance pay, signed by said Prichard and others, dated Cambridge, June 27, 1775; also Private, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 30, 1775; service, 2½ mos; also company return dated Camp at Cambridge, Oct. 9, 1775; company marched to Cambridge June 22, 1775; 'time out' Dec. 31, 1775; also, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Marblehead, Jan. 3, 1776; also, Private, Capt. Francis Felton’s (Marblehead) co.; enlisted Jan. 8, 1776; service to Feb. 29, 1776, 1 mo, 24 days, in defense of sea-coast."

"PRICHARD, William. Private, brigantine 'Mass-
achusetts', commanded by Capt. Daniel Souther; engaged Aug. 19, 1776; discharged Dec. 21, 1776; service 4 mos, 2 days; reported entitled to 1 share of prize money.''

"PRICHARD, William. Conductor; engaged July 30, 1778; discharged Sep't. 23, 1780; service, 26 months; reported employed in (late) Deputy Quartermaster General's Department at Boston."

From the dates above given the three records likely relate to one person, and the first record becomes especially interesting in that it details the service of William Prichard in Col. John Glover's regiment; Dorcus Glover being the name, as claimed by many of her descendants, born before her marriage by the wife of the William Prichard whose descendants appear in the following pages.

So far as known William Prichard left only four children, viz: James, John, Lewis and Elizabeth. It is said that John emigrated to Indiana at an early date, but the writer has been unable to ascertain anything of him or his family there. The families of James and Lewis as hereinafter detailed are almost complete. In some instances, however, as in the case of Elizabeth's family, the descendants either could not or, through indifference, would not give the information necessary.

JAMES PRICHARD, the son of William Prichard, was b. 3 May, 1796, d. 21 Sept. 1877, in Boyd Co., Ky., m. 5 Dec. 1818, to Elizabeth Stewart who was b. 26 July, 1802, in Giles Co., Va., her parents being Absolem Stewart and Tobitha (Clay) Stewart. Mr. Prichard was at one time sheriff of Lawrence Co., Ky., and af-

1GEORGE W. PRICHARD, son of James Prichard, b. 29 April, 1821; d. 1901; m. 21 Sept. 1843, to Olivia A. Bolt, who was b. 25 July, 1827. They lived at Grayson, Ky., for many years and were highly respected. They had ten children, viz:

2MARY E. PRICHARD, b. 7 Oct. 1844.

2Leander C. Prichard, b. 3 July, 1847, m. 13 Sept. 1871, to Carolyne Kitchen who was b. 4 Mar. 1848, d. 19 Apr. 1886. He then m. 16 June, 1887, to Nancy Belle Kitchen, who was b. 6 Jan. 1867. Eight children were born to the first marriage and two to the second in the following order:

3Laura S. Prichard, b. 8 Aug, 1872, m. 15 Feb. 1898, to H. Clay Turner. Their children are as follows:

4Louise Turner, b. 4 Dec. 1899.

4Carolyne Turner, b. Mar. 1901.

4Elizabeth Turner, b. 19 Aug. 1902.

4Henry Clay Turner, b. 28 Mar. 1905.

3Wylie A. Prichard, b. 1 Dec. 1873; m. 13 Jan. 1910, to Tisha Adkins.

3George W. Prichard, b. 10 Feb. 1876, m. 10 Nov. 1909, to Bernice Warbledau.

3Lewis N. Prichard, b. 19 Jan. 1878, m. 11 Mar. 1909, to Laura Hunter.
3 John B. Prichard, b. 20 May, 1880.
3 Nancy B. Prichard, b. 19 Jun. 1882.
3 Charles F. Prichard, b. 22 Aug. 1885.
3 Carrie S. Prichard, b. 22 Aug. 1885, m. 22 Dec. 1906, to Herbert King. They have two children—
4 Prichard King, b. 11 Jan. 1907.
4 Watt King, b. 18 June 1909.
3 Janie F. Prichard, b. 10 Nov. 1888.
3 Georgia A. Prichard, b. 7 April, 1891.
2 Casteria V. Prichard, b. 9 June 1850, m. 27 Feb. 1872, to W. A. Davis, of Grayson, Ky.
2 Greenville Prichard, b. 29 Dec. 1852.
2 Cerena Prichard, b. 25 Aug. 1855, m. 27 Oct. 1886 to Robert Franklin Elam, who was b. 6 Dec. 1846, and d. 23 July, 1904. They had two children—
3 William Prichard Elam, b. 6 April, 1888; m. 1904, to Georgia Lilian Thomas. They have one child—
3 Maude L. Elam, b. 24 Dec. 1889; m. 5 Feb. 1911, to Samuel Carter, at Morehead, Ky.
2 Belvard B. Prichard, b. 7 Mar. 1858; m. 5 Jan. 1910, to Laura Ethel Barnehill, who was b. 27 Nov. 1888. They have one child—
3 Curtis Randolph Prichard, b. 19 Jan. 1911.
2 Clinton T. Prichard, b. 9 April, 1860; m. 15 Oct. 1890, Olive A. Proctor, who was b. 24 Nov. 1871. They have eight children.
3 Rebecca Aline Prichard, b. 17 Sept. 1891.
3 Myrtilla Alva Prichard, b. 3 May, 1893.
3 Proctor Leander Prichard, b. 27 April, 1895.
MARY ETHEL PRICHARD, b. 24 Dec. 1896.

GEORGE WILLIAM PRICHARD, b. 16 Jan. 1899.

ELIZABETH ADELLA PRICHARD, b. 4 Jan. 1903.

OLIVA MARIA PRICHARD, b. 28 June, 1905.

PAUL CLINTON PRICHARD, b. 3 Oct. 1909.

ANNIE PRICHARD, b. 18 April, 1862; m. 29 June 1904, to Daniel Boone Lacy, who was b. 22 July, 1860.

MARTHA PRICHARD, b. 10 April, 1865; m. 1 June, 1893, to H. C. Simpson. They have two children—

BERYL BRENTANO SIMPSON, (a girl) b. 9 Mar. 1894.

THOMAS BELVARD SIMPSON, b. 19 May, 1895.

GEORGE W. PRICHARD, b. 21 April, 1867. Unmarried.

WILLIAM ALLEN PRICHARD, son of James Prichard, b. 9 Aug. 1823, in Lawrence Co., Ky., d. 2 Feb. 1900, in Boyd Co., Ky., m. 12 Nov. 1850 to Samantha Jones who was b. 17 Sept. 1830, and was the daughter of Stephen and Mary (Parsons) Jones of Lee Co., Va. He was graduated at the Eclectic Medical College of Cincinnati, O. In 1854 he began the practice of medicine at Garner, Boyd (then Carter) Co., Ky., at which place he lived for the remainder of his life. He enjoyed a large and lucrative practice. To this union were born the following children, viz:

JAMES MARION PRICHARD, b. 31 Aug. 1851, in Carter Co., Ky., m. 21 Mar. 1900, to Mary Bailey of Lee Co., Va. He was first graduated at Marshall College, Huntington, W. Va.; and afterwards at the Eclectic Medical College, Cincinnati, O. He is a physician, and is now engaged in the practice of his pro-
fession at Olinger, Va. He has one child, viz:


2 Louvernia Prichard, b. 16 Mar. 1854, in Carter Co., Ky., m. 16 Mar. 1871, to James W. Mullan, of Boyd Co., Ky., who d. 1 April, 1904. Their family reside at Catlettsburg, Ky. The following children were born to this union, viz:

3 Howard Mullan, b. 25 May, 1873, at Catlettsburg, Ky.

3 Edward Mullan, b. 25 May, 1873, at Catlettsburg, Ky., m. Mar. 1902 to Lottie Blackburn, who was b. in 1876. They have the following children, viz:

4 Louise Mullan, b. 25 Nov. 1902.

4 Janet Mullan, b. 30 April, 1904.

3 Alice Mullan, b. 20 Mar. 1876, d. 12 June, 1906.

3 Lee Mullan, b. 22 Aug. 1879, d. 18 Oct. 1880.

3 Lucile Mullan, b. 14 Sept. 1881.

3 Belva H. Mullan, b. 1883.

2 Belvard Jones Prichard, b. 10 June, 1856, in Carter Co., Ky., m. 23 Sept. 1880, to Kate D. Finley of Ohio, at Ironton, O., from whom he was afterwards divorced. He then m. 2 May, 1903, to Etta Rucher of Huntington, W. Va. He attended school at Center College (now Central University) at Danville, Ky. Afterwards in 1879 he studied law at the University of Louisville, Ky. At the time of his first marriage he was editor of the Hancock Democrat, a newspaper published at Greencastle, Ind. He afterwards practiced law at Wayne, W. Va. He was elected and served as Senator from the 5th Senatorial District of W. Va., 1888 to 1892.
He is now president of the Wayne County Bank of Wayne, W. Va. Of his first marriage five children were born; and of his second marriage one child was born. They are as follows:

3Edmund Finley Prichard, b. 14 Sept. 1881, m. 30 May, 1904, to Frances Miller Davis, at Catlettsburg, Ky. They have one child, viz:

4Louise Beuhring Prichard, b. 16 Mar. 1907, at Huntington, W. Va.

3Allen Courtland Prichard, b. 14 Dec. 1883, m. 14 Jan. 1905 to Violet Pruett, at Cincinnati, O.

3Stella May Prichard, b. 22 May, 1885, m. 16 June, 1906 to Edward Gordon Davis, at Huntington, W. Va. They have two children, viz:

4Edward Gordon Davis, Jr., b. 3 May, 1907, at Huntington, W. Va.

4Catherine Elizabeth Davis, b. 27 April, 1909, Winchester, Ky.

3Oscar B. Prichard, b. 9 Oct. 1886, d. 7 Jan. 1909, m. 9 Jan. 1907 to Hattie Huntington Wash, at Catlettsburg, Ky. They had one child, viz:

4George Finley Prichard, b. 16 Oct. 1907, at Huntington, W. Va., d. 14 April, 1909.

3Sallie Louvernia Prichard, b. 5 April, 1888, m. 17 May, 1909 to Clarence William Harp at Lexington, Ky.

3Belvard Rucker Prichard, b. 30 May, 1904, at Wayne, W. Va.

2Mary Elizabeth Prichard, b. 7 Dec. 1858, d. 23 June, 1871.

2Samantha Helen Prichard, b. 22 Aug. 1862, in Boyd
Co., Ky., m. 20 Dec. 1882 to Samuel Dempsey Finley. Their children are as follows:

3 James Albert Finley, b. 20 Jan. 1884, m. 30 July, 1907 to Zella A. Dorsey who was b. 22 Apr. 1887. They reside at Huntington, W. Va., where Mr. Finley is a well known painter by trade. They have no children.

3 Allen Finley, b. d.

3 Alexander Altsman Finley, b. 14 Oct. 1892.

3 Elijah Earl Finley, b. 13 June, 1898.

2 Robert Allen Prichard, b. 15 July, 1864, in Boyd Co., Ky., m. 18 Feb. 1886 to Sophia Fannin who d. 17 Oct. 1886, without issue. He then m. 30 May, 1889 to Florence Reese of Lee Co., Va. He was graduated at the Eclectic Medical College of Cincinnati, O., and has since, for many years, been a practicing physician in Boyd Co. To his second marriage the following children were born:

3 Virginia Lee Prichard, b. 7 Mar. 1890, m. 16 Sept. 1908 to Garrett D. Davis, of Ky.

3 Phillip Howard Prichard, b. 22 Sept. 1904.

1 James Prichard, Jr., b. 3 Sept. 1825, d. 27 June, 1826.

1 Wylie Prichard, b. 25 May, 1827, d. 13 April, 1896, m. 25 July, 1855, to Elizabeth Bolt who was b. 23 June, 1839, and d. 29 April, 1900. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Burrell Spurlock. Mr. Prichard was sober, energetic and industrious. He was a successful farmer and man of business. He lived at
Mt. Savage, Carter Co., Ky. The following were his children:

2. **Celeste Prichard**, b. near Olive Hill, Ky., 20 July, 1856, d. 6 June, 1903, m. 7 Mar. 1878, to Dr. Alexander Taylor Henderson who was b. near Olive Hill, 21 Dec. 1846. Their children were:

3. **Edna Earl Henderson**, b. at Willard, Ky., 19 April, 1880, m. 6 June, 1900, to W. Frank Therkildson who was b. 25 July, 1879. Their children were:


4. **Thelma Celesta Therkildson**, b. 6 May, 1903.

4. **W. Frank Therkildson, Jr.**, b. 6 June, 1908.

3. **Oscar Prichard Henderson**, b. at Willard, Ky., 26 April, 1882, m. 24 Nov. 1909, to Ella V. Callame, of Birmingham, Ala., where they now reside.

3. **Watt Alexander Henderson**, b. at Denton, Ky., 14 Dec. 1884, m. 6 Dec. 1908, to Sarah Valentine Hardin, of Tuscalusa, Ala., where they now reside, and have one child, viz:


2. **Roland Prichard**, b. 24 June, 1858, m. 25 Nov. 1893, to Maggie Adams who d. the following year, without issue. He then m. Nancy Carroll who was b. 27 Sept. 1877. This latter marriage was celebrated at
St. Louis, Mo., 30 April, 1903; and from it have sprung the following children:

3 Wylie Reed Prichard, b. Mar. 1904.
3 Marie Prichard, b. 9 Mar. 1909.

2 Kenton Prichard, b. 13 Aug. 1860, m. 11 Dec. 1895, to Elizabeth Caroline Malone, the oldest child of Wm. D. Malone, of Grayson, Ky., and who was b. 17 July, 1873. Mr. Prichard is a man of splendid sense, sober, and has for many years occupied the position of mine superintendent of coal operations located at Denton, Ky. He has saved considerable money. For honesty and integrity he is second to none. Their children were:

3 Leda Lucile Prichard, b. 2 Jan. 1897.
3 Kenton Malone Prichard, b. 13 Mar. 1905.

2 William Prichard, b. 23 July, 1862, m. 29 Feb. 1892, to Hattie Polhamous, daughter of John Polhamous, of Grayson, Ky. They have no children.

2 Annie Laurie Prichard, b. 2 Nov. 1864, m. by Rev. I. F. J. McKinster, 29 Nov. 1894, to John Robert Graner, who was b. 12 Nov. 1867. They reside at Covington, Ky. Their children were:

3 Ernest Victor Graner, b. 31 Jan. 1896, d. 10 Aug. 1897.
3 John Forest Graner, b. 23 May, 1900.
3 Hazel May Graner, b. 1 July, 1902.

2 Samantha Prichard, b. 27 Jan. 1867, m. 1 June, 1892, to O. F. L. Becket who was b. 1 Oct. 1862. They reside at Ashland, Ky., but have no children.

2 Watt Lemuel Prichard, b. 9 Dec. 1874. He is unmarried. He is a professor in the University of Puget Sound at Tacoma, Wash.
LEWIS PRICHARD, son of James Prichard, b. 16 Sept. 1829, d. 29 Nov. 1889, m. 23 Nov. 1858 to Joanna Ross of Cloverdale, Ind. In 1856 he was graduated at the Eclectic Medical College of Cincinnati, O. He first began the practice of his profession in Northeastern Kentucky, but soon moved to Cloverdale where he continued to practice medicine until his death. To the foregoing marriage two children were born, as follows:

WALTER K. PRICHARD, b. 4 Jan. 1860, m. 11 Mar. 1884 to Virginia Remley of Cincinnati, O. He studied medicine at the University of Virginia 1880-1881 and was there awarded a degree in Medical Jurisprudence. In 1882 he was graduated in medicine at the Miami Medical College of Cincinnati, O. In 1883 he did post-graduate work at the Polyclinic of New York. He served as Pension Examiner under both administrations of President Cleveland; but never held any other public office or position, and wanted none. Of his marriage the following children have been born, viz:

WALTER LEWIS PRICHARD, b. 4 Sept. 1886, d. 4 Sept. 1886.

ESTELLA ESTHER PRICHARD, b. 14 Jan. 1888.

IRMA REMLEY PRICHARD, b. 14 April, 1891.

COLITA WINIFRED MAY PRICHARD, b. 19 Nov. 1895.

MAY ALMA PRICHARD, b. Sept. 1862, m. 30 Sept. 1881 to Thomas C. Utterback, of Cloverdale, Ind. Of this marriage the following children were born:

LELIA UTTERBACK, b. 23 Sept. 1882, d. 16 May, 1884.

CLINT L. UTTERBACK, b. 2 Feb. 1885. He is twin brother of

CARL P. UTTERBACK, b. 2 Feb. 1885.
3Lucille Utterback, b. 29 Dec. 1888.  
3Victor Utterback, b. 18 July, 1901.  
3Howard Utterback, b. 6 May, 1904.

1Martha Prichard, daughter of James Prichard, b. 5 Jan. 1832, d. 25 Aug. 1893, m. 16 Aug. 1849 to Crisley Perry Banfield, a thrifty farmer, who d. 10 Sept. 1878. To this couple were born ten children as follows:

2Allen Prichard Banfield, b. 16 June 1850. He never married. After spending a number of years with great success in the general practice of medicine and surgery in Lawrence and Boyd Counties, Ky., he made the eye, ear, nose and throat a specialty; and, in his preparation for this work, took special training in the schools of Europe. In recent years he has made Catlettsburg, Ky., his permanent home; and has gained a far reaching reputation in his special line of practice. Reference is here made to a book entitled The Big Sandy Valley by William Ely, pages 185 to 187, where special mention is made of Dr. A. P. Banfield and the stock from which he sprung. Want of space will not permit a repetition here of the many splendid things there related of this man.

2John Milton Banfield, b. 7 Aug. 1852, d. 1 July, 1853.  
2Camillus Jefferson Banfield, b. 5 Jan. 1854, d. 5 Nov. 1877, m. 21 Sept. 1876, to Jacintha Elizabeth Kouns who was b. 10 Mar. 1857 in Boyd Co., Ky. They had only one child, viz:

3Louella C. Banfield, b. 11 July, 1877. She is yet
unmarried and resides at No. 312 W. Winchester Ave., Ashland, Ky.

2Sidney Anne Banfield, b. 16 Aug. 1855, m. 2 June, 1881 to Francis Marion Newman, a farmer residing some ten miles above Catlettsburg, Ky., and who was b. 14 Feb. 1846. They had two children as follows:

3Elba Newman, b. 3 June, 1889, d. 3 June, 1889.
3Lena Rivers Newman, b. 8 Sept, 1891; very well educated, and an attractive young lady; lives with her parents and ministers to their wants.

2Columbia Banfield, b. 7 May, 1858, d. 9 Dec. 1891, m. 23 Feb. 1881 to John J. Turman who was b. 11 May, 1858. He was a farmer and lived on a farm near Kavanuagh, on the Big Sandy River. Their children were as follows:

3Perry C. Turman, b. 23 Dec. 1882, d. 23 Dec. 1882.
3Ida Turman, b. 16 Jan. 1884, d. 17 Jan. 1884; twin sister to
3Isom Turman, b. 16 Jan. 1884, d. 17 Jan. 1884.

2James Crittenden Banfield, b. 21 April, 1859, m. Aug. 1904, to Alice Crum who was the widow of E. D. Crum, deceased. He is a physician and surgeon engaged in the practice of his profession in the city of Huntington, W. Va. He has one child, viz:

3James Crittenden Banfield, Jr., b. 5 Nov. 1905.

2Charles Henry Banfield, b. 19 Aug. 1861, d. 14 April, 1899. m. 28 May, 1890, to Flora May Lark who resides in the city of Portsmouth, Ohio. They had two children as follows:

3Arthus Perry Banfield, b. 30 Mar. 1891.
3Clyde Lark Banfield, b. 5 Sept. 1892.
KENAZ FARROW BANFIELD, b. 27 Mar. 1863; d. 1911; m. 31 May, 1890, to Sophia Fannin who d. 1 Sept. 1898. His children are—

3Joseph Banfield, b. 6 July, 1892, d. 6 Jan. 1907.
3Delbert Banfield, b. 21 June, 1894, d. 6 Aug. 1897.
3Frederick Banfield, b. 18 Mar. 1897.

Elizabeth Catherine Banfield, b. 24 April, 1866, m. 4 Nov. 1888, to William R. Selbee. They have five children as follows:

3Beulah Eugie Selbee, b. 23 Dec. 1889.
3Earl Banfield Selbee, b. 18 Mar. 1893.
3Lucille Marguritte Selbee, b. 21 Feb. 1897.
3Chester Perry Selbee, b. 4 May, 1900.
3Martha Marie Selbee, b. 12 Mar. 1908.

William Lewis Banfield, b. 1 July, 1870, m. 7 Nov. 1893, to Emma Clay who was b. 20 April, 1874. They live at Wayne, W. Va. Their children were as follows:

3Elba M. Banfield, b. 7 May, 1896, d. 30 July, 1896.
3Virgil Banfield, b. 27 Feb. 1898.
3Reba Banfield, b. 27 Mar. 1901.
3Eril Banfield, b. 13 Dec. 1904.
3Golden Banfield, b. 20 Jan. 1906.
3Leila Banfield, b. 24 Aug. 1908.

JOHN WESLEY PRICHARD, son of James Prichard, b. 12 June, 1834; d. 9 Mar. 1896; m. 1867, to Sarah Jane Mobley who d. 1876. He then m. 18 Sept. 1879, to Susan A. Hulett. There were four children of the first marriage, and five of the second—
2HANNAH ELIZABETH PRICHARD, b. 1867, d. 22 July, 1909; m. 1887, to James Monroe Adams. They had a daughter—

3MAUD ADAMS, b. 1888; m. 1907, to Warren Simmons. They have two children—

4PAULINE SIMMONS, b. 1908.

4EVELYN SIMMONS, b. 1909.

2LEWIS NAPOLEON PRICHARD, b. 1869.

2SAMANTHA ELLEN PRICHARD, b. 1871; m. 1890, to William Dempsey. They have one child—

3FLORENCE DEMPSEY.

2JOHN GURNEY PRICHARD, b. 7 Feb. 1874; m. 22 Jan. 1905, to Hyrtleline Moore. He has occupied the position of Superintendent of schools in Greenup County, Ky. They have one child—

3JOHN GURNEY PRICHARD, b. 28 Aug. 1908.

2NETTIE PRICHARD, m. Richard Perry.

2OLLIE PRICHARD, m. Tilden Edmonds. (Portsmouth, O.)

2HESTER PRICHARD, m. ———— Shartneck in Wayne Co., W. Va.

2HENRY PRICHARD, d. unmarried.

2CORBET PRICHARD.

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1KENAZ F. PRICHARD, son of James Phichard, b. 1. Dec. 1836, d. 29 Oct. 1887, m. 29 Aug. 1859 to Amelia C. Stewart. He read law under Mr. Frank Canterberry in Louisa, Ky., and was admitted to the bar in 1858. In 1869 he was elected to the State Senate in Ky., and served four years as such, during which time he was elected Clerk of the Senate. He joined the Baptist Church in 1885 and
thereafter lived as a consistent christian. At a meeting of the Boyd County Bar which passed resolutions relative to his death the following is part of what was said: "He was a lawyer by nature as well as education, endowed with rare gifts of advocacy. He could think in form, collate into grammatical sentences the most intricate legal subjects, and dash them off like a flash with the word of mouth, or write them in haste in brief. Among the men in this country there was no keener nor shrewder organizer in politics, no franker partisan. * * * * If there was ever a man that did make a young lawyer feel at ease, it was he. He did by his presence here instill confidence to the timid and embarrassed young attorney." To the foregoing union four children were born, viz:

2Clara Greenwood Prichard, b. 5 July, 1861; m. Earl Stockwell, now dec'd.

2Annie Lee Prichard, b. 29 Jan. 1864; d.

2Stella Prichard, b. 13 Sept, 1866; d. in her 18th year.

2Henry Prichard, b. 21 May, 1869; d.

Charles Napoleon Prichard, son of James Prichard, b. 5 June, 1839, at Bolt's Fork, Ky., d. 12 Sept. 1904, m. 13 July, 1864, Sarah A. Smith, who d. 6 Jan. 1905. Their children were:

2Gertrude Prichard, b. 6 April, 1865, m. 25 Mar. 1891, John A. Lair of Goshen, Rockbridge Co., Va. Their children were:

3Hallie May Lair, b. 21 June, 1893, d. at age of 14 months.
Florence Gertrude Lair, b. 18 Sept. 1895.

John Prichard Lair, b. 13 April, 1905.

Minnie Lee Prichard, b. 6 May, 1867, m. 18 Mar. 1885, Hugh Marshall Mitchell of Shelocta, Ind. Co., Pa. Their children were:

Hugh Kenton Mitchell, b. 23 Dec. 1885, m. 21 April, 1907, to Carolyn Kerr.

Leonidas James Mitchell, b. 30 April, 1888.

Minnie Nadeane Mitchell, b. 28 Dec. 1891, d. 3 Oct. 1908.

Marshall Clyde Mitchell, b. 25 Nov. 1893, d. 30 Aug. 1894.

Collis P. Huntington Mitchell, b. 14 Aug. 1895.

Lawrence Napoleon Mitchell, b. 8 Aug. 1900.


Lawrie Prichard, b. 31 Oct. 1869, d. 6 May 1893.

Noah Prichard, son of James Prichard, b. 14 Oct. 1841, d. 19 Mar. 1908, m. 6 Nov. 1862 to Ariminta Reeves who was b. 18 Aug. 1846. To this marriage were born twelve children, as follows:

Martha Prichard, b. 24 Dec. 1863.


John Milton Prichard, b. 19 Feb. 1868, m. 11 Sept. 1895, to Ida Lillian Cyrus who was b. 24 Oct. 1863. They have never had any children. This man fully exemplifies the pluck and energy so prevalent in the Prichard Family. He began without a cent; worked his way to an education in medicine; took the first location offered at a lumber camp in the
mountains of West Virginia; stayed right with his practice, saving his money until he had accumulated more than he cared to keep under his pillow or in his boots at night, and more than he could conveniently carry with him during the day; so he obtained a few days leave of absence, went to Charleston where his relative, Dr. Lewis Prichard, was the President of the Charleston National Bank. Having learned from him the advantages of keeping his money in a good solvent bank, and the system of making deposits and drawing checks he deposited his savings in The Charleston National Bank; and, from that time, he has never been without a substantial balance to his credit. He has now given up the general practice, and has made a specialty of the eye, ear, nose and throat. He has a splendid office at Ashland, Ky., where he enjoys a large practice, is highly respected by all who know him; owns a fine home and lives in comfort, peace and happiness. None deserve more credit, and few have improved their opportunities to a greater extent.

2Jerome Cornelius Prichard, b. 3 April, 1870. (Unmarried).

2Mary Prichard, b. 30 July, 1872, d. June, 1891.

2James Prichard, b. 25 Dec. 1874, m. 8 Aug. 1900, and has three children, as follows:

3Ethel Prichard, b. 15 July, 1901.

3Mary Prichard, b. 23 Sept. 1902.

3James Prichard, b. 22 Nov. 1904.

2Kenaz F. Prichard, b. 29 Mar. 1877; is married, and lives at Vivian, W. Va., where he has some children.

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MAUD PRICHARD, b. 11 Mar. 1880.
RALPH PRICHARD, b. 12 April, 1882.
SAMANTHA PRICHARD, b. 21 Sept. 1884.
HENRY PRICHARD, b. 11 Sept. 1887, m. 27 Feb. 1908; has one child, viz:
ROBERT PRICHARD, b. 4 Mar. 1910.
BRAXTON B. PRICHARD, b. 17 May, 1891.

JEROME T. PRICHARD, b. 30 May, 1844, m. 14 Oct. 1866, to Olivia Bolt who was b. 14 July, 1849. Mr. Prichard has been a successful farmer and business man. He is highly respected in his community. He has always lived on Bolt's Fork in Boyd Co., Ky., and has served in the Legislature of Ky., as Senator from his District. To this marriage were born eleven children, as follows:

James Allen Prichard, b. 8 Sept. 1867, m. 31 Mar. 1909, to Laura Compton. They have one child—
Marion Compton Prichard, b. 16 June, 1910.

Henry Greenville Prichard, b. 5 Sept. 1869, d. 18 Sept. 1869.

Carl L. Prichard, b. 29 Oct. 1870, m. 22 July, 1907, to Elizabeth Christine Hatcher.
Leonidas Montraville Prichard, b. 10 Nov. 1872, m. 14 Aug. 1899, to Josephine Phillips. He is engaged in the practice of medicine near Rush, in Boyd Co., Ky. To this marriage was born one child as follows:
Carl Hildred Prichard, b. 30 Dec. 1901.
Millard F. Prichard, b. 1 Sept. 1874, m. 30 Mar. 1903,
to Mary Robinette. To this marriage were born three children as follows:
3Thelma Prichard, b. 5 July, 1904.
3Joseph Prichard, b. 17 Nov. 1906.
3Edgar Malcolm Prichard, b. 5 June, 1909.

2Annie Elizabeth Prichard, b. 19 May, 1876, m. 31 Dec. 1893, to George W. Chapman. To this marriage were born five children as follows:
3Georgiana Chapman, b. 22 Aug. 1894, d. 23 Aug. 1894.
3Beatrice Sophia Chapman, b. 14 Dec. 1895.
3Lillian Jerome Chapman, b. 6 June, 1897.
3Louise Blanche Chapman, b. 1 Jan. 1901.
3George Prichard Chapman, b. 19 Dec. 1908.

2Sophia Earle Prichard, b. 14 Jan. 1878, m. 4 Oct. 1903, to Charles W. G. Hannah, who was b. 29 May, 1881. They live in Greenup, Ky. To them have been born three children, as follows:
3James Prichard Hannah, b. 24 May, 1905.
3Charlotte Ruth Hannah, b. 9 July, 1907.
3Mark Bradley Hannah, b. 8 Jan. 1909.

2Frank Prichard, b. 13 Jan. 1880, d. 6 Aug. 1893.
2Charles D. Prichard, b. 12 Mar. 1882, m. 4 Nov. 1909, to Carrie Queen.
2Watt M. Prichard, b. 8 Jan. 1885. He is engaged in the practice of law at Catlettsburg, Ky., and gives promise of a bright future.
2Lula Prichard, b. 31 Oct. 1889, d. 3d April, 1911, unmarried.
LEWIS PRICHARD, son of William Prichard, b. 12 June, 1800, d. 23 Nov. 1879, m. Lucy Toler, who d. 30 Dec. 1883. The following is the account of the death of Lewis Prichard contained in a newspaper then published in Catlettsburg, Ky., viz:

"DIED: Lewis Prichard, at his home in this county on the 23rd inst., near Round Bottom, at the age of 79 years. He was born in Russell County, Virginia; and emigrated with his parents to Kentucky when 11 years old. He was married in early life to Lucy Toler who survives him—also do 8 children. This another of our old pioneers has passed away. 'Uncle Lewis' as he was familiarly called by everybody, leaves behind him as a heritage to his children, an untarnished life. He was a genial friend, a kind neighbor, and a devoted husband and father; and he will be missed by many of the poor who always turned to him for relief and never were refused help. He was the soul of good humor and wit, was fond of regaling his neighbors and friends with a ceaseless number of good jokes and anecdotes. He never saw the dark side of life, but was always cheerful and contented. One noticeable fact in his life is that he never executed his note to any human being. Peace to his ashes. 'He rests well'"

The following is the account of the death of Mrs. Lucy Prichard as published in a newspaper of that date, viz:

"On Sunday morning last, about 9 o'clock, Mrs. Lucy Prichard died at the old family homestead in Boyd Co., near Buchannan Postoffice, at the advanced age of about 82 years. Her death was not unexpected by her devoted children and friends, as her physical
powers had become so much exhausted that she had been confined to her bed for about five months.

Mrs. Prichard was the widow of Lewis Prichard, Sr., deceased, and was the mother of twelve children, nine of whom were sons and three daughters. Seven sons, to-wit: William, Joseph, Lewis, of Grayson, James, Robert H. and C. C., of Catlettsburg, and Richard, of Louisa, and two daughters, Mrs. Lucinda Faulkner and Mrs. Sarah Vaughn, survive their mother. Mrs. Prichard had lived upon the farm where she died for about 50 years, and there raised her large family of children whose characters and positions in social and financial circles bear testimony of the careful and faithful training they received from a devoted and loving mother.

No mother was ever more beloved and venerated by her children or held in higher esteem by her neighbors than was Mrs. Prichard. Her work upon earth was well done; it is finished, may she rest peacefully in the world beyond the 'dark river'."

Their first home was on the waters of Rush Creek, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, a short distance from their last and permanent home. At the time of their marriage Mr. Prichard could neither read nor write, but his wife soon taught him these accomplishments. He has related to his son, Lewis, how when a boy he had worked for the persons who then owned the farm on which he last resided; and, how at that time, he longed for such a farm, until his longing became the central point of his ambition which he finally accomplished. This incident is descriptive of a characteristic which he transmitted to his posterity from whom it may be observed to emulate on all occasions. Mention
can scarcely be made of a single object upon which a descendant of Lewis Prichard has centered his desire that has failed of accomplishment.

The children of Lewis Prichard, Sr., were twelve in number.

1CHILD, a son, who died in infancy, unnamed.

1SARAH PRICHARD, daughter of Lewis Prichard, b. 4 May, 1823, in Lawrence Co., Ky., d. 27 July, 1898, in Richardson Co., Neb., m. 26 Jan. 1846, in Wayne Co., W. Va., to Abraham Vaughan, who died many years ago. Their children were as follows:

2TOLITHA VAUGHAN, b. 16 Dec. 1847, at Wayne Co., W. Va., d. 10 Nov. 1858 in Hamilton Co., O.

2LEWIS PRESTON VAUGHAN, b. 10 Mar. 1850, in Wayne Co., W. Va., m. 21 June, 1883, at Brownsville, Neb., to Lillie Wyne. Their children were as follows:

3GROVER VAUGHAN, b. 22 June, 1884, in Hodgeman Co., Kan.

3LOYD THOMAS VAUGHAN, b. 6 June, 1886, in Hodgeman Co., Kan.

3GEORGE LEWIS VAUGHAN, b. 31 Oct. 1888, in Hodgeman Co., Kan., m. 23 Sept. 1909, to Pearl Frances Wagoner in Richardson Co., Neb.

3CLARENCE LESLIE VAUGHAN, b. 30 Nov. 1890, in Hodgeman Co., Kan.

3EDNA MAY VAUGHAN, b. 22 May, 1893, in Hodgeman Co., Kan.

3JESSIE DELBERT VAUGHAN, b. 28 Apr. 1900, in Payne Co., Okla.

2CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS VAUGHAN, b. 21 Jan. 1852, in
Wayne Co., Va., d. 8 Nov. 1877, in Richardson Co., Neb. Unmarried.

2Andrew Jackson Vaughan, b. 1 Oct. 1854, in Wayne Co., Va., m. 3 July, 1879, to Clara Louisa Bennett in Richardson Co., Neb. Their children were as follows:

3Florence Mabelle Vaughan, b. 18 Aug. 1880, in Richardson Co., Neb., m. 2 Oct. 1909, to Dr. Frank Vest Cason, at Liberal, Kansas.

3George Franklin Vaughan, b. 2 Feb. 1882, in Richardson Co., Neb.

3Rolla B. Vaughan, b. 5 July, 1884, in Richardson Co., Neb., m. 27 Jan. 1909, to Teresa Leasenfelt, at Phoenix, Arizona.


2Sarah Ann Vaughan, b. 28 Jan. 1859, in Lawrence Co., O., m. 21 May, 1878, to George Thomas Jones in Richardson Co., Neb. To this marriage the following children were born:

3James Herbert Jones, b. 9 Mar. 1879, in Richardson Co., Neb., m. 27 May, 1901, to Birdie May King, in Pawnee Co., Neb. Their children were as follows:


4Frances Mildred Jones, b. 2 June 1906, in Richardson Co., Neb.


ABRAHAM GIRARD VAUGHAN, b. 1861, in Lawrence Co., O., d. in infancy.

LAURA LUCINDA VAUGHAN, b. 24 Jan. 1864, in Lawrence Co., O., m. 21 Feb. 1881, to Leander C. Prichard, the son of William Prichard, of whom mention is made hereafter. They have no children.

MARY ANN PRICHARD, the third child of Lewis Prichard, was b. 16 May, 1824, in Lawrence Co., Ky., and d. 17 Sept. 1846, in Lawrence Co., Ky. She was never married.

WILLIAM PRICHARD, son of Lewis Prichard, b. 9 June, 1827, d. 12 Feb. 1906, m. 15 Mar. 1853, to Caroline Newman who d. 10 Jan. 1881. He was an industrious well to do farmer, and owned the second farm below that of his father on the waters of the Big Sandy River in Boyd Co., Ky. To this marriage the following children were born:

LEANDER C. PRICHARD, b. 15 Jan. 1854, in Boyd (then Lawrence) Co., Ky., m. 21 Feb. 1881, to Laura Lucinda Vaughan, of Richardson Co., Neb. They have never had any children. They reside at Falls City, Neb. Mr. Prichard is sober, energetic and capable. His wife is a strong minded sensible woman.

COLUMBUS B. PRICHARD, b. 4 Oct. 1856, d. 27 Nov. 1879, m. 14 Mar. 1878, to Alice Newman of Wayne Co.,
W. Va. Immediately after their marriage they emigrated from Kentucky to Neosho Co., Kan., where Mr. Prichard died, and where their only child was born. He was:

3Clyde C. Prichard, b. 23 Dec. 1878, at Neosho Co., Kan., d. 14 Dec. 1908, at Portsmouth, O., m. 30 Oct. 1904 to Annie L. Staley, at Catlettsburg, Ky. They had one child, viz:

Lois Alice Prichard, b. 19 Feb. 1906, at Portsmouth, O.

2James Prichard, b. 1859, d. 8 Jan. 1881. Unmarried.

2Laura Annie Prichard, b. 24 Jan. 1862, in Boyd Co., Ky., d. 8 Jan. 1881, unmarried. The following is the newspaper account of the death of James and Laura Prichard which has been found in an old scrap-book: "On last Saturday James and Laura Prichard, son and daughter of Mr. Wm. Prichard, of this county, died of typhoid fever, aged: James 23, Laura, 19. We regret to say that Mr. Prichard's wife and two more of his children are suffering with this terrible disease, with little hopes for either to recover. This is truly a sad occurrence, and the many friends of the family here extend to them their heartfelt sympathy.

"Later—Mrs. Prichard died last Monday morning and the two children are no better."

2Virginia A. Prichard, b. 1 July, 1864, in Boyd Co., Ky., d. 25 Feb. 1894, in Wayne Co., W. Va., m. 23 Oct. 1891, to Hamilton M. Bloss at Huntington, W. Va. On the day she died her only child was born, viz:

ROBERT L. PRICHARD, b. 4 Aug, 1866, in Boyd Co., Ky., m. 4 April 1890, at Ironton, O., to Belle Lana, who was b. 24 Oct. 1868. To this marriage were born three children, as follows:

WILLIAM PRICHARD, b. 23 Jan. 1892.
REBA PRICHARD, b. 20 Nov. 1894.
DELBERT PRICHARD, b. 4 Nov. 1897.

ANDREW JACKSON PRICHARD, son of Lewis Prichard, b. 28 Sept. 1828, d. 6 Feb. 1868, m. 17 April, 1856, to Nancy Jane Burgess who was b. 17 Feb. 1837, and d. 21 Jan. 1878. He was a prosperous farmer; a good neighbor; a handsome man—tall and straight, and weighing about 165 pounds. He built a splendid brick house on his farm in Lawrence (now Boyd) Co., Ky., on the waters of the Big Sandy River, about eight miles above its mouth, and within a short distance from his birth-place, and lived there until his death. He served by election, in the Kentucky Legislature from 1855 to 1857, as a delegate from Lawrence County. His election was not due to any political influence, but was purely a compliment to his merit, and manly bearing toward all his neighbors. His children were:

GEORGE A. PRICHARD, b. 11 July, 1857, d. 19 Aug. 1857.
THOMAS JEFFERSON PRICHARD, b. 25 Dec. 1858, d. 5 Oct. 1904, m. 5 Nov. 1889, to Mariamme Fretwell, at Paris, Ky. Before attending a medical college, he studied medicine under the direction of his uncle, Dr. Lewis Prichard, at Grayson, Ky. After finishing his course in the study of medicine, and
receiving his diploma, he located in the City of Huntington, W. Va., where he built an immense practice, and became an eminent physician and surgeon. He accumulated considerable wealth; and his death, due to blood poison, occasioned deep regret and sorrow in the City of Huntington, where he was greatly beloved. To the foregoing marriage were born the following children:

3Edward Fretwell Prichard, b. 20 May, 1891.
3Thomas Taylor Prichard, b. 15 May, 1893.

2Emily Lucy Prichard, b. 23 Feb. 1861, m. 23 Feb. 1881, to Watson L. Andrews. They now reside at Ashland, Ky. Their children are as follows:
3Ernest Bickmore Andrews, b. 8 Nov. 1883.

2James Lewis Prichard, b. 16 May, 1863, d. 25 Nov. 1907, m. 21 Jan. 1895, to Fannie Marr, daughter of Thomas L. Marr, of Catlettsburg, Ky. He was a very successful business man, and resided at Huntington, W. Va., at the time of his death, where he was in charge of a large cold storage house. His children were:
3Pauline Marr Prichard, b. 1 Oct. 1896.
3Thomas Jefferson Prichard, b. 26 Feb. 1899.
3Fannie Belle Prichard, b. 5 May, 1901.
3Matilda Jane Prichard, b. 2 Mar. 1903.

2Alice Lee Prichard, b. 2 Jan. 1866, d. 27 Jan. 1866.

2Jenkins Anne Prichard, b. 15 Feb. 1867, m. 4 Nov. 1891, to George Washington Calvin, who was b. 2 June, 1866. Their children were as follows:
3Vincent Prichard Calvin, b. 14 Mar. 1896.
3Emily Elizabeth Calvin, b. 15 Feb. 1904.
LUCINDA PRICHARD, the daughter of Lewis Prichard, b. 13 Mar. 1834, m. 30 April, 1857 to William Ballard Faulkner, who d. 21 July, 1874. For many years they lived upon a farm near Mt. Savage Furnace in Carter Co., Ky. After the death of her husband Mrs. Faulkner continued to live upon this farm, but she finally sold it after her mother became feeble with age and moved back to the home of her childhood on the waters of the Big Sandy River where she cared for her mother until her death; after which she purchased the interest of her brothers and sister in the home place and continues to live there. She is a woman of remarkable intelligence, and a splendid manager. She had nine children, as follows:

1. Mary Elizabeth Faulkner, b. 11 Nov. 1859, d. 15 Dec. 1863.
2. Lucinda Faulkner, b. 23 May, 1860, d. 10 Aug. 1887, m. 12 Feb. 1882 to William Hornbuckle. She had only one child, viz:
3. Lueffie Hornbuckle, b. 3 Dec. 1884, m. 18 Oct. 1903 to Herman Lakin who was b. 4 Nov. 1873. Their children are as follows:
4. Carrie Amelia Lakin, b. 11 Nov. 1907.
2. George B. Faulkner, b. 1 Oct. 1861, m. 10 Dec. 1900 to Anna Belle Alley, of Boyd Co., Ky., where they reside upon a farm near Catlettsburg. He is a man of intelligence and ability. He has no children.
2. Samantha Jane Faulkner, b. 8 Dec. 1863, d. 12 July, 1887, unmarried.
2. Andrew Jackson Faulkner, b. 12 July, 1865, d. 16
Sept. 1906, m. 10 July, 1891 to Cora Bromfield, who now resides in Ashland, Ky. To this union the following children were born:

3 Edith L. Faulkner, b. 22 Jan. 1894.
3 Georgia O. Faulkner, b. 15 May, 1896.
3 Karl P. Faulkner, b. 15 June, 1899.

2 Lewis Faulkner, b. 19 July, 1868. He has never married. He is a devoted and dutiful son; and has always lived with his mother assisting in the work, and managing her farm, and dealing in live stock. He is a man of good business sense; and has been very active and energetic until prevented of late years by superabundant flesh. He weighs 375 pounds.

2 Oscar Faulkner, b. 8 May, 1870, d. 30 Sept. 1872.

2 Emily Faulkner, b. 7 Feb. 1872, m. 18 Oct. 1893 to Hugh M. Smith of Pueblo, Colo., who was b. 28 Nov. 1867. They reside at Pueblo where Mr. Smith is in the employ of the Post-Office Department as a mail carrier. Of their marriage the following children were born, viz:

3 James Ballard Smith, b. 6 Dec. 1894.
3 Lucinda Irma Smith, b. 18 Mar. 1902.
3 Mabel Fern Smith, b. 12 May, 1906.

2 William Ballard Faulkner, b. 10 Dec. 1874. He is a fine specimen of physical manhood, weighing about 225 pounds. He has never married; but has lived with his mother and directed the active work upon her farm along with his brother, Lewis. He is an intelligent, sober and dutiful son, and a good citizen, commanding the respect and admiration of all his neighbors.
JOSEPH PRICHARD, son of Lewis Prichard, b. 3 Nov. 1836, in Lawrence Co., Ky., m. 1861 to Caroline Compton, in Wayne Co., W. Va. He was a black-smith by trade, as was also his brother William Prichard. About the close of the civil war he moved from Kentucky to Richardson Co., Neb., where he opened a black-smith shop, and obtained all the work that he could do. He shortly bought and paid for a splendid farm, and is now a well-to-do man. He is sober, upright and respected in his community. He now resides at Falls City, Neb. His children are as follows:

PHERIBE PRICHARD, b. 14 Aug. 1862, in Lawrence Co., Ky., m. 24 Oct. 1883, to Nathaniel D. Auxier, in Richardson Co., Neb., where they reared their family composed of the following children:

WALTER TALMAGE AUXIER, b. 31 Oct. 1887.

EDWARD ELMER AUXIER, b. 15 Oct. 1889.

MAUD ETHEL AUXIER, b. 25 Mar. 1891, d. 26 Dec. 1893.

RUTH EDNA AUXIER, b. 16 Aug. 1892, d. 26 Dec. 1893.

MARY LUCY PRICHARD, b. 6 June, 1864, in Lawrence Co., Ky., m. 13 Feb. 1887, to Edward Everett Auxier, in Richardson Co., Neb., where their children were born as follows:

MABELLE AUXIER, b. 12 Dec. 1887.

HOMER JOSEPH AUXIER, b. 24 Feb. 1891.

GRACE AUXIER, b. 30 April, 1892.

ETHEL EMERT AUXIER, b. 19 Jan. 1896.

EDWARD JENNINGS AUXIER, b. 10 Jan. 1899.

CLOYD RAYMOND AUXIER, b. 8 July, 1900.

OLIVER BUCHANAN PRICHARD, b. 11 June, 1866, in Rich-
ardson Co., Neb., where he m. 16 Mar. 1893, to Mary E. Culley, of the same county. They never had any children.

2Cora Luticia Prichard, b. 20 Mar. 1868, in Richardson Co., Neb., m. 19 Jan. 1896, to Clinton Hiram Simpson. They reside at Hiawatha, Kan., and have two children, viz:

3Irl Dean Simpson, b. 8 April, 1900.
3Oliver Clinton Simpson, b. 9 June, 1905.

2Hubert Joseph Prichard, b. 27 June, 1871, in Richardson Co., Neb., m. 15 Nov. 1893, to Ada E. Kimmel, of the same county, where their children were born, as follows:

3Alberta Prichard, b. 20 Aug. 1894.
3Wilbur Joseph Prichard, b. 4 Feb. 1898.

2Jacob Prichard, b. Nov. 1873, in Richardson Co., Neb. where he d. 27 Sept. 1878.

2George W. Prichard, b. 29 April, 1876, in Richardson Co., Neb., m. 29 Dec. 1897, to Pink Bloomer, of the same county, who d. 17 Feb. 1909, in said Richardson County where their children were born. He then m. 18 Oct. 1910, Otie Fisher, of Falls City, Neb. His children are—

3Harry Hubert Prichard, b. 26 Jan. 1899.
3Guy Jennings Prichard, b. 7 July, 1901.
LEWIS PRICHARD, the son of Lewis Prichard and the grand-son of William Prichard, was born January 19, 1839, upon the farm now owned and occupied by his sister, Mrs. Lucinda Faulkner, on the waters of the Big Sandy River, near Kavanuagh Chapel, about twelve miles above Catlettsburg, in what was then Lawrence (now Boyd) County, Kentucky. He was one of twelve children, and did general work upon the farm until he reached the age of manhood. His father chose for him the trade of shoe-maker, and he labored as such for a time. The need of education impressed itself upon him at any early date, and he availed himself to the fullest extent of the three months in the year during which the country school was taught. Afterwards he taught the same school for one term of three months which he has since declared to be the longest he ever spent. He began very early to deal in timber; buying the standing trees at a very small price, and conveying the logs to the river where he sold them at considerable profit; thus earning sufficient money to enable him to attend the public school at Catlettsburg for a short time. In 1858 he studied under Professor Benjamin H. Thaxton at Marshall Academy, now Marshall College, in Huntington, West Virginia. The civil war paralyzed business in north-eastern Kentucky, checked commerce, and prevented travel. At the beginning of the war there were large quantities of fallen timber along the head waters of the Big Sandy River which were carried away by the high water, the owners of the timber being afraid to follow and reclaim their property during the period of the war for the reason that the entire country along the headwaters of the Big Sandy River during that time was beset with
Dr. Lewis Prichard.
thieves and cut-throat. Much of this timber was caught and held by Lewis Prichard upon his father's farm; and, as no one came to claim it, he rafted and floated it down the Big Sandy and the Ohio to Cincinnati where he sold it and, in this way, saved something more than a thousand dollars. With this he was enabled to obtain some further education. He then entered school at Decatur, Ohio, where he remained only a short time owing to the sectional feeling that existed there during the progress of the war. He next entered a school taught by Professor Louise, at South Salem, O. After remaining there a short time he entered a school taught by Professor Holbrook at Lebanon, Ohio, and was there when President Lincoln was assassinated. This act occasioned an outbreak of sectional feeling at Lebanon, which led him to retrace his steps homeward again. In the year 1865 he entered upon the study of medicine at the University of Michigan, where he remained for two years, finished his course, and was graduated with honors. Of his timber money he then had left only enough to pay his fare to Cincinnati. There he met Mr. James Bartram who was greatly pleased to advance him twenty dollars, and he soon reached his home again where his father, in appreciation of his pluck, presented him with a claim for five hundred dollars against Mr. John D. Mimms of Catlettsburg, Kentucky, which was paid forthwith. This was all he ever received from his parents' estate except the sum of eight hundred dollars which he obtained for his interest in his father's farm after the death of his parents, and after the real need of it had passed away. In the Spring or early Summer of 1867
he began the practice of medicine in Grayson, Carter County, Kentucky, having become associated with Dr. William D. Jones who was then the leading physician in that county. Not long afterwards Dr. Jones retired from active practice leaving his young associate alone in the midst of a large and growing practice. He proved himself equal to the occasion and, by the most untiring devotion to duty, steadily arose in his profession until he was acknowledged by all to be the leading physician and surgeon in northeastern Kentucky. On January 7th, 1868, he was married by the Rev. John T. Johnson of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, to Sarah Belle Mead, the fourth child of Henry Armstead Mead, at the latter's home, just opposite Ironton, Ohio, and about half a mile below the village of Russell, in Greenup County, Kentucky. Twenty-eight dollars was the sum of all his wealth on his wedding day and, of this, he gave fifteen dollars to the preacher. In the course of the six months following their marriage her father gave Mrs. Prichard various sums of money aggregating $1250.00 all of which she turned over to her husband. During the first few months of their marriage they boarded at the home of Mr. Elias P. Davis, a highly respected citizen of Grayson. About two months after his marriage Dr. Prichard purchased a small cottage on the out-skirts of Grayson, surrounded by some ten or fifteen acres of land, at a cost of $1100.00. On this miniature farm they lived until after all their children were born. Here Dr. Prichard planted a splendid apple and peach orchard and cultivated the balance of his land at such times as he was not attending the sick, while his wife did all her own house
work including the washing, mending, cooking and care
of her children. By economy and industry their prop­
erty steadily increased, and Dr. Prichard dealt consid­
erably in real estate besides having a small drug store
in one corner of which he conducted a small banking
business which he disposed of in the latter part of the
year 1875 when he went to New York for a post-gradu­
ate course in surgery. The following newspaper clipp­
ing of that date appears in an old scrap book kept by
Mrs. Prichard: "Dr. L. Prichard has sold out his stock
in the Grayson Banking Company and has ceased to be
president of that institution. James Osenton is now
president. The stockholders are now James Osenton,
C. C. Magann, Merritt Magann and E. B. Wilhoit. Dr.
Prichard is going to the city of New York to attend the
lectures on surgery." In 1884 Dr. Prichard became
one of the charter members of The Charleston National
Bank which was promoted by his brother-in-law, Mr.
Charles P. Mead who became its president during the
second year of its organization when it had a capital
stock of $50,000.00. In 1888 Mr. Mead died and Dr.
Prichard succeeded him as president of the bank, its
capital stock being then $75,000.00. Under Dr. Prich­
ard’s progressive management the bank has steadily
grown until in the year 1912 it has a capital stock of
$500,000.00, a surplus of $500,000.00 and undivided
profits amounting to perhaps $100,000.00. This stands
as a fitting testimony of his business ability. He owns
almost half of its capital stock, besides large blocks of
stock in some fifteen other banking institutions,
and some 20,000 acres of coal lands in West Virginia,
besides considerable other property. Among the de-
descendants of William Prichard, Dr. Lewis Prichard easily commands the highest rank in the world of business. His wife joined him in Charleston, West Virginia, in the fall of 1889. Since that time his home has been continuously in Charleston where he holds a place among its very best citizens, being honored and respected by all who know him. He has three sons—

2**Henry Lewis Prichard**, b. 25 Dec. 1868, m. 16 Oct. 1895, to Emma Elizabeth Walker, at the First Presbyterian Church, Charleston, W. Va., by Rev. John C. Barr. She was b. 6 Aug. 1871, and is the daughter of the late Henry S. Walker who was, perhaps, the greatest political orator that West Virginia ever had. Mr. Prichard was graduated at the University of Notre Dame, Ind., in June, 1890, in the sciences. Since that time he has been connected with The Charleston National Bank of which his father is president, he being its cashier for the past ten or twelve years, and having by his care and watchfulness contributed largely to the growth of the bank. He has two sons—

3**Henry Lewis Prichard**, b. 9 Sept. 1903, at 8 o'clock p. m., eastern time, at Charleston, W. Va.

3**Frederick Walker Prichard**, b. 26 Dec. 1906, at 9 o'clock p. m., eastern time, at Charleston, W. Va.

2**Frederick Charles Prichard**, b. 1 Mar. 1871; m. 24 Oct. 1894, to Alice Clare Wilson at the residence of the bride's father, Hardy Wilson, at La Porte, Ind., by the Rev. E. B. Newcomb. She was b. 31 Aug. 1873. They never had any children.
He studied for a number of years at the University Notre Dame, Ind. He now lives in the City of Huntington, W. Va., where on February 14, 1912, the following was published concerning him in a newspaper of that place: "The name of Fred C. Prichard rightly belongs to any 'Who's Who' estimate of the citizenship of this city. True, he has only lived here something like two years, and was before coming a comparative stranger to our people, but it took much less than two years to show the discerning that Mr. Prichard belonged to that forceful, aggressive class of men who build cities and help to make any community in which they live worth while. Mr. Prichard was born in Grayson, Carter County, Kentucky, forty years ago, and is of the sturdiest Welsh stock which has settled in this part of the United States. His experiences have been of a varied character, and they all tend to develope the well rounded, self reliant, successful man that he is. He never knew what idleness was from his earliest boyhood and he does not know what it is now; but he does know all about work with his hands and brain. His early experiences included the farm, the tobacco warehouse, and similar occupations, but his education was not neglected in the meantime, and he was just as earnest and assiduous in his studies as in all things else. He passed four years at the University of Notre Dame, at South Bend, Indiana, where his studies included a complete course of civil engineering. He went to Charleston after his university course, and in and about that city worked for
eight years, being employed variously in a bank, a wholesale grocery, and in the conduct of a retail business. In 1899 he went to Fayette county and took the position of first superintendent of the White Oak Fuel Company. He subsequently became interested in other mines and in the ownership of mining properties, and it is needless to say that he made a success of all these enterprises. Shortly after going to Fayette County he became associated with Mr. Houghton A. Robson, in his business enterprises and that association continues. In February, 1909, he and Mr. Robson bought the lot upon which the Robson-Prichard building now stands, and shortly thereafter Mr. Prichard took up his permanent abode in this city. In the fall of 1909 work on the ten story building began, and while the building was under the supervision of competent architects, Mr. Prichard was himself the most competent person in that supervision, and saw to it that the most conspicuous structure yet erected in the city was built strictly according to plans and specifications. In addition to the ground upon which this building is erected, Mr. Prichard and his associate own a frontage on either side of Ninth Street, aggregating two hundred and seventy and one-half feet, a portion of which is improved property, and all of which in the near future will be built upon. They are interested as half owners in a sixty foot frontage on Seventh Avenue, facing what will be the new station grounds, and own several other pieces of valuable real estate in the city, as well. It was a
good day, in fact one of the best days for this city, when Fred Prichard's trained eye looked up and down its streets and avenues, and realized that here was the place to pitch his tent for life. Within the year last past, he has organized the Huntington Banking & Trust Company, with a capital of three hundred thousand dollars, the active management of which is in his hands. This institution has grown steadily from its first day of business, the twenty-second day of last May, and now has more than a half million dollars of assets. Mr. Prichard married Miss Alice Clare Wilson, of Laporte, Indiana, seventeen years ago, and is a thoroughly domestic man in his habits, being always at home when he is not at work. The foregoing facts indicate why Mr. Prichard must be reckoned among the 'Who's Who' folk; and in view of the fact that he has unshaken and unshakable faith in the city of his home and has now reached the point of ripened experience, and trained, undiminished energy, what he has done for the city may be regarded as only a promise of what he will do hereafter towards its growth and development. In manner, Mr. Prichard, while prompt and decisive, is always quiet and unassuming, as men of force and high capacity most often are, and as men know him better, their admiration will not be confined to his business talents and energy, but they will learn to esteem him for many fine and gentle qualities which he possesses, and which association and knowledge will discover to them. Twenty years from now Fred C. Prichard will have surely established his place as one of the city of Hunting-
ton's greatest builders and developers. He is already that, but his good works will only cease to grow when he ceases to live.'”

2 (Armstead) Mead Prichard, b. 9 Sept. 1875, at 7 o'clock p. m. (standard time), at Grayson, Carter Co., Ky., m. 7 Jan. 1902, to Lydia Bahlmann Robson, at the residence of her uncle, Houghton A. Robson, at Charleston, W. Va., by the Rev. R. E. Vinson, of the First Presbyterian Church of that city. She was b. 1 Nov. 1880, in Fayette Co., W. Va., and d. 19 June, 1910, at Charleston. Mr. Prichard then m. 10 Oct. 1911, Betty Douglass Robson, at the home of her parents in Culpepper Co., Va.; the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Charles Clemens. Mr. Prichard was christened and baptised simply as Mead Prichard, the further name of Armstead being added many years thereafter. He studied at the University of Notre Dame, Ind., from Sept. 1889, until Feb. 1896. He then began to read law at his home in Charleston, W. Va. He studied law at the University of West Virginia from Sept. 1896 until June, 1897, and was awarded the degree of Bachelor of Arts in Law by that University. He was admitted to practice law in the Circuit Court of Kanawha County, W. Va., June 21, 1897, and continued such practice until Aug. 1910, when he entered The Charleston National Bank as Assistant Cashier. Two children were born of his first marriage—

3 Belle Mead Prichard, b. 15 Aug. 1905, at 9:20 o'clock, a. m. (eastern time), at the residence of Dr. L. Prichard, in Charleston, W. Va. She
was baptized 26 June, 1910, at the First Presbyterian Church, Charleston, W. Va., by Rev. Ernest Thompson, its pastor.

3LYDIA ROBSON PRICHARD, b. 4 Jan. 1908, at 5 o’clock a. m. (eastern time) at her father’s cottage, Charleston, W. Va. On the evening of May 26th, 1910, although both she and her sister were just recovering from measles, their parents took them out in the night air and showed them Halley’s Comet which was plainly visible in the west, its tail stretching far back across the sky.

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1JAMES PRICHARD, son of Lewis Prichard, b. 16 Oct. 1841; d. 3 Dec. 1910; m. 10 Aug. 1870, to Henrietta Smith, at the residence of the bride’s father, Lindsey Smith, at Round Bottom, Wayne Co., W. Va. They never had any children of their own, but assisted in raising several of their relatives’ children. Round Bottom is now called “Prichard” in honor of this man who lived there from shortly after the close of the civil war until his death, conducting a small country store, trading in land and live stock, and amassing considerable wealth. He was a man without education such as is acquired in the school room, but he had large experience in the school of business, and was a man of many parts.

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4ROBERT H. PRICHARD, son of Lewis Prichard, b. 28 Feb. 1844, d. 17 June, 1899, m. 16 Jan. 1873, to Mary
Elizabeth Campbell, at the residence of the bride’s uncle, Mr. H. A. Mead, in Greenup Co., Ky. He was a man of good sense and judgment. He lived in Catlettsburg, Ky., and was at one time a large timber dealer. He owned and occupied the house erected and occupied by John D. Mimms as a residence, and which is now owned and occupied by George Clay. No man in Catlettsburg stood higher in the estimation of his neighbors than did Robert H. Prichard. Toward the end of his life the accumulation of superabundant flesh un­fitted him for business; and his affairs, under the direction of his subordinates, went to pieces. His children were:

2 Colbert Cecil Prichard, b. 10 Nov. 1873, d. 19 Feb. 1875.

2 Mary A. Prichard, b. 19 Nov. 1875, d. 19 Nov. 1875.

2 Lucy Prichard, b. 26 Oct. 1876. She was graduated at Vassar College in June, 1899, and has taught ever since, being Principle of the High School at Huntington, W. Va., at this time. She is a woman of splendid sense and education, and has the faculty of commanding the respect and admiration of her pupils.

2 Karl C. Prichard, b. 23 Jan. 1879, m. 2 June, 1908, to Elizabeth Anna Morrison, at the residence of the bride’s father, Charles A. Morrison, at Easton, Pa. In 1902 he was awarded the degree of Ph. B. by Lafayette College, at Easton, Pa. In 1906 he was graduated in medicine at the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa. He spent one year (1906-1907) in hospital work at Easton Hospital, Easton, Pa.; and since that time he has been en-
gaged in the practice of medicine at Huntington, W. Va. He is sober, attentive to business and capable, and is measuring up well to expectations.

1COLUMBUS PRICHARD, son of Lewis Prichard, b. 16 Sept. 1846, m. 15 Dec. 1871, to Virginia Caroline Burgess who was b. 12 Mar. 1847 and d. 5 July, 1902. Until recently he conducted and owned a large wholesale grocery store in Catlettsburg, Ky., where he accumulated a great deal of wealth. He now lives in Ashland, Ky. His children were:

1TAYLOR BASCOM PRICHARD, b. 6 May, 1873, d. 15 Dec. 1874.

2CHARLES HAMPTON PRICHARD, b. 25 Jan. 1876, m. 24 Oct. 1900, to Ceres Kenner of Catlettsburg, Ky., who was b. 22 Aug. 1881.

1RICHARD J. PRICHARD, b. 11 April, 1850, d. 21 Aug. 1903, m. 30 Jan. 1878 to Victoria Vinson, of Louisa, Ky., who was b. 28 June, 1860. He was engaged in the mercantile business at Louisa, Ky., for many years previous to his death; and occupied a high position as a mason and Knight Templar. His children were:

2LUCIE VINSON PRICHARD, b. 13 Jan. 1879, d. 20 Jan. 1902, m. to Edgar Brown Hager, of Ashland, Ky., who was b. 6 Dec. 1868. Their children were:

3EDGAR BROWN HAGER, JR., b. 2 Dec. 1899.

3VIRGINIA PATTON HAGER, b. 23 Mar. 1901.

2GEORGIA FINLEY PRICHARD, b. 3 July, 1887, d. 26 Feb. 1888.
ELIZABETH PRICHARD, daughter of William Prichard, b. 20 June, 1809, d. 1 July, 1892, m. 20 Aug. 1825, to Samuel White who was b. 29 May, 1801, and d. 24 July, 1888. To this marriage were born 11 children, viz:

1William White, b. 5 July, 1826.
1Alfred White, b. 13 Oct. 1830.
1Mary Ann White, b. 29 June, 1833; m. 5 April, 1860, to James Lakin. To this marriage were born two children, viz:

2Elizabeth Lakin, b. 8 April, 1861.
2Catherine Lakin, b. 22 May, 1862, m. 26 Dec. 1881, to Charles Higgins. To this marriage were born six children, viz:

3Frederick Higgins, b. 30 Sept. 1883, d. 3 Feb. 1897.
3Effie Elizabeth Higgins, b. 8 Dec. 1885, m. 10 Jan. 1907, to Clem Atkins.
3Sallie Ann Higgins, b. 21 May, 1888, m. 22 Nov. 1906, to Oscar Riffe. They have one child, viz:

4George W. Riffe, b. 1 Jan. 1909.
3Delbert Higgins, b. 1 Feb. 1890.
3Hearl H. Higgins, b. 10 Oct. 1891.
3Sophia Ethel Higgins, b. 26 April, 1895.

1Sarah White, b. 18 Oct. 1835.
1James White, b. 1 Mar. 1838.
1Bethany White, b. 30 Nov. 1839.
1Susan White, b. 24 Feb. 1843.
1Elizabeth White, b. 30 Sept. 1845.
1Henry White, b. 8 April, 1848, m. 31 Aug. 1882, to Ar-
letta Campbell. To this marriage were born 13 children, viz:

2WALTER WHITE, b. 1 Sept. 1883, d. 3 Aug. 1885.
2CHARLES WHITE, b. 24 Aug. 1884, d. 13 Jan. 1894.
2ZILLAH E. WHITE, b. 2 Sept. 1886.
2BERNARD WHITE, b. 18 April, 1888.
2MARY E. WHITE, b. 6 Sept. 1889.
2MARTHA J. WHITE, b. 28 June, 1891, m. 3 June, 1907, to Dode Field. To this marriage were born 3Two Children, who died in infancy 8 May, 1909, and 22 Feb. 1910, respectively.
2SARAH A. WHITE, b. 16 Feb. 1893.
2EMILY F. WHITE, b. 4 July, 1895.
2ALBERT WHITE, b. 25 Feb. 1897.
2AMERICA WHITE, b. 21 Oct. 1899.
2BASCOM WHITE, b. 15 Nov. 1902.
2HARRY WHITE, b. 28 Nov. 1904.
2RUSSELL WHITE, b. 25 Jan. 1908, d. 12 Feb. 1908.
1ROBERT E. WHITE, b. 27 Sept. 1850.
1LENZY WHITE, b. 3 Oct. 1852.