

Chapter

"Our unit had three of the hardest days of fighting we had seen so far—yes sir, Chickamauga—just outside of Chattanooga, Tenn. they were tough ones. The seven shot Spencer repeating rifles turned us from ordinary soldiers into fighting machines. The enemy had never seen the likes of it. It sure was worth the money having been taken out of our pay—they kept us alive—to tell about it."

- vii. Elizabeth Rogers, born August 20, 1844 in Illinois; married Rufus G. Williams
- viii. Charlotte Rogers, born April 05, 1847 in Clay County Illinois; died May 28, 1878; married John Wesley Fender February 28, 1867 in Clay County Illinois.
- ix. Infant One Rogers, born Unknown; died Unknown.

Notes for Infant One Rogers:

- x. In the family cemetery there are three (3) graves marked infant no other information available
- x. Infant Three Rogers, born Unknown; died Unknown.
- xi. Infant Two Rogers, born Unknown; died Unknown.

6. Jason Winchester, born Abt. 1813 in N C; died Abt. February 1861 in Illinois. He married 7. Martha Mattie Mae Helm Abt. 1834 in N C.

7. Martha Mattie Mae Helm, born Abt. 1811 in N C; died December 03, 1863 in Clay County Illinois.

Notes for Jason Winchester:

Jason Winchester arrested and indicted January 1861 by Grand Jury for Grand Larceny source: Clay County Illinois Circuit Court Records (this compiler found and has copies) Theft of steer and other was to go before the Judge in May of 1861, he died before his court appearance. This compiler has no death date or place of burial at this time 5/22/00.

His estate was settled in March 5, 1861; source: probate records Clay County Illinois son Urior C. as executor

Daugherty researcher found the name "Chaseya" in connection with Jason Winchester on a son's death record information.

Notes for Martha Mattie Mae Helm:

Martha Helm born 1811 or 1812 as best we can determine

Children of Jason Winchester and Martha Helm are:

- 3 i. Polly Winchester, born 1834 in N C.
- ii. Rachael Emmiline Winchester, born March 25, 1835 in N C; died January 25, 1908 in Clay County Illinois; married (1) Joshua Wesley Rogers May 12, 1858 in Clay County Illinois; married (2) John W. Killingsworth August 21, 1879.
- iii. Pheobe Winchester, born 1837 in N C; died Bef. 1860; married James Parsons Aldridge August 18, 1855 in Illinois; born November 18, 1832.