

Wm. Whiteside's N. C. co., against Tories; Davis Wheelchel lived on Broad River in 96 District, S. C., for some years before Revolutionary War; had several brothers, including William Wheelchel who lived on Broad River S. C., in 1787; Davis Wheelchel married in 96 Dist., S. C. Nancy Barnes, 28 March 1771 (in another place date given as 28 March 1776); she was born 21 January 1762; Daniel Wheelchel died in September 1833 in Hamilton or Madison County, Indiana.

Nancy Wheelchel moved to Cedar Co., Missouri, and resided there in May 1845. About 1 October 1846 she was taken sick at the home of her son-in-law, David Torrence, in Bates Co., Missouri; then taken to the home of her daughter Keziah Wheelchel in the same county where she died 26 October 1846 (in another instance given as 6 October 1846). Keziah's husband William Wheelchel was her first cousin and was both nephew and son-in-law of Nancy Wheelchel.

Davis Wheelchel and his wife Nancy had 11th children.

Eda Torrence next youngest stated 29 May 1845 in Cedar Co., Mo., she was in 41st year.

Davis Torrence deposed he was acquainted with Nancy Wheelchel for 22 yrs. and had lived with them a considerable time before her husband's death. Daughter Kezia Wheelchel married first cousin William Wheelchel; after mother's death lived near Fayette, Ark., and January 1854 moved to McDonald Co., Mo. Their two children Eda and Keziah are the only children designated.

William Wheelchel, nephew of Davis and Nancy Wheelchel, was born Broad River, 96 Dist., S. C. and lived there with his father William Wheelchel. In March 1844, nephew stated he was in 57th yr., and resided with his uncle Davis Wheelchel on White River in Indiana at the time of

his death. Nephew William stated his own father William Wheelchel told him that 3 of his brothers married in the family of one Davis, and his brother Davis Wheelchel married a Barnes. This nephew did not state the name of his own mother. This nephew's own son William Wheelchel, Jr., stated in 1854 that he attended the burial of his grandmother Nancy Wheelchel.

William Whiteside of North Carolina was a cousin of Davis Wheelchel and Davis served in this cousin's company during the Revolutionary War.

Nancy Wheelchel, widow of Davis Wheelchel, referred to her uncle Charles Barnes, who lived in S. C. and was attacked by Indians during the Revolution.

Notes: The above taken from a letter written by the Pension Bureau to Mr. W. C. Randal, 3602 Myrtle Ave., Long Beach, California, 31 October 1939.

Additional information:

Nancy Wheelchel, Cedar County, Mo. 29 May 1845, deposed she and Davis Wheelchel were married 28 March 1771, by John Auckles in 96 Dist., S. C. (her maiden name was Barnes); husband died 4 September 1833, in Madison County, Ind.

In February 1852, Kesiah Wheelchel was the only surviving heir of Davis and Nancy Wheelchel.

William Wheelchel, son of William Wheelchel, deposed from Bates Co., Missouri, in 1843 that his uncle Davis Wheelchel, died 10 years ago, in White River, Hamilton County, Indiana.

One Charles English, Pleasant Twp., Bates County, Mo., referred to Nancy Wheelchel as Wilkey.

The claim was not allowed because proof of 6 months service was not established.

A note in this file states that complete history is included in the application of John Wheelchel, Abigail, W6498, S. C. service, Ga. agcy., Revolutionary War.

¹ According to the incomplete abstract in the June 1937 Quarterly, they had 12 children.—Editor.