# THE KIDDS OF CAMPBELL COUNTY, VIRGINIA, INCLUDING THE CITY OF LYNCHBURG,

1782 - 1850

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#### INTRODUCTION

This document is a compendium (or inventory) of all historical records found to date that mention one or more individuals with the surname of Kidd in Campbell County, Virginia from the time of its founding in 1781 through 1850. Because the city of Lynchburg was created from Campbell County in 1852, and because for a period of time prior to that Lynchburg created records separate from the adjacent counties, including Campbell County, we've included Lynchburg records in this compilation.

We began the ambitious task of producing these documents for over twenty Virginia counties with several objectives:

- 1. To find virtually every existing record mentioning the surname of Kidd in these Virginia counties prior to 1850;
- 2. To analyze these records and ascertain (if possible) whether the individuals are descendants of the Thomas Kidd who arrived in the Virginia colony by 1648, and if so, their line of descent; and
- 3. To distinguish between proven, documented relationships and those which are widely shared and held to be accurate, but for which proof is minimal or non-existent.

# CAMPBELL COUNTY and the CITY OF LYNCHBURG, and their records

Campbell County, Virginia was formed on 1 February 1782 from Bedford County. It is named after the Revolutionary War hero General William Campbell, who won fame at the 1780 Battle of Kings Mountain. The county seat is Rustburg. The earliest settlement in what is now Campbell County occurred about 1736 at Hat Creek, by a group of Scotch-Irish pioneers from Pennsylvania.

The Clerk of Circuit Court has marriage, divorce, land, tax, and probate records from 1782. The 1790 and 1800 federal censuses for this and all other Virginia counties do not survive. The city of Lynchburg lies in the northwestern corner of Campbell County, nestled between Amherst, Bedford and Campbell Counties. Lynchburg became an Independent City in 1852.

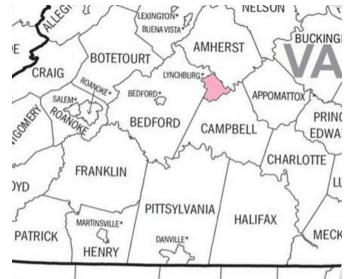


FIGURE: Depiction of the current-day boundaries of Campbell County and the Independent City of Lynchburg.

The Kidds of Lynchburg and Campbell County are a varied lot. Of the individuals who left records in Campbell County, only a few created enough records or were there long enough to enable us to determine their Kidd family connections. One reason may be that Lynchburg, given its size and central location in the state, was already a 19<sup>th</sup> century urban area with people migrating in, out, or through the area. We have included every Kidd record we found in this compilation, in the hope that some of them will prove useful to future researchers.

#### SOME TIPS ON USING THIS DOCUMENT

All the links in this compilation were working as of September 2024.

Sources used in the creation of this document are listed in the <u>APPENDIX</u>, found on page 72 and following.

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#### ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS WORK:

MSX = Middlesex County PPTL(s) = Personal property tax list(s) LTL(s) = Land Tax List(s) SKK = Sandra K.Kidd, one of the authors

Names in **RED FONT** have been added to the Family Tree that we are constructing on Ancestry.com, that includes all the DOCUMENTED descendants of Thomas 1 Kidd of Middlesex County, Virginia, along with other Kidd family patriarchs whose connection to Thomas 1 Kidd is at present unknown. This tree can be found at: <a href="https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/37652986/family">https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/37652986/family</a>

You may have to copy this URL and paste it into your browser to reach this tree. Once there, be sure to look in the Media Gallery of these individuals, to see what documents and other sources have been added.

#### **EXPLANATION OF THE GENERATIONAL NUMBERING SYSTEM WE USE**

Before you get started, an explanation of the numbering system we have used in this document is in order: The number following an individual's name in this compilation indicates the number of generations relative to our common ancestor, Thomas 1 Kidd. Thus, for example, "George4 (Benjamin3, William2, Thomas 1)" is short-hand for "George Kidd, 4 generations down from Thomas the immigrant, and the son of Benjamin3, grandson of William2, etc."

Again, the numbers used in this system refer to the generation of each named individual, *relative to Thomas 1 Kidd*, the patriarch of our Kidd family.

Our Kidd ancestors favored several names, and repeated them in each generation; George, James and Benjamin were used in nearly every generation, in multiple branches of a family. In order to separate these individuals with shared names but in the same location and generation, we have arbitrarily listed them as James5a, James5b, etc.

AND NOW, TO THE KIDDS OF LYNCHBURG & CAMPBELL COUNTY, VIRGINIA!

# AN ALPHABETICAL LISTING OF ALL CAMPBELL COUNTY KIDDS BY GIVEN NAME, THEN BY CHRONOLOGICAL APPEARANCE

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This document is a compilation of all citations of individuals with the surname of Kidd in Campbell County, Virginia from 1782 to 1850. Within it, individuals appear in alphabetical order, by their given name. Entries for each individual are arranged in chronological order, and where more than one person has the same given name, we've attempted to distinguish between them by other factors, such as varying amounts of land, slaves or other property, etc. When that is not possible, we've left the data elements under one name, while recognizing that those facts may represent more than one person.

**Remember:** names in **RED FONT** have been added to the MSX Kidds Tree at Ancestry.com

ADELINE KIDD, the daughter of William and Nancy O. Kidd of Lynchburg, Virginia<sup>1</sup> Born abt 1804<sup>2</sup>

Married (1) or had children with George W. Baltimore<sup>3</sup> Married (2) Robert S. Fields on 28 Feb 1831 in Lynchburg, VA

Died 19 July 1867 in Louisville, KY

1830 - The 1830 federal census includes the following Kidds, all in Lynchburg City:

p. 329, line 4 from bottom, Lewis B. Kidd: 1M 5-9, 1 10-14 & 1 50-59; 1F 10-14, 2 15-19, 1 50-59 and 1 60-69;

p. 330, line 2 Delpha Kidd: 1FWM 20-29; 1F 70-79

line 3 Nancy Kidd: 1M 5-9 & 1 10-14; 1F 5-9, 1-10-14 & 1 30-39

line 5 **Adline Kidd**: 1F 15-19, 1 20-29 & 1 30-39; no slaves

line 6 William Kidd: 1M<5, 1 5-9 & 1 40-49; 1F 5-9, 2 15-19. 1 20-29, & 1 40-49; three slaves

line 9 Daniel Kidd: 1 M 30-39

1831 – On 28 February 1831, a marriage bond was issued in Lynchburg, Virginia for Robert S. Fields and **Adeline <u>Baltimore</u>**. <sup>4</sup> The bondsman was **William Kidd**; his relationship to this couple was not stated, but this is most likely William C. Kidd, her brother. On February 27 (one of these dates is in error) 1831, this marriage occurred in Lynchburg, conducted by Caleb Leach. <sup>5</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> She's not named in Nancy O. Kidd's will. However, she is named in Ardelia (Kidd) Houghton's will as Ardelia's sibling, and the sibling of Edmund J. Kidd, who is named in Nancy O. Kidd's will as Nancy's deceased son.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> She is age 30-39 on the 1830 census. Her 1867 death record listed her age at death as 63.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> No marriage record has been found for this couple in *Lynchburg City, Virginia Register of Marriages, 1805-1853*, or elsewhere. George W. Baltimore appears on the 1827 Lynchburg VA PPTLs, and is the only Baltimore male found in Lynchburg in this time period. Ardelia's son William H. Baltimore was born Aug 1827.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 25.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 218 of 255.

We know from other records that the bride here was Adeline Kidd, the sister of Ardelia Kidd, and daughter of Nancy O. and William Kidd. But we don't know which William Kidd served as security for this marriage. Could this be her father? Or is this her brother William C. Kidd? If the latter, he would have been traveling between Lynchburg VA and Louisville KY at this time, because he was on the Louisville Tax Lists in 1830, but not 1831, and the 1832 Louisville Tax Lists are not extant. It seems most likely this is her brother William.<sup>6</sup>

- 1840-1860 We've been unable to find Adeline or Robert S. Fields during this interval.
- 1856 **Adeline Fields** and her son William H. Baltimore are named in the will of Ardelia O. (Kidd) Houghton, as her sister and her sister's son, respectively. See Ardelia's section in this compilation for more information.
- 1859 On 18 January 1859, in Jefferson County Court, on the motion of William H. Baltimore, who made oath according to law, administration with the will annexed of Nancy O. Kidd, dec'd late of this county is granted him. Whereupon he gave bond with **Adaline Field** his security as required by law.<sup>7</sup>
- 1861 **Adeline Fields**, widow of Robert, appears in the 1861 Louisville City Directory, living at 833 Seventh St.<sup>8</sup>
- 1866 **Adeline Fields**, widow of Robert, appears in the 1866 Louisville City Directory, living at 367 West Madison.<sup>9</sup>
- 1867 Adeline Fields died on 19 July 1867 in Louisville, KY at the age of 63 of apoplexy. Her death record says that she was born in Virginia, and at her death, resided in Louisville on Madison, between 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>. It states she was buried the following day in Eastern Cemetery.<sup>10</sup>

There is a headstone in Eastern Cemetery in Louisville, bearing the names **Adaline Fields** and Ardelia Baltimore on one face of that marker.<sup>11</sup> On another face of the <u>same monument</u> are the names: W. H. Baltimore, & M. A. Baltimore. William H. Baltimore was Adeline's son, and Martha Ann Baltimore was his wife.

There are no other inscriptions on this headstone, but it most likely marks the grave of Adaline Kidd Fields and that of Adaline's daughter Ardelia by Adeline's presumed first husband George W. Baltimore, as well as William H. Baltimore and his wife.

ALEXANDER KIDD, SR. – brother of Robert Nelson Kidd (Sr.)<sup>12</sup> and Hudson P. Kidd<sup>13</sup> of Amherst and Nelson Cos, and possibly the son of William Kidd Sr. of Albemarle, Amherst, and Nelson Counties

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Adeline is named as the sister of Ardelia O. (Kidd) Houghton in Houghton's 1857 will, as is Adeline's son, William H. Baltimore. See Ardelia Kidd's section of this compilation.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Court Orders, Minutes, book 22, page 194, retrieved from FHL #811575, image 490 of 680 via familysearch.org. Digital image available.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Ancestry.com.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Ancestry.com.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Kentucky, U.S., Death Records, 1852-1965, on Ancestry.com, image 100 of 923.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Findagrave.com, Memorial #169657046.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> So named in Nelson Co. Chancery Court suit 1836-022,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> So named in Nelson Co. Chancery Court suit 1835-017, in an affidavit signed 20 July 1833, images 24-25 of 61. Digital images of this affidavit are available upon request.

Born ca 1792 in Amherst County<sup>14</sup> Married Charity Willoughby in 1818 in Nelson County Died 17 March 1870 in Nelson County

He left only three records (listed below) in Campbell County, VA. See our Nelson County compilation for more information on him and his ancestry.

- 1814 an **Allexander Kidd** appears on the Campbell County PPTL in this year, along with Lewis B. Kidd; each is charged for their own tithe, and neither slaves nor horses.<sup>15</sup>
- 1820, 1829 **Alexander Kidd** is named in a Lynchburg City Chancery Court suit titled Simon Crisp v Thomas Aldridge *et al.*<sup>16</sup>

This is a complex suit in which Crisp is suing Aldridge over a slave named Peter or Jordan, age more or less 10 years old, valued at \$300-\$350, whom Crisp hired out to **Alexander Kidd** in 1820. Joshua Willoughby gave a deposition in this case, supplying the above information.

**Alexander Kidd** gave a deposition in this case on 8 May 1829, in which he confirmed that he had the slave boy in 1820, and that he surrendered said slave to Landon S. Gowing/Going in December of that year. The defendant Aldridge had moved to Alabama during the suit.

We have found no other records for a man by this name in Campbell County or Lynchburg for the period 1782-1860. Given the mention of Joshua Willoughby above, these citations most likely are for Alexander Kidd Sr. of Nelson County, Virginia.

# ARDELIA O. KIDD, sister of William C. Kidd, and daughter of William and Nancy O.

Kidd<sup>17</sup> Born 15 October 1808<sup>18</sup> Married five times; no children

Died 13 July 1857 in St. Louis, MO

- 1825 On 21 April 1825, a marriage bond was issued in Lynchburg city for Joseph Cohen and **Ardellia O. Kidd**. The bondsman was William Kidd and the witness was James Benagh.<sup>19</sup> On the same day, Joseph Cohen and Ardillia O. Kidd were married in Lynchburg by the pastor of the Lynchburg Baptist Church.<sup>20</sup>
- 1832 On 12 May 1832, **Joseph Cohen** signed his last will and testament in the City of Lynchburg. In it he devised to his beloved wife, **Ardelia Cohen** "all my personal estate in absolute right, except what may be recovered from the Government of the United States, or from the State of Virginia on account of military service rendered by my late father in the War of the Revolution."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Per his affidavits given in his War of 1812 Bounty Land Claim, and his entry on the 1850 census.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> Binnsgenealogy.com, online VA Tax Lists. Scanned image in Campbell Co. folder on Dropbox.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> https://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/case\_detail.asp?CFN=680-1833-024. Personally reviewed by RK at the Library of Virginia Archives in May 2019.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> Not named in Nancy O. Kidd's will, but Ardelia's will names as her siblings several of Nancy O.'s children.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> Per Findagrave.com, Memorial # 73149510.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 13. Digital image of this record was retrieved from Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 7, FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 112 of 255.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 198 of 255.

Of his real estate, he devised one equal moiety to Ardelia, one to his daughter Mary. In his will, he gave power of attorney to his brother, William Cohen to pursue his claim for their father's military service.

He signed (with an X) this will, in the presence of S. J. Wiatt, Samuel Stanley and John Dawson(?).

His will was proved in Lynchburg Hustings Court on 2 July 1832 on the oaths of two of the witnesses to it, and was recorded.<sup>21</sup>

An inventory and appraisement of his personal estate, including two enslaved people, was presented in Court on 3 September 1832, and entered into record. The total value of his personal estate was \$580.57.<sup>22</sup>

On 22 December 1832, a marriage contract was entered into between John S. Turner of the first part, **Ardelia O. Cohen** of the second part, and Robert Cohen of the third part, all of the Town of Lynchburg. Whereas a marriage is intended to be had and solemnized between sd. Turner and sd. Cohen, and whereas sd. Cohen is possessed of considerable estate, real and personal, being the same estate devised to her by the last will and testament of her late husband, Joseph Cohen, dec'd, of record in the Hustings Court of Lynchburg, the parties have agreed that said property be placed in trust administered by Robert Cohen for the sole benefit of said Ardelia Cohen. The trust included a tract of land in Lynchburg; two slaves, Pilip (sic) and Letty; household and kitchen furniture, utensils, etc.; and livestock. Each of the parties signed this deed, and it was admitted to record on this date.<sup>23</sup>

On the same day, John S. Turner and **Ardelia O. Cohen** were married in Lynchburg City, Virginia. Security was Griffin L. Leckie, and D. Rodie served as a witness to this marriage.<sup>24</sup>

1837 – On 19 September 1837, the assessors appointed by the Judge of the Circuit Superior Court in the case of The James River & Kanawha Canal Company vs. James S. Turner and A. D. (sic) Turner reported back to the Court, stating that they had met with the Defendants on this date, upon the lands of the said John S. Turner and A. D. Turner in the Town of Lynchburg, which the Company above has proposed to condemn for their use. The assessors reported that the condemnation would require the destruction of three wooden houses and would result in the need for additional fencing; they assessed these damages resulting from the condemnation would amount to \$350.<sup>25</sup>

It is not evident whether the condemnation proceeded from this record.

On 22 December 1837, John S. Turner and **Adelia (sic) O. Turner** his wife and Samuel J. Wyatt, Trustee for the latter, sold to Willis Bradley for \$275, paid to Adelia O. Turner or to her Trustee, a tract of land in Campbell County on the west side of Rooks(?) Road (detailed description of the parcel in metes and bounds, omitted here) adjoining Meredith, Stephen

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> Lynchburg Hustings Court Will Book B, page 45, retrieved from FHL #1994886, image 47 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> Ibid, WB B, pages 57-59, images 53-54.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> Lynchburg (Independent City) Deed Book L, pages 83-85, retrieved from FHL #1994917, images 282-383 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 131 of 255.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> Campbell County Circuit Court Deed Book 1, 1809-1886, page 131, retrieved from FHL #31037, image 189 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

Perrow and Predham(?) Moore, and containing 44 acres more or less. This deed was signed by J. S. Turner, A. O. Turner and S. A. Wiatt, Trustee.<sup>26</sup>

1839 – On 12 April 1839, William Kidd and Candace his wife of the city of Louisville sold to Samuel J. Wyatt, Trustee of **Ardalia O. Turner** of the town of Lynchburg for \$500, the same being part of the trust fund of the said Ardalia O. held by the said Samuel J. as Trustee a lot or parcel of ground lying on the south side of James River in the Corporation of Lynchburg ...(description of land) ...it being the same property conveyed to the said William Kidd by deed from Meredith Lambeth, Trustee on 7 March 1828, for the sole use of the said **Ardalia O. Turner** in conformity with the provisions of a certain Deed of Marriage Articles entered into by **Ardalia O., then Ardalia O. Cohen** and Robert Cohen, bearing the date of 22 December 1832.

This deed was signed by "Wm C. Kidd" and "Cy Kidd" and proved in Court in Jefferson County, Kentucky.<sup>27</sup>

[In 1842, William C. Kidd's entries on the Louisville, KY Tax List show that in addition to paying his own taxes, he paid, or at least reported the value of the property of "Mrs. Turner" and Nancy O. Kidd.<sup>28</sup>

- 1842 On 16 January 1842, **Ardelia O. Turner** and Nicholas Ward were married in Lynchburg City, VA. Security was Patrick Conlin.<sup>29</sup>
- 1845 On 16 June 1845, Nicholas Ward and his wife **Ardelia Ward** of the Town of Lynchburg entered into a Deed of Separation, as follows:

Whereas various causes of dissention and difference have heretofore arisen & existed between Nicholas Ward and Ardelia O. Ward which have for a long time disturbed and in fact destroyed their happiness as husband and wife, and the said Nicholas and Ardelia are satisfied that the causes ... are permanent and incurable, and the said Ardelia has lately instituted proceedings in the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for the Town of Lynchburg against the said Nicholas in order to procure a decree against him for alimony and a divorce, and since the institution of the same, they have become satisfied that it will promote the peace and happiness of the parties for the said proceedings to be dismissed, and for the parties to enter into a voluntary agreement for their separation, and the separate support and maintenance of the said Ardelia, and the said Nicholas and Ardelia have in fact agreed hereafter to live separately and apart, and the said Nicholas has agreed on his part to relinquish and convey to Henry Dunnington in Trust for the said Ardelia all his right, title and interest in the real estate of Adelia, and also to convey to the said Dunnington in Trust for the same purpose a Negro woman named Rachel and her future increase, and also the household and kitchen furniture not at the residence of Nicholas and Ardelia ...in order to provide for the separate support and maintenance of Ardelia, and the said Ardelia on her part in consideration thereof has agreed to relinquish to Nicholas her dower rights in and to a lot go ground on Diamond Hill near said town and the buildings which he is erecting thereon, and also her right, title and interest that she has or might have against the real

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> Campbell County, Virginia Deed Book 21, pages 414-415, retrieved from FHL #31031, images 442-443 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> Lynchburg Deed Book14, pages 214-216, retrieved from FHL #1994919, images 144-145 of 584, viewable online via familysearch.org, but downloading images prohibited.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> Jefferson County, Ky Tax List, 1842, western division, retrieved from FHL #8055, image 107, retrieved via familysearch.org. Digital image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 164 of 255.

personal or other estate of the said Nicholas and the said Nicholas and Ardelia have further agreed that both Nicholas and Ardelia shall pay their separate debts. Nicholas signed his name to this agreement, while Ardelia signed with an X.<sup>30</sup>

1849 – On 10 July 1849, **Ardelia O. Ward** of St. Louis, Missouri, party of the first part, entered into a Marriage Contract, along with James Snow of the same place, party of the third part, and George W. Barnes, party of the second part in St. Louis, Missouri.<sup>31</sup>
In this lengthy document, Ardelia is establishing a Trust, administered by George W. Barnes, to contain her separate property she currently owns, shielding it from her husband-to-be, John Snow. I've transcribed the first section verbatim, in order to demonstrate how thorough the indenture was:

"Whereas Ardelia O. Ward is possessed of certain personal estate, to wit, two female slaves, known and described as follows: the older called Lucretia, a Black woman of medium height and about twenty-eight years old, and the younger called Caroline, a bright Mulatto female child, the daughter of the said Lucretia, & now in her 3<sup>rd</sup> year. And Certain household & kitchen furniture (a long, detailed list, omitted here) and utensils and implements necessary for family use in the keeping of house. Also Certain real estate, to wit a parcel of land in the Town of Lynchburg on the James River Kanawha Canal at or near the Lynchburg House to which said Ardelia derived title from her former husband, Joseph Cohen, and now held in Trust for the benefit of said Ardelia by one Henry Dunnington of Lynchburg by virtue of a deed of separation from Nicholas Ward, the late husband of said Ardelia Ward, to the said Ardelia, and an estate for years in that later parcel known and described as follows, to wit, in the City of St. Louis, Missouri in Block number 262 (detailed description, omitted here) to which said Ardelia derived title by virtue of a lease for the term of ten years from September 1, 1844 from John A. Fallow to said Ardelia and whereas it hath been understood and agreed by and between the said parties of the first and third parts that whatsoever property or estate whether real or personal which the party of the first part now hath or may hereafter acquire or become entitled to in her own right either by gift, devise, descent, distribution or otherwise ... be duly granted, assigned and conveyed in the trust, thereby secured for her separate use and benefit and placed beyond the control, reach or management of the said third party ... and not be subject of or liable for his present or future debts, responsibilities, etc."

The agreement stipulates that if Ardelia dies after the solemnization of their said marriage, that the contents of the trust shall be transferred and paid out by the Trustee according to the directions left by Ardelia in writing, witnessed by at least two credible witnesses. This agreement was signed by all three parties on 12 July 1849.

This lengthy contract was written in the St. Louis County Marriage Register, rather than in a Deed Book. Interestingly, the entry, though four pages in length, does not include the date or other details of their marriage.

1850 – On 10 July 1850, **Ardelia O. Ward** entered into a Marriage Contract with Ward Houghton, in order to protect her real and personal property that she possessed at the time of this (her

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> City of Lynchburg Deed Book Q, pages 88-90, retrieved from FHL #1994920, images 57-58 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>31 &</sup>quot;Missouri, County Marriage, Naturalization, and Court Records, 1800-1991", , FamilySearch <a href="https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:6DPQ-XRKY">https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:6DPQ-XRKY</a> : Wed Mar 06 20:09:06 UTC 2024), Entry for James Snow and Ordelia O or Ardelia O Ward, 10 Jul 1849.

fourth) marriage.<sup>32</sup> This document includes a complete, detailed list of her property, and is quite similar to the contract she devised for her 1849 marriage to James Snow, above.

Ardelia is found on the 1850 federal census In St. Louis (6<sup>th</sup> Ward), St. Louis County, MO, page 338, HH 385/421:

Ward Houghton 25MW Trade \$5000 Maine

**Ardelia** " 39FW VA

(no others)

The official date of the 1850 federal census was 1 June 1850. But the marriage contract below had not occurred by this date. However, their enumeration occurred on 23 July 1850.

# 1857 – Ardelia O. Houghton died testate on 13 July 1857 in St. Louis, MO.

Her will, which she signed in St. Louis on 8 July 1856, expressed her desire that a burial plot be secured by her executor, either in St. Louis or in Louisville, Jefferson County, KY, where she could be buried, along with her mother (not specifically named in this document), her sister Adeline Fields (recently deceased) and her son William Baltimore could be interred, and that her two brothers, Edmund J. Kidd and Josiah P. Kidd, "who are dead and buried in or near the city of Louisville be removed to said lot to be purchased at my expense out of my estate."

In her will, she made the following specific bequests: To her niece, Maria Virginia Gross (evidently the daughter of Ardelia's sister, Cara Ann, who married Andrew Gross), she devised her gold watch, two gold chains, and all her jewelry; to said niece and to her (Ardelia's) sister, Adaline Fields, she devised all her clothing; to her sister Adaline Fields all the residue and remainder of her estate for her lifetime, and at her death to go to Adaline's son, William H. Baltimore in fee simple.

In her will, she also emancipated her slave Lucretia at her death, and made provisions for Lucretia's financial assistance as needed, "so that she may be comfortable and not in need or want"

And she made a financial bequest to the Christian Church, "of which I am a member." She appointed William E. Jamison of St. Louis to serve as her executor.

Witnesses to her will were Theodore P. Greene and Robert S. Voorhis.

The will was proved in St. Louis Court and recorded on 15 July 1857.<sup>33</sup>

Ardelia O. (Kidd) Houghton is buried in Eastern Cemetery in Louisville, KY. Her ornate headstone is one source of the dates of her birth (15 October 1808) and her death (13 July 1857).<sup>34</sup>

Regarding her desire that her siblings and at least one of her nephews be buried there: There is a headstone bearing two names – Ardelia Baltimore and Adeline Fields – on one face of this monument.<sup>35</sup> We believe this is the headstone for Ardelia's sister Adeline and Adeline's daughter named after Ardelia.

This same monument, on another face of it, bears the names of W. H. Baltimore (Ardelia's nephew)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> City of St. Louis, Missouri Marriage Records, Book 4, pages 540-543, retrieved from FHL #528174, images 279-280 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>33</sup> St. Louis (Independent City), Missouri Will Book F, pages 111-112, retrieved from FHL #1405569, images 480-481 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>34</sup> Findagrave.com, Memorial # 73149510.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>35</sup> Findagrave.com, Memorial # 169657012.

and M. A. Baltimore (likely his wife), with no other inscription.<sup>36</sup>

Findagrave.com has recorded these as two different markers; but close inspection of the two reveals that all these individuals are named on one marker.

Thus we feel confident that Ardelia's instructions were followed in this regard.

It is not possible to determine the proximity of these graves to each other on Findagrave.com.

Unfortunately, Eastern Cemetery has a long, sad history of neglect, abuse and over-burial. It is now estimated that there are over 100,000 individuals buried in 26,000 grave plots. All the original records of this cemetery are now in the hands of the University of Louisville, but are difficult to access.37

Several individuals with the surname of Kidd are also buried in this cemetery, but none of them appear to be part of the family of William and Nancy O. Kidd.

## ARNOLD KIDD, possible brother to Richard Kidd

- 1798 Campbell County February 1798 term. Arnold Kidd and Richard Kidd were bound out, according to law.<sup>38</sup> The names of their parents were not given.
- 1799 Campbell County January 1799 term. **Arnold Kidd** was again bound out according to law.<sup>39</sup>
- 1801 Campbell County February 1801 term. Arnold Kidd came into Court, acknowledged himself held in the sum of \$60 and Saml. & Benjamin Schoolfield his securities in the same \$30 each to be levied, etc upon the condition that Arnold Kidd keep the peace and be of good behaviour for one year and one day from this time.<sup>40</sup>
  - Note: In 1802, Richard Kidd was bound out to Saml. Schoolfield, so it may be that Arnold and Richard were brothers, bound to the same master.
- 1802, 1805, & 1809 An **Arnold Kidd** appears on the Campbell County PPTLs these three years only during the period 1785-1814.<sup>41</sup> Each year he's taxed only for 1 WMT, with neither slaves nor horses.
- 1804 Campbell County Marriage Bond, 4 December 1804, Arnold Kidd and Patsy Finch, daughter of John Finch. Thomas Steen, surety. 42 Their marriage occurred the same day. 43

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>36</sup> Findagrave.com, Memorial #169656991.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>37</sup> An organization Friends of Eastern Cemetery, https://friendsofeasterncemetery.com/ has been working to restore this long-abandoned Cemetery. An all-volunteer organization, it is overwhelmed with requests, with a backlog of months, at this writing (September 2024). Interestingly, the Findagrave memorial for Ardelia's ornate monument has detailed GPS coordinates for its location. It might be possible to use those coordinates to find Ardelia's grave, and then search the surrounding area in the hopes of finding this additional marker.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>38</sup> Campbell County Court Order Book 6, page 52, retrieved from FHL #31040, image 367. Scanned image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>39</sup> Campbell County Court Order Book 6, page 191, retrieved from FHL #31040, image 435. Scanned image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>40</sup> Campbell County Court Order Book 7, page 4, retrieved from FHL #31040, image 568. Scanned image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>41</sup> Binnsgenealogy.com, online VA Tax Lists.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>42</sup> Handwritten notes of Troy Kidd, citing Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy, p. 831, "Campbell Co., VA Marriage Bonds." I have not verified this citation, but the following citation confirms the marriage.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>43</sup> Campbell County Marriage Register vol. 1, page 93, retrieved from FHL #31050, image 303 via familysearch.org (restricted access, FHCs only).

On 7 December 1804, **Arnold Kidd** of Campbell County entered into a deed of trust with John Thurmond of the same place in order to secure the payment of a debt owed to William Steen, due by bond executed on this date for the amount of £15; in doing so, he used one featherbed, bedstead and furniture, one walnut bureau and six Windsor chairs as collateral. This instrument bears the seals of Arnold Kidd and John Thurmond, so Arnold was evidently literate.<sup>44</sup>

1810 – An Arnold Kidd appears on the federal census in Amherst County, VA, p. 292, line 4: **Arnold Kidd** 1WM 26-44; 3F<10 & 1 16-25.

He's not found in any other Amherst or Campbell County records, to our knowledge.

1814 – **Arnold Kidd** is listed under Lynchburg, Virginia US Army records, 1800-1815: "Arnold Kidd was a Private in the Artillery, 30 years old, occupation shoemaker, born <u>Lynchburg</u>, Virginia. He was 5' 11" tall, grey eyes, brown hair and a dark complexion. He enlisted in Norfolk 6-8 April 1814, promoted to Corporal 1 Dec 1814, reduced 15 Feb 1815, discharged in Norfolk 22 March 1815. There is a pension record." <sup>45</sup> <sup>46</sup> Despite the statement above, we have been unable to find a pension record for him in the

#### ARTHUR KIDD

1802 – The Campbell County Court Order Books contain just one mention of Arthur Kidd, in the October 1802 Term:

War of 1812 Pension Files or in the War of 1812 Pension Application Files Index.

County Levy Year 1802, October. To John Carter (?) for advertising...& advertising against **Arthur Kidd**.....\$9.92.47

[This entry was very difficult to decipher, with several text insertions. The amount (\$9.92) was substantial, in comparison to other ordered payments.]

No other records for Arthur Kidd have been found in Campbell County or Lynchburg from 1782-1850, to our knowledge.

#### BARNARD KIDD

1805 – A Barnard Kidd appears on the Campbell County PPTL only this single year, taxed only for one white male tithe. He doesn't appear any other year during the period 1785-1814.

#### BENJAMIN KIDD of Fluvanna County, Virginia

1795 – At their June 1795 Term, the Fluvanna County Court ordered that Stephen Seay, **Benjamin Kidd**, Benjamin Weaver Senr. and Joseph Wolling or any three of them appraise in Current money the slaves (if any) and personal estate of William Sadler, decd and return their

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>44</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 6, pages 594-595, retrieved from FHL #31024, image 329 on this reel.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>45</sup> Records of Men Enlisted in the U.S. Army Prior to the Peace Establishment, 17 May 1815. http://search.ancestry.com/iexec?htx=View&r=an&dbid=1198&iid=MIUSA1798 102866-00300&fn=Arnold&ln=Kidd&st=r&ssrc=&pid=1303689

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>46</sup> "Virginia Soldiers in the United States Army, 1800-1815" by Stuart Lee Butler, page 104, located at LVA, reviewed 7-17-2009, WRK.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>47</sup> Campbell County Court Order Book 7, page 198, retrieved from FHL #31040, image 665. Not scanned.

appraisement to the Court.48

This William Sadler was the father of Mary/Polly Sadler, who married William C. Bugg in Fluvanna County. This couple were the parents of two daughters who married Kidd males: daughter Nancy O. Bugg married William Kidd in Fluvanna County in 1802, and Mary Cannon Bugg married Jesse Kidd, who died in the War of 1812.

1803 – June Court 1803. In the case of McGlasson v. Dougherty assignee, leave is given the Deft. to take the deposition of **Benjamin Kidd** *de bene esse*<sup>49</sup>.<sup>50</sup>

#### **BETSY KIDD** – See Elizabeth Kidds

#### CYNTHA/SYNTHA KIDD

1838 – On 13 October 1838, a marriage bond was issued in Lynchburg, Virginia for James Stevens and **Synthy Kidd**. The parent of the (underaged) bride was Nancy Kidd, mother of the bride.<sup>51</sup> The security for the marriage was Lewis B. Kidd.<sup>52</sup>

1850 – on the federal census in the town of Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA, page 95, HH 319/333:

James Stevens 41MW manager \$6000 real estate b. Maryland

Cyntha " 26FW b. VA Wm. H. " 5MW VA Mary C. " 2FW VA

Nancy Kidd 50FW VA (Note that Cyntha's mother is living with them)

#### DANIEL KIDD

1816 – Three new Kidd males appear for the first time on the 1816 Campbell County PPTLs: **Daniel**, Eliott C. and Edmund **Kidd**, all taxed just for their own tithes. A fourth Kidd, Lewis P. (sic) Kidd, also appears on this list; this is likely the Lewis/Lewis B. Kidd that is also listed on these PPTLs in 1800, 1802, 1803, 1809-1811, 1813 and 1814.

1822 – On 28 April 1822, **Daniel Kidd** gave a deposition at John Hancock's Tavern in Lynchburg, in the case of Samuel Schoolfield vs. William Sneed. These two men had been business partners in a tobacco stemming factory, and the suit involved the dissolution of that partnership.<sup>53</sup>

In his deposition, Kidd stated that he was in the employ of both men, that his job was to do whatever they asked of him, and that his usual work involved keeping the accounts of the stemming, weighing the tobacco, and paying the workers who did the stemming, according

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>48</sup> Fluvanna County, VA Order Book, 1791-1796, page 374, retrieved from FHL #31477, image 213, via familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>49</sup> De bene esse is a Latin phrase, used as a legal term, and meaning "of validity for the time being, but subject to objection or nullification at a later date."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>50</sup> Campbell County Court Order Book 7, page 280, retrieved from FHL #31040, image 706. Not scanned.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>51</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 77.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>52</sup> Lynchburg City Register of Marriages, p. 65, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 151 of 255 (digital image available upon request).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>53</sup> Lynchburg Chancery Court Case, Index Number 1822-064 (82 images), Viewable online at: <a href="https://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/case">https://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/case</a> detail.asp?CFN=680-1822-064, images 28-30.

to their production. He also typically locked up each day after the work was done. It is evident from this deposition that Daniel Kidd had significant responsibilities at the business. Nothing of genealogical interest appeared in this case record.

1830 – The 1830 federal census includes the following Kidds, all in Lynchburg City:

p. 329, line 4 from bottom, Lewis B. Kidd: 1M 5-9, 1 10-14 & 1 50-59; 1F 10-14, 2 15-19, 1 50-59 and 1 60-69;

p. 330, line 2 Delpha Kidd: 1FWM 20-29; 1F 70-79

line 3 Nancy Kidd: 1M 5-9 & 1 10-14; 1F 5-9, 1-10-14 & 1 30-39

line 5 Adline Kidd: 1F 15-19, 1 20-29 & 1 30-39

line 6 William Kidd: 1M<5, 1 5-9 & 1 40-49; 1F 5-9, 2 15-19. 1 20-29, & 1 40-49; 3 slaves

line 9 **Daniel Kidd**: 1 M 30-39

Wallis Kidd is enumerated in Campbell County, but not in Lynchburg City:

p. 342, line 12 Wallis Kidd: 1M<5 & 1 30-39; 1F 20-29

# **DELILAH F.** (GOODMAN) KIDD – wife of Henry D. Kidd

Born 13 May 1816, probably in Campbell County, VA, the daughter of Jesse M. Goodman

Married Henry D. Kidd in Campbell County on 17 November 1831 Died 11 November 1841 in Campbell County

1831 – On 15 November 1831, Jesse M. Goodman signed a note to the Campbell County Court Clerk giving his consent for the marriage of his daughter **Delila F. Goodman** and Henry [D.] Kidd.<sup>54</sup> This record indicates that Delila was underage at the time of the marriage. On the same date, **Henry D. Kidd** entered into a marriage bond in Campbell County, with Hudson Morris as his security for this marriage.<sup>55</sup> Henry D. Kidd signed his name, while Hudson Morris signed with an X. In this record, the bride's given name is written as **Delia Goodman**.

The marriage occurred on 17 November 1831, according to their family Bible record.

1841 – **Delilah Goodman Kidd**, wife of Henry D. Kidd, died 11 November 1841.<sup>56</sup>
She is buried in the Pleasant Grove <u>Baptist</u> Church cemetery, in Altavista, which is near Castle Craig, in Campbell County, Virginia:
Inscription: Sacred to the memory of **Delilah F. Kidd**, who was born 13th May 1816 and died 11th Nov. 1841. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church.<sup>57</sup>, <sup>58</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>54</sup> Campbell County, Virginia Marriage Bonds and Consents, 1782-1853, K-M (Library of Virginia Reel 45); digital images provided by the Archives Dept. February 2021, image 2 (copy available upon request).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>55</sup> Ibid, image 3 (copy available upon request).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>56</sup> Family Bible of Henry D. Kidd, transcript submitted by Nedra A. Fields, descendant, http://files.usgwarchives.net/va/campbell/bibles/kidd1.txt See Appendix Two for details.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>57</sup> Campbell County, Virginia Church Cemeteries, compiled and published by the Campbell County Historical Society, 1997, volume 1, page 33.

<sup>58</sup> https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/218944065/delilah-f-kidd

# DELPHIA KIDD, an early Kidd female in Campbell County, born between 1751-1760

- Delphia Kidd is the oldest woman named Kidd found in Campbell County dating from the early 1800s. We do not know her relationship to the other Kidd families in the county, but she headed a household of eight individuals in 1810.
- 1810 The 1810 federal census for Campbell County, VA lists the following Kidds, all in Lynchburg City:
  - p. 851, line 3 from bottom Lewis B. Kidd: 1WM 26-44
  - p. 852, line 6 John Kidd: 1WM 16-25

line 7 **Delphia Kidd**: 1WM<9 & 2 10-15; 1F<9, 2 16-25 & 4 >44; no slaves.

(We do not know who any of these individuals were, other than Delphia.)

- 1820 The 1820 federal census for Campbell County, VA lists the following Kidds, <u>all in the city of Lynchburg:</u>
  - p. 244, line 9 from bottom:
  - L. B. Kidd: 1M<9, 1 10-15 & 1 26-44; 3F<10, 3 16-25, 1 26-44 & 1>44; no slaves.
  - p. 248, line 17:

Nancy Kidd: 1F<10 and 1 26-44

p. 254, line 7 from bottom

John Kidd: 1M<9, 1 16-26 & 1 >44; 1F 10-16 and 1 26-44; 2 in agriculture

p. 254, line 6 from bottom

**Delphia Kidd**: 1M 10-15 & 3 16-25; 2F >44. Three enslaved people, 3 in agriculture.

- 1830 The 1830 federal census includes the following Kidds, again all in Lynchburg City:
  - p. 329, line 4 from bottom, Lewis B. Kidd: 1M 5-9, 1 10-14 & 1 50-59; 1F 10-14, 2 15-19, 1 50-59 and 1 60-69;
  - p. 330, line 2 **Delpha Kidd**: 1FWM 20-29; 1F 70-79
    - line 3 Nancy Kidd: 1M 5-9 & 1 10-14; 1F 5-9, 1-10-14 & 1 30-39
    - line 5 Adline Kidd: 1F 15-19, 1 20-29 & 1 30-39
    - line 6 William Kidd: 1M<5, 1 5-9 & 1 40-49; 1F 5-9, 2 15-19. 1 20-29, & 1 40-49; 3 slaves
    - line 9 Daniel Kidd: 1 M 30-39

Wallis Kidd is enumerated in Campbell County, but not in Lynchburg City:

p. 342, line 12 Wallis Kidd: 1M<5 & 1 30-39; 1F 20-29

#### EDMUND KIDD

1816 – Three new Kidd males appear for the first time on the 1816 Campbell County PPTLs: Daniel, Eliott C. and **Edmund Kidd**, all taxed just for their own tithes. A fourth Kidd, Lewis P. (sic) Kidd also appears on this list; this is likely the Lewis/Lewis B. Kidd that is also listed on these PPTLs in 1800, 1802, 1803, 1809-1811, 1813 & 1814.

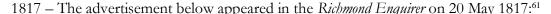
This name is not found in any other Campbell County or Lynchburg records that we've found.

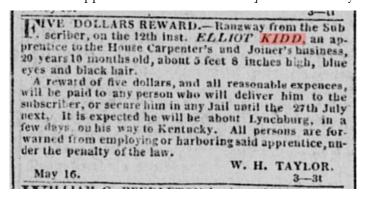
#### ELOISA KIDD

1837 – On 23 October 1837, a marriage bond was issued for Thomas P. Graffin and **Eloisa Kidd**. The bondsman was John S. Turner.<sup>59</sup>, <sup>60</sup>

#### ELIOTT C. KIDD

1816 – Three new Kidd males appear for the first time on the 1816 Campbell County PPTLs: Daniel, **Eliott C.** and Edmund **Kidd**, all taxed just for their own tithes. A fourth Kidd, Lewis P. (sic) Kidd also appears on this list; this is likely the Lewis/Lewis B. Kidd that is also listed on these PPTLs in 1800, 1802, 1803, 1809-1811, 1813 & 1814.





This name is not found in any other Campbell County or Lynchburg records that we've found. The man in the 1816 and 1817 records may not be the same person.

# **ELIZABETH KIDD(s)**

There were at least two or three women named Elizabeth/Betsy Kidd in Campbell County:

- 1827 On 23 June 1827, Jesse L. Beckham entered into a marriage bond in Lynchburg, Virginia for his marriage to **Betsy Kidd**. A John Kidd is listed as Betsy's guardian, indicating that the bride was likely still a minor; John Kidd was also security for this bond. Wm. Digges was the witness to the bond.<sup>62</sup>
- 1838 On 6 February 1838, a marriage bond was issued to Wm. P. Worley (born 26 January 1817) and Kessuria Oliver. The bondsmen were Martha Worley (relationship not stated) and **Elizabeth Kidd**, mother.<sup>63</sup>
- 1860 A **Betsy Kidd**, age 79, is found on the federal census in the Western District of Campbell County, Castle Craig P.O., a pauper living in the county Alms House.<sup>64</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>59</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 29.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>60</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 7, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 147 of 255. Image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>61</sup> Richmond enquirer. [volume] (Richmond, Va.), 20 May 1817. Chronicling America: Historic American Newspapers. Lib. of Congress. <a href="https://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov/lccn/sn84024735/1817-05-20/ed-1/seq-1/">https://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov/lccn/sn84024735/1817-05-20/ed-1/seq-1/</a>>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>62</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 30, FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 116 of 255. Image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>63</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 91.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>64</sup> U.S. federal census, Campbell County, Virginia, p. 439, dwelling no. 64, on Ancestry.com.

HENRY D. KIDD, the son of Henry Kidd of Buckingham County, Virginia

Born 26 September 181265 in Buckingham County, VA.

Married (1) Delilah F. Goodman in 1831 in Campbell County, VA, and (2) Mary C. "Polly" Agnew in December 1845 in Bedford County, VA.

Died testate in Bedford County on 17 March 1886.

For more information, see his page in our Middlesex County Kidds family Tree on Ancestry.com at

https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/37652986/person/28057332998/facts

Henry D. Kidd's Family Bible record<sup>66</sup> is one of the most important records we've found regarding the Kidds of Campbell (and later Bedford) County, Virginia. This record lists the dates of birth and/or death for Henry, both his wives and many of his children.

This transcription also lists the birth dates of his parents (but does not name them), and the names and dates of birth of his siblings.<sup>67</sup> Based upon these records, along with the Buckingham County PPTLs cited below), we conclude that Henry D. Kidd was the eldest son of Henry Kidd of Buckingham County, appearing first as an unnamed son in his father's household in 1830, then out on his own in 1832. His father died before the PPTL of 1833 (matching the date of death for Henry D.'s father listed in the Bible record). In 1834, Henry D. Kidd is listed by name on that year's PPTL. Henry D. Kidd drops from the Buckingham County PPTLs in 1835, and that same year appears for the first time on the Campbell County PPTLs.

[Note: Several of Henry D. Kidd's siblings, some already married, also moved to Campbell and Bedford Counties.]

1820 – **Henry Kidd** (Sr.) is listed on the 1820 Buckingham Co census, with the following household members: 1 **WM under 10**, 1 WM 26-44, 2 WF under 10, 1 WF 26-44. Slaves: 4 M under 14, 3 M 26-44, 1 F under 14, 2 F 26-44. Number of persons engaged in agriculture: 1.<sup>68</sup> Henry D. Kidd, born in 1812, is very likely the WM under 10 years of age here.

1830-1831 – We are unable to find Henry Kidd Sr. on the 1830 federal census in Buckingham County. However, he and his family (including his son Henry D. Kidd) are listed on the annual Buckingham County PPTLs, as depicted in the table below. In this year, for the first time, Henry Sr. has a son in his household who has come of age, most likely Henry D. Kidd.

YEAR	TAXPAYER	WMT	SLAVES	HORSES	COMMENTS
1830	Henry Kidd & son	2	5 16+; 2<16	3	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>65</sup> Family Bible of Henry D. Kidd, transcript submitted by Nedra A. Fields, descendant, <a href="http://files.usgwarchives.net/va/campbell/bibles/kidd1.txt">http://files.usgwarchives.net/va/campbell/bibles/kidd1.txt</a> See <a href="https://see.appendix.org/">Appendix.org/</a> Two for details.

<sup>67</sup> The transcription states, "Father ware born October 7, 1768 and departed this life January 16, 1833. Mother ware born February 3, 1793 and departed this life October 1, 1835.

Henry D. Kidd ware born September 26, 1812.

Elizabeth A. Kidd ware born July 9, 1814.

Nancy R. Kidd ware born September 25, 1816.

Mary J. Kidd ware born January 2, 1821.

William H. Kidd ware born October 24, 1822.

Permilia L. Kidd ware born October 23, 1824.

John A. Kidd ware born June 8, 1827.

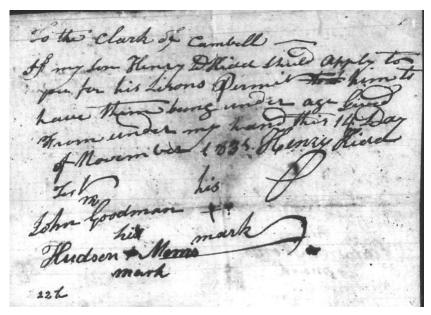
Fucinda C. Kidd ware born April 30, 1830.

<sup>66</sup> Ibid.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>68</sup> Accessed on Ancestry.com: 1820 New Canton, Buckingham Co, Virginia, Page: 157; NARA Roll: M33\_132; Image: 134.

1831	Henry Kidd	2	4 16+; 2<16	2	
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1831 – On 14 November 1831, Henry Kidd Sr. wrote a note to the Clerk of Campbell County, Virginia, giving his consent for his son **Henry D. Kidd** (who was underaged) to apply for a marriage license:<sup>69</sup>



On 15 November 1831, Jesse M. Goodman signed a note to the Campbell County Court Clerk giving his consent for the marriage of his daughter Delila F. Goodman and **Henry** [D.] Kidd.<sup>70</sup>

On the same date, **Henry D. Kidd** entered into a marriage bond in Campbell County, with Hudson Morris as his security for this marriage.<sup>71</sup> Henry D. Kidd signed his name, while Hudson Morris signed with an X. In this record, the bride's given name is written as Delia Goodman.

The marriage occurred on 17 November 1831, according to the family Bible record.

1832-1834 – **Henry D. Kidd** continued to be listed on the Buckingham County PPTLs in each of these years, as shown in the Table below. He then drops from the Buckingham PPTLs, and that same year appears on the Campbell County PPTLs. See next entry, below.

YEAR	TAXPAYER	WMT	SLAVES	HORSES	COMMENTS
	Henry Kidd	1	4 16+;	4	
1832			2<16		
	Henry Kidd Jr	1	0	0	
	Henry Kidd Est.	0	3 16+;	2	
1833			2<16		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>69</sup> Campbell County, Virginia Marriage Bonds and Consents, 1782-1853, K-M (Library of Virginia Reel 45); digital images provided by the Archives Dept. February 2021.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>70</sup> Ibid, image 2 (copy available upon request).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>71</sup> Ibid, image 3 (copy available upon request).

	Henry Kidd	1	0	0	
1834	Henry Kidd Est.	0	3 16+	2	
1034	Henry D. Kidd	1	0	1	
1835	Henry Kidd Est.	0	2 16+	2	No Henry Jr. or Henry D.
	-				In 1835
1836	Neither listed				

- 1835-1844 **Henry D. Kidd** first appears on the Campbell County PPTLs in 1835, charged for one white male tithe (his own) and one horse.<sup>72</sup>
  - He appears annually on these lists through 1844, then drops from them in 1845.<sup>73</sup>
- 1840 We are unable to find him on the 1840 federal census.
- 1841 Henry D. Kidd's first wife, Delilah, died 11 November 1841.74
- 1845 A marriage bond was issued in Bedford County, Virginia on 17 November 1845 for **Henry D. Kidd** & Mary C. Agnew, the daughter of William Agnew, who was the bondsman.<sup>75</sup> The marriage was performed by William Harris 10 December 10 1845.<sup>76</sup> In this record, the bride's surname was spelled "Egnew." [Henry D. Kidd's family bible also lists this as the date of their marriage.]
- 1846 **Henry D. Kidd** appears on the 1846 PPTLs in Bedford County, Virginia, taxed for his own tithe and one horse, and no slaves.<sup>78</sup>
- 1846-1851 **Henry D. Kidd** appears for the first time on the Bedford County PPTLs in 1846, taxed for his own tithe, no slaves, and one horse.
  - In 1847, he is joined on the PPTLs by his brother John A. Kidd.

See the Table below for his PPTL listings through 1851, the last year that we have checked.

YEAR	TAXPAYER	WM >16	Slaves >16	Slaves >12	Horses
1846	Henry D. Kidd	1	0	0	1
1017	Henry Kidd	1	0	0	1
1847	John A. Kidd	1	0	0	0
1848	Henry D. Kidd	1	0	0	1
	John A. Kidd	1	0	0	0

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>72</sup> Campbell County PPTLs, 1833-1846, FHL #2024504, image 145 of 892, retrieved via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>73</sup> Ibid: 1836, image 208; 1837, image 271; 1838, image 329; 1839, image 391; 1840, image 444; 1841, image 500; 1842, image (failed to record image number); 1843, image 624; 1844, image 695.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>74</sup> Transcription of family bible. See above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>75</sup> Bedford County, Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1800 to 1853, by Joel Ricks, 1939, page 87. Viewable online via familysearch.org on FHL #896772, image 325 of 688 (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>76</sup> Bedford County, Virginia Ministers Returns, 1812-1853, retrieved from FHL #30591, image 192 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>77</sup> Handwritten notes of Troy Kidd, citing *Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy*, p. 944, "Campbell Co., VA Marriage Bonds." I have not verified this citation, and it may be incomplete.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>78</sup> Bedford County, Virginia PPTLs, 1845-1851, FHL #2024477 (unrestricted acess), image 121 of 726.

1849	John Kidd	1	0	0	1
Henry Kidd		1	0	0	1
1050	John A. Kidd	1	0	0	1
1850 Henry D	Henry D. Kidd	1	0	0	1
1051	Henry Kidd	1	0	0	2
1851	John A. Kidd	1	0	0	2

- 1850-1880 He continues to be listed on the federal censuses for these years in the Northern division of Bedford County, VA.
- 1886 **Henry D. Kidd** died testate in Bedford County on 17 March 1886.<sup>79</sup> His estate was the subject of a suit in Bedford County Chancery Court; this record contains a great deal of information about his surviving descendants.

# **JAMES KIDD**

1798-1801 – A **James Kidd** appears for the first time on the PPTLs in Campbell County in 1798, charged for his own WMT, but no slaves or horses. This listing continues annually through 1801, after which he does not reappear through 1850, the last year we've checked so far.

# JAMES T. KIDD

- 1843 On 3 August 1843 in Amherst County Court, Maurice Hickey entered into a deed of trust with **Lewis B. Kidd**, in order to secure the payment of a debt of \$120 due by bill dated 25 January 1842, and a further sum of \$80.50 due by bill dated 17 March 1843, owed to **James Kidd**, using a combination of livestock, farm implements and household furniture, along with his current crops of corn, oats and hay. This deed of trust was presented in Lynchburg Court on the same day, and proved by the oath of Maurice Hickey. It was examined in Amherst County Court on 4 August, and admitted to record. [It is not clear why this was recorded in both counties. Given this transaction with Maurice Hickey, this James Kidd is the same man as James T. Kidd in the 1852 record, below.]
- 1847 On 6 December 1847, **James T. Kidd** married Harriet Jane Stanley, the daughter of Joe Stanley, in Lynchburg, Virginia.<sup>81</sup>, <sup>82</sup>
- 1850 On the federal census in the town of Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA, p. 77, HH 49/53: **James T. Kidd** 28MW carpenter b. VA Harriet J. Kidd 23FW VA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>79</sup>See <a href="https://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/case">https://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/case</a> detail.asp?CFN=019-1892-020. A copy of his will and a plat of his lands can be found among the 73 pages of this case.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>80</sup> Amherst County Deed Book Y, pages 526, ff. (second page also numbered 526 in deed book), retrieved from FHL #30295, images 290-291 on this reel. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>81</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 43.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>82</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 100, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 186 of 255. Image available upon request.

Lewis N. Kidd 1MW VA Lucy Rice 45FW VA

1852 - On 3 June 1852, Bryan Healy entered into a deed of trust with James T. Kidd, granting and conveying to James T. Kidd, trustee, a certain lot of ground in the town of Lynchburg (lot 271) at the junction of Water and 10<sup>th</sup> Streets, for the benefit of Mary Hickey, the wife of Maurice (?) Hickey and of her children for her natural life. Kidd agrees to permit the said Mary Hickey to take possession of the land and use it during her natural life any way she sees fit, free from the debts, contracts, liabilities, etc. of her husband, Maurice Hickey, and upon her death Kidd is to divide the property equally between her children, Daniel, William, James and Maurice Hickey Jr., or any which may hereafter be born, or their descendants. This deed was not admitted to record until 11 April 1860 in the city of Richmond, and on 23 June 1860 in Lynchburg.83

# JESSE KIDD – probable son of Jesse N. Kidd and his 2<sup>nd</sup> wife Martha Ann Williams of Fluvanna County

Born ca 1845 probably in Fluvanna County

Died in 1860 in Campbell County

1850 – On the federal census in Fluvanna County, VA, p. 8A, HH 118/119:

**Kidd,** Jesse 40MW lockkeeper VA

- ", Martha 37FW VA
- , Jesse Jr. 5MW VA
- ", Robert 2MW VA
- ", James 4MW VA
  ", John 3/12MW VA
- 1860 on the federal census in the Eastern district of Campbell County, page 78, HH 585/595, Campbell Courthouse P.O.:

Peerman, James C. 45WM tanner \$4000/\$13,000 VA

- ", Mary J. 26WF VA
- ", Alice B. 4FW VA

Jordan, Edward 2MW VA

McGann, Wm. 16MW tanner's apprentice VA

Wiley, Ferdinand 16MW tanner's apprentice VA

**Kidd, Jesse** 16MW tanner's apprentice VA

This **Jesse Kidd**, a 15 year old white male, died 31 July 1860 in Campbell County, Virginia of typhoid fever. The informant was J. C. Peerman; Jesse was his apprentice at the time of his death, and Peerman did not know the names of his parents.84

# JOHN KIDD(s)

The records of Campbell County, Virginia contain numerous mentions of five different men named John Kidd; we've tried to sort these records in order to differentiate between them based upon

<sup>83</sup> Lynchburg, Virginia Deed Book 22, page 111, retrieved from FHL #1994923, image 82 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access but downloads prohibited).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>84</sup> Campbell county death registers, 1853-1896. Scanned image available upon request.

specific details. Below are the results of our efforts, listed in chronological order of their Campbell County records:

- 1. **Early John Kidd** records from 1805-1827; frequently seen simultaneously with Lewis B. Kidd and Delphia Kidd
- 2. **John Kidd, teacher** records in 1818, 1822-1823. Presumably literate
- 3. **Poor John Kidd** illiterate laborer/farmer; first wife was Sally; second was Mary J. Records from 1850-1860
- 4. **John Kidd, son of Benjamin Kidd** of Amelia and Dinwiddie Counties, Virginia records from 1858-1862
- 5. **John W. (or H.) Kidd** records from 1846-1860

# EARLY JOHN KIDD

- 1805 Polly Kidd, daughter of Obedience Kidd, married George Lee in Campbell County, VA on 30 May 1805.<sup>85</sup> Consent by Obedience Kidd, mother of the bride. Bondsmen George Lee and John Kidd. John Kidd and Henry Love, witnesses.<sup>86</sup>
- 1809-1810 A **John Kidd** appears for the first time on the Campbell County PPTLs in 1809 (no tax list created in 1808), charged only for one WMT. This listing repeats in 1810, following which he does not reappear until 1850, the last year of these records that we're researched.
- 1810 The 1810 federal census for Campbell County, VA lists the following Kidds, all in Lynchburg City:
  - p. 851, line 3 from bottom; Lewis B. Kidd: 1WM 26-44
  - p. 852, line 6 **John Kidd**: 1WM 16-25

line 7 Delphia Kidd: 1WM<9 & 2 10-15; 1F<9, 2 16-25 & 4 > 44

- 1813 On 13 January 1813, **John Kidd** married Nancy Oliver in Lynchburg, VA.<sup>87</sup> The bondsman was Richard Oliver.<sup>88</sup>, The witness was George Clapsaddel.<sup>90</sup>
- 1820 The 1820 federal census for Campbell County, VA lists the following Kidds, all in the city of Lynchburg:
  - p. 244, line 9 from bottom:
  - L. B. Kidd: 1M<9, 1 10-15 & 1 26-44; 3F<10, 3 16-25, 1 26-44 & 1>44; no slaves.
  - p. 248, line 17:

Nancy Kidd: 1F<10 and 1 26-44

p. 254, line 7 from bottom

**John Kidd**: 1M<9, 1 16-26 & 1 >44; 1F 10-16 and 1 26-44; 2 in agriculture

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>85</sup> Virginia Marriages, 1785-1940, on Familysearch.org and Ancestry.com, the latter citing FHL #31050 image 306, viewable online via familysearch.org, (restricted access – FHCs only).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>86</sup> Baber, Lucy Harrison Miller et al: Marriages of Campbell County, Virginia, 1782-1810, Clearfield Publ. Co., Baltimore, MD, 2000, p. 58.

<sup>87</sup> Virginia Marriages, 1785-1940, on Familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>88</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 43.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>89</sup> Another transcription, Lynchburg, Virginia and Nelson County, Virginia wills, deeds and marriages, 1807-1831, by Bailey Fulton Davis, Southern Historical Press, Easley, SC, 1985, p. 11, lists the groom's given name as Jonathan Kidd and lists two securities, Richard Oliver and George Clapsaddle.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>90</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 7, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 93 of 255. Image available upon request.

p. 254, line 6 from bottom Delphia Kidd: 1M 10-16, 2 16-26 & 2 26-45; 3 in agriculture

- 1827 On 23 June 1827, a marriage bond was issued for Jesse L. Beckham and Betsy Kidd in Lynchburg, Virginia. The bondsman was "**John Kidd**, her guardian."<sup>91</sup>
- 1830, 1840 no John Kidd appears on the federal censuses as a household head in Campbell County, VA.

We have found no further information pertaining to this John Kidd.

## **JOHN KIDD, teacher** (1818-1823)

- 1818 **John Kidd** was listed as a teacher to George E. Dabney in 1818, in an account of the estate of John Dabney, as one of the expenses charged to this estate. 92
- 1822 John Kidd is again listed as a teacher in the estate records of John Dabney.93
- 1823 John Kidd is again listed as a teacher in the estate records of John Dabney.94

Note: The Dabney family was a wealthy family, so this John Kidd must have been well-educated to serve as a teacher to this family. He likely moved to Lynchburg to work for the Dabneys and may have no other connections to the area.

1830, 1840 – no John Kidd appears on the federal censuses as a household head in Campbell County, VA.

We have found no further information pertaining to this John Kidd.

# POOR JOHN KIDD

1850 – On the federal census in the town of Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA, p. 86A, HH 187/197:

John Kidd 45MW laborer b. VA Cannot read or write

Sally Kidd 45FW b. VA

Julia A. Kidd 18FW VA

Martha Kidd 16FW VA

George Kidd 12MW VA

A John Kidd also appeared on the Campbell County PPTLs in 1850, taxed only for his tithe, with neither slaves nor horses. We have not checked the Campbell County PPTLs for subsequent years.

1851 – On 10 October 1851, William Daniel Jr. and Elizabeth H. his wife sold to **John Kidd** for \$600 a lot or parcel of land in the county of Campbell near the town of Lynchburg, containing one acre. 95

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>91</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 5.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>92</sup> Campbell County, Virginia Wills and Inventories, 1782-1847, by William Lindsay Hopkins, Iberian Publishing, Athens, GA, 1989, p. 70, citing Essex Co. Will Book 4 (1817-1824), p. 263.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>93</sup> Campbell County, Virginia Wills and Inventories, 1782-1847, by William Lindsay Hopkins, Iberian Publishing, Athens, GA, 1989, p. 87, citing Campbell Co. Will Book 5, p. 103.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>94</sup> Ibid, p. 114, citing Essex Co. Will Book 6, p. 343; a second entry (p. 119) was in WB 6, p. 453.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>95</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 30, pages 146-147, retrieved from FHL #31035, image 390 on this reel.

- On the same day, **John Kidd** entered into a deed of trust in Campbell County with Robert A. Davis and William T. Yancey, in order to secure the funds to purchase the above lot from William Daniel Jr. 96 John Kidd signed with an X, and could not read or write.
- 1853 On 15 September 1853, a marriage bond was issued for Martha R. Kidd, daughter of **John Kidd**, and Geo. T. Akers in Lynchburg, VA.<sup>97</sup> **John Kidd** was the bondsman.<sup>98</sup>
- 1858 On 13 April 1858, A. G. Hancock and Charlotte E. his wife sold to **John Kidd** a lot or parcel of land in Campbell County near the city of Lynchburg and lying on Blackwater Pond, containing one-half acre, for \$5. See the deed for a more complete description of the property.<sup>99</sup>
- 1859 On 24 January 1859, John Kidd and Mary Jane Kidd his wife sold to A. G. Hancock and R. L. Bigbie for \$600 a parcel of land in Campbell County near the town of Lynchburg on the north side of Blackwater Pond, containing one-half acre of land. Both John and Mary Jane signed with an X, and neither could write. This is the same parcel of land that Hancock sold to Kidd in 1858. Both deed were recorded on 28 January 1859.
  [Judging from the entries on the 1850 and 1860 federal censuses, this is the same John Kidd. If this is the case, John's wife Sally has died, and he has remarried to Mary Jane.
- 1860 On 13 May 1860, Martha Richards Akers, wife of George T. Akers, age 28, died in Lynchburg, VA. Her death record names her parents as **Jno. and Sarah Kidd**. <sup>101</sup> [This death record lists her place of birth as NC, different from the census record above, and is likely in error.]

On the federal census in Campbell County, Virginia, Castle Craig P.O., p. 433, enumerated on 5 June 1860, dwelling no. 21:

John Kidd 55MW laborer \$800/200 VA

Mary J. Kidd 49FW VA

(no others)

We have found no further records for this John Kidd.

JOHN KIDD, son of Benjamin Kidd of Dinwiddie County, VA and his wife Mary/Polly John6 (Benjamin5, George4, Benjamin3, William2, Thomas1) Kidd Born abt 1808<sup>102</sup> in Dinwiddie County, Virginia Lived in Lynchburg, VA 1858-1862
Date and place of death unknown.

1820 – On the 1820 federal census in Dinwiddie County, Benjamin Kidd is listed as having 3 males age 0-9 and 1 10-15. Until recently, we knew of only 2 sons of Benjamin and Mary/Polly

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>96</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 28, page 417, retrieved from FHL #31034, image 488 on this reel.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>97</sup> Virginia Marriages, 1785-1940, on Familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>98</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>99</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 31, pages 427-428, retrieved from FHL #31036, images 230-231 on this reel.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>100</sup> Campbell County Deed Book, 31, pages 426-427, retrieved from FHL #31036, images 230-231 on this reel.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>101</sup> Virginia Deaths and Burials, 1853-1912, on Familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>102</sup> This is a rough estimate, based upon his age (50) at the time of his 1858 marriage record, his age (55) per the 1860 federal census (which may not be the same John Kidd, but likely is), and his age (51) on his two 1862 marriage records.

- Kid: Thomas J. Kidd and James Kidd. We now believe that this John Kidd was another of their sons, based upon his 1858 and 1862 marriage records (see below) that name his parents.
- 1827 a **John Kidd** appeared on the Dinwiddie County, VA PPTL this year, paying a tax on 1 horse, and no other property (no slaves). Not listed again until 1833 (see below).
- 1830 –In this year, Benjamin5 Kidd's widow, Mary Kidd appears on the federal census, with 1M 10-14, 1 15-19, and 1 20-29. We believe that this **John Kidd** is the "missing" third and youngest son, based on the 1834 and 1843 records below.
- 1833 There is a September 1833 Dinwiddie County Chancery Court record of a complex suit with **John Kidd** and Sally his wife among the defendants in a suit brought by Chastain Ellington and his wife Martha, formerly Martha Featherstone. Other defendants include several Hardaways, Price Pollan, John Featherstone and other Featherstones. Defendant William E. Hardaway, administrator of Peter M. Hardaway, deceased was ordered to pay \$64.22 to the plaintiff and to several of the other defendants, including **John and Sally Kidd**. We cannot be sure that this is the same John Kidd, but there were no other John Kidds in this three-county area in the 1830s, so it most likely IS this John Kidd.
- 1833 **John Kidd** again appears on the Dinwiddie County, VA PPTL, again taxed on one horse, and no other property.
- 1834 in the April 1834 session of the Dinwiddie County, VA Chancery Court, there is a suit wherein the Commonwealth of Virginia (for the benefit of the Literary Fund) sues Beverly Anderson, **John Kidd** and Mary Kidd. According to this entry, **John Kidd** and Mary Kidd were no longer inhabitants of the Commonwealth. Mary Kidd was ordered to pay \$200 to the Commonwealth, for the benefit of the Literary Fund, plus the costs of the suit. And the defendant Anderson was to pay "so much as shall not exceed the \$220 in his hands" to satisfy this obligation, which he did.
  - I can't tell from the entry whether he paid the debt for Mary Kidd, or he was equally indebted, and paid his own debt. No mention is made of John Kidd in the settlement. <sup>104</sup> He doesn't appear again in Dinwiddie County, to my knowledge, and has moved out of the state by 1834.
  - The Mary Kidd cited in this record is almost certainly Mary/Polly Kidd, the widow of Benjamin Kidd who died in 1821. See her section in this paper.
- This **John Kidd** disappears from Virginia records for a time; I'm unable to find him on the 1840 and 1850 federal censuses. He reappears in 1858, evidently returning to Lynchburg by 1858 (see below).
- 1858 On 6 May 1858, a **John Kidd,** age 50, a widower born in North Carolina, married Mary Burks in Lynchburg, Campbell County, Virginia. His occupation was "tobacconist."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>103</sup> FHL film #31107, item 1, Chancery Court Order Book 1, 1832-1852, pp. 35-36, reviewed and transcribed by RK on 3/29/2010. Scanned image in RK's Kidd files.

FHL film #31107, item 1, Chancery Court Order Book 1, 1832-1852, pp. 42-43, reviewed and copied by WRK, February 2010. Scanned images of this record in the Dinwiddie Misc Records folder on Dropbox. The Commonwealth Literary Fund was established in 1810 to fund public education in Virginia and was and is funded by court fees, fines, and sale of unclaimed property, including unclaimed lottery winnings today.

This record lists his parents as Benjamin and Polley Kidd. 105

- [Note: This is John Kidd, son of Benjamin and Elizabeth/Betty Kidd of Dinwiddie County, a member of Reiley Kidd's line.]
- 1862 On 12 February 1862, **Ino. Kidd,** a widower age 51, born in Dinwiddie County to Benjamin and Polly Kidd, married Mary Frances Eads, widow age 21, born in Albemarle County to George & Elizabeth Eads. Ino.'s occupation is listed as "tobacconist." The marriage was performed by W. H. Kinckle. 106

On 12 November 1862, John Kidd, age 31 (probably a clerical error, and actually 51, based upon the record above), a tobacconist and widower born in Dinwiddie County to Benjamin and Polly Kidd, married Mary F. Flowers, age 35, a widow born in Campbell County to William and Patty Woolridge. The ceremony was performed by H. W. Dodge. 107

This is the last known record found for this John Kidd that we're aware of. We do not know what became of him, or whether he had any surviving children.

# JOHN W. KIDD

- 1846 On 25 July 1846, John W. Kidd married Ann M. George in Campbell County, VA. 108 Another abstract of this marriage bond states that Ann George was the daughter of Henry George. The marriage was performed by B. R. Dawson. 109
- 1850 On the federal census in the town of Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA, p. 89B, HH 237/249:

John W. Kidd 24MW plasterer b. VA Ann M. Kidd 21FW VA

Wm. J. Kidd 3MW VA

John H. Kidd 1MW VA

1860 – It appears that **John W. Kidd** died before 1860, because his wife and presumed widow is living with another family in Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA at the time of the 1860 federal census:

Priddy, Thomas 26MW wheelright \$025 VA CROW

- ", Ellen 23FW seamstress VA
- , Alice 4FW VA
- ", Thos. 1MW VA

Kidd, Ann M. 33FW seamstress VA

- " , Wm. J. 14MW VA " , John H. 8MW VA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>105</sup> Lynchburg, Virginia Marriage Register vol. 2, 1853-1881, found on FHL #32268, item 1, image 14. See also https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3QS7-89XF-D3G1?i=13&cc=4149585&cat=298026, top line.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>106</sup> Lynchburg, Virginia Marriage Register vol. 2, 1853-1881, found on FHL #32268, item 1, image 25.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>107</sup> Lynchburg, Virginia Marriage Register vol. 2, 1853-1881, found on FHL #32268, item 1, image 27. Image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>108</sup> Virginia Marriages, 1740-1850, cited on Ancestry.com.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>109</sup> Campbell County, VA Index to Marriages, vol. 1, page 94, retrieved from FHL # 31050, image 304 via familysearch.org (restricted access, FHCs only).

- ", Lewis B. 8MW VA
  ", Jas. D 5MW VA
- The following death record appears to be for the above **John W. Kidd**. If true, we don't know where he was at the time of the 1860 census.
- 1861 **Ino. W. Kidd** died in Campbell County, VA on 25 June 1861 at the age of 32 years. The cause of his death was "from injury." The informant for this record was his wife Nancy Kidd. The space for the names of his parents says, "not known." 110 It lists his place of birth as Campbell County, and his occupation was "none."
- 1866 On 9 August 1866, William H. Sandy and Ann M. Kidd were married in Lynchburg by H. W. Dodge. Both were residents of Lynchburg and widowed at the time. The groom was 35 and a carpenter; the bride was 34.111
- 1870 On the federal census in St. Clair Township, Smyth County, Virginia, Marion P.O., page 98, HH 44/43:

Sandy, William 38 MW farm laborer VA

- ", **Ann M.** 39 FW keeps house VA
- ", Charles L. 15MW works on farm VA Cannot read or write
- ", Mary C. 11FW at home VA
  , Hueston 3/12MW at home VA (b. March)

We've found no further records of his widow or children.

#### LEWIS/LEWIS B. KIDDs

At least three men by this name appear in Campbell County, Virginia prior to 1850. Lewis B. Kidd Sr., Lewis B. Kidd Jr., and Lewis B. Kidd. All appear on the 1838 Lynchburg City personal property tax lists (PPTLs). We have sorted their entries separately, based upon their estimated dates of birth.

Some of the early records listed here may belong to a man known as Ballad Kidd, possibly a variant of Baldwin, who was referenced in a book that was likely a blend of fact and folktale. Recollections of Lynchburg, 112 a set of sketches purported to have been written in 1858, included a story of a family of Kidds, with a house painter named Ballad Kidd as the family head, who lived near Lynchburg in 1819.

Most of the citations we've found for these three men have been in the PPTLs for Campbell County and/or Lynchburg. We have constructed a Table (see below, in Early Lewis Kidd's section of this compilation) of all the entries found for these three individuals between 1792 (the first year in which a Lewis Kidd was found on these PPTLs) through 1850, the last year of these PPTLs that we have examined.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>110</sup> Campbell County, VA Death Registers, 1853-1912, FHL #2056976, image 197 of 593 (unrestricted access). The image viewable online cuts off the first column of the register. His entry is found easily by viewing the column showing the informant for each entry, scanning for Nancy Kidd.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>111</sup> Virginia, U.S., Marriage Registers, 1853-1901, Lynchburg City on Ancestry.com

<sup>112</sup> Sketches and Recollections of Lynchburg by the Oldest Inhabitant (Mrs. Cabell) 1858, index by William Frederic Holcombe, 1920, Lynchburg Historical Foundation, Lynchburg, VA. 1974.

# EARLY LEWIS KIDD/LEWIS B. KIDD [SR]

Born prior to 1771<sup>113</sup> Died unknown, likely after 1840

1792, 1793 – A **Lewis Kidd** first appears on the Campbell County, VA PPTLs in 1792, charged only for his own tithe, and neither slaves nor horses. This listing repeats in 1793. In 1794, he drops from the PPTLs for several years.

The Table below depicts all the entries found for these three individuals between 1792 (the first year in which a Lewis Kidd was found on these PPTLs) through 1850, the last year of these PPTLs that we have examined. You'll notice some "gaps" in this Table; these are the years in which no taxpayer named Lewis Kidd was found on the PPTLs in either Campbell County or Lynchburg City.

YEAR	LOCATION	TAXPAYER	WMT	Slaves	Horses	COMMENTS
1792	Campbell Co	Lewis Kidd	1	0	0	
1793	Campbell Co	Lewis Kidd	1	0	0	
1800	Campbell Co	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1802	Campbell Co	Lewis X Kidd	1	0	1	middle initial B, written but crossed out
1809	Campbell Co	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1810	Campbell Co	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1811	Campbell Co	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1813	Campbell Co	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1814	Campbell Co	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1816	Campbell Co	Lewis P Kidd	1	0	0	
1817	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kdd	1	0	0	
1819	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1820	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1825	Campbell Co	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	1	
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1827	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>113</sup> His birth year of 1771 is based on his appearance on the 1792 personal property tax list, when he was at least 21 years of age. The census records suggest a birth year between 1766 to 1794.

1830	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1836	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1837	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
		Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1838	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd Sr.	1	0	0	
		Lewis B Kidd Jr.	1	0	0	
1839	Lynchburg	Lewis Kidd	1	0	0	no other Lewis Kidds
1840	I vya alabyy ac	Lewis Kidd	1	0	0	also Richard Kidd
1040	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1841	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	along with Richard Kidd
1843	Lynchburg	Lewis Kidd	1	0	0	
1844	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1846	I vya alabyy ac	Lewis Kidd	1	0	0	
1040	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd Sr.	1	0	0	
1847	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1848	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1849	Lynchhyma	Lewis B Kidd	1	0	0	
1047	Lynchburg	Lewis B Kidd Jr.	1	0	0	

1810 – The 1810 federal census for Campbell County, VA lists the following Kidds, all in Lynchburg City:

p. 851, line 3 from bottom **Lewis B. Kidd**: 1WM 26-44 [born between 1766 and 1784]

p. 852, line 6 John Kidd: 1WM 16-25

line 7 Delphia Kidd: 1WM<9 & 2 10-15; 1F<9, 2 16-25 & 4 >44

1820 – The 1820 federal census for Campbell County, VA lists the following Kidds, all in the city of Lynchburg:

p. 244, line 9 from bottom:

**L. B. Kidd**: 1M<9, 1 10-15 & 1 26-44 [born between 1776-1794]; 3F<10, 3 16-25, 1 26-44

& 1>44; no slaves.

p. 248, line 17:

Nancy Kidd: 1F<10 and 1 26-44

p. 254, line 7 from bottom

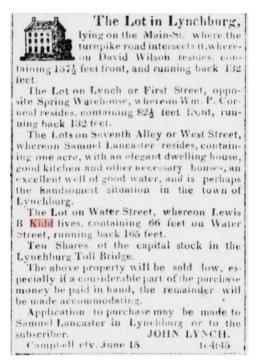
John Kidd: 1M<9, 1 16-26 & 1 >44; 1F 10-16 and 1 26-44; 2 in agriculture

p. 254, line 6 from bottom Delphia Kidd: 1M 10-16, 2 16-26 & 2 26-45; 3 in agriculture

- 1826 On 26 June 1826, an advertisement for several lots for sale in downtown Lynchburg was published in the local newspaper *The Virginian*. **Lewis B. Kidd** was living on Water Street, on one of the lots for sale:<sup>114</sup>
- On 15 May 1830, **Lewis B. Kidd** married Elizabeth Oliver in Lynchburg, VA.<sup>115</sup> The bondsman was Jesse Davis.<sup>116</sup>, <sup>117</sup> [Lewis B. Kidd would have been about 60 at this time, so this may be a second marriage if he is the groom in this record.]
- 1830 The 1830 federal census includes the following Kidds, all in Lynchburg City: p. 329, line 4 from bottom:

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**Lewis B. Kidd**: 1M 5-9, 1 10-14 & 1 50-59 [born between 1770-1780]; 1F 10-14, 2 15-19, 1 50-59 and 1 60-69 p. 330, line 2 Delpha Kidd: 1FWM 20-29; 1F



- line 3 Nancy Kidd: 1M 5-9 & 1 10-14; 1F 5-9, 1-10-14 & 1 30-39
- line 5 Adline Kidd: 1F 15-19, 1 20-29 & 1 30-39; no slaves
- line 6 William Kidd: 1M<5, 1 5-9 & 1 40-49; 1F 5-9, 2 15-19. 1 20-29, & 1 40-49; 3 slaves
- line 9 Daniel Kidd: 1 M 30-39

Wallis Kidd is enumerated in Campbell County, but not in Lynchburg City: p. 342, line 12 Wallis Kidd: 1M<5 & 1 30-39; 1F 20-29

1838 – On 13 October 1838, a marriage bond was issued in Lynchburg, Virginia, for James Stevens and Synthy [Cynthy] Kidd. The parent of the underaged bride was Nancy Kidd, mother of the bride.<sup>118</sup> The security for the marriage was **Lewis B. Kidd**.<sup>119</sup>

# LEWIS B. KIDD [JR], probable son of Lewis B. Kidd [Sr] Born about 1816 in Virginia Married Charlotte Allen in Lynchburg in 1841

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>114</sup> The Virginian. (Lynchburg [Va.]), 26 June 1826. Chronicling America: Historic American Newspapers. Lib. of Congress. <a href="https://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov/lccn/sn85027015/1826-06-26/ed-1/seq-4/">https://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov/lccn/sn85027015/1826-06-26/ed-1/seq-4/</a>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>115</sup> Virginia Marriages, 1785-1940, on Familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>116</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 43.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>117</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 37, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 123 of 255. Image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>118</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 77.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>119</sup> Lynchburg City Register of Marriages, p. 65, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 151 of 255 (digital image available upon request).

- Moved to Chesterfield County, VA, by 1854, where first wife Charlotte died in 1854 Married second, Lucy [maiden name unknown]

  Died in Chesterfield County in January 1869, at the age of 52 years
- 1820 The 1820 federal census for Campbell County, VA, in the city of Lynchburg, shows a male under age 9, who may be **Lewis B. Kidd [Jr.]**, in the household of L. B. Kidd: **1M<9**, 1 10-15 & 1 26-44 [born between 1776-1794]; 3F<10, 3 16-25, 1 26-44 & 1>44; no slaves [p. 244, line 9 from bottom]
- 1830 –The 1830 federal census for Campbell County, VA, in the city of Lynchburg, shows a male age 10-14, who may be **Lewis B. Kidd [Jr.],** in the household of Lewis B. Kidd: **Lewis B. Kidd**: 1M 5-9, **1 10-14** & 1 50-59 [born between 1770-1780]; 1F 10-14, 2 15-19, 1 50-59 and 1 60-69 [p. 329, line 4 from bottom]
- 1841 Lewis B. Kidd and Richard Kidd are the only Kidds found on the Lynchburg City PPTLs.
  - On 13 October 1841, **Lewis B. Kidd** married Charlotte Allen, daughter of Phoebe Allen in Lynchburg, VA.<sup>120</sup>, <sup>121</sup> Enoc Allen was security for the marriage, and William Allen was the witness.<sup>122</sup>
- The PPTL entries in the **Table** above (in Early Lewis Kidd's section of this compilation) may be for Lewis B. Kidd [Jr.] or the Lewis Kidd listed below.
- 1844 **Lewis B. Kidd** appears on the Lynchburg City PPTLs.
- 1847-1849 Lewis B. Kidd appears on the Lynchburg City PPTLs.
- 1845 On 22 September 1845, George W. Seay and Francis Seay his wife of the town of Lynchburg sold to **Lewis B. Kidd** of the same place for \$45 "sixty feet of ground on second alley commencing seventy-two feet from Eleventh Street and running back one hundred and sixty-five feet, being part of lot # 316 in plan of said town.<sup>123</sup>
- 1846-1850 **Lewis B. Kidd** is found on the Lynchburg City Land Tax Lists for the first time in 1846 (no other Kidd appears on these LTLs, from 1817-1850), taxed for Lynchburg lot #316, which he purchased from George W. Seay. This lot was valued at \$50 and had no buildings or structures on it in 1846.
  - **Lewis B. Kidd** continues to be taxed for this lot annually through 1850, the last year checked for these LTLs. By 1848, a dwelling or other structure had been built on this lot and was valued at \$200.<sup>124</sup> He sold this land in 1860 to James Allen [see below].
- By 1854, Lewis B. Kidd and his family had moved to Manchester in Chesterfield County, Virginia, near Richmond.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>120</sup> Virginia Marriages, 1785-1940, on Familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>121</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 43.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>122</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 76, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 162 of 255. Image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>123</sup> Lynchburg Deed Book 16, page 178, retrieved from FHL #1994920, image 102, viewable online via familysearch.org, but downloading images prohibited.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>124</sup> Lynchburg County Land Tax Lists, 1817-1850, LoV reels 356-357, obtained via inter-library loan through Seattle Public Library, Feb. 2019. See abstract in the Lynchburg Source Documents folder on Dropbox.

- 1854 C. Allen Kidd, wife of **Lewis B. Kidd** and daughter of Jos. and Phebe Allen, died in Manchester, Chesterfield County, VA on 15 Dec. 1854 at the age of 30.<sup>125</sup>
- 1855 Lewis B. Kidd remarried approximately a year later, to Lucy [maiden name unknown]:
- 1856 William H. Kidd, son of **Lewis B.** and Lucy B. **Kidd**, was born in Chesterfield County, Virginia on 16 December 1856. 126
- 1860 On the federal census in the northern district of Chesterfield County, VA, Manchester P. O., p. 128, HH 961/981:

Lewis B. Kidd 44MW Operator \$0/150 VA

Lucy A. " 38FW VA

Emma J. Nuckols 13FW VA

O. A. Kidd 12FW VA

Ios. A. Kidd 9FW VA

Wm. H. " 4MW VA

H. L. " 1MW VA

Mary Walker 44FW VA Dumb and Blind

Ann Anderson 22FW VA

- 1860 On 16 July 1860, Lewis B. Kidd and Lucy A. his wife, of the town of Manchester in Chesterfield County, sold to James Allen of the town of Lynchburg for \$600, a parcel of land in the city of Lynchburg, lot 316, being the same land conveyed to said Kidd by George W. Seay and wife on 22 Sept 1845.<sup>127</sup>
- 1869 a **Lewis B. Kidd** died "at his late residence in Manchester (Chesterfield County) Virginia on Wednesday, 6 January 1869...in the 52<sup>nd</sup> year of his age." 128
- 1870 His widow Lucy and their children are on the federal census in Manchester township, Chesterfield County, Virginia, page 12, HH 85/97:

Kidd, Lucy A. 48FW Keeping house \$550 VA

- " Joseph A. 19MW works in cotton factory VA
- ", William H. 13MW works in tobacco factory VA
- ", Hugh L. 11MW works in book store VA

Members of this family remained in the Manchester area.

# LEWIS B. KIDD, possibly also known as Baldwin Kidd, house painter Born about 1815/1820 in Virginia Married Mary Ann Heath in Campbell County in 1844

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>125</sup> Virginia Deaths and Burials, 1853-1912 at Familysearch.org, citing FHL #2056977, item 1, image 23, line 42.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>126</sup> Virginia Births and Christenings, 1584-1917, on Familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>127</sup> Lynchburg Deed Book 22, page 124, retrieved from FHL #1994923, image 89, viewable online via familysearch.org, but downloading images prohibited.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>128</sup> While I am almost certain that this death record comes from the Chesterfield County Death Register, 1853-1896, it is not found on the LDS microfilm FHL #2056977. The register appears to have been microfilmed incompletely, and images jump from 1867 to 1870, suggesting that the intervening pages were skipped. RK will check this on his next trip to the Library of Virginia, even if it requires requesting the original document.

Recollections of Lynchburg (1858)<sup>129</sup> contains a sketch about a house painter named Ballad Kidd, living in the Lynchburg area around 1819, who was said to have sons Jennings and Baldwin. It is possible that this Lewis B. Kidd is son Baldwin, given his occupation on the 1860 federal census.

1844 – A Campbell County marriage bond dated 25 March 1844 was issued for **Lewis B. Kidd** and Mary Heath, daughter of Martha Heath. Wm. Martin, security. 130

The following PPTL entries may be for Lewis B. Kidd [Jr.] or this Lewis Kidd:

1844 – Lewis B. Kidd appears on the Lynchburg City PPTLs.

1847-1849 – Lewis B. Kidd appears on the Lynchburg City PPTLs.

- 1850 We've not found an 1850 census entry for a Lewis, Ballard or Baldwin Kidd in Lynchburg or Campbell County, Virginia.
- 1860 On the federal census in the western district of Campbell County, Virginia, Castle Craig P.O., page 135, HH 927/1018:

Baldwin Kidd 45MW painter \$0/50 VA

Mary A. " 30FW VA

Nancy " 17FW VA

Thomas Heavth 17MW no occupation VA

- 1869 On 15 January 1869, George H. Burch, Executor of Ann Hollins deceased, sold to **Lewis B. Kidd** for \$250, a certain lot in Campbell County on the waters of Black Water Creek near Hollins Mill ...containing one acre, 2 rods & 28 poles, more or less ... [description of land follows], with G. H. Burch, executor, reserving the right of way along the old road to a quarry at or near the tunnel of the Virginia Railroad. <sup>131</sup>
- 1870 On the federal census in Brookville twp, Campbell County, VA, Lynchburg P. O., HH 482/669:

Kidd, Lewis B 52MW housepainter VA cannot write

- ", Mary A. 45FW keeping home VA
- ", Charles 7/12MW VA b. October

Pettigrew, John F. 45MW farmer Carpenter VA

- ", Nancy 22FW no occupation VA CROW<sup>132</sup> [daughter Nancy]
- ", William 2MW VA

Heath, Martha 30FW no occupation VA CROW

", Keziah 35FW no occupation VA CROW

On 1 November 1870, Lewis B. Kidd appeared in Lynchburg Court and filed the following declaration, evidently to protect his land for his wife Mary Ann's heirs. The wording of this suggests that the money for this land may have come from the Heath family:<sup>133</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>129</sup> Sketches and Recollections of Lynchburg by the Oldest Inhabitant (Mrs. Cabell) 1858, index by William Frederic Holcombe, 1920, Lynchburg Historical Foundation, Lynchburg, VA. 1974.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>130</sup> Campbell County, VA Index to Marriages, vol. 1, page 94, retrieved from FHL # 31050, image 304 via familysearch.org (restricted access, FHCs only).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>131</sup> Lynchburg Deed Book 24, page 428, retrieved from FHL #1994924, image 270, viewable online via familysearch.org, but downloading images prohibited.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>132</sup> Cannot read or write.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>133</sup> Lynchburg Deed Book 25, page 219, retrieved from FHL #1994924, image 495 (unrestricted access, but downloading image prohibited).

Be it known to all whom it may concern that I, **Lewis B. Kidd** of the County of Campbell, being a house-holder and the head of a family, do by this my deed declare it to be my intention to set apart and hold as my Homestead under and by virtue of the constitution of the state of Virginia and an act of the General Assembly entitled "an Act to prescribe in what manner and on what conditions a Householder or a Head of a Family shall set apart and hold a Homestead and personal property for the benefit of himself and family exempt from sale for debt.

The following real and personal estate, to wit: a certain or parcel of ground lying in the county of Campbell, in the suburbs of Lynchburg, on the Lynchburg and Lexington Road near "Burtin's Mill," it being the same lot on which I now reside, and part of the lot conveyed to me by Geo. Burch Exer, the balance of the same having been conveyed by me to Thos. A. Heath, Trustee for Kezia Heath, and to Thos. A. Heath, Trustee for Nancy A. Heath, containing about two acres and valued at \$600.

Also, the following personal property, to wit: One bedstead, of the value of \$15, one bedstead of the value of \$8, one wash stand of the value of \$8, one dozen chairs of the value of \$6, one clock of the value of \$2, one bureau of the value of \$10, one candle stand of the value of \$1.50, two carpets of the value each of \$5, one lot of cooking utensils of the value of \$6, One rocking chair of the value of \$2, one looking glass of the value of \$2, and one gun of the value of \$10.

Given under my hand and seal this 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1870, **Lewis B. Kidd** {seal}

On the same day, **Lewis B. Kidd** and **Mary A. Kidd** his wife, in consideration for the love and affection which they have and bear for Kizia Heath, the sister of the said Mary A. Kidd, and the sum of \$5 paid to them by Thomas Heath, granted, bargained and sold to the said Thomas A. Heath a parcel of ground lying in the county of Campbell, in the suburbs of Lynchburg, on the Lynchburg and Lexington Road near "Burtin's Mill," it being part of the lot conveyed to me by Geo. Burch Exer, and now occupied by the said **L. B. Kidd** ...[property description follows] and that the said Thomas A. Heath, Trustee shall permit the said Kizia Heath to hold, possess and enjoy [this property] during her life, and at her death to deliver over the same to William Pettigrew, son of Nancy A. Heath and grandson of **the said Mary A. Kidd**, to whom the said **Lewis B. Kidd** and **Mary A. Kidd** do give the same in fee simple at the death of Kizia Heath.<sup>134</sup>

Also on the same day, **Lewis B. Kidd** and **Mary A. Kidd** his wife entered into a Deed of Trust with Thomas A. Heath. In consideration of the love and affection they bear for the said Nancy A. Heath, daughter **of the said Mary A. Kidd**, and for the sum of \$5 paid to Thomas A. Heath, granted, bargained and sold to the said Thomas A. Heath a parcel of ground lying in the county of Campbell, in the suburbs of Lynchburg, on the Lynchburg and Lexington Road near "Burtin's Mill," ... [land description follows] neighboring Kezia Heath's line, upon trust, that the said Trustee shall permit the said Nancy A. Heath to enjoy and use the land during her lifetime, and after her death, will deliver over the same to her

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>134</sup> Ibid, pages 220-221, image 496 of 692 (unrestricted access, but downloading image prohibited).

- son William Pettigrew, to whom the said **Lewis B. Kidd** and **Mary A. his wife** do give this land in fee simple at the death of said Nancy A. Heath.<sup>135</sup>
- 1880 In February 1880, **Lewis Kidd**, age 60, occupation of painter, died of "paralysis" in Brookville district of Campbell County, VA, according to the 1880 federal census mortality schedule.
- 1888 On 10 December 1888, **Mary Ann Kidd**, a widow aged 65, died in Campbell County, VA, of pneumonia. Her parents or late husband were not named. The informant was Wm. D. Pettigrew, "friend."<sup>136</sup> [Note: This may be her grandson William Pettigrew (see 1870 above].

# LEWIS B. KIDD, named in an 1843 deed of trust involving James Kidd, filed in both Amherst County and Lynchburg City courts

This record seems most likely to be for Lewis B. Kidd [Jr]. The relationship of this James Kidd and Lewis B. Kidd is not known. Given this transaction with Maurice Hickey, this James Kidd may be James T. Kidd (see his section above).

1843 – On 3 August 1843 in Amherst County Court, Maurice Hickey entered into a deed of trust with **Lewis B. Kidd**, in order to secure the payment of a debt of \$120 due by bill dated 25 January 1842, and a further sum of \$80.50 due by bill dated 17 March 1843, owed to James Kidd, using a combination of livestock, farm implements and household furniture, along with his current crops of corn, oats and hay. This deed of trust was presented in Lynchburg Court on the same day, and proved by the oath of Maurice Hickey. It was examined in Amherst County Court on 4 August, and admitted to record. [It is not clear why this deed of trust was proven in both courts.]

# LEWIS H. or N. KIDD, son of James T. Kidd

Born about 1849 Died in 1879 in Campbell County, VA

- 1847 On 6 December 1847, **James T. Kidd** married Harriet Jane Stanley, the daughter of Joe Stanley, in Lynchburg, Virginia. <sup>138</sup>, <sup>139</sup>
- 1850 On the federal census in the town of Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA, p. 77, HH 49/53: James T. Kidd 28MW carpenter b. VA
  Harriet J. Kidd 23FW VA

Lewis N. Kidd 1MW VA

Lucy Rice 45FW VA

1860 – We are unable to find this family unit in or around Campbell County, VA on the 1860 federal census.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>135</sup> Ibid, DB 25:221-222, images 496-497.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>136</sup> Campbell County, VA death registers, 1853-1912, FHL #2056976 (unrestricted access), image301 of 593.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>137</sup> Amherst County Deed Book Y, pages 526, ff. (second page also numbered 526 in deed book), retrieved from FHL #30295, images 290-291 on this reel. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>138</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 43.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>139</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 100, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 186 of 255. Image available upon request.

1870 – On the federal census in Eastern Division, Campbell County, VA, Lynchburg P.O., HH 434/458:

Kidd, Lewis H.<sup>140</sup> 21WM laborer VA CROW [born about 1849]

- ', Jane 44FW keeping house VA [likely Lewis's mother]
- ", Mary C. 13FW Seamstress VA
- 1873 On 3 August 1873, **Lewis N. Kidd**, age 25, single and born in Campbell County, VA married Ch--se (first name illegible) E. [Elizabeth] Elliott, age 22, single and born in Bedford County, VA, in Bedford County. Both were residents of Campbell County at the time of their marriage. This record names his parents as James T. and Harriet J. Kidd and hers as Adam and Susan Ann Elliot. Lewis's occupation was "mechanic." <sup>141</sup>
- 1879 In September 1879, **Lewis Kidd**, age 30, died in Brookville District, Campbell County, VA, "shot by John Brown," according to the 1880 federal census mortality schedule. The actual date of his death was 29 July 1879, judging from the article below:<sup>142</sup>

Lynchburg, Va.; July 20.—At 8 o'clock to-night John Brown, a German proprietor of a grocery and barroom one mile and a-balt below the city, shot a one-arm man named Lewis Kidd with a revolver. Brown then blew his own brains out. Both died instantly. Kidd had returned to the grocery store for a package be had left. Brown had the grocery close t, but opened the door partially and shot Kido, then locked the door and placed the pistol to his own forehead and fired. They had no quarrel. It is supposed both had been drinking. Brown had been suspected of insanity.

1880 – Following his death, his widow, Elizabeth Kidd appears with their two daughters on the 1880 federal census in Big Lick Township, Roanoke County, VA, living in the household of her older brother, ED 60, page 30B, HH 227/242:

Elliott, William WM 38M head works, tobacco factory VA VA VA

- ", Dora WF 18M wife keeps house VA VA VA
- " ,Emma WF 1S dau VA VA VA

Kidd, Elizabeth WF 25 widowed sister VA VA VA

- ", Berta WF 5S niece VA VA VA
- ", Mary F WF 2S niece VA VA VA

Elizabeth was older than this census indicates. She never remarried. She died 11 June 1926

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>140</sup> His middle initial on this census entry does indeed look like an H. But ALL other records for him that include a middle initial show an N. We think this was likely a clerical error by the census taker.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>141</sup> Bedford County, Virginia Marriage Register 2, page 29, retrieved from FHL #30597, image 110 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>142</sup> This article initially appeared in the Lynchburg Daily Virginian, and was picked up by other Virginia newspapers, including the Winchester News, 1 August 1879, where I discovered it on Virginia Chronicle, Library of Virginia.

in Roanoke City. Her death certificate lists her birth as 28 March 1854 in Bedford County; the informant did not know the names of her parents.<sup>143</sup>

#### MACARTHA ANN KIDD TAYLOR

1832 – On 10 November 1832, Allen Taylor and **Macartha Ann Kidd** were granted a marriage bond in Lynchburg, Virginia. The bondsman was William Kidd; his relationship to the bride was not stated.<sup>144</sup>, <sup>145</sup>

We could not find this couple on the 1840 or 1850 federal censuses, and have no further information on them.

#### **MARTHA KIDD**

1850 – We do not find a Martha Kidd of the proper age in Campbell County in 1850 to match the record below.

1860 – On the federal census in Campbell County (Western District), VA, p. 810, Castle Craig P.O., HH 770/820:

Martha Kidd 48WF \$0/30 VA attended school within the year [sic]

Robert Kidd 13 MW VA

George Kidd 10MW VA

Charles Kidd 8MW VA

Sally Trent 50FW VA CROW

Thomas Trent 20MW laborer VA

1870 – On the federal census in Campbell County (Western District), VA, p. 151, Castle Craig P.O., HH 844/924:

Martha Kidd 49FW keeping house VA

James Kidd 22MW works on farm VA [may be the George or Robert Kidd listed in 1860] Charles Kidd 18MW works on farm VA

We have not found any further mentions of this individual.

#### MARTHA R. KIDD, daughter of John and Sally Kidd

1850 – On the federal census in the town of Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA, p. 86A, HH 187/197:

John Kidd 45MW laborer b. VA Cannot read or write

Sally Kidd 45FW b. VA

Julia A. Kidd 18FW VA

Martha Kidd 16FW VA

George Kidd 12MW VA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>143</sup> Virginia, U.S., Death Records, 1912-2014, Ancestry.com, citing Roanoke County Death certificate #15474

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>144</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 79.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>145</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 45, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 131 of 255. Image available upon request.

- 1853 George T. Akers obtained a marriage license for his marriage to **Martha R. Kidd**, "the daughter of John Kidd," on 15 September 1853.<sup>146</sup> This record states that the groom was 21 years of age.
- 1856 A Sally Kidd died in Lynchburg City on 27 July 1856 at the age of 60. The cause of death is listed as consumption. This record does not name her parents or her birthplace. The informant was **Martha Akers**, her daughter. Her marital status is listed as 'married,' suggesting that her husband was alive at the time of her death.<sup>147</sup>
- 1860 **Martha Kidd Akers** died on 1 May 1860 in Campbell County, Virginia. Her death record states that she was 28 years old at the time of her death, that she was born in North Carolina [which differs from the census record], and that the cause of her death was 'Diarear' [diarrhea]. It names her parents as "Jno. and E. Kidd and lists her husband as G.T. Akers. The informant was William Akers, whose relationship is listed as "father." He was more likely her father-in-law.

Martha R. Akers is also found on the 1860 federal census mortality schedule.<sup>149</sup> This record confirms the above information (including the location of her birthplace as North Carolina) and lists her as M, for married.<sup>150</sup>

Her husband and their two small children are on the 1860 federal census in the Western District (Castle Craig post office) of Campbell County, p. 16, living with her husband's parents:

Dwelling no. 119, family 119:

Wm. Akers 72MW school teacher \$0 real estate/\$30 personal estate b. VA

Susan " 72FW b. VA

dwelling no. 119/family 120

Geo. T. Akers 35MW merchant \$0/50 b. VA

Jno. W. " 7WM VA

G. L. G. " 2MW VA

#### MARY (BUTLER) KIDD, the wife and widow of Wallace Kidd

Born abt 1805<sup>151</sup> in Virginia

Married Wallace Kidd in 1821 in Fluvanna County

Resided in Campbell County for perhaps a decade, before migrating to Rockbridge County, Virginia by 1842

Married (2) Thomas Stone in Rockbridge County in 1842

Died sometime after the 1860 federal census, date and place unknown

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>146</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 163, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 249 of 255. Image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>147</sup> Lynchburg City death registers, 1853-1896, via Familysearch.org. Scanned image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>148</sup> Campbell County, Virginia Register of Deaths, 1853-1896. Image of death record retrieved from FHL #2056976, image 185 of 593 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access, but download of record prohibited).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>149</sup> U.S. Federal Census Mortality Schedules, 1850-1885, on Ancestry.com: 1860, Virginia, Campbell County, p. 121.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>150</sup> The abstract of this record states that she was a widow, but the image shows what looks much more like a M than a W, to my eye. The entry just below Martha's shows a clear W, for comparison.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>151</sup> Judging from her age on the 1850 and 1860 federal censuses (45 and 55, respectively).

- 1821 On 15 September 1821, Wallace Kidd and **Mary Butler** were married in Fluvanna County, minister John Goodman.<sup>152</sup>
- 1829 **Wallace Kidd** appears on the Campbell County, VA PPTLs in 1829, taxed for his own tithe, with no slaves or horses; no other Kidds appear on this year's PPTLs, and no Kidds are found on them in 1830. Wallace Kidd appears again on the 1831 PPTLs.
- 1830 On the federal census in Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA, page 342, line 12: **Wallis Kidd**: 1WM<5 & 1 30-39; 1F 20-29.

This record is consistent with being Wallace Kidd with his wife Mary and their first child John P. Kidd (see records below)

Wallace Kidd died sometime before 1842 when his widow Mary Butler Kidd remarried in 1842 (see below) to Thomas G. Stone. Wallace's daughter Elizabeth J. Kidd's 1889 marriage record in Marion County, IL names her parents as **Wallace Kidd** and Mary Butler.

1840 – The 1840 federal census includes the following Kidds, both on p. 36, adjacent to each other in the NE District of Campbell County:

Tandy K. Kidd: 2M<5, 2 15-19 & 2 20-29; 1F 5-9 & 1 10-14; 10 slaves **Mary Kidd**: 1M 15-19; 1F 10-14 & 1 50-59.

We believe that this Mary Kidd above is Mary (Butler) Kidd, the wife and widow of Wallace Kidd, who died sometime between 1831 and 1842.

- 1842 On 17 June 1842, Thomas G. Stone and **Mary Kidd** were married in Rockbridge County, VA, minister Samuel D. Campbell. 153
- 1850 On the federal census in District 51, Rockbridge County, VA, page 453, HH 1028/1042: Stone, Thomas 60MW farmer \$0 real estate VA

", Mary 45FW VA

Kidd, John 30MW boatman VA

Kidd, Elizabeth 18FW VA

Stone, C. 8FW VA

- 1851 On 4 June 1851, Reverend Staunton Field performed a double marriage ceremony in Rockbridge County, Virginia for Mary and Wallace Kidd's children: John P. Kidd married Mahalia Kirby (the daughter of M. B. Kirby of Lynchburg), and Fenal (Fendal) Thomas married Elizabeth Stone, the daughter of Thomas Stone. This second bride is Elizabeth Kidd, John P. Kidd's sister; Thomas Stone was her stepfather, as shown in the 1850 census record above.
- 1859 California E. (Stone) Pugh, wife of James Pugh, and the daughter of Thomas and **Mary Stone**, died on 28 February 1859 in Rockingham County, Virginia at the age of 17, cause –

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>152</sup> Virginia Historic Marriage Register, Fluvanna County, VA Marriages, 1781-1849, by John Vogt and T. William Kethley Jr., Iberian Press, Athens GA 1984, P. 32. Scanned image of the actual record available upon request.

Virginia, Compiled Marriages, 1740-1850. Virginia, Select Marriages, 1785-1940, also lists this marriage, and cites FHL #33799, page 43, viewable (unrestricted access) via familysearch.org, image 135 of 329. This record does not list the groom's middle initial or the title "Mrs." Perhaps there is a minister' return or other record elsewhere.

pneumonia. This death record lists her county of birth as Bedford County. Her mother was the informant for this record.<sup>154</sup>

1860 – On the federal census in District 3, Rockbridge County, VA, Glenwood P.O., page 208, HH 1392:

Thomas, Fendal 39MW farmer \$600/80 b. VA

- ", Eliz. J. 28FW VA CROW<sup>155</sup>
- ", Jno H. 7MW VA
- ", Mary B. 6FW VA
- ", Geo. E. 3MW VA
- ", Wm. W. 2MW VA

Thomas, Eldred 34MW farmhand \$0/75 VA CROW

", Archibald 32MW farmhand \$600/25 VA

Also on the federal census in District 3, Rockbridge County, VA, Glenwood P.O., page 206, HH 1374:

Stone, Thomas G. 69MW farmer \$0/50 VA

", Mary 55FW VA

HH 1375

Kidd, Ino. P. 32MW miller \$0/50 VA

along with wife Mary H. 24FW b. VA, and 4 children

Mary and Thomas Stone drop from Rockbridge County records after the 1860 federal census. We've searched the Rockbridge County General Index to Wills and the General Indexes to Deeds (Grantors and Grantees) and find no mentions of them in those indexes. The PPTLs for Rockbridge County for this era (after 1850) are not available online at familysearch.org. Neither of them is found in the Rockbridge County Death Registers, 1853-1896. In short, we do not know what became of either of them.

The following records all pertain to Mary's daughter Elizabeth J. Kidd, who married Fendal Thomas, and after his death married several more times, in Illinois. It is this Elizabeth Kidd McTheney Sands' death record in 1908 that proves she was the daughter of Wallace Kidd and Mary Butler.

1865 - Fendall Thomas died 25 January 1865 in a POW camp, while serving in the Civil War.

1870 – An Eliza Jane Sanson married John H. McTheney on 1 December 1870 in Warren County, Illinois. <sup>157</sup> The bride's surname is perplexing in this record. But we know from the following marriage record that this should be her, or at least that she'd married a McTheny. Warren County isn't close to Marion County, so it's possible that this record is just a coincidence.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>154</sup> Rockbridge County, Virginia Death Register, 1853-1870, and Death Certificates, 1912-1917, by Angela M. Ruley, Ibeerian Pub. Co., Athens, GA, 1991, p. 88.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>155</sup> Cannot read or write.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>156</sup> Two books of death records for Rockbridge County via ILL: Rockbridge County, Virginia death register, 1853-1870, by Angela M. Ruley, Iberian Pub. Co., 1991, and Rockbridge County, Virginia death records, 1871-1896, by Ken Morris, Iberian Pub. Co., 2000 make no mention of either Thomas or Mary Stone.

Warren County, Illinois Marriage Records, vol. C, page 48, retrieved from FHL #1377921, image 390 of 623. Digital image available upon request (stored in Campbell County Source Docs folder on Dropbox, since that's where her father, Wallace Kidd, was last seen and where he presumably died).

- 1889 Elizabeth J. McTheny married Daniel D. Sands on 21 Nov 1889 in Odin, Marion County, Illinois.<sup>158</sup> This record lists her parents as Wallace Kid and **Mary Butler.**
- 1900 She and her third husband are on the federal census in Salem twp, Marion County, IL, Enumeration District 31, page 284A, HH 519/541:
  - D. D. Sands head WM Feb 1840 60 married 10 yr TN TN TN farmer

Elizabeth " wife WF Nov 1832 67 married 10 yr VA VA VA

Eldora " dau WF Oct 1857 42 single IL TN TN

John "brother WM Sept 1822 single TN TN TN

- 1908 Elizabeth Sands died in Salem twp, Marion County, IL on 22 February 1908 at the age of 76 years 6 months. Her death record lists her place of birth as Virginia, and says she'd been a resident of Illinois for 28 years. It did not name her spouse, her parents or the informant. She is buried in Paradise Cemetery in Salem twp., Marion County, IL, according to Findagrave.com. It lists her date of birth as 25 April 1832 and states that she was born in Campbell County, VA.
- 1910 Her husband Daniel Sands, died there on 25 August 1910. He is buried in the Branch Cemetery in Marion County, Illinois, as is his first wife Matilda Farthing Sands. <sup>161</sup>

# NANCY KIDD, mother of Cyntha Kidd

- 1820 The 1820 federal census for Campbell County lists the following Kidds, all in Lynchburg City:
  - p. 244, line 9 from bottom:
  - L. B. Kidd: 1M<9, 1 10-15 & 1 26-44; 3F<10, 3 16-25, 1 26-44 & 1>44; no slaves.

p. 248, line 17:

Nancy Kidd: 1F<10 and 1 26-44 [ could be Nancy, mother of Cyntha (Kidd) Stevens, b abt 1820]

p. 254, line 7 from bottom

John Kidd: 1M<9, 1 16-26 & 1 >44; 1F 10-16 and 1 26-44; 2 in agriculture

p. 254, line 6 from bottom

Delphia Kidd: 1M 10-16, 2 16-26 & 2 26-45; 3 in agriculture

- 1830 The 1830 federal census includes the following Kidds, all in Lynchburg City:
  - p. 329, line 4 from bottom, Lewis B. Kidd: 1M 5-9, 1 10-14 & 1 50-59; 1F 10-14, 2 15-19, 1 50-59 and 1 60-69;
  - p. 330, line 2 Delpha Kidd: 1FWM 20-29; 1F 70-79
    - line 3 **Nancy Kidd**: 1M 5-9 & 1 10-14; 1F 5-9, 1 10-14 & 1 30-39
    - line 5 Adline Kidd: 1F 15-19, 1 20-29 & 1 30-39
    - line 6 William Kidd: 1M<5, 1 5-9 & 1 40-49; 1F 5-9, 2 15-19. 1 20-29, & 1 40-49; 3 slaves

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>158</sup> Marion County, Illinois marriage records, 1821-1934, FHL #1010518, image 201 of 672 (unrestricted access). Digital image available upon request (stored in Campbell County Source Docs folder on Dropbox, since that's where her father, Wallace Kidd, was last seen and where he presumably died).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>159</sup> Marion County, Illinois Deaths, volume 2, page 543, found on FHL #1010512, image 521 of 576. Digital image of this record available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>160</sup> Findagrave.com, Memorial ID 46883216.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>161</sup> Findagrave.com, Memorial ID 15038076.

line 9 Daniel Kidd: 1 M 30-39

Wallis Kidd is enumerated in Campbell County, but not in Lynchburg City: p. 342, line 12 Wallis Kidd: 1M<5 & 1 30-39; 1F 20-29

- 1838 On 13 October 1838, a marriage bond was issued in Lynchburg, Virginia for James Stevens and Synthy [Cynthy] Kidd. The parent of the (underaged) bride was **Nancy Kidd**, mother of the bride. <sup>162</sup> The security for the marriage was Lewis B. Kidd. <sup>163</sup>
- 1840 She does not appear on the 1840 federal census in Campbell County, VA. In 1850, she is living in her son-in-law's household (see below):
- 1850 On the federal census in Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA, page 95, HH 319/333: James Stevens 41MW manager \$1,000 real estate b. Maryland

Cyntha " 26FW VA

Wm. H " 5MW VA

Mary C. " 3FW VA

Nancy Kidd 50FW VA

We have found no other records for her.

NANCY O. (BUGG) KIDD, the wife of William Kidd, and daughter of William C. Bugg and his wife, Mary/Polly Sadler

Matriarch of the Campbell County VA Kidds who moved to Louisville, KY by 1837 Born abt 1784<sup>164</sup>

Married William Kidd<sup>165</sup> on 12 November 1802 in Fluvanna County, VA Moved from Lynchburg to Louisville KY by 1837

Died in Louisville KY by 8 January 1858, when her will was introduced into Court

- 1802 **Nancy O. Bugg** and William Kidd were married in Fluvanna County, VA on 12 November 1802. This marriage record explicitly names her parents as William C. and Mary Bugg. 166
- 1830 We believe that she's the older female on the 1830 federal census in Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA in the household below:

William Kidd: 1WM<5, 1 5-9, & 1 40-49; 1F 5-9, 2 15-19, 1 20-29 & 1 40-49. Two female enslaved persons <10 and one 10-24. 167

<sup>163</sup> Lynchburg City Register of Marriages, p. 65, retrieved from FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 151 of 255 (digital image available upon request).

<sup>164</sup> Judging from her age at the time of the 1840 & 1850 federal censuses: she was aged 50-59 in 1840, and 66 in 1850.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>162</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 77.

We have found no physical records for him in Lynchburg, Campbell County or Jefferson County, KY. We learn his name indirectly from three records: Nancy O. Kidd's entries in the 1848 and 1851 Louisville City Directories list her as "Nancy O. Kidd, widow of Wm. Kidd." And a newspaper notice published in the Louisville newspaper in 1859, seeking the whereabouts of Catherine Ambrozina, "daughter of William and Nancy O. Kidd, of Lynchburg, Virginia."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>166</sup> Fluvanna County, VA Marriages, 1783-1809, page 22, retrieved from FHL #850090, image 29 via familysearch.org. This is a typed transcription of the original marriage register pages.

The <u>original</u> Fluvanna County Marriage register image of this marriage may be seen on FHL #31689, image 202, line 21, via familysearch.org (restricted access – FHCs only).

<sup>167</sup> From other, later records, we have determined the names and approximate ages of Nancy's children, and the ages match well with this census. By the time of the 1830 federal census, oldest daughter Ardelia is married and out on her own; second daughter is also out on her own, enumerated in her own household on this census. And eldest son,

We know that the family was in Campbell County by 1825, because oldest daughter Ardelia married there in that year. And the second daughter Adeline appears in her own household on the 1830 federal census.

It appears that Nancy's husband William Kidd died soon after this census, because he's not found in any subsequent Lynchburg or Campbell County records.

On the 1830 federal census for Lynchburg, another household, with a Nancy Kidd as the household head, is found. This Nancy Kidd is a decade or more younger, with younger children in the household; we believe that this entry belongs to a different, unplaced Nancy Kidd, possibly the mother of Cynthey Kidd.

- 1837 On 12 December 1837, Andrew Gross and Cary Ann Kidd were married in Jefferson County, Kentucky by Sml. Burk(?), a Baptist minister. The marriage license states that Cary Ann was the daughter of **Nancy O. Kidd**, and that consent for this marriage (evidently the bride was under the age of consent) was by her mother "through her brother Edmund Kidd." <sup>168</sup>
- 1837-1857 **Nancy O. Kidd** appears annually in the city of Louisville on the annual Jefferson County, KY Tax Lists from 1837 through 1858. In each year, she was taxed on a number (varying from three to six) enslaved persons, but no real estate. See Appendix Three for more information.
- 1840 A **Wm. C. Kidd** is listed on the 1840 federal census in Louisville, Jefferson County, Kentucky, page 135:

Wm. C. Kidd: 1WM 5-9, 2 15-19, 1 20-29, & 1 30-39 (is one of these two older males William C. Kidd's presumed brother, Edmund J. Kidd?); 1F<5 and 1 30-39. Three slaves (1M<10, 1 F<10 and 1F 10-23).

There is also a Nancy Kidd in Louisville, Kentucky on this census, on page 76:

Nancy Kidd: 1WM 10-14 & 1 30-39; 1F 50-59. Three slaves. Two persons employed in mfg. & trade.

Next door is likely her daughter, Cary Ann and her husband Andrew Gross: A. Gross: 2M<5, 1 15-19, & 1 20-29; 1F 20-29. One female slave <10.

- 1842 In 1842, William C. Kidd's entries on the Louisville, KY Tax List show that in addition to paying his own taxes, he paid, or at least reported the value of the property of "Mrs. Turner" and **Nancy O. Kidd**. "Mrs. Turner was William C.'s sister Ardelia.
- 1848 The 1848 City directory for Louisville, Kentucky listed the following Kidds: <sup>170</sup> Kidd, W C, f of Kidd & Davis, Jefferson bt. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, h 328 Green bt. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>. Kidd & Davis, keeps the Eclipse livery stable, Jefferson bt. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>. **Kidd, Mrs Nancy, widow of Wm,** 370 Broadway bt. Centre & 6<sup>th</sup>.

William C. has migrated to Louisville, Jefferson County, KY, where he appears on the Louisville Tax List for that year, for the first time. The youngest male fits with known son, Josiah, and the male 5-9 fits with Edmund.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>168</sup> Kentucky, County Marriage Records, 1783-1965, on Ancestry.com citing Jefferson County Marriages, 1837-1838, image 122 of 321.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>169</sup> Jefferson County, Ky Tax List, 1842, western division, retrieved from FHL #8055, image 107, retrieved via familysearch.org. Digital image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>170</sup> John B. Jegli's Louisville Directory for the years 1848-1849, Louisville, KY, 1848, page 153; digital images provided via email by an archivist in the Archives and Special Collections department of the University of Louisville Libraries, September 2020.

1850 –THREE OTHER KIDDS who are possibly related to William C. Kidd are also found on the 1850 federal census in District 3 of Louisville, Kentucky, on pages 327B and 328A (image 184 of 196 on Ancestry.com):

HH 590/590

Andrew Gross 38MW Grocer \$3000 real estate b. TN

Cary Ann " 38FW VA (Edmund J. Kidd's sister and Nancy O. Kidd's daughter)

William J. " 11MW KY

Edward " 9MW KY

Mary A. V. " 7FW KY

Andrew J. " 5MW KY

Nancy " 11/12 FW KY twins

Samuel W. " 11/12MW twins

Charles Wagoner 22MW Chair Maker Germany

Charles Storner 22MW ditto Germany

Charles Horst 21MW ditto Germany

Christopher Harback 22MW ditto Germany

Edmund J. Kidd 44WM no occupation or real estate listed b. VA

HH 596/596

**Nancy O. Kidd** 66FW no occupation no real estate listed VA CROW<sup>171</sup> HH 597/597 (next door)

George Griffy 55WM street inspector \$6,000 real estate bp unknown

Martha " 47FW bp. Unknown

(and two teenage children)

**Nancy O. Kidd** also appears on the Slave Schedule for the 1850 federal census, taxed on seven enslaved persons: Four females, ages 2, 15, 25 and 28; and three males, ages 2, 4 and 7.

1851 – The 1851 City directory for Louisville, Kentucky listed the following Kidds: 172

Kidd & Davies, keeps livery stable, s s Jefferson, bt 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>.

Kidd, Wm C, f K & Davies, h n s Green, bt 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>.

Kidd, Edmund J, at Andrew Gross'.

Kidd, Mrs Nancy, wid of Wm, 370 n s Broadway bt Centre & 6th.

1855 – On 1 May 1855, Nancy O. Kidd signed her will in Louisville, Jefferson County, KY. 173 A relatively short will, it is transcribed verbatim below:

I **Nancy O. Kidd** of Louisville, Kentucky do make this my last will and testament.

I give to Nancy Ellen Gross, my granddaughter, my slave Sarah, the daughter of my slave Saluda Ann, and if said Nancy Ellen should die without issue, then Sarah is to belong to my heirs share and share alike.

I give to my servant girl Amanda the bedstead and bed clothes now used by me.

The remainder of my estate is to be divided into seven parts and each child to have one

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>171</sup> Cannot read or write.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>172</sup> John B. Jegli's Louisville Directory for the years 1848-1852, Louisville, KY, 1848; digital images provided via email by an archivist in the Archives and Special Collections department of the University of Louisville Libraries, September 2020.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>173</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Will Book 5, pages 219-220, retrieved from FHL #588538, images 465-466 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

seventh part except Cary Ann Gross. To her I give two sevenths of the residue of my estate, one seventh in her own right, and one seventh because of her kind attention to her brother and my son, Edmund J. Kidd, deceased.

I witness my hand and seal this 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 1855. (signed) **Nancy O. X Kidd** (her mark)

Signed, sealed and published in our presence by the testatrix this first day of May in testimony whereof we have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses at her request, in her presence and presence of each other.

(signed)

Thos. W. Gibson

Will P. Thomasson

Unfortunately, her will does not specifically name her all her children. But we can infer from the language that she had six children presumably living, and that one child, Edmund, was deceased. In her will, she created seven equal shares from her estate: one for each of six children, and the seventh share to go to her daughter, Cary Ann (Kidd) Gross, for the care and attention she and her family provided to her and son Edmund J. toward the end of their lives.

We are left to deduce the identities of her children, based on other records. Below is a list of her children, along with the evidence confirming them as such

# Children of William and Nancy O. \_\_\_ Kidd:

- 1. **Adaline Kidd**:<sup>174</sup> b. ca 1804, Virginia; married Robert S. Fields; died 19 July 1867 in Louisville, KY
- 2. William C. Kidd: 175 b ca 1805; moved to Louisville by 1830, died there in 1857
- 3. **Edmund J. Kidd**: <sup>176</sup> b ca 1806, moved to Louisville, KY; d by 1855, <sup>177</sup> apparently no beirs
- 4. **Ardelia O. Kidd**:<sup>178</sup> b. 15 October 1808; married 5 times; d. 13 July 1857 in St. Louis, MO
- 5. Cary Ann Kidd:<sup>179</sup> b. ca 1812; married Andrew Gross;

Elements tying William C. Kidd to Nancy O. Kidd, Edmund J. and Cary Ann Kidd Gross:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>174</sup> Named as a sister of Ardelia O. Kidd in Ardelia's will, signed 8 July 1856.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>175</sup> We've found no direct evidence that he's one of Nancy O. Kidd's children. But a preponderance of indirect evidence makes this highly probable.

<sup>1.</sup> Nancy's 1855 will implies 6 surviving children, but names only two of them: Cary Ann (Kidd) Gross; there are clearly 5 more of her children who were living when the will was signed.

<sup>2.</sup> He was likely the security for the marriages of two of Nancy's proven daughters: Ardelia in 1825, and Adeline in 1831.

<sup>3.</sup> All of them were close neighbors in 1850

<sup>4.</sup> William C. Kidd either reported Nancy O. Kidd's taxable property (her slaves) on at least two of the annual Jefferson Co., KY tax lists (1838 and 1842) or he actually paid the tax for her (or both) in those years.

<sup>5.</sup> Wm. C. Kidd and Andrew Gross, hb of Cary Ann, were in the same business

<sup>6.</sup> Edmund J. Kidd witnessed a deed involving Wm. C. Kidd in 1837

<sup>7.</sup> Wm. C. Kidd sold property to Cary Ann Kidd, wife of Andrew Gross (not to Andrew himself)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>176</sup> Named in his mother's will and in his sister, Ardelia's will.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>177</sup> He was deceased by 1855, when his mother wrote her will.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>178</sup> Ardelia's will names her mother as Nancy O. Kidd; it also names her sister Adaline, and deceased brothers, Edmund J. and Josiah P. Kidd.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>179</sup> Her 1837 marriage record names her mother as Nancy O. Kidd. And Nancy O. Kidd's will specifically names Cary Ann as her daughter.

- 6. **Catherine Kidd**:<sup>180</sup> b. and d. unknown; apparently married before 1845 to a man named Ambrozina, and per relatives moved to Buffalo, NY.
- 7. **Josiah P. Kidd**: <sup>181</sup> b. unknown; first appears on the Louisville Tax Lists in 1848, listed at the same address as Nancy Kidd. Named as brother of Ardelia O. Kidd Houghton in her will, signed 8 July 1856, and listed as deceased.
- 1858 On 18 January 1858, an instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of **Nancy O. Kidd** dec'd, late of this county, was produced in Court and proved by the oath of Thomas W. Gibson, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who also made oath that William P. Thomason the other subscribing witness signed the same in his presence and in the presence of and at the request of the testator. Whereupon the same was Established by the Court to be the last will and testament of **Nancy O. Kidd** dec'd and ordered to be recorded. The exact date of Nancy O. Kidd's death is unknown.

Because she died testate, no inventory or settlement accounts were required by law. <sup>183</sup> **Nancy O. Kidd** apparently owned no land. She's not found in the Deed Indexes of Jefferson County; her executor, grandson William H. Baltimore, did execute several deeds, but none of them involved Nancy O. Kidd's estate. And we can find no Jefferson County Court records that mention her other heirs.

The following notice appeared in the Louisville Weekly Courier-Journal on 20 April 1859:<sup>184</sup>

Information is wanted of Mrs. Catherine Ambrozina, daughter of William and Nancy O. Kidd, of Lynchburg, Va. She has not been heard of by her relatives in Louisville for fifteen years, but at last accounts was at Buffalo, New York. By the decease of a relative, it will be greatly to her interest to make herself known, and communicate with her friends in Louisville. The press will confer a favor by giving the above publicity.

This notice was most likely prompted by Nancy O. Kidd's family or executor attempting to locate all her heirs. It is at present one of three sources<sup>185</sup> of the name of Nancy O. Kidd's husband, as well as the name of her missing daughter.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>180</sup> Named in an 1859 newspaper notice, looking for "Catherine Ambrozina, the daughter of Wm and Nancy O. Kidd of Lynchburg, Virginia. No other information about her.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>181</sup> Named in his sister, Ardelia's will; lived at the same address as Nancy O. on some Louisville Tax Lists.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>182</sup> Jefferson County Court Minutes, vol. 22, 1854-1857, page 194, retrieved from FHL #811575, image 490 of 680 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>183</sup> Personal correspondence from Walter Bowman, archivist for the Kentucky Dept. for Libraries and Archives, September 2020: "The presence of the will negates the need for a settlement or inventory. If the deceased owned land you may be able to find the will's executor listed as the grantor on deed indexes with the actual deed then stating the relationship to the deceased. If there was a court case or cases stemming from the provisions of the will, they may provide insight into the heirs."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>184</sup> Louisville (KY) Weekly Courier-Journal, April 20, 1859, page 1, retrieved via GenealogyBank.com.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>185</sup> The other two records which name her (deceased) husband as William are the 1848 and 1851 Louisville, KY City directories. Perhaps a search of other, earlier Louisville City Directories might discover other similar entries.

1859 – On 18 January 1859, in Jefferson County Court, on the motion of William H. Baltimore, who made oath according to law, administration with the will annexed of **Nancy O. Kidd**, dec'd late of this county is granted him. Whereupon he gave bond with Adaline Fields (his mother) his security as required by law. 186

We have created a tree on Ancestry.com for Nancy and her descendants, to serve as a repository of the records they created, primarily in Louisville and Jefferson County, KY. See <a href="https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/199768464/person/122600077045/facts">https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/199768464/person/122600077045/facts</a>.

#### OBEDIENCE KIDD, mother of Polly Kidd

1805 – Polly Kidd, daughter of **Obedience Kidd**, married George Lee in Campbell County, VA on 30 May 1805. Sonsent by Obedience Kidd, mother of the bride. Bondsmen George Lee and John Kidd. John Kidd and Henry Love, witnesses. Sonsent Son

# POLLY KIDD, daughter of Obedience Kidd

1805 – **Polly Kidd**, daughter of Obedience Kidd, married George Lee in Campbell County, VA on 30 May 1805. Sonsent by Obedience Kidd, mother of the bride. Bondsmen George Lee and John Kidd. John Kidd and Henry Love, witnesses. Sonsent Bondsmen George Lee

#### RICHARD KIDD, possible brother to Arnold Kidd

- 1798 In the February session of Campbell County Court, Arnold and **Richard Kidd** were bound out, according to law. 191 This record did not name the person to whom they were bound out, nor their parents. However, a court record for Arnold Kidd
- 1802 January Court 1802. Or(dered) that the Overseers of the Poor bind **Richard Kidd** to Saml. Schoolfield according to law. 192

Note: In 1801, Saml and Benj Schoolfield served as security to Arnold Kidd in a Campbell Co court case, so it may be that Arnold and Richard were brothers, bound to the same master.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>186</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Court Orders, Minutes, book 22, page 194, retrieved from FHL #811575, image 490 of 680 via familysearch.org. Digital image available.

Virginia Marriages, 1785-1940, on Familysearch.org and Ancestry.com, the latter citing FHL #31050 (restricted access – FHCs only).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>188</sup> Baber, Lucy Harrison Miller et al: *Marriages of Campbell County, Virginia, 1782-1810,* Clearfield Publ. Co., Baltimore, MD, 2000, p. 58.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>189</sup> Virginia Marriages, 1785-1940, on Familysearch.org and Ancestry.com, the latter citing FHL #31050, image 306 (restricted access – FHCs only).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>190</sup> Baber, Lucy Harrison Miller et al: Marriages of Campbell County, Virginia, 1782-1810, Clearfield Publ. Co., Baltimore, MD, 2000, p. 58.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>191</sup> Campbell County Court Order Book 6, page 52, retrieved from FHL #31040, image 367. Scanned image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>192</sup> Campbell County Court Order Book 7, page 86, retrieved from FHL #31040, image 609. Scanned image available upon request.

1841 – In 1841, **Richard Kidd** and Lewis B. Kidd are the only Kidds found on the Lynchburg City PPTLs. It is unlikely this is the same Richard Kidd.

# SALLY KIDD, wife of John Kidd

1850 – On the federal census in the town of Lynchburg, Campbell County, VA, p. 86A, HH 187/197:

John Kidd 45MW laborer b. VA Cannot read or write

Sally Kidd 45FW b. VA

Julia A. Kidd 18FW VA

Martha Kidd 16FW VA

George Kidd 12MW VA

1856 – **Sally Kidd** died in Lynchburg City on 27 July 1856 at the age of 60. The cause of death is listed as consumption. This record does not name her parents or her birthplace. The informant was Martha Akers, her daughter. Her marital status is listed as 'married,' suggesting that her husband was alive at the time of her death.<sup>193</sup>

TANDY K. KIDD, son of Jesse Kidd, War of 1812 soldier from Fluvanna County, and his wife Mary Cannon Bugg

Born about 1810 in Virginia, most likely in Fluvanna County<sup>194</sup> Married Mary E. Pleasants in 1832 in Goochland County Married 2<sup>nd</sup> Nancy E. Dyer in 1848 in Washington County, Arkansas Died in Washington County, Arkansas in 1862

Tandy Kidd left records in Albemarle County (1830), Fluvanna and Goochland Counties (1831-1832), Campbell County, VA (1835-1844), Amherst County (1837 & 1844), and then in Washington County, Arkansas (1841-1862). We have included them all in this compilation.

- 1816 Tandy K. Kidd's father Jesse Kidd was a soldier in the War of 1812 who died in camp in 1815. After Jesse's death, Tandy's mother Mary (Polly) Cannon Bugg married Joseph Melton on 21 August 1816 in Fluvanna County, Virginia.<sup>195</sup>
- 1820 Fluvanna County September Court 1820. "Joseph Melton was appointed guardian to William M. Kidd, Tandy Kidd, Tarlton Kidd and Eliza Ann Kidd, orphans of Jesse Kidd, deceased." Joel Melton his security, bond for \$100.196

This event also prompted a Guardian Bond record in Fluvanna County, naming the same

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>193</sup> Lynchburg City death registers, 1853-1896, via Familysearch.org. Scanned image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>194</sup> His parents married in Amherst County, but his father, Jesse was in Fluvanna County by 1809, appearing on the annual PPTLs there. See the subsequent entries for him, all in Fluvanna during his youth. Age 39 in 1850, 50 in 1860.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>195</sup> Virginia Historic Marriage Register, Fluvanna County, VA Marriages, 1781-1849, by John Vogt and T. William Kethley Jr., Iberian Press, Athens GA 1984, p. 78. Scanned image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>196</sup> Fluvanna County Order Book 1820-1825, p. 135.

four children, "William M. Kidd, Tandy Kidd, Tarlton Kidd and Eliza Ann Kidd," children of Jesse Kidd. [We've not seen this record, only the citation for it.]

1830 – On the federal census in Albemarle County, p. 263:

**Tandy Kidd**: 1FWM 20-29 (no other occupants). No slaves.

Next to him is a Charles Kidd, but this census was compiled alphabetically by first letter of the surname of the household head, so this provides no information about geographic proximity of these two men.

Charles Kidd: 1M 50-59 & 1F 60-69. No slaves.

He is not found on the PPTLs in either Albemarle or Fluvanna County in 1830.

1831 – Fluvanna County October Court 1831: "On the motion of **Tandy Kidd** setting forth that he is desirous of selling ardent spirits at Mrs. Syler's Tavern in this county he having obtained a License to sell goods at that place as a merchant the court doth certify that the said Kidd is a man of good characters."

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**Tandy Kidd** also appears on the Fluvanna County PPTL in this one year only, taxed for a \$20 merchant's license.

1832 – Fluvanna County February Court 1832. An indenture of trust between John S. Turner of the first part, Woodson Bugg and Jeremiah Cleveland of the second part, and **Tandy Kidd** of the third part for certain personal property was acknowledged by the said John S. Turner and **Tandy Kidd**...and thereupon entered to record.<sup>199</sup>

Fluvanna County Court, 26 March 1832. An Indenture of Trust between John S. Turner of the one Part, and John Johnson and Edward Stone (Shores?) of the other part for the benefit of **Tandy Kidd** for certain personal property was acknowledged by the said John S. Turner before the deputy clerk and thereupon admitted to record.<sup>200</sup>

Fluvanna County May Court 1832. On the motion of **Tandy Kidd** setting forth that he is desirous of selling ardent spirits at Williamson's old Tavern in this county,....it is ordered to be certified that the said Kidd is a man of good character and further ordered to be certified that the said Tavern is a fit and convenient place to the neighborhood immediately adjacent thereto for the retail of ardent spirits.<sup>201</sup>

1832 – 19 December 1832. Tandy Kidd married Mary Pleasants in Goochland County, VA. The consent to marriage was given by Joseph E. Pleasants: "I do hereby certify that Mr. Tandy K. Kidd has my permission to intermarry with my daughter Mary E. Pleasants. Given in my hand this 12th day of December 1832." Signatures appear to read Joseph Pleasants and Elizabeth Pleasants. [Note: The original document was found among the loose marriage bonds in the Goochland County courthouse.]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>197</sup> Index to Virginia Estates, 1800-1865. v. 4. Counties of Albemarle, Alleghany, Amherst, Bath, Botetourt, Buckingham, Fluvanna, Highland, Nelson, and Rockbridge, by Wesley E. Pippenger, Virginia Genealogical Society, Richmond, VA, 2001, p. 294-295.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>198</sup> Fluvanna County Order Book 1828-1831, p. 419.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>199</sup> FHL #31481, Item 2 of 3, Fluvanna County Order Book, 1831-1835, p. 26.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>200</sup> Ibid, pp. 31-32.

 $<sup>^{201}</sup>$ Fluvanna County Order Book, 1831-1835, p. 58.

- 1832-1836 **Tandy Kidd** does not appear on the PPTLs for Goochland, Albemarle, Fluvanna or surrounding counties from 1832 to 1836.
- 1835 On 24 December 1835, Martha H. Waddell sold to **Tandy K. Kidd** for \$3200 a tract of land in Campbell County on Ivy Creek and Black Water Creek on both sides of the Forest Road, containing about 283 ½ acres. This deed was admitted to record in Campbell County Court on 11 April 1836.<sup>202</sup>
  - On the same date, **Tandy K. Kidd** entered into a Deed of Trust with Charles L Mosby, in order to secure a debt of \$2700 owed to James Saunders, in the form of twelve negotiable notes... In doing so, he used as collateral the land purchased from Martha Waddill. This deed was admitted to record in Campbell County Court on 11 April 1836.<sup>203</sup>
- 1836 Campbell County August Court 1836. Ordered that **Tandy Kidd** be appointed Surveyor of the road from the Corporation of Lynchburg to the Bedford County line in the room of William T and the usual hands ....<sup>204</sup>
- 1837 On 18 April 1837, the Campbell County Court of Law and Chancery issued an order to the Sheriff of Campbell County, ordering him to deliver a summons to Harriet and Lucy Tate, (heirs?) of Edmond Tate, deceased, commanding them to appear at the next term of Court to respond to the suit brought by Nathaniel W. Floyd and **Tandy K. Kidd**.<sup>205</sup>
- 1837-1841 Tandy K. Kidd first appears on the Campbell County PPTLs in 1837, and is listed annually thereafter through 1841, after which he drops from these PPTLs:

Year	Taxpayer	WM>16	slaves>12	slaves>16	Horses, etc	Other
1837	Tandy K Kidd	2	0	5	0	1 4-wheel carriage
1838	T. K. Kidd	5	0	7	0	1 4-wheel carriage
1839	Tandy K Kidd	4	0	7	0	1 4-wheel carriage
1840	Tandy K Kidd	3	0	8	0	no carriage listed
1841	Tandy K Kidd	0	4	6	0	no carriage listed

1837-1842 – **Tandy K. Kidd** first appears on the Campbell County Land Tax Lists (LTLs) in 1837, taxed on the 283 ½ acre tract on Blackwater Creek, 16 miles North of the courthouse that he purchased in December 1835. Over the next 5 years, he buys 3 more tracts of land and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>202</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 20, pages 245-248, retrieved from FHL #31031, images 128-129. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>203</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 20, pages 248-249, retrieved from FHL #31031, images 129-130. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>204</sup> Campbell County Court Order Book 21, page 342, retrieved from FHL #31044 – Campbell County OBs, 19-22, 1829-1838, image 578. Scanned image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>205</sup> <a href="http://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/case\_detail.asp?CFN=031-1837-028">http://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/case\_detail.asp?CFN=031-1837-028</a>. This record only has 3 pages, and the nature of the suit and its outcome aren't evident in these images, viewable online.

- makes other transactions, and continues to appear on the Campbell County LTLs annually through 1842. He drops from these tax lists in 1843 when he moved to Arkansas.<sup>206</sup>
- 1837 On 28 October 1837 in Amherst County, **Tandy K. Kidd** and John Thomas Johnson entered into a Refunding Bond with Benjamin Taliaferro, administrator of John T. Johnson, deceased. Both men signed this record, and it was entered into record in Amherst County Court on 21 May 1838.<sup>207</sup> [Note: Tandy K. Kidd was the guardian of John Thomas Johnson, and this bond relates to his guardianship.]
- 1838 –Campbell County February Court 1838. On the petition of **Tandy K. Kidd**, a writ of *ad quod damnum*<sup>208</sup> is awarded to him to build a water grist and saw mill and dam (blank) carding machine and other machinery on the waters of Joy Creek in this county, he being the owner of the land in fee simple on both sides of said stream, the said writ to be executed on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of the present month.<sup>209</sup>

Campbell County March Court 1838. **Tandy K. Kidd** returned to the court because the writ of *ad quod damnum* had not been executed. The Court ordered that an *alias issue* [a second summons] be executed on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of the present month.<sup>210</sup>

Campbell County April Court 1838. The writ cited above was returned executed to the Court, and the Court confirmed the report, and authorized **Tandy K. Kidd** to proceed with the construction of the mills according to law.<sup>211</sup>

On 9 October 1838, **Tandy K. Kidd** was one of the deponents in a Chancery Court suit in Lynchburg City, titled Sarah S Lewellin by *et al* v John Lewellin *et al*. In his deposition, he stated that he lived near and was acquainted with several of John Lewellin's slaves, which he named and provided estimates of their value.<sup>212</sup>

On 1 November 1838, **Tandy K. Kidd** of Campbell County entered into a Deed of Trust with Charles L. Mosby of the town of Lynchburg, in order to secure a debt of \$933.75 due by three bonds of even date with this indenture owed to Maurice H. Garland, for the purchase from Garland of 62½ acres of land on Ivy and Blackwater Creeks and adjoining the lands of Garland, Payne and others. In doing so, he used this tract of land as collateral.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>206</sup> RK reviewed the Campbell County LTLs, 1782-1850, using Library of Virginia microfilm reels obtained via interlibrary loan through the Seattle Public Library. See the Campbell County Source Documents Folder on Dropbox for details and his abstracts of these records, and a screenshot of the 1838 LTL entries for him and William Kidd.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>207</sup> The wills of Amherst County, Virginia, 1761-1865, by Rev. Bailey Fulton Davis, 1985 (reprinted 1998), p. 194, citing WB 9, p. 436. This record was retrieved from FHL #30277, image 649 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>208</sup> A writ which is to be sued before certain liberties or permissions that might cause harm or property loss to others can be granted by the state or governing agency.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>209</sup> Campbell County Order Book 23, page 6, retrieved from LoV via interlibrary loan, Feb 2019. Scanned image in the Campbell County Source Documents folder.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>210</sup> Ibid, p. 24.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>211</sup> Ibid, p. 36.

https://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/case\_detail.asp?CFN=680-1850-005
Lynchburg City Chancery case 1850-005
Sarah S Lewellin by etc. v John Lewellin etc., reviewed and abstracted by RK in the Archives department of Library of Virginia, May 2019. This was a large packet – a suit over slaves of the Lewellin family, involving a divorce, etc. I found no other mention of Tandy Kidd in it.

This deed was admitted to record on 12 November 1838.<sup>213</sup>

Also on this date, Maurice H. Garland & Caroline M. his wife of Lynchburg sold to **Tandy K. Kidd** of Campbell County for \$933.75 a tract of land on Ivy Creek in Campbell County, adjacent to the lands of Tandy K. Kidd, Samuel M. Scott and Payne...containing 62 ½ acres. This deed was admitted to record 10 November 1839.<sup>214</sup>

1839 – On 9 April 1839, Lucy Tate and Harriet C. Tate of the county of Campbell sold to **Tandy K. Kidd** of the same place for \$750 each of their interests in a parcel of land in Campbell County on Mill Pond, Forest Road and Blackwater Creek, along with the Mill House and fixtures. This deed was recorded 19 September 1839.<sup>215</sup>

On 13 April 1839, **Tandy K. Kidd** of Campbell County entered into a Deed of Trust with Charles L. Mosby and M. H. Garland of Lynchburg, in order to secure debts owed to Nathaniel W. Floyd in his own right and also as Administrator of Charles Steward, deceased, in the sum of 2 bonds of \$484.50... and the further sum of \$1200..., using a certain parcel of land on both sides of Black Water Creek in the county of Campbell, and adjoining the lands of Samuel M. Scott, Maurice H. Garland and U. Johnson containing 283 ½ acres,...where Kidd currently resides.

This deed was admitted to record in Campbell County Court on 19 April 1839.<sup>216</sup>

On 15 April 1839, Saml M. Scott and Camilla his wife of Campbell County sold to **Tandy K. Kidd** of the same place for \$1 a certain tract of land lying between Tandy K. Kidd's line and Ivy Creek... containing 3½ acres. This deed was admitted to record in Campbell County Court on 9 March 1840.<sup>217</sup>

On 19 April 1839, the Deed of Trust from **Tandy K. Kidd** to Mosby and Garland was presented in court and admitted to record.<sup>218</sup>

19 September 1839. A deed from Lucy Tate to **Tandy K. Kidd** was presented in Court and admitted to record.<sup>219</sup>

Also on this date, the deed from M. H. Garland and wife to **Tandy K. Kidd** was presented in Court and admitted to record.<sup>220</sup>

1840 – On the federal census in Campbell County, VA, p. 62,

**Tandy K. Kidd**: 2 males 20-30, 2 males 15-20, 2 males under 5, 1 female 5-10, 1 female 10-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>213</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 22, pages 188-189, retrieved from FHL #31031, images 571-572. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>214</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 22, pages 398-399, retrieved from FHL #31031, images 676-677. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>215</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 22, pages 396-398, retrieved from FHL #31031, images 675-676. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>216</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 22, pages 298-299, retrieved from FHL #31031, images 626-627. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>217</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 23, pages 27-28, retrieved from FHL #31031, images 32-33. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>218</sup> Campbell County Order Book 23, p. 155.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>219</sup> Ibid, p. 211.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>220</sup> Ibid.

15. [Note: On the 1840 Campbell County census, there is an older female head of household next door to Tandy Kidd named Mary Kidd, listed with one male 15-20, one female 10-15, and one female 50-60. The identity of this Mary Kidd is unknown.]

On 1 May 1840, **Tandy K. Kidd** entered into a Deed of Trust with Jno. M. Speed and William W. Mosby in order to secure a debt of \$2000 and interest, due by bond to Charles L. Mosby; in doing so, he used a tract of land in Campbell County containing 360 acres, on which he resided at the time. This deed was recorded in Campbell County Court on 26 June 1841.<sup>221</sup>

On 8 June 1840, the Campbell County Court appointed Jesse A. Burton as overseer of the Forrest Road from the County Line to Blackwater Creek, and **Tandy K. Kidd** and some of his neighbors were ordered to assist in keeping the road in good repair.<sup>222</sup>

1841 – On 30 April 1841, **Tandy K. Kidd** advertised for sale 360 acres of farmland "situated on the forest road, 2 miles from Lynchburg" in several newspapers, including the *Richmond Whig*:

A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE—The subscriber having determined to move to the west, of fers his valuable Farm, containing 360 acres, for sale. This land is situated on the forest road, 2 miles from Lynchburg, adjoining the lands of Mr Saml M Scott and others. On this tract there is 100 acres of land heavily timbered. The Plantation is in a high state of improvement, the whole being well set with clover. The improvements are a good and convenient Dwelling House, and all other necessary Houses, together with a large 3 story Barn. Stables, &c, with a Wool Carding Machine, Grist and Saw Mill, all new, and built with stone and brick, sufficiently large for manufacturing purposes. The Parm is partly inclosed with stone, and locust post with oak plank, and well deserves the attention of those wishing to purchase land. Terms accommodating, The premises will be shown to any person who will call upon my brother living on the land.

Messrs Payne & Turner are fully authorized to effect a sale for me.

T. K. KIDD.

On 16 June 1841, **Tandy K. Kidd** and Mary C. Kidd, his wife, sold to Seth Holsy/Halsy for \$7200 a tract of land in Campbell County on the waters of Ivy and Black Water Creeks containing 358<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> acres, the same tract where the said Kidd and his family have lived for several years, together with a saw and grist mill recently erected there, (along with) the said Kidd's interest in 2 carding machines also in operation on the said land... Tandy K. Kidd appeared in Campbell County Court on 21 June 1841 and acknowledged this deed to be his intent.

At this time, he may have already moved his family to Washington County, Arkansas, because his wife Mary C. Kidd did not appear in person in Campbell County to acknowledge she is giving up her dower rights to the property. She appeared before Justices of the Peace in Washington County, Arkansas, on 26 July 1841, and gave her acknowledgment and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>221</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 23, pages 405-406, retrieved from FHL #31032, images 220-221. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>222</sup> Campbell County Order Book 23, p.279. Scanned image available upon request.

consent to this deed, apart from her husband.

The deed was admitted to record in Campbell County Court on 16 February 1842.223

- 1842 **Tandy K. Kidd** appears for the last time on the Campbell County LTLs in 1842. He drops from these annual lists in 1843, when he moves to Arkansas.
- 1844 **Tandy K. Kidd** was the defendant in a Lynchburg City Chancery Court suit, titled John T Johnson v **Tandy K Kidd** *et al*:<sup>224</sup>

John T. Johnson, the plaintiff, in his plea states that he became bound as the endorser (security) of a bond in which **Tandy K. Kidd** owed to Richard Perkins for the sum of \$250 by note dated 3 May 1841, negotiable and payable six months after the date thereof. His complaint states that at the time this note was signed, **Tandy K. Kidd** was residing near Lynchburg and was in possession of considerable real and personal estate. Shortly thereafter he sold most of his property and together with his family removed to the state of Arkansas, where he is now a resident. Moreover, the complaint says that **Tandy Kidd** left without paying off this debt and is now indebted to the plaintiff. The complaint says that some of Kidd's personal property, including one or more wool carding machines, are currently in the possession of several merchants in Lynchburg, who are also named as defendants. Johnson, the plaintiff, wanted this property sold to pay the debt.

12 June 1844. At the Amherst County Circuit Superior Court of Law & Chancery, held for the town of Lynchburg: John T. Johnson Plaintiff against Tandy K Kidd, James Dolan, Andrew Kinnier, Thomas H Towles and Smithson H Davis Jr, merchants and parties trading under the style and firm of Smithson H. Davis Jr. and Company, Defendants. This suit is dismissed the plaintiff not further prosecuting. <sup>225</sup>

Tandy Kidd's first wife Mary died on 27 June 1848, according to family Bible records.

- 1848 On 31 October 1848, **Tandy K. Kidd** married Nancy E. Dyer in Washington County, Arkansas.<sup>226</sup>
- 1850 On the federal census in the Mountain township of Washington County, Arkansas, HH 57/57:

Tandy K. Kidd 39MW farmer \$11,000 b. VA

Nancy Kidd 21FW b. TN

William " 11MW VA

Fred<sup>k</sup>. " 8MW AR

James " 6MW AR

Mary " 4FW AR

Cornelius " 1MW AR

1860 – On the federal census in Canehill township, Washington County, Arkansas, Boonsboro P.O., page 573, HH 689/118:

Tandy Kidd 50MW Merchant \$45,000/\$54,000 VA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>223</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 24, pages 112-113, retrieved from FHL #31031, image 296. Scanned images available upon request.

https://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/case\_detail.asp?CFN=680-1844-007 Personally reviewed and abstracted by RK in the Archives section of the Library of Virginia, May 2019

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>225</sup> Amherst Chancery Order Book 6, 1836-1845, p. 464, retrieved from FHL #32265, image 264.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>226</sup> Arkansas Marriages to 1850, on Ancestry.com.

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Nancy "
            33FW TN
Lucius "
            22MW no occupation listed $2000/$400 VA
William "
            21MW no occupation listed VA
Fridric "
                                 attended school within the year
            17MW Arkansas
James "
            15MW Arkansas
                                 attended school within the year
Margaret "
             8FW Arkansas
                                 attended school within the year
Cornelius "
            10MW Arkansas
                                 attended school within the year
Laura
             6FW AR
Clintonica? "
              2FW AR
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1862 – Tandy Kidd was killed in Boonsboro, Washington County, Arkansas on 19 August 1862. See his entry in our Middlesex County VA Kidds tree on Ancestry.com; much information is also online for this family. He is buried in a family cemetery near Cane Hill, Arkansas.

#### **WALLACE KIDD**

Born abt. 1791 in Buckingham County, Virginia<sup>227</sup> Married Mary Butler in Fluvanna County in 1821 Lived in Campbell County

Date of death unknown; thought to have died after 1831 and before 1842, when his wife and widow remarried, in Rockbridge County, VA

- 1809-1810 In each of these years, a Wallace Kidd appears on the Campbell County, VA PPTLs, charged each year with only his own tithe. he drops from these lists in 1811, and does not reappear through 1814.
- 1813-1815 On 13 August 1813, a **Wallace Kidd**, age 22, born in <u>Buckingham County</u>, VA enlisted in the U.S. Army as a private for a term of 18 months. The location where he enlisted was left blank. His occupation was "hatter." He was discharged on 13 February 1815, when his term expired.<sup>228</sup>

This record may be for a different Wallace Kidd, but that seems unlikely. This is a very unusual given name, and the age fits.

- 1821 On 15 September 1821, **Wallace Kidd** and Mary Butler were married in Fluvanna County, VA, John Goodman, a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church.<sup>229</sup>
- 1829 After an absence of nearly twenty years, a **Wallace Kidd** again appears on the Campbell County PPTLs, taxed only for his own tithe, and no horse or other property.<sup>230</sup>
- 1830 The 1830 federal census includes the following Kidds, all in Lynchburg City: p. 329, line 4 from bottom, Lewis B. Kidd: 1M 5-9, 1 10-14 & 1 50-59; 1F 10-14, 2 15-19, 1 50-59 and 1 60-69;

p. 330, line 2 Delpha Kidd: 1FWM 20-29; 1F 70-79

line 3 Nancy Kidd: 1M 5-9 & 1 10-14; 1F 5-9, 1-10-14 & 1 30-39

line 5 Adline Kidd: 1F 15-19, 1 20-29 & 1 30-39

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>227</sup> His 1813 enlistment record in the U.S. Army lists his age as 22, and his place of birth as Buckingham.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>228</sup> U. S. Army, Register of Enlistments, 1798-1914, image 470 of 593, on Ancestry.com

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>229</sup> Virginia Historic Marriage Register, Fluvanna Co VA Marriages, 1781-1849, by John Vogt and T. William Kethley Jr., Iberian Press, Athens GA 1984, P. 32. Scanned image of the actual record available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>230</sup> FHL #2024502, Campbell County, VA PPTLs, 1815-1829, image 742 of 759.

line 6 William Kidd: 1M<5, 1 5-9 & 1 40-49; 1F 5-9, 2 15-19. 1 20-29, & 1 40-49; 3 slaves

line 9 Daniel Kidd: 1 M 30-39

Wallis Kidd is enumerated in Campbell County, but not in Lynchburg City:

p. 342, line 12 **Wallis Kidd**: 1M<5 & 1 30-39; 1F 20-29

Despite this entry, he does not appear on the 1830 Campbell County PPTL.

1831 – **Wallace Kidd** appears for one final time on the 1831 Campbell County PPTL, taxed only for his own tithe.<sup>231</sup>

He does not appear on these tax records again through 1850, the last year that we have checked. He also is not found on the Rockbridge County PPTLs from 1832 through 1842.

We haven't found any other records for Wallace Kidd in Campbell County or elsewhere, including Rockbridge County, Virginia.<sup>232</sup> His widow, Mary Butler Kidd remarried in Rockbridge County, Virginia in 1842, and has her two children by Wallace Kidd in her household in 1850.

We believe that Wallace Kidd died in Campbell County prior to the 1840 federal census; that his widow, Mary Butler Kidd, married Thomas Stone in Rockbridge County, Virginia in 1842; that her two children by Wallace Kidd were the John P. Kidd and Elizabeth Kidd found in Thomas Stone's household in 1850 in Rockbridge County, Virginia; and that Elizabeth J. McTheney's 1889 marriage record is the linchpin tying this family group to Wallace Kidd of Buckingham, Fluvanna and Campbell Counties.

See Mary Butler Kidd's section in this compilation for full details of this analysis.

# WILLIAM KIDD – unplaced

1832 – On 10 November 1832, Allen Taylor and Macartha Ann Kidd were granted a marriage bond in Lynchburg, Virginia. The bondsman was **William Kidd**; his relationship to the bride was not stated.<sup>233</sup> The marriage occurred the same day.<sup>234</sup>

This record is unlikely to belong to William C. Kidd, given that William C. Kidd was residing in Louisville, KY at this time. We're not sure who this William Kidd is.

No William Kidd is found on either the Campbell County PPTLs or the Lynchburg PPTLs in 1835, or thereafter until 1843. We believe that this later (1843) William is the William H. Kidd, below.

# WILLIAM KIDD, husband of Nancy O. (Bugg) Kidd

Born by 1781,<sup>235</sup> likely in Virginia

Married Nancy O. Bugg, daughter of William C. Bugg and Mary Sadler, on 11

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>231</sup> FHL #2024503, Campbell County, VA PPTLs, 1830-1832, image 124 of 207.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>232</sup> He is not found on the Rockbridge County PPTLs between 1832 and 1842 and no other records have been found for him in that county (where his widow remarried in 1842).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>233</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 79.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>234</sup> Register of Marriages, Lynchburg City, Virginia, page 45, retrieved from FHL #32235, image 131 of 255 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>235</sup> He'd have been at least twenty-one years old in November 1802, when he married Nancy O. Bugg.

November 1802 in Fluvanna County, VA<sup>236</sup>

Owned property in Fluvanna County, lived primarily in Buckingham County, leaving numerous records in both counties

Likely died soon after 1830, as we find no subsequent records for him

See his section in our Fluvanna County compilation for a complete list of all records we found for him, in multiple counties.

We know that Nancy O. Kidd's husband was named **William Kidd** from three sources: the 1848 and 1851 Louisville (KY) City Directories<sup>237</sup> list her as "**Mrs. Nancy Kidd, widow of Wm.**" And he and wife Nancy O. Kidd are identified as the parents of Catherine Kidd Ambrozina in a newspaper notice seeking to locate heirs of the deceased Nancy O. Kidd, published in the Louisville Weekly Courier-Journal on 20 April 1859:<sup>238</sup>

Information is wanted of Mrs. Catherine Ambroxina, daughter of William and Nancy O. Kidd, of Lynchburg, Va. She has not been heard of by her relatives in
Louisville for fifteen years, but at last accounts was at Buffalo, New York. By the decease of a relative, it will be
greatly to her interest to make herself known, and communicate with her friends in Louisville. The press will
confer a favor by giving the above publicity.

No William Kidd is found on Campbell County PPTLs from 1785 through 1831, or on Campbell County census records than in 1830. We believe him to be the William Kidd who appears on the 1830 census for Lynchburg VA, below.

1830 – The 1830 federal census includes the following Kidds, all in Lynchburg City:

p. 329, line 4 from bottom, Lewis B. Kidd: 1M 5-9, 1 10-14 & 1 50-59; 1F 10-14, 2 15-19, 1 50-59 and 1 60-69;

p. 330, line 2 Delpha Kidd: 1FWM 20-29; 1F 70-79

line 3 Nancy Kidd: 1M 5-9 & 1 10-14; 1F 5-9, 1-10-14 & 1 30-39

line 5 Adline Kidd: 1F 15-19, 1 20-29 & 1 30-39; no slaves

line 6 **William Kidd**: 1M<5, 1 5-9 & 1 40-49; 1F 5-9, 2 15-19. 1 20-29, & 1 40-49; three slaves

line 9 Daniel Kidd: 1 M 30-39

We've found no other records for this William Kidd in Lynchburg or Campbell County. We suspect that he died soon after 1830, and that Nancy and most of their children followed their eldest son William C. Kidd in his migration to Louisville.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>236</sup> Fluvanna County, VA Marriages, 1783-1809, page 22, retrieved from FHL #850090, image 29 via familysearch.org. This is a typed transcription of the original marriage register pages.

The <u>original</u> Fluvanna County Marriage register image of this marriage may be seen on FHL #31689, image 202, line 21, via familysearch.org. This record explicitly names her parents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>237</sup> John B. Jegli's Louisville Directory for the years 1848-1852, Louisville, KY, 1848; digital images provided via email by an archivist in the Archives and Special Collections department of the University of Louisville Libraries, September 2020.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>238</sup> Louisville (KY) Weekly Courier-Journal, 20 April 1859, page 1, retrieved via GenealogyBank.com.

See Nancy O. Kidd's section of this compilation for more information.

See also a family tree we constructed for her on Ancestry.com at this URL:

https://www.ancestry.com/family-

tree/tree/199768464/family?cfpid=122600077045&fpid=122604169557&usePUBJs=true

# WILLIAM C. KIDD, son of William and Nancy O. Kidd<sup>239</sup>

Born by 1804<sup>240</sup> in Virginia

Lived in Campbell County/Lynchburg between 1828 and 1834

Moved to Louisville, Jefferson Co KY, by 1834, where he married Candace/Candasia Jennings, who died about 1852

Married Marietta/Mary E. Stout in September 1853 in Spencer Co KY Died intestate about 1857 in Louisville KY

Occupation: livery stable operator; carriage trade and real estate investor<sup>241</sup> Three known children by this marriage, all born in Louisville, Jefferson County, KY: George W. [E.] Kidd, born abt 1835; Anna C. Kidd, born abt 1837; and Emma C. Kidd, born abt 1846.<sup>242</sup>

1825 – On 21 April 1825, a marriage bond was issued in Lynchburg city for Joseph Cohen and Ardellia O. Kidd. The bondsman was **William Kidd** and the witness was James Benagh.<sup>243</sup> On the same day, Joseph Cohen and Ardillia O. Kidd were married in Lynchburg by the pastor of the Lynchburg Baptist Church.<sup>244</sup>

Note: If the bondsman in this record was William C. Kidd, then William C. would have been at least 21 to have served as bondsman. The bondsman could have been her father William, but it seems more likely this is her brother William C. Kidd.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>239</sup> Elements tying William C. Kidd to Nancy O. Kidd, Edmund J. and Cary Ann Kidd Gross:

<sup>1.</sup> Nancy's 1855 will implies 6 surviving children, but names only two of them: Cary Ann (Kidd) Gross; there are clearly 5 more of her children who were living when the will was signed.

<sup>2.</sup> He was likely the security for the marriages of two of Nancy's proven daughters: Ardelia in 1825, and Adeline in 1831

<sup>3.</sup> All of them were close neighbors in 1850

<sup>4.</sup> William C. Kidd either reported Nancy O. Kidd's taxable property (her slaves) on at least two of the annual Jefferson Co., KY tax lists (1838 and 1842) or he actually paid the tax for her (or both) in those years.

<sup>5.</sup> Wm. C. Kidd and Andrew Gross, hb of Cary Ann, were in the same business

<sup>6.</sup> Edmund J. Kidd witnessed a deed involving Wm. C. Kidd in 1837

<sup>7.</sup> Wm. C. Kidd sold property to Cary Ann Kidd, wife of Andrew Gross (not to Andrew himself)

Our only evidence of the year of his birth is the 1850 federal census, at which time he was said to be 40 years old. If this is indeed the case, then the 1828 record here would have to be for a different William Kidd, as William C. Kidd would have been only 15. However, we believe the census to be in error, because he's likely the William Kidd who was security for his sister, Ardelia's 1825 marriage bond. He'd have to be twenty-one or older to perform this role.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>241</sup> He was a party in at least 23 deeds in Jefferson County, KY between 1835 and 1856. We have browsed them all for genealogical information, but not added them to this compilation. A complete listing of these deeds, including citations for all of them, as well as scanned images of most of them, is available from the authors.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>242</sup> Miss Emma C. Kidd married Alexander Duvall Jr. in Louisville at the Walnut Street Methodist Church on 5 November 1868. Digital images of marriage license and certificate available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>243</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 13. Digital image of this record was retrieved from Lynchburg Marriage Register, page 7, FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 112 of 255. Image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>244</sup> Lynchburg Marriage Register, FHL #32235 (unrestricted access), image 198 of 255.

- 1828 On 7 March 1828, Meredith Lambeth, Trustee of Charles R. Dibrell of the county of Campbell, sold to **William Kidd of the town of Lynchburg** for \$450 a lot or parcel of ground on the south side of the James River in the Corporation of Lynchburg beginning at Lynch or 1<sup>st</sup> Street ...(description of land follows) containing one acre, more or less.<sup>245</sup>
- 1829-1839 A **William Kidd** appears for the first time on the Campbell County Land Tax Lists (LTLs), taxed on 1 acre "conveyed by Dibrell's Trustee" in the deed above. This entry continues annually through 1839. In later years the description of this land was "17N," indicating it was 17 miles north of the Campbell County courthouse. In 1835, the amount of land he was taxed on was reduced to ½ acre; the accompanying notation (see below) says that ¾ acre was sold to pay his delinquent taxes. [It is possible that the taxes were delinquent because he had moved to Kentucky by 1830.]

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William continued to be taxed annually on ¼ acre through 1839. He drops from the Campbell County LTLs in 1840, and does not reappear. 246

1830 – **Wm. C. Kidd** appears for the first time<sup>247</sup> on the <u>Jefferson County KY</u> tax lists in 1830 in the city of Louisville, with no taxable real estate and three horses.<sup>248</sup> No other Kidds are there with him.

We did not find him on the 1831 tax lists for Jefferson County, and the 1832 lists are not extant. See 1833, below.

Also in 1830, a William Kidd appears on the Campbell County (and/or Lynchburg) PPTLs for the first time. He (or they, as it seems to be more than one in 1833 & 1834) continues to be listed through 1834, as depicted in the Table below:

These records all may be for **William C. Kidd**, who possibly was taxed for his father's slaves after his father's death after 1830.

YEAR	LIST	TAXPAYER	WMT	SLAVES	Horses, etc
1830	Ly	Wm. Kidd <sup>249</sup>	1	0	0
1831		neither			
1832	Cb	William Kidd <sup>250</sup>	1	1 12-16	0

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>245</sup> Lynchburg Deed Book 9, pages 259-260, retrieved from FHL #1994916, image 486 of 601, viewable online via familysearch.org, but downloading images prohibited.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>246</sup> RK reviewed the Campbell Co. LTLs, 1782-1850, using Library of Virginia microfilm reels obtained via inter-library loan through the Seattle Public Library. See the Campbell Co. Source Documents Folder on Dropbox for details and his abstracts of these records.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>247</sup> He is not listed in 1828 or 1829; I did not search earlier lists.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>248</sup> FHL #8053, image 580, retrieved via familysearch.org (unrestricted access). Digital image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>249</sup> Lynchburg, VA PPTLs, 1817-1835, FHL #1905756, image 742, viewable via familysearch.org. Also on the Lynchburg PPTL this year were Richard Kidd and James Kidd; however they were enumerated on a different day (March 14), whereas William was enumerated on March 21.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>250</sup> Campbell County, VA PPTLs, 1830-1832, FHL #2024503, image 190, viewable via familysearch.org.

1833	Cb	William Kidd <sup>251</sup>	1	1 12-16;	0
				1 >16	
1834	Cb	William Kidd <sup>252</sup>	1	0	0

No William Kidd is found on either the Campbell County PPTLs or the Lynchburg PPTLs in 1835, or thereafter until 1843. We believe that this later William is the William H. Kidd, below.

- 1831 On 28 February 1831, a marriage bond was issued in Lynchburg, Virginia for Robert S. Fields and Adeline Baltimore. <sup>253</sup> The bondsman was **William Kidd**; his relationship to this couple was not stated, but we believe this was most likely William C. Kidd, the brother of the bride.
- 1833 **William C. Kidd** again appears on the Jefferson County, Kentucky tax list in 1833, taxed for one white tithe, no real estate, 3 horses and one pleasure carriage.<sup>254</sup>
- 1834 We are unable to find him on the 1834 tax lists for Jefferson County, KY.

On 1 May 1834, **William Kidd** married Candace<sup>255</sup> Jennings, daughter of John Jennings, in <u>Jefferson County KY</u>.<sup>256</sup> This record aligns with the death record of their daughter, Annie E. (Kidd) Bence, who died in 1909 in Putnam County, Indiana, naming her father as "Wm. Kidd" and her mother as "\_\_\_ Jennings."

1835 – On 16 March 1835, James M. Gilliam and Margaret his wife, of the City of Louisville, Kentucky sold to **William C. Kidd** of the same place, for \$450 a parcel of land 25 feet wide and 52½ feet long, part of a half-acre lot number 240 "on the east side of Lynch cross street between Market and Jefferson Streets."

On 21 May 1835, James Maloney and Benjamin Maloney and Susan his wife, all of Jefferson County, Kentucky, sold to **William C. Kidd** for the sum of \$660, to be paid in three equal installments ...(detailed description omitted here), the land being part of Bullitt's addition to Louisville, "being part of Lot No. 3 in said Addition.<sup>258</sup>

On 16 November 1835, Green Gipson of Louisville, Kentucky entered into a Deed of Trust with **William C. Kidd**, as surety for a debt owed by Gipson to Abraham Phigley (seven notes totalling \$225). In securing this debt, Gipson put up as collateral "five horses

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>251</sup> Campbell County, VA PPTLs, 1833-1846, FHL #2024504, image 53, viewable via familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>252</sup> Campbell County, VA PPTLs, 1833-1846, FHL #2024504, image 115, viewable via familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>253</sup> Lynchburg City Virginia Marriage Bonds, 1805-1854, by Joel Ricks, p. 25.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>254</sup> FHL #8053, image 797, retrieved via familysearch.org (unrestricted access). Digital image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>255</sup> Her given name looks like 'Candace' in this record. She's named in several deeds along with her husband, and in most of them, her name is spelled 'Candasia' or, less frequently, 'Candacy.''

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>256</sup> Kentucky, County Marriages, 1797-1954, on Ancestry.com; digital images of Jefferson County, KY Marriage Register vol. 2, 8 July 1826-21 June 1837, page 129, image 472 of 789. Digital image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>257</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Deed Book QQ, pages 396-397, retrieved from FHL #9064, image 505. Digital copy available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>258</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Deed Book PP, pages 396-397, retrieved from FHL #9064, image 258-259. Digital copy available upon request.

- and four drays, also one frame tenement & stable, together with the unexpired lease of the ground on which the same is erected, now in the occupancy of said Gipson.<sup>259</sup>
- 1835-1848 **William C. Kidd** again appears on the Jefferson County, KY annual tax lists in 1835, and continues to be listed there through 1848, the last year of these records that are available online. Other Kidds are found there with him intermittently, and in two occasions, he pays the tax for Nancy O. Kidd, his mother, and his sister Mrs. [Ardelia] Turner. See Appendix Three for a Table depicting these records.
- 1837 On 22 August 1837, James M. Gilliam and Margaret his wife of the city of Louisville and county of Jefferson and state of Kentucky sold to **William C. Kidd** of the same place for the sum of \$1,300 a certain tract of land known and designated on the map of Scott's Addition to Louisville as part of Lot # 26 ... (detailed description follows).<sup>260</sup>

On this same date, **William C. Kidd** and Candace his wife of the city of Louisville sold to Granville Phipps of the same place for \$550 the land purchased from James M. Gilliam and wife two years earlier. Both William C. and Candace signed this deed, and in this deed, her name seems to be spelled "Candasin."<sup>261</sup>

On 16 December 1837, **William Kidd** of Louisville, Kentucky entered into a mortgage agreement with George H. Griffey, "to secure to Griffey the sum of \$5000, with interest thereon due and owing as followeth: one-third of said sum in one year, one-third in in two years and the final third in three years as per notes of this date."

In doing so, **William C. Kidd** listed the following as collateral: a brick house and lot in Louisville fronting on 7<sup>th</sup> and York street...it being the lot conveyed to Kidd by James and Ben Malona (Maloney)..., also a frame house and lot on Jefferson street between 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup>...conveyed to Kidd by James M. Gilliam...also three frame tenements on lease from William Kay...also three slaves – a man named Charles about fifty years of age, a girl named Fanny about nineteen years of age, a girl child named Malinda, about three years old...one carriage and harness, one barouche and harness, eight horses...two colts,...Five beds, bedsteads and bedding, one sideboard, one bureau, one press, one setter, two dozen chairs, four tables, fifty yards of carpets in use, (and) one sleigh.<sup>262</sup>

1838 – On 14 April 1838, Amelia H. Clark sold to George W. Griffy and **William C. Kidd** for the sum of \$750 a parcel of land in the city of Louisville, being part of lot (blank) in said city, and contains a front on the east side of 6<sup>th</sup> Street of 33 1/3 feet, and extends back and binding on on Broadway of said city, 100 ½ feet ... (detailed description, omitted here).<sup>263</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>259</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Deed Book RR, pages 136-137, retrieved from FHL #9065, images 75-76. Digital copy available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>260</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Deed Book 49, pages 393-394, retrieved from FHL #9067, image 206-207. Digital copy available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>261</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Deed Book 49, pages 395-396, retrieved from FHL #9067, image 207-208. Digital copy available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>262</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Deed Book 50, pages 285-286, retrieved from FHL #9067, image 426-427. Digital copy available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>263</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Deed Book 50, page 601, retrieved from FHL #9067, image 585. Digital copy available upon request.

1839 – On 12 April 1839, William Kidd and Candace his wife of the city of Louisville sold to Samuel J. Wyatt, Trustee of Ardalia O. Turner of the town of Lynchburg for \$500, the same being part of the trust fund of the said Ardalia O. held by the said Samuel J. as Trustee a lot or parcel of ground lying on the south side of James River in the Corporation of Lynchburg ... (description of land) ...it being the same property conveyed to the said William Kidd by deed from Meredith Lambeth, Trustee on 7 March 1828, for the sole use of the said Ardalia O. Turner in conformity with the provisions of a certain Deed of Marriage Articles entered into by Ardalia O., then Ardalia O. Cohen and Robert Cohen, bearing the date of 22 December 1832.

This deed was signed by "**Wm C. Kidd**" and "**Cy Kidd**" and proved in Court in Jefferson County, Kentucky.<sup>264</sup>

[In 1842, William C. Kidd's entries on the Louisville, KY Tax List show that in addition to paying his own taxes, he paid, or at least reported the value of the property of "Mrs. Turner" and Nancy O. Kidd.<sup>265</sup>

1840 – This William Kidd drops from the Campbell County Land Tax Lists in 1840, and does not reappear through 1850, the last year that we've checked.

A **Wm. C. Kidd** is listed on the 1840 federal census in Louisville, Jefferson County, Kentucky, page 135:

**Wm. C. Kidd**: 1WM 5-9, 2 15-19, 1 20-29, & 1 30-39 (one of these two older males may be William C. Kidd's brother Edmund J. Kidd); 1F<5 and 1 30-39. Three slaves (1M<10, 1 F<10 and 1F 10-23).

There is also a Nancy Kidd in Louisville, Kentucky on this census, on page 76: Nancy Kidd: 1WM 10-14 & 1 30-39; 1F 50-59. Three slaves. Two persons employed in mfg. & trade.

- 1842 On the (blank) day of (blank) 1842, **William C. Kidd and Candacy his wife** sold to George W. Griffy, all of the City of Louisville) for the sum of \$275 a parcel of land in Louisville between Center and Sixth Cross streets and fronting on the north side of Broadway or Prather streets ...(detailed description follows). Both William C. and Candacy signed this deed. This deed was not proved and recorded until 5 February 1850.<sup>266</sup>
- 1848 The 1848 City directory for Louisville, Kentucky listed the following Kidds:<sup>267</sup> **Kidd, W C**, f of Kidd & Davis, Jefferson bt. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, h 328 Green bt. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>.
  Kidd & Davis, keeps the Eclipse livery stable, Jefferson bt. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>.
  Kidd, Mrs Nancy, widow of Wm, 370 Broadway bt. Centre & 6<sup>th</sup>.
- 1849 On 18 July 1849, **William C. Kidd and Candasia his wife** of Louisville sold to William Meeks of the same place for the sum of \$318 a parcel of land on the west side of Jackson

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>264</sup> Lynchburg Deed Book14, pages 214-216, retrieved from FHL #1994919, images 144-145 of 584, viewable online via familysearch.org, but downloading images prohibited.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>265</sup> Jefferson County, Ky Tax List, 1842, western division, retrieved from FHL #8055, image 107, retrieved via familysearch.org. Digital image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>266</sup> Jefferson County Deed Book 74, page 604, retrieved from FHL #9080, image 636 via familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>267</sup> John B. Jegli's Louisville Directory for the years 1848-1849, Louisville, KY, 1848, page 153; digital images provided via email by an archivist in the Archives and Special Collections department of the University of Louisville Libraries, September 2020.

Street...(detailed description omitted)...the same lot which was conveyed to sd. Kidd by William Fellows and wife by deed recorded in DB 71, pages 103-104.<sup>268</sup>

1850 – William C. Kidd is on the 1850 federal census in Louisville district 3, Jefferson County, KY, p. 273, HH 490/561:

William C. Kidd 40MW Livery stable keeper b. VA

Canders " 41FW b TN

George W.<sup>269</sup> " 15MW KY

Annie C.<sup>270</sup> " 13FW KY

Emma C.<sup>271</sup> " 4FW KY

Joseph Enders 30MW coach trimmer VA

Canders " 24FW KY

Letitia Jennings 75FW NY (This is his mother-in-law)

(no others)

This William C. Kidd is also on the 1850 federal census slave schedule.

Three other Kidds related to **William C. Kidd**—his sister Cary Ann Kidd Gross, brother Edmund J. Kidd, and mother Nancy O. Kidd--are also found on the 1850 federal census in District 3 of Louisville, Kentucky, on pages 327B and 328A (image 184 of 196 on Ancestry.com):

HH 590/590

Andrew Gross 38MW Grocer \$3000 real estate b. TN

Cary Ann " 38FW VA (Edmund J. Kidd's sister and Nancy O. Kidd's daughter)

William J. " 11MW KY

Edward " 9MW KY

Mary A. V. " 7FW KY

Andrew J. " 5MW KY

Nancy " 11/12 FW KY twins

Samuel W. " 11/12MW twins

Charles Wagoner 22MW Chair Maker Germany

Charles Storner 22MW ditto Germany

Charles Horst 21MW ditto Germany

Christopher Harback 22MW ditto Germany

Edmund J. Kidd 44WM no occupation or real estate listed b. VA

HH 596/596

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>268</sup> Jefferson County Deed Book 73, page 634, retrieved from FHL #9080, image 322 via familysearch.org.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>269</sup> Born abt 1835, per the 1850 census. Served as administrator of his father's estate; he is NOT the George Kidd, single and age 40 who died in Louisville of cancer of the stomach on 22 Oct 1866. In the last of three deeds he executed in late 1859, we see that he was married to Margaret \_\_\_\_, and that they had recently migrated to Andrew Co., Missouri. See Jefferson Co., KY DB 107:235-236 (digital images available).

Annie C. Kidd married John H. Bence in Putnam Co., Indiana, and remained there her entire life, dying there on 3 August 1909. Her death certificate names her parents as "Wm. Kidd" and "\_\_\_Jennings," and lists her date of birth as 29 August 1837 in KY. A search on Ancestry for her husband is an efficient way to learn much more about Annie, and their family. The book Weik's History of Putnam County, Indiana contains a biography of him (page 321), which provides the following: "In 1853 Mr. Bence married Anna Kidd, who was reared in Louisville, but who was visiting relatives in Putnam County when she met her future husband..."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>271</sup> An Emma C. Kidd married Alexander Duvall on 5 Nov 1868 in Jefferson Co., KY (Source: Kentucky, County Marriages, 1797-1954, on familysearch.org, image 936 of 1216. Digital image available upon request.

Nancy O. Kidd 66FW no occupation no real estate listed VA CROW<sup>272</sup> HH 597/597

George Griffy 55WM street inspector \$6,000 real estate bp unknown Martha " 47FW bp. Unknown (and two teenage children)

We have been unable to find this William C. Kidd and wife Candace after 1850. The Jefferson County, General Index to Inventories and Settlements, 1800-1910 contains two undated entries for William C. Kidd:<sup>273</sup>

ESTATE	PERSONAL	TYPE	BOOK	PAGE
	REPRESENTATIVE			
Kidd, Wm. C.	Kidd, Geo. W.	Admr.	18	262
Kidd, Wm. C.	Kidd, Geo. W.	Admr	18	575

This record set has not been microfilmed by the Family History Library, to our knowledge, and is not available online.

An abstract of Jefferson County death registers for 1852-1862 lists no Kidd entries.<sup>274</sup> However, Jefferson County, KY Court minutes (see 1857, below) provide an element of closure.

1851 – the 1851 City directory for Louisville, Kentucky listed the following Kidds:<sup>275</sup> Kidd & Davies, keeps livery stable, s s Jefferson, bt 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Kidd, Wm C**, f K & Davies, h n s Green, bt 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>.

Kidd, Edmund J, at Andrew Gross'.

Kidd, Mrs. Nancy, wid of Wm, 370 n s Broadway bt Centre & 6th.

1853 – We believe that William C. Kidd's first wife died sometime after the 1850 federal census (above) and 1853 (primarily because his wife in 1857 was a Mary E. Kidd, and because of this marriage record, below):

On 11 September 1853, **William C. Kidd** married Marietta Stout in Spencer County, Kentucky.<sup>276</sup> It's not apparent why this marriage occurred in Spencer County; this county lies just east of Jefferson County.

- 1855 Jefferson County, Kentucky Court, 3 September 1855: On the motion of W. S. D. Megowan, Sheriff of this County, George E. Kidd was sworn and admitted as his deputy.<sup>277</sup>
- 1856 On 2 September 1856, **Wm. C. Kidd** and Marietta his wife sold to Cary Ann Gross, the wife of Andrew Gross (all of Louisville, KY) for the sum of \$1035 a lot in Louisville "containing a front on the north side of Broadway of 34½ feet ... and known as Bustard's subdivision

<sup>273</sup> Jefferson County, General Index to Inventories and Settlements, 1800-1910, FHI #1490859, image 171 or 365.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>272</sup> Cannot read or write.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>274</sup> FHL #851640, item 9: "Jefferson Co., KY deaths (of persons) over fifteen, 1852-1862," viewable online via familysearch.org, (starts with image 536 on this reel). No Kidds.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>275</sup> John B. Jegli's Louisville Directory for the years 1861-1852, Louisville, KY, 1848; digital images provided via email by an archivist in the Archives and Special Collections department of the University of Louisville Libraries, September 2020.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>276</sup> Kentucky, County Marriages, 1797-1954 on familysearch.org, citing FHL #482640, Spencer County Marriages, image 246 of 672. Digital image available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>277</sup> Jefferson County Court Minutes, vol. 21, 1854-1857, page 297, retrieved from FHL #811575, image 183 of 680 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

...Lot No. 19," conveyed to Wm. C. Kidd by Jno. Bustard's executors (Deed Book 69, page 25.278

On 28 October 1856, George E. Kidd, age 22 and single, married Margaret Wharton, age 18 and single, in Jefferson County, Kentucky.<sup>279</sup> The entry in the Jefferson County Marriage Register states that Margaret's father was Saml. Wharton, who consents for the marriage. They were married by T. G. Drane. Witnesses to the marriage were George Wharton and **William C. Kidd**.<sup>280</sup> This couple moved to Edward County in Missouri before 1860, when they are found on the 1860 federal census in Nodaway township, Savannah P.O., in Edward County MO.

1857 – **William C. Kidd** died on Sunday 11 January 1857 in Louisville, Kentucky. His death notice appeared in the Louisville Courier-Journal the following day:<sup>281</sup>

DEATH OF WM. C. Kidd, —Mr. Kidd, late marshal of the city court, died about 9 o'clock last evoning. Mr. K. had been in ill health for some time, and for the last month or two had been confined to his bed.

His economic fortunes had evidently deteriorated in the years prior to his death, judging from the notice below, which appeared in the Louisville newspapers several days after his death:<sup>282</sup>

The motions against Wm. C. Kidd, the late city marshal, were continued for two weeks in consequence of his recent death. There is a deficit of \$9,000 or \$10,000 in the accounts of the deceased, which will be paid in as soon as judgment is ordered. The most of the money goes to the school fund, and is needed at this juncture.

The Minute Book for Jefferson County Court shows the following entries pertaining to **William C. Kidd** in 1857:<sup>283</sup>

5 February 1857:

This day Mary E. Kidd, widow of **Wm. C. Kidd** dec'd this day in writing (illegible) renounced(?) her right to qualify as admr. of sd. decedent.

On the motion of George E. Kidd who made oath according to law, administration of the Estate of **William C. Kidd**, dec'd late of this county is granted him. Whereupon he gave bond with J. W. Davis, W. A. (Nally?), Joseph <u>Enders</u> and Andrew Buran(?) his securities as required by law.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>278</sup> Jefferson County Deed Book 96, page 284, retrieved from FHL #9091 (item 2), image 476 of 663 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>279</sup> Kentucky, Marriage Records, 1852-1914, on Ancestry.com

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>280</sup> Kentucky, County Marriages, 1783-1965 on familysearch.org, citing FHL #482708, Jefferson County Marriages, 1853-1860, image 440 of 471.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>281</sup> Louisville (KY) Courier-Journal, Monday 12 January 1857, page 3, retrieved via GenealogyBank.com.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>282</sup> Louisville (KY) Courier-Journal, Friday 16 January 1857, page 3, retrieved via GenealogyBank.com.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>283</sup> Jefferson County Court Minutes, vol. 21, 1854-1857, page 628, retrieved from FHL #811575, image 358 of 680 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

Ordered that E. H.(?) Nally, James Malona, and J. W. Pope or any two of them after being duly sworn do appraise the slaves if any and personal estate of **Wm. C. Kidd** dec'd and return to Court.

On 23 February 1857, an inventory and appraisement of the estate of **Wm. C. Kidd** dec'd was returned, filed and ordered to be recorded.<sup>284</sup>

On 12 November 1857, a list of sales of the Estate of **Wm. C. Kidd** dec'd was returned, filed and ordered to be recorded.<sup>285</sup>

1858 – On 8 January 1858, an instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Nancy O. Kidd dec'd, late of this county, was produced in Court and proved by the oath of Thomas W. Gibson, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who also made oath that William P. Thomason the other subscribing witness signed the same in his presence and in the presence of and at the request of the testator. Whereupon the same was Established by the Court to be the last will and testament of Nancy O. Kidd dec'd and ordered to be recorded.<sup>286</sup>

Her will, signed on 1 May 1855 and proved in court on 18 January 1858, left specific bequests to her granddaughter Nancy Ellen Gross, daughter Cary Ann Gross, and deceased son Edmund J. Kidd, deceased, along with five implied other children, who were not named.<sup>287</sup> The clue to the number of children she had—seven in all--is found in her allotting the remainder of her estate to be divided in seven shares, with two shares going to her daughter Cary Ann Gross in appreciation for Cary Ann caring for her and Edmund J. Kidd later in their lives. See Nancy O. Kidd's section of this paper.

1859 – On 11 June 1859, the Jefferson County, Kentucky Court appointed J. W. Davis guardian to Emma C. Kidd, infant orphan of **Wm. C. Kidd** dec'd and under the age of fourteen years. Whereupon he gave bond with George E. Kidd as his security as required by law.<sup>288</sup>

On 7 October 1859, Anna E. Kidd, George E. Kidd and Emma C. Kidd accepted the division and partition of the real estate descended to them from their father **Wm. C. Kidd**, **dec'd**, allotted by Commissioners of the Court following a petition to the Court filed by George E. Kidd.

The Commissioners allotted to Anna E. Kidd "the lot with improvements 30 feet front by 113 feet deep on the north side of Broadway 30 feet east of 7<sup>th</sup> Street; also a lot 71 feet by 250 on the East side of Adams and Smith and adjoining Wood Street; she is also to receive from Geo. E. Kidd and Emma C. Kidd each \$100."

To Geo. E. Kidd they allotted the lot with improvements 40 feet front by 139 feet deep on the North side of Lafayette Street, beginning 105½ feet east of East Street; also the Eastern

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>284</sup> Jefferson County Court Minutes, vol. 22, 1854-1857, page 10, retrieved from FHL #811575, image 397 of 680 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>285</sup> Ibid, page 159.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>286</sup> Jefferson County Court Minutes, vol. 22, 1854-1857, page 194, retrieved from FHL #811575, image 490 of 680 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>287</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Will Book 5, page 219, retrieved from FHL #588538, images 465-466 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access). Digital images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>288</sup> Jefferson County Court Minutes, vol. 23, 1859-1862, page 12, retrieved from FHL #811576, image 39 of 360 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

tenement of two on the North side of Green Street situated in part of the lot conveyed to Kidd by A. M. Karns & wife; and to pay Anna E. Kidd \$100.

To Emma C. Kidd they allotted the lot with improvements 30 feet by 86 feet in the SE corner of Preston and Marshall Streets; also the western tenement of two on the north side of Green between Hancock and Jackson Streets situated on the lot of 35 by 102 feet conveyed to W. C. Kidd by Carnes & wife; (and) she to pay Anna E. Kidd \$100.<sup>289</sup>

On 26 November 1859, George E. Kidd, administrator, Mary E. Kidd, widow, and Geo. E. Kidd, Anna E. Kidd and Emma C. Kidd, children and heirs of **Wm. C. Kidd, dec'd**, in compliance with a Court Order to sell some of said Kidd's property, agreed to the sale of "amongst other pieces, of an undivided half of 52 ½ feet front on the north side of Main Street between Jackson and Clay Streets, and extending back the same width to Washington Street." The Marshall of the Court reported back that this property was sold to Benjamin Everett on 30 May 1859 at the price of \$1270. This deed was confirmed by the Commissioner appointed to conclude the sale, and was admitted to record on this date.<sup>290</sup>

- 1863 On 15 January 1863, Mr. William J. Mount and Mrs. Mary E. Kidd, both of Louisville, Kentucky, were married at Mr. Lane's residence in Louisville, in the presence of O. Lane, T. Taylor, John Barrickman and others; the officiant was D. P. Henderson, pastor of the Christian Church, Louisville.<sup>291</sup>
- 1870 We believe that she is the Mary Mount below, particularly because of the presence of Sarah Stout in the HH, and because all these individuals were in the livery business, and with considerable wealth. This is the first clue as to the age of Mary E. Stout Kidd Mount. Louisville, ward 6, Jefferson County, KY, page 587, HH 223/326:

Penland, John 39MW harness maker \$0/6000 b. NY

", Margaret 8FW MS

", Anna 10FW in school MS

Mount, Wm J 34MW harness maker \$0/9,000 b. KY

", **Mary** 37FW keeping house KY Stout, Sarah 50FW at home KY

Hit, Latimore MW harness maker \$0/1,500 KY

1880 – on the federal census in Omaha, Douglas County, NE, ED 18, sheet 17, page 201A, HH 109/116:

Mount, W. J. MW 46M janitor, Masonic Hall KY KY KY

", Mary E. FW 48M wife keeping house KYVA KY

Freland, Anna P. WF 20S adopted daughter teaching school MS NY Ireland

- ", Maggie J. WF 18S adopted daughter at home MS NY Ireland (plus two boarders, one of them John G. Freland)
- 1900 on the federal census in Omaha ward 4, Douglas County, NE, ED 37, sheet B6 Mount, William J. WM April 1836 64M mrd 37 yrs KY KY KY Ins. Agent ', Mary E. wife WF June 1832 67M mrd 37 yr 0/0 children KY KY KY

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>289</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Circuit Court, Commissioner's Deeds, 1735-1871, volume 6, pages 286-287, retrieved via familysearch.org from FHL #2024954, image 799 (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>290</sup> Jefferson County, Kentucky Deed Book 113, pages 90-92, retrieved from FHL #9100, images 50-51 via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>291</sup> Kentucky, Marriage Records, 1783-1965. Digital image of license and certificate available upon request.

(plus nine boarders)

This Mary E. Mount died on 7 August 1908 in Omaha, Nebraska. She is buried in the Forest Lawn Memorial cemetery in Omaha with her husband and two adopted daughters.<sup>292</sup>

# WILLLIAM H. KIDD - possibly the brother of Henry D. Kidd<sup>293</sup>

1843 – Campbell County Marriage bond dated 8 February 1843: **William H. Kidd** and Mary Fosdick. James M. Johnson, security.<sup>294</sup> As will be seen below, this was Mary (Johnson) Fosdick's second marriage.

Another secondary source<sup>295</sup> lists his name as William **W**. Kidd, and hers as Mary Johnson Fosdick; it also states that she was the 3rd wife and widow of Cpt. William Fosdick (1769-1839).

On 17 May 1843, both Henry D. Kidd and **William Kidd** (no middle initial) were enumerated on the 1843 Campbell County PPTL. William Kidd was taxed for one white male tithe (his own) and one horse.<sup>296</sup>

1844 – **William Kidd** (no middle initial) again appears on the Campbell County PPTL, enumerated April 22; his presumed brother is also on the 1844 PPTL, enumerated April 5. William was once again taxed for one white male tithe (his own) and one horse.<sup>297</sup>

On 10 December 1844, **William H. Kidd** entered into a Deed of Trust with John H. Bailey, in order to secure the payment of a debt of \$75 owed by bond to Edward Carter and due on 1 January 1846. In doing so, he used as his collateral a combination of various livestock, farm implements and household furniture, as well as three-fourths of his crops raised in 1845.<sup>298</sup>

- 1846 William Kidd's name is not found on the 1845 Campbell County PPTLs. He reappears there in 1846, again taxed for his own tithe, and no property otherwise. <sup>299</sup>

  He then drops from the annual PPTLs, and does not reappear through 1850 (the last year of these records that we have checked).
- 1850 He and his family are on the 1850 federal census in Botetourt County, VA, western district No. 8, page 170, HH 1775:

William Kidd 28MW laborer b. VA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>292</sup> See Findagrave.com, memorial #131262137. There is a lengthy biography of her there.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>293</sup> The family Bible of Henry D. Kidd lists the names and birth dates of his siblings, one of whom is shown as William H. Kidd, born 24 October 1822. Henry D.'s first marriage occurred in November of 1841 in Campbell Co., Virginia.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>294</sup> Campbell County, VA Index to Marriages, vol. 1, page 94, retrieved from FHL # 31050, image 304 via familysearch.org (restricted access, FHCs only).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>295</sup> Campbell County, Virginia Church Cemeteries, compiled and published by Campbell County Historical Society, 1997, page 39.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>296</sup> Campbell County PPTLs, 1833-1846, FHL #2024504, image 624 of 892, retrieved via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>297</sup> Ibid, image 694.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>298</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 25, pages 463-464, retrieved from FHL #31024, images 256-257 on this reel. Scanned images available upon request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>299</sup> Campbell County PPTLs, 1833-1846, FHL #2024504, image 833 of 892, retrieved via familysearch.org (unrestricted access).

Mary " 40FW b. VA Lucy " 7FW VA Mary A. E. " 4FW VA Rebecca Fosdick 12FW VA Levi van B. " 11MW VA James " 10MW VA

The Fosdick children are Mary A.'s children by her first marriage. She married William Fosdick on 4 January 1833 in Campbell County, VA, and he died testate there in 1839.<sup>300</sup>

- 1858 On 12 February 1858, **William H. Kidd** and Mary A. Kidd his wife sold to James B. Fosdick for \$550 the whole of their life estate interest in a certain tract of land in the county of Campbell on the waters of Troublesome Creek, and containing 173 acres, adjoining the lands of Robert Saunders, T--- (illegible) Callahan, Thomas Burnes and others, it being the land devised by William Fosdick to his wife Mary during her life.

  Both William H. Kidd and Mary A. Kidd signed with an X.<sup>301</sup>
- 1860 On the federal census in Campbell County (Western District), VA, p. 72, Castle Craig P.O., HH 505/536:

**Kidd, William** 36MW farmer \$0/50 VA CROW

- ", Mary 50FW VA
- ", Lucy C. 16FW VA
- ", Mary 14FW VA
- ", Devereu 9MW VA

Fosdick, James B. 21MW (no occupation listed) \$2000/0 VA

- ", Leroy V. B. 20MW (no occupation listed) \$0/0 VA
- ", Rebecca 22FW V A
- 1870 On the federal census in Campbell County (Western District), VA, p. 192, Lynchburg P.O., HH 1277/1388:

Kidd, Wm H 45MW farmer \$2000/300 VA CROW

- ", Mary A 56FW keeps house VA
- ", Lucy 25FW no occupation VA
- ", James E. 10/12MW at home b. July 1869
- ", Henry W. 6MW VA

The date of his death, and that of his wife, are currently unknown.

He and his wife, Mary are evidently buried in the Salem United Methodist Church Cemetery, in Evington, Campbell County, VA. This cemetery is in the Castle Craig quadrant of Campbell County. The entry is rather cryptic, and I suspect but do not know for certain that their headstones do not list dates of birth or death, OR that there are no headstones there, but cemetery records show that they are buried there. Below is the citation in full:

"Kidd, William W. (sic) Married to Mary Fosdick in 1843

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>300</sup> See her section in our MSX Kidds family tree on ancestry.com, at this url for more details: https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/37652986/person/362225068430/facts

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>301</sup> Campbell County Deed Book 31, pages 273-274, retrieved from FHL #31024, images 153-154 on this reel. Scanned images available upon request.

Kidd, Mary Johnson Fosdick. Married William W Kidd in 1843. Was 3rd wife of Cpt. William Fosdick (1769-1839)\*\* 302, 303

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>302</sup> Campbell County, Virginia Church Cemeteries, Volume 1, compiled and published by Campbell County Historical Society, 1997, page 39.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>303</sup> Findagrave.com, Memorial #218781840 lists this as his burial place, but provides no additional information.

#### APPENDIX: SOURCES USED IN THE CREATION OF THIS DOCUMENT

The following sources of genealogical and historical information on Campbell County have been identified, using the web sites of the LDS library, the Library of Virginia, and WorldCat. Those in regular font have been reviewed and abstracted, and all Kidd entries in them have been added to this document; those in **bold font** have yet to be reviewed and mined for Kidd entries.

#### **PRIMARY SOURCES**

U.S. Federal censuses, 1820-1860

Campbell County PPTLs: <a href="http://www.lva.virginia.gov/public/guides/pptax.htm">http://www.lva.virginia.gov/public/guides/pptax.htm</a>

PPTLs, 1785-1814 – available online at Binnsgenealogy.com, and FHL #2024501

PPTLs, 1815-1829: FHL #2024502 PPTLs, 1830-1832: FHL #2024503 PPTLs, 1833-1846: FHL #2024504 PPTLs, 1847-1850: FHL #2024505

# Lynchburg City PPTLs

PPTLs, 1817-1835: FHL microfilm 1905756, item 2 (Lynchburg independent city) PPTLs, 1836-1850: FHL microfilm 1905757, item 1 (Lynchburg independent city)

County Land Tax Lists: <a href="http://www.lva.virginia.gov/public/guides/landTax.asp">http://www.lva.virginia.gov/public/guides/landTax.asp</a>; Retrieved from Library of Virginia via Interlibrary Loan, November 2018:

#### **Campbell County LTLs:**

Reel 56, 1782-1806 Reel 57, 1807-1817 Reel 58, 1818-1827 Reel 59, 1828-1835 Reel 60, 1836-1843

Reel 61, 1844-1850

#### **Lynchburg City LTLs**: (viewed at SPL via ILL, Feb. 2019)

Reel 356, 1817-1826 Reel 357, 1827-1850

(the only Kidd found on these LTLs was Lewis B. Kidd, 1846-1850; see his section of this document.)

#### Campbell County Land and Property records

General index to deeds, grantor, surnames A-Z, 1782-1896 (deed books 1-62 and v. 1 of Circuit Court deeds): FHL #31020 (few Kidd deeds, all incorporated here)

General index to deeds, grantees, surnames A-Z, 1782-1896: FHL #31021 (few Kidd deeds, all incorporated here)

Campbell County Deed Books, v. 1-39 (1782-1869 are available online at familysearch.org, but only from Family History Centers, not from home or at affiliated libraries.)

#### Lynchburg Land and Property records

General Index to real estate conveyances, Grantees, 1805-1935 – FHL #1994908 General Index to real estate conveyances, Grantors, 1805-1935 – FHL #1994909 Lynchburg Deed Books 1-27, all available online via familysearch.org (unrestricted access) Campbell County marriage registers, 1782-1936; index to marriage registers, 1782-1930: FHL #31050, available via familysearch.org, including a searchable index – several Kidds, all added here.

### **County Court records**

General index to order books, 1782-1904 (order books 1-39): **FHL #31038** (few Kidd mentions, all incorporated here)

Campbell County Death Registers, 1853-1912, FHL #2056976 (unrestricted access via familysearch.org.

County-specific sources (microfilms of primary records) in the Library of Virginia catalogue <a href="http://www.lva.virginia.gov/public/local/">http://www.lva.virginia.gov/public/local/</a>

This takes you to the page that lists each county; clicking on the link takes you to the list of LOV MICROFILM holdings for each county, along with the dates covered by the records, whether there is an index, any gaps in holdings, etc.

County Chancery Court cases, from Library of Virginia, at:

http://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/default.asp#res

(Only one chancery case prior to 1877 – Tandy Kidd – see his section.)

Lynchburg City Chancery Court cases, at Library of Virginia at:

http://www.lva.virginia.gov/chancery/default.asp#res

All cases below have now been reviewed.

<u>Lynchburg City case 1821-025.</u> Willis Franklin v Sr. Arthur Hopkins (Only Kidd mention is a deposition by William J. Kidd of Nelson County on 9 Oct 1820 (image 33 of this record.)

<u>Lynchburg City case 1822-064.</u> Samuel Schoolfield v William Snead (Deposition of Daniel Kidd on 28 April 1821, incorporated into this document. No other Kidd mention.)

<u>Lynchburg City case 1824-074.</u> Jesse Burton v Pendleton Hendrick (Two tangential mentions of a John Kidd, teacher; incorporated into this document.)

<u>Lynchburg City case 1826-073.</u> Ann S Hopkins v John Whitehead & Co. (An affidavit by James Kidd was taken at the home of Richard Birch in Lovingston, Nelson County on 19 Oct 1822. Nothing more pertaining to Kidds.)

<u>Lynchburg City case 1827-069</u>. William J. Kidd v James P Garland (a suit over a debt in Nelson County; mentions brother Coleman Kidd. No useful genealogical info seen.)

<u>Lynchburg City case 1828-031</u>. John Bibb v Nathan Loftus & Co (Deposition of Coleman W. Kidd of Nelson County taken 10 May 1825 in Lovingston. No useful genealogical info.)

<u>Lynchburg City case 1833-024</u>. Simon Crisp v Thomas Aldridge etc.

Lynchburg City case 1844-007. John T Johnson v Tandy K Kidd, etc.

Lynchburg City case 1850-005 Sarah S Lewellin by etc. v John Lewellin etc.

Abstracts of the above 3 cases have been added to this BD.

An index to Virginia wills and administrations (1761-1800) is available at the <u>Library of Virginia</u> website (this is in addition to or supplemental to the web site above).

**SECONDARY SOURCES** (arranged alphabetically by **author**). All listed here have been abstracted and all Kidd entries in them have been added to this document):

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Marriages and deaths from Lynchburg, Virginia newspapers, 1794-1836, by Baber, Lucy Harrison Miller et al, Genealogical Publishing Co., Baltimore, MD, 1980. (Fiske).

Marriages of Campbell County, Virginia, 1782-1810, by **Baber**, Lucy Harrison Miller et al, Clearfield Publ. Co., Baltimore, MD, 2000. Fiske.

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Sketches and Recollections of Lynchburg by the Oldest Inhabitant (Mrs. **Cabell**) 1858, index by William Frederic Holcombe, 1920, **Lynchburg** Historical Foundation, Lynchburg, VA. 1974.

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Campbell County, Virginia Church Cemeteries, compiled and published by Campbell County Historical Society, 1997. TEN VOLUMES

LoV F232.C15 C23

Campbell County, Virginia Public Cemeteries, compiled and published by the Campbell County Historical Society: 1997. THREE VOLUMES LoV F232.C15 C342

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<u>Lynchburg</u>, Virginia and Nelson County, Virginia wills, deeds and marriages, 1807-1831, by **Davis**, Bailey Fulton, Southern Historical Press, Easley, SC, 1985. SPL.

Campbell chronicles and family sketches: embracing the history of Campbell County, Virginia, 1782-1926, by Early, Ruth H., J. P. Bell Co., Lynchburg, VA 1927. Available online at familysearch.org, FH L #1000633, item 3 (images 413-706 of 984 on this reel). No Kidds in index (image 417).

Campbell County, Virginia Wills and Inventories, 1782-1847, by Hopkins, William Lindsay, Iberian Publishing Company, 1996 (1989). SPL.

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Campbell County, Virginia Wills, 1782-1800, T.L.C. Genealogy, Miami Beach, FL 1991.

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# APPENDIX TWO: THE FAMILY BIBLE RECORD OF HENRY D. KIDD of CAMPBELL AND BEDFORD COUNTIES, VA

In April of 2000, a Nedra A. Fields posted a transcription of the family Bible record of Henry D. Kidd of Bedford County, Virginia to the USGenWeb Archives. Her transcription was added to the web page containing Bible records of Bedford County, at <a href="http://www.usgwarchives.net/va/bedford/bibles.htm">http://www.usgwarchives.net/va/bedford/bibles.htm</a>.

This collection of family data includes the dates of birth and/or death for Henry D. Kidd, each of his two wives, and for their 16 children. Equally or even more important, it lists the dates (but not the names, unfortunately) of birth and death for both his parents, and the names and dates of birth of Henry's six siblings. These data are a key component in helping us establish the identity of Henry D. Kidd's father, Henry Kidd of Buckingham County, Virginia.

We've been unable to contact Nedra A. Fields, to learn more about this family Bible, including its current location, or to secure her permission to use this information.

Below is the entirety of this information, copied from the USGenWeb page (URL above, active as of June 18, 2024).

#### Bible of Henry D. Kidd - Bedford County, VA, Campbell County, VA

In center of Bible before New Testament under "Family Record"

Henry D. Kidd ware (sic) born September 26, 1812

Deleilah F. Kidd born May 13, 1816 and departed this life November 11, 1841

and ware maryed (sic) November 17, 1831

James H. Kidd ware born August 28, 1832

Martha Jane E. Kidd ware born August 24, 1834

William W. Kidd ware born September 3, 1836

Elizare (sic) J. Kidd ware born November 6, 1838

Mary F. Kidd ware born February 3, 1841

the first wife sons and daughters of Henry D. Kidd

The second wife sons and daughters of Henry D. Kidd maryed December 10,

1845, Mary C. Kidd ware born December II, 1821

Margaret S. Kidd ware born September 12, 1846

Sarah A.E. Kidd ware born October 5, 1847

William A. Kidd ware born August 17, 1849 Falashia A. Kidd was born February 19, 1851

Mary L. Kidd ware born October 8, 1852

John J. Kidd ware born January the 30, 1854

Paliner Price Kidd ware born August 15, 1856

Ann Henry Ofelior (sic) ware born May 26, 1858

Charles Wessely Kidd born February 23, 1860

Sarah Ann E. Kidd departed this life August the 9, 1856

Falashia Ann Kidd departed this life August the 14, 1856

(Note: Two sons mentioned in Will made 11 Feb 1886, but not in Bible are:

George W. b. ca 1862 married 03 Oct 1888 Mattie McLain

Edward P. b. ca 1864 (believed to have gone west)

## (Paliner is Paulina)

In back of Bible the first entry is:
Father ware born October 7, 1768 and departed this life January 16, 1833
Mother ware born February 3, 1793 and departed this life October 1, 1835
Henry D. Kidd ware born September 26, 1812
Elizabeth A. Kidd ware born July 9, 1814
Nancy R. Kidd ware born September 25, 1816
Mary J. Kidd ware born January 2, 1821
William H. Kidd ware born October 24, 1822
Permelia L. Kidd ware born October 23, 1824
John A. Kidd ware born June 8, 1827
Fucinda C. Kidd ware born April 30, 1830

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# APPENDIX THREE: JEFFERSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY TAX LISTS FOR KIDDS, 1835-1848

The information in the Table below was retrieved from digital images of the Jefferson County Tax Lists available online at familysearch.org, via the Family History Library catalog.

A complete listing of the microfilm reels and specific images for these entries is available from the authors.

YEAR	DISTRICT	TAXPAYER	WMT	PROPERTIES	SLAVES	OTHER
1830	City of L	Wm C Kidd	-	none	0	WMT not listed
1831		no Kidds				
1832		List not extant				
1833	2nd Dist	Wm C Kidd	-	none	0	3 horses
1834		no Kidds				
1835	So. Dist	Edmund Kidd	1	none	0	
	City of L	W. Kidd	1	one lot	0	
	City of L	E. Kidd	1	none	0	
1836	W. Dist	Wm C Kidd	-	three	2	4 horses, 1 carriage
1837	W. Dist	Wm Kidd	-	three	2	8 horses, 3 carriages
1037	W. Dist	Nancy Kidd, by Wm	-	none	4	
	W. Dist	Wm Kidd	1	three	0	
1838	W. Dist	Nancy Kidd, by Wm	0	none	4	
	W. Dist	Ed. Kidd	1	none	0	
1839		no Kidds		incomplete	list	No E. or W. Dist
	W. Dist	Valentine Kidd	1	none	0	
	W. Dist	Edmond Kidd	1			
1840	W. Dist	Mrs. N O Kidd	0	none	4	1 slave >16, 3 <16; near Prather & Centre
	W. Dist	Wm C Kidd	1	three?	4	1 slave >16, 3 <16; cor Prath & 5th
	W. Dist	William C Kidd	blank	three	3	
1841	W. Dist	Mrs. Nancy O Kidd	blank	none	3	
1842	W. Dist	W C Kidd	blank	4	X	tight binding - slave columns cropped; 1 store

	W. Dist	same for Mrs Turner	blank	one lot	X	# of slaves cropped
	W. Dist	same for Nancy O Kidd	blank	none	X	# of slaves cropped
	W. Dist	Wm C Kidd	1	four	4	1 child bet 7-16
1843	W. Dist	same for Mrs N O Kidd	blank	none	3	
	W. Dist	Ned Kidd	1	none	0	cor 7th & Prather
	W. Dist	Mrs. Nancy Kidd	blank	none	4	2 slaves>16, 2 under
1844	W. Dist	Edmond Kidd	1	none	0	
	W. Dist	Wm C Kidd	1	three	5	1 slave>16, 4 under
	W. Dist	Mrs. Nancy O Kidd	blank	none	4	
1845	W. Dist	Edmond Kidd	1	none	0	
1010	W. Dist	Wm C Kidd	1	four	5	4 horses, 3 buggies;2 children bet 5-16
1046	W. Dist	Mrs. A O Kidd	blank	none	4	
1846	W. Dist	no Wm C this yr				
	W. Dist	E J Kidd	1	none	0	
1847	W. Dist	Wm C Kidd	1	SIX	7	10 horses
	W. Dist	Nancy Kidd	blank	none	4	
1848	W. Dist	Wm C Kidd	1	EIGHT	6	10 horses, 6 buggies; 2 children bet 5-16
	W. Dist	Edmd. Kidd	1	none	О	
	W. Dist	Nancy Kidd	0	none	6	
	W. Dist	J P Kidd	1	none	0	same address as Nancy Kidd
	W. Dist	W C Kidd	1	4 parcels	9	2 chldrn bet 5-16
	W. Dist	Kidd & Davis	0	1	0	
1849	W. Dist	Mrs N O Kidd		0	6	
	W. Dist	Josiah P Kidd	1	0	0	
		Wm C Kidd	1	5	5	2 chldrn bet 5-16
1850	W. Dist	Kidd & Davis	0	3	1	
		Mrs Nancy Kidd	0	1	6	

		E J Kidd	1	1		Cor 5th & Pra
		Josiah P Kidd	1	1	0	Pra 5 & 6
		Kidd & Davis	0	3	1	15 horses
1051	W. D.	W C Kidd	1	5	3	3 ch bet 5-16
1851	W. Dist	Mrs Nancy Kidd	0	1	7	Pra 5 & 6
		E J Kidd	1	1	0	Pra 5 & 6
		W C Kidd	1	9	5	incl 100 ac in Co
1852	W. Dist	Kidd & Davis	0	3	1	
		no other				
		Kidd & Davis	0	3	1	
1853	W. Dist	W C Kidd	1	9	5	
		Nancy Kidd	0	none	5	
		Kidd & Davis	0	2	0	
	W. Dist	P C Kidd	1	1	1	
1854		Nancy Kidd	0	1	5	Pra 5 & 6
		Wm C Kidd	1	12	5	2 chldrn bet 6-18
		Edward	1	1	0	NW cor 5 & Pra
		Wm C Kidd	1	10	3	
1855	W. Diat	Ed Kidd	1	0	0	
1633	W. Dist	Mrs Nancy Kidd	0	1	7	Broadway Cen & 6
		Kidd & Davis	0	2	1	
		Nancy Kidd	0	0	7	
1057	W/ Dist	Kidd & Davis	0	1	1	
1856	W. Dist	W C Kidd	1	13	3	1 chld bet 6-18
		Ed Kidd	1	0	0	
1057	W/ D:-4	Kidd & Davis	0	1	1	
1857	W. Dist	W C Kidd	1	(blank)	blank	blank
		Geo E Kidd	1	0	0	

		Mrs Nancy Kidd	0	0	9	blank
1858	W. Dist	Kidd & Davis	1	0	0	
		no others				