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DANIEL FAMILY COLLECTION, 1750-2005

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Daniel Family Collection 1750-2005 Bedford, Franklin and Moore Counties, TN

The Daniel Family Collection was compiled by Evelyn Daniel VanMeter. It includes original materials related to the Joseph (Job), Robert Calaway, Andrew Jackson, and Finis Daniel families. Mrs. VanMeter also compiled, researched, and answered correspondence related to numerous allied families. They include the Bennett, Bomar, Chrisco, Daniels, Evans, Kimsey, Long, Motlow, and Shofner families.

The Job Daniel family settled in Franklin County in 1808. The Robert C. Daniel family settled Daniel Hollow, near the "headwaters" of Flat Creek and Thompson Creek in Bedford County in 1810, which became part of Moore County in 1872.

Mrs. VanMeter collected a series of issues of the *Moore County Historical and Genealogical Society Newsletter* and they are included in this collection.

Also included in the collection is a series of letters of the Motlow family of Moore County. The Felix, Lem, and Reagor Motlow family descended from the Job Daniel family line. They also were the owners and operators of the Jack Daniel Distillery after Jack Daniel passed away in 1911. Also duplicated separately are many historic photographs of Lynchburg. and surrounding area. The Motlow families' materials were collected and loaned by Mike Northcutt, Mrs. VanMeter's son-in-law.

Loaned for microfilming August, 2009.

Daniel Family Collection Container Listing

Box 1

Folder

- 1. Daniel, Joseph (Job) and Robert Calaway descendants -- Research and articles with corrections
- 2. Daniel family Bible pages -- Robert C. Daniel, 1791- (original documents)
- 3. Moore County records -- Daniel, A.J. and Finis deeds and estate settlements, 1884-1978 (original documents)
- 4. Daniel, A.J. -- Justice of the Peace bond, 1908 (original document)
- 5. Moore County newspaper articles, August 8, 1946
- Daniels research -- Solomon K. Daniel; Evelyn VanMeter-Joan Daniels correspondence
- 7. Daniel family charts; Evelyn VanMeter-Joan Daniels correspondence, cont'd
- 8. Daniel-Hanks research
- 9. Daniel, Hiram -- Research from and for Jerry Murphy
- Daniel, Chrisco, Bennett, Bates families -- Research from and for Jill
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- 11. Bennett, Gunn, & Daniel families research
- 12. Daniel, Thomas, Jefferson B. -- Research from and for Marie Hale
- 13. Daniel-Travis research
- 14. Daniel, William Short -- Research from Shirley Grey Moore
- 15. Daniel and Zell immigration research
- 16. Daniel -- Miscellaneous notes, part 1

- 17. Daniel -- Miscellaneous notes, part 2
- 18. Kimsey family research and correspondence
- 19. Kimzey/Kimsey newsletter -- miscellaneous issues, May 1997-May 2004
- 20. Bomar Cemetery research, Bedford County, Tennessee
- 21. North Carolina early records research related to Daniel, Bennett, Parker, and others
- 22. Early History of Bedford and Moore counties (Tenn.) research
- 23. Early History of Wilson and Warren counties (Tenn.) Revolutionary War soldiers research
- 24. Wartrace (Tenn.) research
- 25. Moore County Historical Society, Volume XXIII, Nos. 3 & 4, October 1996 and research related to Moore County Confederate soldiers
- 26. Moore County Review, 1990-1997, Volume 1 compiled -- Newsletter of Historical and Genealogical Society
- 27. Moore County Review, 1999, Vol. 10, No. 2 only
- 28. Moore County Review, 2001
- 29. Moore County Review, 2002
- 30. Moore County Review, 2003
- 31. Moore County Review, 2004, Vol. 15, No. 1 only
- 32. Moore County records -- Marriages, Guardianships, and Wills -- transcriptions, 1872-1961
- 33. Bedford County records -- R. B Skelton to H. Ray Bond, 1836 (original document)
- 34. Bedford County records -- Landis and Green, bill of sale for Negro man Campbell and Negro woman Adeline, Jan. 1836

- 35. Bedford County records -- Bill of sale for Negro boy Richardson, J.W. Swift to Flower Swift, 1849
- 36. Williamson County records -- Bill of sale to G.P. Green from John Eskind, a Negro woman "Censis," no date
- 37. Motlow, Felix -- Incoming correspondence, 1899
- 38. Motlow, Felix -- Incoming correspondence, 1904-1906 (Felix's family nickname was Feak)
- 39. Motlow, Felix -- Incoming correspondence, 1909
- 40. Motlow, Felix -- Business records, 1920
- 41. Motlow family -- Birth List
- 42. Motlow family -- Mulberry Training School reports, 1897 1899
- 43. Motlow, Lem to Parks, R.A. -- Copy of deed, 1922
- 44. Motlow, Reagor -- Incoming correspondence, 1940s
- 45. Motlow, Reagor -- Photos of "Club Plantation," Nashville, Tennessee
- 46. Motlow, Reagor -- Correspondence to Jeanne (Mrs. Reagor) Motlow, postcards, 1963
- 47. Motlow, Reagor -- Jack Daniel's Distillery report, 1960
- 48. Motlow, Reagor -- Jack Daniel's Distillery business cards, letterhead, and stationery
- 49. Motlow photographs -- Reagor Motlow, Mrs. Ophelia Motlow, and distillery

Box 2 (Oversize, 8 items):

State of Tennessee land grants (Bedford County) -- Robert C. Daniel (6 documents)

Deeds -- Moore County deed (1 document)

Plat drawing -- Moore County land (1 document)