

## CHANEY

Also sp. Cheney, Chanay.

Benjamin Burgess Chaney removed from Edgefield Co., S. C. to Wilkes Co., Ga., his est. admd by son-in-law, Henry Cox, 11/3/1782. Part of his estate was appraised in S. C. by Thomas Hagan, James and John Harris, 1/29/1783. Greene Co. Ga. DB B82, P. 45, 9/20/1781, Benjamin B. Chaney to dau., Nancy, w. of Henry Karr, for love and affection. It appears that Henry Karr was admr of above estate, and a transcription error made of Henry Cox. Henry Karr was also admr of est. of Greenberry Chaney, decd, 12/4/1782, Wilkes Co., Ga.

John Cheney, Sr. of Greene Co., Ga. appears to be a son of Benjamin Burgess Chaney, his LWT headed "Georgia, Wilkes County", dtd 10/30/1837, pvd 11/2/1838 Greene Co. Ga., WB 1817-42, P. 224-6, naming all issue. Issue as follows:

- I. Aquilla Cheney, listed 1820 Morgan Census, 1830-1850 Morgan Census.
- II. Thomas B. Cheney m. Lucy Middlebrooks, removed to Morgan Co. in 1809. Issue: Franklin W. Cheney, b. 10/29/1808 Oglethorpe Co., Ga., teacher, minister, m. 1st 1/27/1831 Wilkes Co., Ga., Martha Anne Faver of Wilkes Co. and had six children; m. 2d Louisa West of Monroe Co. 4/1851 and had six sons and three daus. Listed 1850 Greene Co. Census. Issue: Martha b. ca 1832 m. Stephen English 12/13/1849 Greene Co. Ga.; Milton, b. 1831; Sarah, b. 1833; Winston, b. 1837; William, b. 1840 and Mary, b. 1843 Greene Co. Ga. Carroll Co. Ga. DB F, P. 425, 10/30/1840, Franklin W. Cheney from Greene Co., Ga. buys from Isaac Hogg land in Lot 17, 6th dist. Carroll Co., 202 1/2 acres.
- III. Julia Cheney m. Mr. Scoggins.
- IV. Margaret Cheney m. James Chambers 9/30/1812 Wilkes Co., Ga.
- V. Drusilla Cheney m. Reuben Strozier.
- VI. Eliza E. Cheney m. Johnson Boswell 11/25/1830 Wilkes Co. Ga.
- VII. Harriet Cheney m. Mr. Formby.
- VIII. Malissa B. Cheney m. Mr. Johnson.
- IX. Rhoda Ann Cheney.

K. William O. Cheney, b. 1809 Oglethorpe Co. Ga. m. 11/4/1829 Elizabeth Calloway, Wilkes Co., Ga., dau. of Catharine Calloway, b. 1782, living with this family 1850 Greene Co. Ga. Elizabeth, b. 1812 Ga. His LWT dtd 3/28/1871 Greene Co. Ga., Bk G, P. 383-6, naming wife, Elizabeth; youngest son, Patrick M., and heirs: Enoch R., John F., Robert S., Dr. William O., and William H. McWhorter, John S. Weatherby, Stephen English, and H. E. McLaughlin. Issue as follows:

1. Enoch R. Cheney, b. 1831 Greene Co. Ga. m. Sarah H. English, 10/5/1832 Greene Co. Ga.
2. Almarine Cheney, b. 1835 Greene Co. Ga. m. Owen A. McLaughlin 12/25/1851 Greene Co. Ga.
3. William O. Cheney, physician, b. 1837 Greene Co. Ga., m. Mary F. English 4/7/1857 Greene Co. Ga.
4. John F. Cheney, b. 1839 Greene Co. Ga. m. Martha E. Wilson 1/8/1857 Greene Co. Ga.
5. Mary E. Cheney, b. 1841 Greene Co. Ga. m. William H. McWhorter, 11/14/1865 Greene Co. Ga.
6. Rhoda Cheney, b. 1843 Greene Co. Ga.
7. Reuben Cheney, b. 1845 Greene Co. Ga.
8. Howell Cheney, b. 1848 Greene Co. Ga.
9. Patrick M. Cheney.
10. Robert S. Cheney.

XI. John Cheney, Jr., b. ca 1785 m. Lucy, dau. of Uriah and Sarah Owen of Wilkes Co. Ga. Lucy was b. 1788 S. C. and listed on 1850 Morgan Co. Ga. Census. The LWT of Uriah Owen dtd 8/23/1820 Wilkes Co., Ga. names dau., Lucy Chary. "Pd John Chaney for his wife...." John Cheney, Jr. was decd by 1850. Issue as follows:

1. John J. Cheney, b. 1830 m. Sabrina G. Shaw 11/22/1860 Morgan Co.
2. Cheney Cheney, b. 1834 Ga.
3. Isaac N. Cheney, b. 12/11/1827 Ga., physician, d. after 1913 in Haralson Co., Ga. His Civil War pension states he was in 74th Regt., Ga. Militia, application dtd Bremen, Ga. 9/24/1913. He left Morgan Co., removing to Carroll Co. where he purchased from Felix Walker, Lot 107, 6th dist., 13 acres, 4/29/1859, DB I, P. 642. He was still in Carroll Co. in 1875 when he sold some land in 10th dist. to Thos. Chandler. Listed 1870 Carroll Co. Census. Issue as follows:

- a. Lucy, b. 1860 Carroll Co. Ga.
- b. Isaac, b. 1862 Carroll Co. Ga.
- c. Mary, b. 1864 Carroll Co. Ga.
- d. Martha Almira, b. 12/12/1866 Carroll Co., Ga., d. Eupora, Miss., m. 12/24/1882 Carroll Co., William Dennis Evans (2/3/1857-2/25/1940) He d. Greenwood, Miss.
- e. Maud, b. 1868 Carroll Co. Ga.
- f. Victoria, b. 1870 Carroll Co. Ga.
4. Jackson Cheney, merchant, b. 1818 Ga. m. Lucy Swift 12/12/1850 Morgan Co. Ga.

5. Linton Cheney, b. 1815 Ga. m. Elizabeth McCoy, b. 1823 Ga., listed 1850 Morgan Co. Census. Issue: George, b. 1843; Frances, b. 1845; John, b. 1849 Morgan Co. Ga.

6. Lunford A. Cheney, b. 1817 Ga. m. Elizabeth Ann W. McCoy, b. 1827 Ga., 12/1/1843 Morgan Co. Ga.

7. Richard Cheney, b. 1824 Ga. m. Sarah, b. 1828 Ga. Issue: Eleanor, b. 1845; Elizabeth, b. 1847; Rebecca, b. 1850 Morgan Co. Ga.

8. William Cheney, b. 1831 Ga., farmer, listed 1870 Carroll Co. Census. Wife, Eliza, b. 1830. Issue: Mary, b. 1851; John, b. 1853; Susan

ca. 1856; Thomas, b. 1858; Martha, b. 1860; Van Buren, b. 1864; Dolly, ca. 1867; and Lee, b. 1868 Carroll Co., Ga.

James Chaney, Sr. of Montgomery Co., Ga., was listed 1830-1850 Census in county. His LWT dtd 5/16/1855, pvd Oct Term 1855 Montgomery Co.

Issue:

- I. Richard Chaney, listed 1850 Montgomery Co. Ga. Census.
- II. James W. Chaney m. Sarah Brinson, Tattnall Co. Ga. ca 1832.
- III. William W. Chaney.
- IV. Charles C. Chaney, [www.georgiapioneers.com](http://www.georgiapioneers.com)
  - .. Sarah Chaney m. Jesse Vaughn.
  - .I. Martha Chaney m. John H. Vaughn.
  - .II. Mary Chaney m. William Browning 9/22/1831 Montgomery Co. Ga.
  - .III. Emeline Mariah Chaney m. George Browning 5/15/1832 Montgomery Co. Ga.

The Southern Recorder, 12/22/1831: "On 1st inst., Mr. James Chaney married Mrs. Sarah Brinson, widow of Col. Brinson of Tattnall County."

John Chaney drew in 1805 Ga. Land Lottery from Wilkes Co., Ga.

## **New Additions by Jeannette Holland Austin**

Aquilla Chaney was born ca 1784, probably in Wilkes County, Georgia. He was married to Elizabeth Ann Middlebrooks.

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They had a son, Aquilla Middlebrooks Chaney, born 8/3/1822 in Morgan County who married Amanda E. Massey on 12/31/1857 in Morgan County.