

HEARD

There were three bros. from Franklin Co., Va. who removed to Wilkes Co., Ga., namely, Charles, John and Jesse. Charles and John both named in their Wills nephew, Jesse Heard, s. of Jesse.

Charles Heard made his LWT 8/25/1792, pvd 12/5/1797 Wilkes Co., Ga., naming w., Margaret and issue:

- I. Ann Heard m. Mr. Owens.
 - II. Joseph Heard m. Fanny Tole 10/12/1819 Wilkes Co., Ga.
 - III. George Heard, decd at father's Will. Inv. of his est. dtd 9/29/1791 Wilkes Co., Returns of John Ramey, gdn of Elizabeth and Ann Heard (Ann m. John Ramey). Receipt of John Ramey, gdn of Mary, Elizabeth, Ann and George; receipt of William Heard, "for my pt of my father's est."
- Issue of George Heard:
1. Samuel Heard.
 2. Ann Heard m. John Ramey.
 3. Elizabeth Heard.
 4. Mary Heard.
 5. William Heard.
 6. George Heard, Jr. m. Sally Bostwick 2/6/1796 Oglethorpe Co., Ga. Southern Christian Advocate, 10/30/1840: "Mrs. George W. Heard was b. Elbert Co. and died in her native county, Sept. 12th, in her 48th year... she left six living children... She survived her husband some two years."
- IV. John Heard. Georgia Messenger 1/24/1829: "On 6th inst., Major. Gen. John A. Heard of Elbert Co., died, aged 65...."
- V. Richard Heard.
- VI. William Heard.

John Heard m. Bridget and d. abt 1803 Wilkes Co., with admsrs, John, Jr. and Ephraim Heard. 8/22/1775 Columbia Co., John Heard of Wilkes Co. to Edward Telfair, 300 acres Richmond Co., nw by Little River, orig. gtd him 12/6/1774. His gr-daus were Jane Austin and Sarah Geaconinny.

Issue:

- I. Stephen Heard.
- II. Bridget Heard m. Joseph Staten.
- III. John Heard, Jr.

John Heard of Greene Co., Ga. appts George Heard of Oglethorpe Co., Ga. as atty in Va., esp. to sell lands in Franklin Co., Va. on Blackwater River.

Jesse Heard, Planter, made his LWT 12/30/1801, pvd 3/7/1803 Wilkes Co., Ga., naming issue:

- I. Lucy Heard.
- II. Salley Heard.
- III. Judith Heard.
- IV. Jesse Heard.
- V. Polly Heard m. Joseph Griffin 9/15/1806 Wilkes Co., Ga.
- VI. Betsy Heard m. Owen Griffin 9/10/1820 Wilkes Co., Ga.

VI. Sukey or Susannah Heard.

VII. Stephen Heard who lived Wilkes, Jackson and Greene Cos., Ga. Greene Co. deed 12/28/1784, 287 1/2 acres, Washington Co., Rocky Cr., gtd Stephen Heard which he sold later to James Daniel. Greene Co. Deed 8/21/1798, Stephen Heard of Jackson Co. to William Ragsdale 160 acres in Oglethorpe Co., Sherrill's Creek. Stephen petitioned to practice law in Ga., Wilkes Co., 10/28/1797. A sale was had of his est. in Wilkes Co., 12/2/1810, with John Heard, admr. Issue follows:

1. Stephen G. Heard, his LWT pvd 7/10/1826 Butts Co., Ga., naming "Former wife, Sarah." Eleanor Heard, extrx. In 1827 money was pd to Spencer Heard; Hugh Heard; Charles Heard, with Notes of George W. Heard, Hugh and John Barton. Butts Co. deed 1/14/1828, William Gilmore to Thomas Hampton, exrs. of Stephen Heard and Lewis Smith, 125 acres, in 5th dist., Butts Co. Issue follows:

- a. Lovina Heard m. Thomas Hampton.
- b. Caroline Heard.
- c. Sarah Heard m. Mr. Wimpy, having issue, Elizabeth & Olive.
- d. Spencer Heard.
- e. Hugh H. Heard m. Jane Gilmore 12/23/1827 Butts Co., Ga.
- f. Charles Heard.
- g. George W. Heard m. Caroline Heard 12/18/1831 Butts Co. Ga.

Barnard Heard was gtd land in Greene Co., Ga. 8/17/1786, 575 acres on Rocky Fork, Shoulderbone Cr., Washington Co. His est. was admd. Wilkes Co., Ga. 5/21/1791, with John Heard, Jr., admr. Nancy Heard and Joseph Staten, temp. adms. 8/22/1801 Wilkes Co.