

Ragsdale of Cobb & Paulding Counties

1820 Walton

Elijah Ragsdale was born 1779 in Virginia, died 1858 in Paulding County, His LWT dated 16 May 1838, probated 7 June 1858, Paulding County. He served in the War of 1812, coming from Virginia to South Carolina, then to Franklin County and later Newton County, Georgia. He named his wife, Mary (born 1779 Virginia) "with whom I have liv

for 59 years," Lot in Town of Dallas, Paulding Co., in Block C, No. 15, 40 x 80, personal property. Exrs: Wife, Mary Kennedy, and son, Sanders W. Ragsdale. Wits: John Denson, Duncan Bohanon, John H. Williams, Jeremiah Wisem. He married in 1799 in Abbeville District, South Carolina, Mary Kennedy, the daughter of Edmund Kennedy and his wife, Jean. He was a resident of Cobb County in 1850. Issue:

I. Sanders W. Ragsdale (listed as Samuel W. on the 1850 Cobb County Census), was born 9 February 1809 in Franklin County, Georgia, died on 6 September 1896 in Paulding. He married Sarah Haygood (born 1804 Georgia, died after 1880), the daughter of John and Polly (Moss) Haygood. Issue:

- A. Martha Ragsdale, born 1832 Georgia.
- B. John F. Ragsdale, born 1834 Georgia, lived at Dallas, in Paulding County. He was born on 15 February 1834 in Newton County. He married (1) on 17 February 1858 Lucinda, the daughter of Daniel and Narcissus White who died on 26 July 1882. Afterwards, he married, (2) Mrs. Fanny (nee Jones) Biggers. By Lucinda he had 6 children, viz:
 - 1. Daniel A. Ragsdale.
 - 2. William F. Ragsdale.
 - 3. Charles F. Ragsdale
- C. William A. Ragsdale, born 1835 in DeKalb County, Georgia. He was a Captain in the Confederate Army. He married in 1860, Mary C., the daughter of Robin and Julia (Gann) Gann, and by her had 5 children, viz:
 - 4. George T. Ragsdale of Arkansas.
 - 5. Robert E. L. Ragsdale.
 - 6. Leonora Ragsdale.
 - 7. Alice Ragsdale married Mr. Harris.
 - 8. John A. G. Ragsdale.
- D. Elizabeth Ragsdale, born 1838 Georgia.
- E. Ann Ragsdale, born 1839 Georgia. (could be Mary Ann)
- F. Sanders Ragsdale, born 1841 Georgia.
- G. Elijah Ragsdale, born 1843 Georgia married S. E. Allen on 10 August 1873.
- H. James H. Ragsdale, born 1846 Georgia.
- I. Jane Ragsdale, born 1850 Paulding County.
- J. Thomas Ragsdale, born 1853 Paulding County married Sally Hurt on 20 December 1877.
- K. Isaac Ragsdale, born 1859 Paulding County.

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