**From the Administrator**

Dear Project Members,

I have added a new page on our website called “Inquiry.” This page will be a dedicated place for research inquiries for the surname Webb. If you would like to post your specific research inquiries, email them to me and I will add them to this page. We get a lot of traffic on the website by both members and non-members, so there is always a chance of getting leads or answers to your questions.

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**Colonel A. H. Webb, Argonaut, & the Bald Hill Incident**

Colonel A. H. Webb was born in Tennessee between 1823 and 1828 and came to California with the first rush of gold-seekers in 1849. He lived part of his life in the gold rush towns of Northern Carolina, working as a merchant, and then briefly lived in Silver City, Idaho, where he was the Treasurer of Owyhee Co. He returned to California and sometime between 1880 and 1887, became the secretary of the State Board of Horticulture.

His obituary appeared in the March 12th, 1887 edition of the Pacific Rural Press, an agricultural newspaper published in San Francisco:

**“Death of Col. A. H. Webb**

The death of Col. A. H. Webb, secretary of the State Board of Horticulture, which occurred on March 2, at his residence in Oakland, will be heard with regret by many. Col. Webb was a pioneer, having come to the State in ’49. Except five years spent in Idaho, he lived most of the time in the mining districts of Northern
Some time after Webb returned to the coast some one asked him, “Colonel, suppose the planter had asked you the name of the man who shot his nephew, what would you have said?” I would have told him that his name was Webb, but don’t know that I should have taken any particular pains to impress him with the thought that I was that particular Webb.”

Colonel A. H. Webb [cont.]

California, engaging in mining and trade. Upon the reorganization of the State Board of Horticulture at the beginning of Gen. Stoneman’s term, Col. Webb was chosen secretary, and served the board in that capacity up to the time of his death. He was liked by all for his genial and gentlemanly manner, and respected for his strict attention to his duties. He had been out of health for some months, but clung to his work too long for physical good and so weakened his system that it could not shake off disease. He died peacefully and quietly, though he had suffered much during the last weeks of his life.

Col. Webb was a native of Tennessee, and was born in 1828. He leaves a widow, a son and a daughter to mourn his loss. The funeral services were held in Oakland on Thursday, March 3d. Unfortunately, adequate announcement was not made of his death, and many were prevented from paying the last tribute to his memory, because they were not informed of his demise. Suitable action will be take at the next meetings of the State Horticultural Society and the State Board of Horticulture to testify the respect paid his memory by our fruit-growers.

- San Francisco, Saturday, March 12, 1887, Pacific Rural Press.

There appears to be at least two versions of a raucous gun fight story involving Col. A. H. Webb and the “Duncan Brothers” which took place in Shasta County, California during his first years there. There is one account of the story that appeared in a 1888 newspaper article, and it may be from this article that the story was taken from and told in the book, “A Memorial and Biographical History of Northern California,” published in 1891. Whether the story was told and retold by Col. A. H. Webb himself, or whether family or the witnesses kept the story alive, is unclear. There are parts of the story that only Col. A. H. Webb could have known, but because the retelling of the story was published in a newspaper after his death, it seems that someone close to Col. A. H. Webb must have been the contributor. The 1888 newspaper article version stated the following: “probably only a small portion of his numerous friends and acquaintances are aware that he has led a most adventurous life, as was indeed but natural, when it is considered that his childhood was spent in then frontier Arkansas, while his early manhood saw him push yet farther west with the first flood of the gold-seekers of ’49.”

Below is the version of the story as it appeared in the book, “A Memorial and Biographical History of Northern California.” For reasons unknown, one of the towns involved was misidentified as Harristown, when in fact the town was called Horsetown. The 1888 version does give the correct name of that town.

Webb and the Duncan Brothers of Shasta Co.

In 1852 Colonel A. H. Webb was living in Harristown, Shasta County, where he kept a store. He shrewdly preserved the good people from Indian depredations. During that period three bothers named Duncan, apparently of the Caucasian race but really one-quarter Indian blood and identified with the Cherokee nation, were causing much trouble in the community. They were large and stout, and very rough in manners and morals. One day two of these brothers, mounted upon half-broken mustangs, rode into and out of every house in the village, apparently on a wager, but making an exception of Mr.
Webb’s store, as the proprietor said he could not afford to have his goods damaged. They respected him. But the next day, having been taunted by a boon companion with the failure to fully complete the stipulations of the bet, the two men determined to do so come what would. Mr. Webb gave no more thought to the matter and was upon the second day busy about the store, when with a clatter and crash the younger of the two Duncans forced his foaming and struggling mustang directly into the store. Mr. Webb turned toward the intruder in astonishment and anger, and Duncan noticing his indignation and immediately giving rein to his natural insolence, exclaimed with an oath, “perhaps you do not like my riding in here?” Irritated beyond endurance, Webb stepped rapidly behind the desk, snatched a loaded revolver and covered the desperado in an instant, while he answered with stern emphasis, “No, I don’t like it; and you have just twenty seconds to ride out of here before you get this bullet in your brain. Go!” Duncan saw the merchant’s deadly purpose, and, wheeling his horse, dashed out of the store in an instant.

The news that Mr. Webb had driven one of the Duncans out of the store at the muzzle of a pistol soon spread about, and while it increased his popularity with a majority of the inhabitants it changed the feeling of careless friendliness with which the desperado brothers had hitherto regarded him to one of bitter hatred, which every one predicted would speedily culminate in a tragedy. But more than a year elapsed without anything of that nature happening, and Webb moved to Bald Hill, in the same county, where he continued in the same business. The Duncans were as frequently seen there as at Harristown. At a local election soon held at that place the three Duncans were, as usual, making themselves the most conspicuous figures in the large assemblage, drinking and carousing. The polls were across the street from Webb’s store, and Webb, being one of the judges of the election, left the store in charge of his partner. He saw young Duncan in the store, but paid no special attention to it, as it had been so long since the trouble they had had.

Suddenly Webb felt his long hair seized from behind and saw a bowie knife coming in the other hand of the villain toward him, when a young man named Kit seized the would-be murderer’s arm and arrested the blow at the very instant when the point of the weapon was against Webb’s breast. Foiled in his immediate purpose, but still retaining his hold both upon the knife and his intended victim, Duncan turned to the latter, saying tauntingly, while he savagely struggled to free his right arm for second blow, “Why don’t you beg for your life?” “No, I will not,” was the answer: “the sooner you let me go the better it will be for yourself.” “Let you go?” shrieked the desperado as he struggled in vain to free his arm, “let you go! I will kill you first.”

The crowd separated the men. Webb remained in his room, his enemy being forced out into the street, and, being unarmed, looked around for a weapon. Several rifles were lying about, but as he picked up one after another, the owners told him that they were not loaded. It struck him finally that the statements were not true, being made through the fear which most of the people had of Duncan and his gang, and examination of one of the rifles confirmed his suspicions. At this moment some one called out, “Duncan is in your store; he has attacked your partner.” Webb sprang across the street and into the store, found the report true and raised the rifle; but Duncan let go, sprang into the back door, and as he put his hand into his hip-pocket to get a revolver Webb fired upon him and shattered the hand while in the pocket, and the bullet also entered the body. Duncan did not fall, but fired the weapon with his left hand, missing his mark: Webb rushed back to the polling place, got another gun, and as he merged into the street again Duncan came out of the store and fell on his face. The crowd urged Webb to finish killing him and rid the community of a desperado. A stalwart miner named Ridge, who was an educated Indian, also urged Webb to finish killing Duncan. Webb would not be persuaded to attack a fallen foe, and the latter was carried away by his friends. Webb was then warned that he did the most injudicious thing for the safety of both of himself and of the community. Sure enough, he was soon informed that threats of vengeance by the savages had been made. Seeing one of the Duncans passing one day, he said, “I have nothing to say to you personally, sir, but you will take this message to the young Duncan and his brother, tell them that if I hear of another word of threat being uttered against me, I will shoot young Duncan in his bed. Will you carry that message?” The man promised compliance and probably fulfilled his promise, for no other threats were heard from them afterward.

Webb, shortly afterward visiting the county-seat, was surrounded by the citizens, who asked him whether he wanted a trial or not. He said he did not care—only the time attending one interfered with his business. The crowd immediately voted not to try him and gave him a banquet in the evening.
During the following year, 1854, Webb passed through the Cherokee Nation on a trip to the East. He stopped over-night on a fine plantation kept by a middle-aged Cherokee of mixed blood, though to all appearance a polished Southern gentleman. During the evening the following conversation ensued:

Host- “By the way, Mr. Webb, were you ever in a county in California which I think they call Shasta?”

Webb- “Certainly, I have lived there for several years past, and am very well acquainted there.”

“Indeed! Then you must know my nephews, young Duncan and his brothers?”

“Oh, yes; I know them quite well. Are they your nephews, indeed?”

“Yes; my sister’s children; but tell me, since you know them so well, is it true that young Duncan was shot last year in a quarrel with some desperado or other?”

Webb repressed a strange mixture of feelings and answered calmly, “It is said that he was shot; though why the man who did it can be justly termed a cut-throat desperado, I must say is by no means certain.”

“Oh, well,” said the Cherokee, “it is quite possible I may have heard it incorrectly; it was only a very indifferent account that reached me. Please tell me all the particulars.”

Webb told them all, skillfully suppressing the name of the store-keeper in the affair, which his host did not notice.

“What became of the villain?” he finally asked; “is he still there?”

“I believe not. In fact, I know that he went away some months since, and I have reason to think he left the State.”

“Well, it doesn’t matter; I dare say it was young Duncan’s fault, as you have suggested; he was always a wild youth, and when he drinks there is no holding him in.”

The next morning, after a hearty breakfast, host and guest parted in a friendly manner. Some time after Webb returned to the coast some one asked him, “Colonel, suppose the planter had asked you the name of the man who shot his nephew, what would you have said?” I would have told him that his name was Webb, but don’t know that I should have taken any particular pains to impress him with the thought that I was that particular Webb.” “Suppose he discovered the truth: what would you have done? “I can’t say with any certainty, of course; but I think he would have entertained me just as hospitably, and the next morning he would have mounted his horse and ridden out on the prairie with me until we were out of the sight of the house, drawn a pistol and told me to defend myself.” “What became of young Duncan?” “Oh, he flourished for several years afterward, but finally had a quarrel with some one else and got a bullet between the eyes.”
According to several available family trees, Colonel A. H. Webb was born Alfred Houston Webb on July 17, 1823, Maury Co., Tennessee, and died March 10, 1887 in Oakland, California. He was the son of Meredith Burton Webb, born 1772 in South Carolina and Elizabeth Hafley, born in 1777 in Pennsylvania. The discrepancy in Alfred H. Webb's birth year in the censuses is not unusual. The 1850 census aligns with the 1823 birth year, but later censuses, news articles and the marriage record substantiate the 1828 birth year. Col. A. H. Webb married Helen S. Earll on June 4, 1858 in Tehema Co., California. They had at least two children.

A clue to why Alfred H. Webb used the title "Colonel" may be found in a June 15, 1867 article in an Idaho newspaper:

"Col. A. H. Webb, who has just returned from a sagebrush voyage on the Railroad Line as far as Camp McDermit, reports that two men named Black & Perry met with three Indians in the direction of White Horse from the former place, and killed one and got wounded themselves. The Indians, when discovered, began to retreat and were followed into some brush, where they showed fight to some purpose, but the men secured with guns instead of revolvers they would have killed all. One more dead Indian is worth mentioning." — The Owyhee Avalanche, June 15, 1867.

Colonel Alfred H. Webb's DNA, if a donor were available, should match the John Webb 1717 Richmond Co. NC DNA Group.

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Research notes:

Col. A. H. Webb was living in Trinity Co., California during the 1850 census. He appears to have been in a household with other men who were in the mining trade. His age is given as 26 in 1850.

By 1860, after the Duncan brothers incident, he was living in Red Bluff, Tehama Co., California. A. H. Webb, age 28, was enumerated with a wife, E. A. Webb, age 19, born in New York, and a two-month old child, E. H. Webb. There is a marriage record for A. H. Webb & Helen S. Earl on June 4, 1858 in Tehema Co. A. H. Webb's age is given as 29, 10 mo., 17 days, born in Pennsylvania, and Helen S. Earl's age was 16 years, 8 months and 18 days, and born in Wisconsin. Regardless of the inconsistencies of the wife's name and birthplace in the marriage record compared to the 1860 Tehema Co. census, as well as the incorrect place of A. H. Webb's birth, it seems certain that this is the correct couple in the 1860 census. The Oak Hill Cemetery in Red Bluff states that the land for the cemetery was purchased from A. H. Webb in 1859.

The 1870 Owyhee Co. Idaho census shows A. H. Webb, County Treasurer, age 42, living with a 21 year old woman named Susie Bernard who was born in New York and was "housekeeping." We can be certain that this is Col. A. H. Webb because of his obituary. It begs the question, where was his wife and child?

By 1880, Col. A. H. Webb was back with his wife, Helen and their sixteen-year old daughter, living in Oakland, Alameda Co., California. This census tells us that Helen was born in Wisconsin in 1841, [not New York], and also tells us that Col. Webb's father was born in South Carolina and his mother was born in Pennsylvania. His profession was listed as "stock broker." In 1900, Helen S. Webb, widow, was living in Berkeley, California with her 81-year-old mother, Cornelia Earll. In 1910, Helen S. Webb, age 68, was living with her "grand-nephew," Christopher E. Webb, age 24, born in California. [Christopher's father was born in Arkansas and his mother was born in Louisiana.] This implies that one of Col. A. H. Webb's brothers or nephews came to California. The Dec 24, 1912 issue of the "San Francisco Call," announced the marriage license for Christopher E. Webb, 27, and Margaret Tibbits, 22, both of Berkeley, on December 23, 1912. Christopher and Margaret Tibbits Webb were living in Bakersfield, California in 1920, but were divorced by 1940. Margaret and two of her sons, Andrew T. and Christopher Webb were living in Palo Alto, California in 1940. Christopher Earl and Margaret Tibbits Webb had two other children, Margaret T. and
Lawrence E. Webb. Christopher Earl Webb’s WWII draft registration states that he was born in Redding, Shasta Co., California on August 10, 1886. Walker Webb, Col. A. H. Webb’s nephew, was listed in the 1860 Shasta Co. census, but Walker Webb had left the state by 1890 and is not likely Christopher’s father. Who Christopher Earl Webb’s father was remains unknown, and why his middle name was the same as his great aunt’s maiden name, a mystery.

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The Ship, Lyon’s Whelp with John Gibbs, master, sailed from Gravesend April 25, 1629, “with above forty planters out of the Countyes of Dorset and Somerset, and arrived at Salem in the middle of July. She brought 6 fishermen from Dorchester. “

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The Winthrop Fleet – “Eleven Vessells brought ‘the Great Emigration’ of this year, viz:

Arabella the flagship, Talbot, Jewel, William & Francis, Hopewell, Whale, Success, Trail, Mayflower, Charles 1st 5 sailed April 8 from Yarmouth, Isle of Wight and arrived at Salem June 13 and following days. The other half of the fleet sailed in May & arrived in July at various dates. Altogether they brought about 700 passengers of whom the following are presumed to have been on these ships.”

Daniel Abbott
Richard Webb                  Nayland, Suffolk         Cambridge
Mrs. Elizabeth Webb

The ship, James, of London with William Cooper, master, sailed from Southampton on April 5 and arrived June 3 with passengers and cattle.

John Evered als Webb          Marlborough, Co. Wilts, husbandman | Boston
Stephen Evered als Webb       Marlborough, Co. Wilts | Boston

With laborers:
Giles Butler
Geo Cousins
Thos Colman
Thos Goddard
Jno Pithouse                  all of Marlborough Co. Wilts.

The ship, Batchelor, Thomas Webb, master, sailed for New England Aug 11th and arrived Nov 28th [year?]. “‘Here arrived,’ wrote Winthrop, ‘a small Norsey Bark, sent by the Lords Say etc. with one Gardiner, an expert Engineer, or
workbase, and provisions of all sorts, to begin a fort at the mouth of Connecticut. Her passengers twelve men, two women & goods, all safe."

[Source: Planter’s of the Commonwealth 1620-1640, Charles Edwards Banks, 1972]

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California

“H. P. Webb is one of the promising young citizens and rancher of Saticoy, Ventura County. He came to California in 1879 from Memphis, Tennessee, where he was born March 25, 1856. His father, J. L. Webb, is a native of North Carolina, and was one of the first residents of Memphis. He was in the wholesale mercantile business, and was a dealer in cotton; was a man of liberal views, and a Democrat. The ancestors as far as known were residents of North Carolina. Mr. Webb’s mother, Arina [Sheppard] Webb, was also born in the “Tar State.” He is the youngest of a family of eleven children, and was reared and educated in Memphis, completing his education at the East Tennessee University. He clerked for several prominent firms of his native town and at the time he started for the far West he had the position of agent and salesman of the Alabama Lime Association.

Mr. Webb, after his arrival in California, spent eight years as a farmer at Carpenteria, and from there came to his present location, one of the most productive valleys in Southern California. He is the owner of fifty acres of choice land, ten acres of which are in English walnuts and three acres are devoted to apricots and prunes and a variety of other fruit. Mr. Webb has a nice home, surrounded with majestic shad and ornamental trees and attractive grounds. One of his principle crops is Lima beans, the land being especially adapted for their production.

Mr. Webb was married, in 1888, to Mrs. Franklin, widow of the late M. E. Franklin, who was a native of Mississippi. Mrs. Webb was born in Virginia. She has five children Grace, Earnest, Bernard, Nellie and Bessie. Mrs. Webb is a member of the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Webb possesses those courteous and affable manners so characteristic of the Southern gentleman, and guests are welcomed at their delightful home in a charming manner by both himself and Mrs. Webb.”

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“Colonel James Liddle, a Paso Robles business man and rancher, was born in Geneseo, Genesee County, New York, May 20, 1854. His father, George Liddle, was a native of England, and married Miss Martha Jane Webb, a native of Scotland. They came o the United States in 1840, settling in Genesee County, New York, where they reared thirteen children, of whom the Colonel was the youngest…”

[Source: A memorial and biographical history of the counties of Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo and Ventura, California, Y. A. Storke, 1891]
Delaware

Newark, Delaware

Joseph Wilkins Cooch b. June 23, 1840 m. Mary Evarts Webb

[Source: The ancestors of Eleanor Bedford Wilkins Cooch and Edward Webb Cooch, Eleanor Bedford Wilkins Cooch, 1962]

Webbs, New Castle Co. 1860 Census

Alexander Webb, age 25, white, b. NJ
Asborn Webb, age 21, white, b. DE
Boes Webb, age 50, white, b. DE
Catharine Webb, age 68, white, b. PA
David Webb, age 20, white, b. DE
Edward Webb, age 30, white, b. DE
Ella Webb, white b. DE
George Webb, age 21, white, b. PA
George Webb, age 25, black, b. DE
Isaac Webb, age 24, white, b. DE
Jacob Webb, age 29, black, b. DE
James Webb, age 63, white, b. PA
Jerry Webb, age 40, black, b. MD
John S. Webb, age 36, black, b. DE
Lydia Webb, age 55, white, b. DE
M. Webb, age 23, female, white, b. DE
Martha Webb, age 11, white, b. DE
Rachel A. Webb, age 53, white, b. DE
Richard Webb, age 50, white, b. Ireland
Thomas D. Webb, age 50, white, b. PA
Thomas F. Webb, age 35, white, b. England
William Webb, age 45, white, b. DE
William Webb, age 60, white, b. Ireland
William Webb, age 30, white, b. DE
William C. Webb, age 48, white, b. DE

Webb, Sussex Co. 1860 Census

Charles Webb, age 25, white, b. DE
Jacob Webb, age 27, white, b. DE
James Webb, age 13, white, b. DE
James M. Webb, age 29, white, b. DE
John Webb, age 35, white, b. DE
John J. Webb, age 50, white, b. DE
John N. Webb, age 54, white, b. DE
John S. Webb, age 12, white, b. DE
Joseph Webb, age 10, white, b. PA
Joshua Webb, age 40, white, b. PA
Mary Webb, age 55, white, b. DE
Mary Webb, age 38, white, b. DE
Mason D. Webb, age 41, white, b. DE
Nancy Webb, age 66, white, b. DE
Rachel Webb, age 20, black, b. DE
Wm B. Webb, age 28, white, b. DE

[Source: US Census]

Georgia

Dr. James Webb m. Annie J. Broaddus of Georgia

Children of Dr. James Webb & Annie J. Broaddus:

Phillip Augustus Webb b. Aug 20, 1872, Monticello, Ga., m. Miss Alice Kate Shaw, of Jasper Co., Ga., March 3, 1892. There only son, Phillip Augustus Webb, Jr., was b. Sept. 10, 1903.

Agnes Cordelia Webb b. Nov. 16, 187_, at Snapping Shoals, Ga., m. William Powell, Monticello, Ga., Nov 16, 1892.

William Franklin Webb, b. Aug 22, 1879, Newton Co., Ga., m. Miss Susie Tyne, of Va., in 1911. She died in 1912. He was in the army several years.

Mary Thomas Webb b. April 17, 1882, Snapping Shoals, Ga., d. Apr. 6., 1903.


[Source: The Catchings and Holiday families, T. C. Catchings, 1921]

Bulloch Co.

Marriage:
Henry Webb m. Sarah Simmons, April 23, 1812

[Source: Marriage Records of Bulloch County, Georgia, A. K. Register, 1971]

Coweta Co. GA

Marriages:
J. D. Garrison m. Martha Webb, Oct 11, 1838
Bennett I. Webb m. Mary Webb, Dec 17, 1832
Coleman B. Webb m. Matilda Johnston, Apr 9, 1828
Samuel Webb m. Frances Wilson, Jan 25, 1838

[Source: Coweta County Chronicles for one hundred years, Mary G. Jones, 1928]

Information Gleaned from Georgia Depositors of Freedman’s Savings and Trust Co.

Savannah

1869 - Andrew Webb, brother of Elsie Golphin, b. Savannah, GA. Andrew Webb went away North c1853. Parents of Elsie Golphin were John Morrell, d. c1839 and Silvia Brown.


Augusta

1871 – Lizzie Moore, Augusta. GA, daughter of Solomon Hankerson & Annie Webb of VA. Siblings of Lizzie were Emma, George, Laura, Martha, Mary and Solomon.


Atlanta


North Carolina

Webbs in the 1790 NC Census – An Index
[with two neighbors if known]

Burke Co.
Jas Crit. Webb
Ben Webb
Jas Webb Jr.
Meredith Webb
Robt. Fitzpatrick, Wilm. Minphey
George Hays, Jas Webb Jr.
Ben Webb, Reynard Walker
John Blackwell, Martha Win

Chowan Co.
Zachariah Webb
James Webb
Wm Webb
John Webb
alphabetical

Edgecombe Co.
Richard Webb
John Webb
John Webb
John Webb
Patience Webb
alphabetical

Franklin Co.
Rich’d Webb
Jacob Webb
Jesse Webb
William Webb
Rice Webb
John Webb
Lewis Webb
William Webb
alphabetical
## THE WEBB BULLETIN

### Granville Co.
- William Webb: John Clements, Stephen Merrit

### Halifax Co.
- George Webb: William Kindall, John Tune

### Hertford Co.
- Ben Webb: James Smith, Samuel Duning
- Jenkins Webb: Joseph Bridger, George Yeonley

### Iredell Co.
- Caleb Webb: George Willis, George Webb
- George Webb: Caleb Webb, Thomas Young

### Johnston Co.
- David Webb: Mary Ballanger, Margaret Diamond

### Martin Co.
- Jiles Webb: Thomas Beach Sr., Thomas Boaman

### Nash Co.
- Stephen Webb: alphabetical
- William Webb: alphabetical

### Northampton Co.
- Cordall Webb: David Edlow, William Amis
- Jno Thos. Webb: John Dancy, Swan Prichard
- Hill Webb: Lucy Tarver, James Lewis
- Joseph Webb: James Millikin, Gerrard Seal
- Mary Webb: Rich'd Crump, James F. Gee
- Joseph Webb: Edward Davis Jr., Dempsey Ricks

### Perquimans Co.
- alphabetical

### Randolph Co.
- alphabetical

### Richmond Co.
- Robert Webb: Edward Curry, George Webb
- George Webb: Robert Webb, Malcolm McRae
- Henry Webb: Lovick Stealy, Walter Slaughter
- John Turner Webb: Charles Pursley, Laurence Everat
- William Webb: William Jernigan, Mathew Covington
- John Webb: Peter Cole, Thomas Everat
- George Webb: Israel Watkins, Benja. Bolten
- John Webb Sr.: Hardy Stewart, Wm. Pankey
Rowan Co.
Daniel Webb Andrew Tigart, Abraham Teneson

Rutherford Co.
Thos Webb Wm Gutters, Wm Rogers
David Webb Wm Morrow, Sarahan Bicas
Wm Webb Robt. Hoskins, Charles Bradlove
Robt. Webb Burges Lyles, Thom. Webb
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Dan’l Webb Wm Collins, George Hill
James Webb Edw’d Shipman, Wm. Brook
John Webb Vachal Davis, Wm Collins
Bess Webb Wm Collins, Dan’l Webb
Dan’l Webb Bess Webb, Jacob Webb
Jacob Webb Dan’l Webb, Jos. Ashworth

Sampson Co.
James Webb Philip Tew, Seth Starling

Stokes Co.
William Webb Hary Tilly, John Hilton

Tyrrell Co.
alphabetical
Harmon Webb Sr.
Harmon Webb Jr.

Warren Co.
George Webb alphabetical

Wilkes Co.
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Frank Webb Ussby Webb, Cutt Webb
Cutt Webb Frank Webb, Jno Webb
John Webb Cutt Webb, Jno Flanigan
Jas Webb Edward Bowe, Charity Hously

1788 Granville Co. Tax List - Webbs

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[Source: The State Records of North Carolina, Vol. 26, 1905]

Caldwell Co. North Carolina

Adako, NC, Webb Cemetery
2 miles from the Post Clark Store at Adako on a farm owned by the Duke Power Company.

Alice F. Webb May 30, 1889 May 5, 1894 d/o W. J. & M. A. Webb
Annie Webb Feb 7, 1893 May 7, 1894 d/o J. B. & L. M. Webb
G. C. Webb  June 1, 1841  June 26, 1862  
H. C. Webb  Jan 20, 1869  
Infant Webb  May 15, 1881  May 15, 1881 s/o H. M. & H. S. Webb  
John R. Webb  May 1, 1846  Jan 17, 1914  
Luella E. Webb  Feb 7, 1911  Apr 22, 1913  d/o J. B. & L. M. Webb  
Margaret E. Webb  Mar 29, 1861  Nov 14, 1901  w/o James W. Webb  
Mary M. Webb  May 16, 1813  Sept 17, 1887  w/o Serug Webb  
Sarah E. Webb  Mar 8, 1845  Dec 1, 1884  w/o W. J. Webb  
Serug Webb  June 1, 1813  Apr 24, 1839  

Also, Baker, Baird, Courtney, Estes, Kincaid, Teague.

[Source: Compiled by the Historical Records Survey of North Carolina, 1939, Worker: Iner V. Dingler]

Wilson Co. North Carolina

Macclesfield, NC - Cemetery
2 miles east from Penders Cross Road.

Alex. Webb  Mar 15, 1858  July 20, 1886  
Catherine Webb  July 21, 1835  Feb 18, 1901  
Frank B. Webb  Dec 10, 1868  Jan 10, 1904  
Hiram Webb  Aug 1, 1830  July 26, 1882

[Source: Compiled by the Historical Records Survey of North Carolina, 1941, Worker: Stanley Combs]

Dr. James Webb

12. Samuel Clayter, witness for Berry, saith that he voted on a deed from Dr. James Webb, to Elisha Mitchell, dated 25th day of May 1843. See the deed, also a deed which Dr. James Webb had made to Samnel Clayter before he, Webb, conveyed to Mitchell.


NC Webb Marriages & Deaths

Wm S. Webb to Mary E. Hall in January, 1826, Newbern

Thomas Webb to Sarah Frances on July 5, 1827, Bertie Co.

William G. Webb to Celestia C. Goodrich on Oct. 12, 1827, Rockingham, Rockingham Co.

Martha Webb to Daniel Snead on Jan 14, 1827, Richmond Co.

Eliza Webb to John Johnson on Sept 18 1828, Rowan Co.

William Webb to Martha Powell on Oct 21, 1830, Halifax Co.

Elizabeth Webb to William F. Strudwick in June 1831, Hillsborough.
Ann Webb to Isaac Fisher, Sept. 4, 1836, Burke Co.


Wm. R. Webb of Bertie Co. to Elizabeth L. Vanhook, Nov 1839, Leesburg, Caswell Co. in Raleigh Reg. Dec. 7, 1839.


Boyd, George D. of Rockingham to Eliza Webb, Mar 29, 1859, Winston.


Webb, Eliza of Winston to George D. Boyd of Rockingham, Mar 29, 1859, Winston.

Webb, Mrs. Lucie of Greene Co., AL to George W. Brooks of Raleigh, July 20, 1859, Greensborough, AL.


Webb, Sallie Olivia to Capt. John J. Poisson, Jan 17, 1866, Rockingham Co.


Webb, W. C. of Richmond Co. to Caroline Yates of Anson Co., June 8,1869.


Ruffin, Rebecca E. to James Webb, Jr., May 19, 1873, St. Matthews Church.

Miller, Margaret S. of Raleigh to Dr. Robert T. Webb of Franklin and Granville Co., July 1875, Yorkville, SC.

Webb, B. D. of Scotland Neck to Maria C. Allen, Raleigh, Feb 23, 1876.

Webb, Hester of Shelby to W. H. Ellis of Lumberton, Feb 22, 1877.

Webb, James L. to Kansas Andrews, Feb 27, 1878, Shelby, Cleveland Co.
Webb, Joseph C. to Alice Hill, Jan 11, 1877, Hillsboro.


Webb, Dr. James to Anne Huske, Feb 12, 1807, Hillsborough.

Streets, Hannah to Samuel Webb, Jan 22, 1811 Duplin Co.

Dr. B. L. Cole to Margaret Webb, July, 1846, Granville Co., in Raleigh Reg., July 17, 1846.

Webb, Moses W. to Agnes P. Rea, April, 1849, Edenton, in Raleigh Reg. May 2, 1849.

Webb, Robert F. of Baltimore to Amanda F. Mangum, Jan. 9, 1849, Orange Co.


Norwood, Robina to Thomas Webb, Nov 17, 1854, Hillsboro.

Death Notices


John Webb, Apr. 27, 1837, Bertie Co.


Mrs. Creecy Webb, Apr. 29, 1842, Franklin.


Eliza Pluhier Webb, Mar 25, 1877, Hillsboro, [infant].

John Webb, Apr 20, 1877, Merry Hill, Bertie Co.

Richard Webb, Oct. 6, 1881, Weldon.


Martha Webb, Oct 19, 1822, Raleigh.

Mrs. James Webb, June 23, 1852 Hillsboro.

Margaret Webb, June 8, 1854 Windsor.

Dr. James Webb, Feb 24, 1855, Hillsboro.

Pennsylvania

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Oxford, PA


[Source: The ancestors of Eleanor Bedford Wilkins Cooch and Edward Webb Cooch, Eleanor Bedford Wilkins Cooch, 1962]

Virginia

Princess Anne Co. VA

Pg 6 – Princess Anne Co. VA

"3 Feb 1697/8
Robt. Richmond suing Henry Woodhouse ex. of Thos. Webb for payment of 402 lbs. of beef by bal. of acct. and deft. pleading act of limitations Suit is dismissed.

ibed, p. 149

Capt. Francis Morse as Assignee of Robert Richmond suing Henry Woodhouse, ex. of T. Webb for 937li tobacco and 200li pork, dimisit, statute of limitations.

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[Source: Richmond Family Records, Henry I. Richmond, 1933]
Rappahannock Co. VA

“….William Williamson, son of James and Ann Underwood Williamson, had a grant of 200 acres of land in Rappahannock County, March 18, 1663, and Feb. 27, 1667, “William Williamson of the county of Rappa Planter” leased it to John Webb, who was to build a house, plant and orchard, etc. In March 1673, he is spoken of as dead….”


Marriages of Some VA Residents, 1607-1800
Dorothy F. Wulfeck, 1986


Patsy Smith m. Wm Webb Jr.

Daniel Walton m. 7 Sept., 1793, Sally Webb daughter of Micajar, who gave consent. Greensville Co. Marriage Bond.

Thomas Hobson Sr. b. ca 1636 [given in deposition, 1671, when 35 years old]; d. 1691; res. Northumberland Co., m. bef. 1660, Sarah Webb, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth [Wildy]

Rosanna Mays m. Stephen Webb

___Watkins m. by 1783, Martha Webb, dau. of Wm [proved 1783, Orange Co.]

___Thorp m. bef. 1758 Elizabeth [ ] Webb, widow of Moses. Proven by deed 1758, Lancaster Co.


Martin Webb, Patrick Co. VA

Deed of trust dated June 2, 1851 between Martin Webb and John Carroll, Trustee. To indemnify James H. Hounchell and James Early, securities for Martin Webb with the Branch Bank at Wytheville of the Farmers Bank of Virginia in the sum of $300.00 doth grant land conveyed to Webb by James Wauhop on Lovings Creek and on both sides of Ward’s Gap Road near the top of the mountain; and 2 sorrell mares, one 10 years old and one 5 years old; 8 cattle; 40 hogs; 8 sheep and all household and kitchen furniture, all crops and farming utensils. Martin [X] Webb, Jno C. Carroll. Teste: John Cock, Sr., W. C. Clement, Henry Lane, John D. Cheatham.

This day I will deliver to Sebeire [Seaborn?] Webb a parcel of land that John B. Williams bought of James M. Redd, bounded by Hudson Shelton and James Murphy and that I am bound to make the right as soon as I get in the bond that I gave to James M. Redd for said land. January 1, 1838. J. B. Williams. Witness: George W. Adkin, R. M. Zeigler.

Virginia Genealogies: A Genealogy of the Glassell family of Scotland and Virginia.
Horace Edwin Hayden, 1885

Lucy Ware [James, James] b. Fred’k county, VA., Nov 12, 1773; m. Dec 23, 1790, Capt Isaac Webb, Jr. of Fayette county, Ky., b. Jan 19, 1758, son of Isaac and Frances [Barber] Webb, of Farnham Parish, Rich’d county, Va. Isaac Sr. was b. Eng. 1710; came to Va. and m. Frances, dau. of Capt Wm. Barber, b. 1720. They had 12 children, of whom Isaac, Jr. was the youngest. He enlisted in the Revolutionary Army at the age of 17, served to its close, attained the rank of Captain, and received land from Va. “Lieut. Isaac Webb, of the Continental line, received, Jan 13, 1784, 26662/3 acres for three years’ service;” also an annual pension of $320.00 from May 31, 1833, until his death. He resigned Feb 24, 1780, after Gates’ defeat, having served 3 years and more. Gen. Clinton, by proclamation, offered to reinstate any resigned officer who would repair to headquarters and report. Liet. Webb at once returned and was made Captain. He marches to the South with 120 men, and never resigned afterwards. [Thos. Green of D. C.]

Children [Webb], b. Fayette county, Ky.:
1. Catherine, b. Sep 16, 1791; d. __, 1820

2. James, b. Mar 17, 1795; d. cholera, 1833; m. Willow Branch, near Chillicothe, O., April 18, 1826, Maria Cook, d. 1866. He studied medicine in Lexington, Ky., and practiced in Chillicothe, O.; d. Lexington, Ky.


4. Lucy, b. Feb 16, 1799; m. Dr. Jno M. Scott

5. Cuthbert, b. June 20, 1801.


Robert, Pilot, rec’d 2,6662/3 a. for 3 years’ service.
John, Lieut. Col., rec’d 6,000 a., Feb 8, 1783, for 5 years’ service from Feb 5, 1776, to Feb, 1781.

Lewis, Captain, b. VA. 1745, rec’d from April 1, 1829, and annual pension of $240. Residence, Washington county, Ky.

Alex. Brown, Esq., sends me the following:

Cuthbert, Jacob, James, Thomas, John and Julius Webb were in Amherst county and in the Revolutionary service from 1761 to 1776. Theodderick Webb was from Old Amherst. James and John were in Albemarle county previous to 1761; and Meredith, Wentworth and William were in that county 1761.

The following data I have found in the records of old Va. parishes &c.:

Webb, James, m. Dec 19, 1680-1, Frances Herbert
Webb James, buried April 7, 1686
Webb Frances, m. July 24, 1687, Nicholas Fowle.
Webb William, d. Nov, 28, 1720

Brick Ch., St. Peter’s Par., N. K. County
Capt. John Webb had-
1. James, b. June 25, 1690; B. Oct 19, 1690
2. John, B. April 20, 1694
5. Wentworth, b. May 5, 1702; B. May 31, 1702

Webb, John, m. Feb 1712, Mary Martin
Webb, Isaac, m. Nov 30, 1720, Winifred Hipkins
Webb, Ann, m. April 20, 1711, Thomas Godin

New Kent Co. Par. Reg.
Webb, George and Ann, had
  3. Bernard, b. May 18, 1758; B. June 14, 1758; son of Geo. Webb, dec’d.

Webb, Wm and James [Jane] had Samuel, b. Mar. 6, 1736; B. March 9, 1736.

Henrico Co. VA., Court Records
John Webb of Varinia Par.; deeded 150 a. to Richard Cox, of same county, Sep 28, 1689 [Bk. 1689, p. 86]
John Webb, do., will dat. July 6, 1723, pro. Jun 6, 1726, names wife, grandson Wm Webb, and makes son John W. his Ex’r.
John Webb, do., will dat. April 27, 1736, pro. Jly 1, 1736 [p.555] divides his land between his sons John and James, names his sons Giles, Theodrick, Henry, Jacob and Cudbud [Cuthbert], son John W., Ex’r.
Wm Webb do, 1737, p. 673.

**Virginia Wills and Abstracts**
William Everett Brockman, 1948

“Samuel Brockman married Mary, and their children were:
Samuel, m. Rebecca. d. not later than 1790.
William, m. Betty, Elizabeth Smith, dau. Thos. Smith and wife, Elizabeth Reynolds.
John, m. Mary Collings. d. 1756.
Mary, m. John Singleton
One daughter, Mary, m. John Crittenden Webb, 1754
Elizabeth m. Anthony Street
Sarah, m. John Henderson.
Rachel m. John Rogers.”

“John Haley is shown as a legatee in the division of property, 1776, upon death of the widow. Samuel’s [Brockman] will provided that the residue of the estate should be divided among “children surviving, and children of those sons or daughters deceased.” John Webb, a son-in-law of Mary Singleton, and Samuel Jr., son of John [deceased] received a share each. Just who John Haley, another legatee, was has not been determined. As a son of a deceased daughter he would be entitled to share. He could have been the second husband of a Mary Singleton. James Haley and wife Susannah deeded 126 acres to Samuel Brockman, Jr., on July 27, 1749. In 1751 James Haley and wife Belhiah executed a deed to Vivian Daniel indicating Susannah was then deceased.”

“Augustine Carter, born Oct. 22, 1741, made his will Oct. 21, 1811. He mentions brother James Carter, and left his property to be divided equally between “Mr. Charles Webb for his kindness to me this present year, and to the poorest man in Lancaster county….”

“The Will of John Graves of the parrish of St. George and County of Spotsylvania was witnessed by: Joseph Holladay, Benj. A. Holladay, Beery Lewis, and William Webb, 1747.”


**Misc. Virginia Marriages**

**Albemarle Co.**
John Webb m. unknown, between 1750-53.

**Bedford Co.**
Lucy Webb m. Thomas Dooley.

**Botetourt Co.**
Millie Webb m. Oliver Walker.
Sarah Webb m. William McClanahan.

**Campbell Co.**
George Webb m. Lucy Gauldin, Nov 3, 1789.
Susannah Webb m. Thomas Whitlock.

**Caroline Co.**
Christ Church Parish
Isaac Webb m. Winifred Hipkins, Nov 14, 1710. 
James Webb m. Frances Herbert, Dec 19, 1680.

Essex Co.
Anne Webb m. William Boulware.
Edward Webb m. Hannah Waller c1726/27
Francis Webb m. Frances Walker, 1786.
Henry Webb m. Susan Gordon, Tappahannock.
Isaac Webb m. Mary Webster, March 25, 1705.
James Webb m. Sarah Pickett Fullerton, bef. Jan 13, 1714/15.
James Webb m. Dorothy Throckmorton, c1790.
James Webb m. Mary Edmondson, bef. Feb 5, 1732/23
James Webb Jr. m. Mary Smith, 1757.
John Webb m. Anne Smith, Jan 1, 1694/95.
John Webb m. Amy Booker, 1772.
Judith Webb m. John Dyke.
Mary Webb m. Charles Breadlove.
Mary Webb m. Samuel Smith.
William Webb m. Frances Young, May 1, 1771.

Frederick Co. VA
Mary Webb m. Albion Throckmorton.

Goochland Co.
George Webb m. Mrs. Hannah Fleming, April 15, 1756.
George Webb Jr. m. Judith Fleming, 1785.
James Webb m. Agnes Hughes, March 1, 1770.
Marianne Webb m. Tho. Evans.
William Webb m. Mary Farmer, Nov 25, 1770.

Greensville Co.
Sally Webb m. Daniel Walton
Temperance Webb m. John Cato.

Hanover Co.
Foster Webb m. Sarah Shore, June 17, 1775.
Foster Webb Jr. m. Theodocia Cocke, Sept 22, 1785.

Hardy Co.
James Webb m. Hester Robinson

Harrison Co.
Susannah Webb m. Israel Patton.
Mary Webb m. John Patton.

Henrico Co.
Giles Webb m. ____Randolph, widow of Capt. Henry Randolph, bef. Sept 2, 1695.
Isle of Wight Co.
Elizabeth Webb m. ____Wilkinson
James Webb m. Elizabeth Godwin b. 1675.
William Webb m. Mary Taberer bef. 1692.

Lancaster Co.
John Webb m. Hannah Riveer, bef 1775.
Winnie Webb m. Joseph Norris.

Middlesex Co.
Catherine Webb m. Richard Groom.
Frances Webb m. Nicholas Fowle.
Milly Webb m. Thomas Pierce.
Tilley Webb m. Beverley Deane.

Montgomery Co.
Nancy Webb m. Jacob Taylor.
Stephen Webb m. Rosanna Mays, 1785-91.

New Kent Co.
Conrad Webb of “Hampstead” m. 1st Lucy Osborne of Chesterfield Co.; m. 2nd Georgiana Braxton, gd/o “the Signer.”
George Webb Jr. m. Lucy Foster Jones, July 21, 1728; m. 2nd Anne Bickerton, June 4, 1752.
Capt. Lewis Webb m. Lucy R. Cary, Sept 29, 1787.
Lewis Webb m. Elizabeth, probably Bickerton.

Norfolk Co.
George Webb m. Catherine Veale, June 25, 1789.
James Webb Jr. m. Sarah____Shields, Nov 9, 1779.
Joice Webb m. James Ware.

Northampton Co.
Unknown Webb m. bef. 1741, Sarah____Floyd.
Charles Webb m. Sinah Sample, June 7, 1791, [Afric. Amer.]
Southy Webb m. Ann Miles, Oct 26, 1795.

Northumberland Co.
Giles Webb m. Elizabeth Spann bef. Feb 1711/12.
Giles Webb m. Elizabeth Shields, 1762.
Mary Webb m. 1st [John] Hudnall, m. 2nd Edward Saunders.
Sarah Webb m. 1st Thomas Hobson, m. 2nd William Dickinson
Unknown Webb m. bef. 1714, Elizabeth____Wornum.

Orange Co.
Anne Webb m. Elijah Perry
Augustine Webb, m. Lucy, April 10, 1788.
Frances Webb m. Reuben Sanford.
Hannah Webb m. Peter Lantor.
Jesse Webb m. Judah Jones, 1789.
Jesse Bennett Webb m. Sarah Mason, Jan 25, 1790.
John Webb Jr. m. Mildred Lantor, 1790.
John Crittenden Webb m. Mary Singleton by 1754.
John Crittenden Webb m. Mary Coke.
John Vivion Webb m. Lucy Woodward, June 28, 1790.
Polly Webb m. Jacob Lanter.
Susannah Webb m. William Humphries
Vivian Webb m. ____ unknown 1790.
William Webb m. Margaret Atkins, 1798.
William Webb m. Sarah Leathers, 1785.
William Webb m. Patsy Smith, 1797.
William Crittenden Webb m. Jane Vivion Feb 23, 1762; m. 2nd Jane Buckner, July 8, 1783; m. 3rd Fannie Smith Wortham, July 1789.

Richmond Co.
Catherine Webb m. Samuel Peachey
Isaac Webb m. Lucy Ware.
Isaac Webb m. Frances Barber, bef. 1758.
John Webb m. Mary Sanford, bef. 1673.

Rockingham Co.
Benjamin Webb m. Sarah Hamilton, Aug 2, 1796.
Jesse Webb m. Nancy Boyles, Dec 31, 1798.

Spotsylvania Co.
George Webb m. Lucy Hinkston, Oct 19, 1735.
Martha Webb m. ____Watkins

St. Peter's Parish
John Webb m. Mary Martin, Feb 12, 1712.

Sussex Co.
Sara Webb m. Francis Ward

Unknown Co.
Catherine Webb m. James Smith.
Constance Webb m. Thomas Edmundson.
Elizabeth Webb m. James Edmondson.
Elizabeth Webb m. John Goodwin.
[Elizabeth Webb] m. Matthew Harrison.
Elizabeth Webb m. Samuel Peachey.
Lucy Webb m. Francis Dandridge.
Lucy Webb m. Joseph Calvert.
Mitchum B. Webb m. Susan Holmes.
Patience Webb m. ____Milner.
Unknown Webb m. William Peircifull Sr.

[Source: Marriages of Some VA Residents, Dorothy Ford Wulfeck, 1986]
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I welcome any suggestions or requests for future issues!

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