

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

JOHN HAMILTON WORKS, JR.,
Petitioner,

v.

**METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT
OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON
COUNTY, TENNESSEE HISTORICAL
COMMISSION, and METRO
NASHVILLE HISTORICAL
COMMISSION**
Respondents.

Case No.

PETITION TO DISINTER, SAMPLE, AND REINTER HUMAN REMAINS

COMES NOW the Petitioner, John Hamilton Works, Jr., pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §46-4-101 et seq. and Tenn. Code Ann. §68-3-508, and for his Petition to Exhume and Reinter the Human Remains of John Randolph Jefferson, states as follows:

Introduction

Petitioner John H. Works, Jr. is a seventh-generation descendant of the nation's third President and Founding Father, Thomas Jefferson. In 1998, a Y-chromosome study conducted by Dr. Eugene Foster, among other researchers, found that male lineal descendants of Field Jefferson (Thomas Jefferson's paternal uncle) and male lineal descendants of Eston Hemings, the last son of Jefferson's enslaved person and rumored paramour, Sally Hemings, shared similar Y-chromosomal haplotypes. REPORT OF THE RESEARCH COMMITTEE ON THOMAS JEFFERSON AND SALLY HEMINGS, *Assessment of DNA Study*, Thomas Jefferson Foundation, January 2000. Last accessed October 13,

2025. <https://www.monticello.org/slavery/jefferson-slavery/thomas-jefferson-and-sally-hemings-a-brief-account/research-report-on-jefferson-and-hemings/ii-assessment-of-dna-study/>>. The report was published in the journal *Nature* on November 5, 1998, wherein researchers came to the hasty conclusion that Thomas Jefferson himself fathered certain children by Sally Hemings. “Jefferson fathered slave's last child.” Foster, E., Jobling, M., Taylor, P. et al. *Nature* 396, 27–28 (1998); <<https://doi.org/10.1038/23835>>.

In response to the sensational article, many scholars and commentators argued that the results of the study merely showed that any male in the paternal lineage of Jefferson could have fathered the children. Specifically, these commentators pointed to Randolph Jefferson, Thomas Jefferson’s younger brother, as the more likely father. Notably, the researchers responsible for the original study published a second article in *Nature* on January 7, 1999, in which they stated, “[i]t is true that men of Randolph Jefferson’s family could have fathered Sally Hemings’ later children. Space constraints prevented us from expanding on alternative interpretations of our DNA analysis... The title assigned to our study was misleading in that it represented only the simplest explanation of our molecular findings....” “Reply: The Thomas Jefferson paternity case.” Foster, E., Jobling, M., Taylor, P. et al. *Nature* 397, 32 (1999). <https://doi.org/10.1038/16181>.

Despite the admitted potential for alternative explanations, society at large has come to accept Thomas Jefferson’s paternity of the Hemings children as historical fact. The Thomas Jefferson Foundation itself has concluded that there is a “high probability that Thomas Jefferson fathered” Sally Hemings’ children. Report of the Research Committee on Thomas Jefferson and Sally Hemings, *Conclusions*, Thomas Jefferson Foundation, January 2000. Last accessed October 20, 2025. <<https://www.monticello.org/slavery/jefferson-slavery/thomas-jefferson-and-sally-hemings-a-brief-account/research-report-on-jefferson-and-hemings/conclusions/>>.

Over the past twenty-seven (27) years since the original study, DNA research has grown by leaps and bounds and today, researchers can determine facts about the lives of historical figures from DNA sources that were unthinkable in 1998, such as the most likely cause of death for Ludwig van Beethoven from single rootless strands of hair. “Genomic analyses of hair from Ludwig van Beethoven.” Begg, Tristan James Alexander et al. *Current Biology*, Volume 33, Issue 8, 1431 - 1447.e22 <[https://www.cell.com/current-biology/fulltext/S0960-9822\(23\)00181-1](https://www.cell.com/current-biology/fulltext/S0960-9822(23)00181-1)>.

Researchers have been unable to locate the final resting place of Randolph Jefferson to retrieve samples for DNA testing, but we do know that his son, John Randolph Jefferson, is buried in Nashville City Cemetery. Petitioner has spent years performing his own research into these debates and now and has secured the necessary connections and working relationships to effectuate new DNA testing with the Max Planck Institute in Leipzig, Germany, the very institute that conducted the recent study of Beethoven’s hair mentioned above. Petitioner now seeks this Court’s approval to partially disinter John Randolph Jefferson for the limited purpose of retrieving samples for DNA testing, followed by prompt backfilling of the grave. The process will not require complete exhumation of the body, only a careful dig to reach the remains, whereupon licensed professionals will retrieve workable samples. The instant Petition is the first step in a process that will provide much needed insight into the alternate theories of paternity for Sally Hemings children or, as it may turn out, further confirmation of Thomas Jefferson’s paternity. Either way, the search for the truth will be advanced by granting this Petition.

Parties, Jurisdiction, and Venue

1. Petitioner John Hamilton Works, Jr., is an adult citizen and resident of Washington, D.C., with a residence located at 555 Massachusetts Ave. NW, Unit 815, Washington, DC 20001-4722.

2. Petitioner is a seventh-generation lineal descendant of Thomas Jefferson and is a sixth-generation collateral relative of John Randolph Jefferson, Thomas Jefferson's nephew and the individual Petitioner seeks to exhume. *See Exhibit A, Affidavit of John Hamilton Works, Jr. and exhibits attached thereto.*
3. Respondent Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County is the owner of land known as Nashville City Cemetery, located at 1001 4th Avenue South, Nashville, TN 37210, where the grave and body in question are located.
4. Respondent Tennessee Historical Commission is a state board commissioned under Tenn. Code Ann. §4-11-102 and has been served with a copy of the instant Petition pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §46-4-103.
5. Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §46-4-103(b), necessary respondents in this proceeding are all "interested persons" ("Interested Persons"), which are defined in Tenn. Code Ann. §46-4-102 as the following:

As used in this chapter, unless context otherwise requires, "interested persons" means any and all persons who have any right or easement or other right in, or incident or appurtenant to, a burial ground as such, including the surviving spouse and children, or if no surviving spouse or children, the nearest relative or relatives by consanguinity of any one (1) or more deceased persons whose remains are buried in any burial ground.

6. After a diligent search, Petitioner has been unable to locate any living descendant of John Randolph Jefferson currently residing in Davidson County. *Exh. B, Affidavit of Debbie Spero and exhibits attached thereto.*
7. Therefore, any Interested Persons by means of consanguinity are currently unknown and believed to be nonexistent. Petitioner requests that the Court cause notice to be made to all unknown Interested Persons by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in

Davidson County, Tennessee, for four consecutive weeks. Tenn. Code Ann. § 46-4- 103(b) provides, in part, that: “Nonresident and unknown defendants may be proceeded against by order of publication, and publication, in the manner provided by law.” See also Tenn. Code Ann. § 21-1-204 (detailing service by publication in Tennessee).

8. The burial site at issue is located in Davidson County, Tennessee. Accordingly, jurisdiction and venue are proper in this Court pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §16-11-102(a), §16-11-114, and §46-4-103(a).

Facts

9. John Randolph Jefferson (“JRJ”) (born: March 8, 1816; died March 9, 1845) was buried in Nashville City Cemetery on March 9, 1845. Upon information and belief, JRJ died without siring any children.
10. According to maps provided by the Cemetery’s site manager and the Cemetery’s website, JRJ is buried in Section 18, Lot 12 of the Nashville City Cemetery, on a burial parcel originally owned by a T.W. Gillman. *Exhibit C, Lot Maps and Gravestone Page, NCCA Website.*
11. Upon information and belief, there are no known living descendants of JRJ. *Exh. B.*
12. Upon information and belief, there are no known Interested Persons besides the Respondents named in this Petition.
13. Petitioner seeks to partially disinter JRJ, retrieve biological samples for DNA testing, and reinter the remains in the same location.
14. The disinterment, sample retrieval, and reinterment will be conducted by Dr. Hugh B. “Matt” Matternes, PhD, RPA, the Senior Mortuary Archaeologist for New South Associates (“NSA”).

15. Petitioner respectfully submits with the instant Petition the curriculum vitae of the professionals who will conduct the excavation along with a detailed report from Dr. Matternes on the methodology NSA will employ in excavating the site, retrieving and storing the samples, and delivering them to the testing lab. *Exh. D, Affidavit of Hugh B. "Matt" Matternes, curricula vitae, and exhibits thereto.*
16. In truth, this will not be a full disinterment of the remains; rather, proper sample retrieval will only require NSA to dig down to the remains and retrieve samples from its resting place, followed by a backfill of the grave.
17. The DNA tests will be conducted by the Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology in Leipzig, Germany. *Exh. A, Works Aff., exhibit D thereto.*
18. NSA and the Institute are in communication to determine the best methods for delivery of the samples to the lab for testing. *Id.*
19. The only grave that adjoins JRJ's is that of his wife, Amanda Jefferson, and NSA does not anticipate that disinterment of JRJ will in any way disturb the interment of Ms. Jefferson. *Exh. D, Matternes Aff., exhibit A thereto.*
20. JRJ's grave is adjacent to a vehicle path within the cemetery. *Id.*
21. There are no known graves between the path and JRJ's resting place. *Id.*
22. There is no vegetative obstruction between the path and JRJ's resting place. *Id.*
23. NSA asserts that it will be able to access the burial site with minimal invasive effect on the grounds and the remains of other individuals interred in the immediate area. *Id.*
24. JRJ's headstone is merely one-inch thick (1") and is severely weathered in multiple places. *Id.*
25. The headstone was restored once previously in 2009. *Exh. C.*

26. Due to the potential for damage to the headstone, Petitioner has engaged the services of Terry Minton of Minton Monument Cleaning to safely extricate the headstone from the soil, preserve it for the duration of the excavation, and securely re-install it into the soil once reinterment is complete.
27. Once samples are retrieved, NSA will backfill the excavated area, replace the sod, and repair any of the grounds that bear indentations or other slight damage caused by the excavation. *Exh. D.*
28. Petitioner and NSA will strive at all times to leave the site in the same condition it was in prior to the excavation.
29. Petitioner and NSA shall conduct themselves with the highest level of respect and reverence for John Randolph Jefferson's remains and the grounds of the Nashville City Cemetery.
30. Completion of this excavation and the subsequent DNA testing of the retrieved samples will provide necessary scientific data to shed new light on a matter of great historical importance.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Court:

1. In accordance with Tenn. Code Ann. §21-1-204 and 46-4-103 enter an Order authorizing notice to all unknown Interested Persons by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in Davidson County, TN, for four consecutive weeks prior to the hearing;
2. Permit Petitioner to disinter John Randolph Jefferson from Nashville City Cemetery in the manner described herein to retrieve samples for DNA testing and promptly reinter the remains in the same resting place;
3. Grant such further and general relief as may be appropriate.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Petition has been served upon the following parties or their counsel of record via the Court's e-file system, email (where email addresses are noted), and by US Mail on this day, November 14, 2025:

G. Graham Perry III, ABD
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State Historic Preservation Office
2941 Lebanon Pike
Nashville, TN 37214

Bryan Gilley
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AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN HAMILTON WORKS, JR.

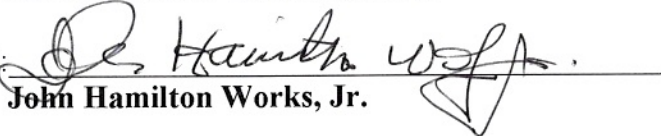
STATE OF _____
COUNTY OF District of Columbia

I, John Hamilton Works, Jr., being first duly sworn, depose and state as follows:

1. My name is John Hamilton Works, Jr. I am 71 years old and reside at 555 Massachusetts Avenue NW, Unit 815, Washington, DC 20001-4722. I am competent to testify to the matters set forth in this affidavit.
2. I am a seventh-generation acknowledged lineal descendant of Thomas Jefferson, as indicated in the attached documentation provided as Exhibit A to this affidavit, which constitutes my acceptance into the society known as the Descendants of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence ("DSDI").
3. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein and in the documentary representations made to the DSDI as part of their application process. I make this affidavit under oath and understand that it is subject to the penalties of perjury under the laws of the State of Tennessee.

4. I attest that my acceptance into the DSDI serves as proof of my lineage and, relatedly, my interest in the subject of this Petition.
5. Further, I attest that I am a collateral relative of the subject of this Petition, John Randolph Jefferson, being six generations removed. I have prepared a lineage tree showing this relation, which is attached as Exhibit B. I attest that the content of this lineage tree is true and accurate according to the information available to me at this time.
Exh. B, Lineage Tree.
6. Attached as Exhibit C is a screenshot from Founders Online taken during my research showing that John Randolph Jefferson was the son of Mitchie Ballow Pryor and Randolph Jefferson, Thomas Jefferson's younger brother. *Exh. C, Founders Online.*
7. I have personally communicated with the Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology in Leipzig, Germany and confirmed that they will be conducting the DNA testing referenced in the instant Petition.
8. Additionally, lead mortuary archaeologist Matt Matternes with New South Associates has been in communication with the Max Planck Institute and is coordinating the retrieval effort with them. *Exh. D, Emails.*
9. I submit this affidavit in support of my Petition to Disinter, Sample, and Reinter in the above-captioned matter.
10. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Tennessee that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

Signed: 
John Hamilton Works, Jr.

Date: NOVEMBER 5, 2025

NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF _____
COUNTY OF District of Columbia

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this 5th day of November, 2025, personally appeared John Hamilton Works, Jr., known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same for the purposes therein contained.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

Notary Signature: 

Notary Printed Name: Oscar Noe Moreno

Notary Public, State of District of Columbia

My Commission Expires: 03/31/2026



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Dear Mr. Works:

I am pleased to inform you that as a descendent of Thomas Jefferson, you were elected a member of the D. S. D. I. Inc at our last meeting.

Your membership certificate to be ordered shortly will will be inscribed as follows:

John Hamilton Works Jr.

Please notify Miss. Virginia E Campbell at once if there is any error in the name so that we may correct it before the inscription is ordered. The new certificates are officially signed at our next meeting and will be mailed out shortly after that time.

Sincerely Yours,

Constantia W. Allnutt
Constantia W Allnutt
Assistant Registrar-General



DESCENDANTS OF THE SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

This Certifies that John Hamilton Works, Jr.
is a member of this Society by virtue of lineal descent from
Thomas Jefferson

Signer of the Declaration of Independence

Admitted to membership this 12th day of October, 1904

National Number 1991

Virginia C. Campbell
Registrar

Dorothy S. Kennedy
President

Edna M. B. Bland
Secretary



Number.....

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP



To the

Descendants of the Signers

of the Declaration of Independence

Do Not Write Over the Red Marginal Lines.

I hereby apply for membership in this Society by right of descent from
THOMAS JEFFERSON....., who was a Signer of the Declaration of Independence
which was adopted by the Congress of the thirteen original States on July 4, 1776.

(Signature of Applicant) John H. Wood
(Do not use initials. Write name in full.)

(Full name of Husband if Applicant is a Married Woman).....

(Occupation of Applicant) ATTORNEY

(Residence of Applicant) 15 Cottontail Lane, Brookfield, CT

(Business Address of Applicant) HAWKINS, DELAFIELD & WOOD

67 WALL STREET, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10005

Nominated by.....

Seconded by.....

ALL APPLICATIONS, BOTH ORIGINAL AND SUPPLEMENTAL, MUST BE IN DUPLICATE
AND MUST BE SWORN TO BY APPLICANT.

If an applicant is descended from more than one Signer of the Declaration of Independence *one line only* can be used in making application. Blanks for proof of additional lines of eligibility can be obtained from the Registrar *after* election to membership.

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Statement of Line of Eligibility for Membership in the Descendants of the Signers
of the Declaration of Independence

(EVERY NAME OF A PERSON MUST BE WRITTEN IN FULL—DO NOT USE INITIALS.)

1. THOMAS JEFFERSON, A SIGNER
OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, and his (.....) wife Martha Wayles Skelton
had a Daughter who was—
(Son or Daughter)
2. Martha Jefferson; born at Monticello, Virginia on 9/27/1772;
died at Monticello, VA, on 10/10/1836; married at Monticello, VA
on Feb. 23, 1790, to Thomas Mann Randolph, who was born at Tuckahoe, VA,
on May 17, 1768; died at Monticello, Virginia, on 6/20/1828
Their Daughter was—
(Son or Daughter)
3. Ellen Wayles Randolph; born at Monticello, VA on 10/13/1796;
died at Boston, Mass., on 4/21/1876; married at Monticello, VA
on 5/27/1825, to Joseph Coolidge, Jr., who was born at Boston, Mass.,
on Oct. 1798; died at Boston, Mass., on 12/15/1879
Their Son was—
(Son or Daughter)
4. Joseph Randolph Coolidge; born at Boston, Mass. on 1/29/1828;
died at Boston, Mass., on Feb. 9, 1925; married at Boston, Mass.
on 12/18/1860, to Julia Gardner, who was born at Boston, Mass.,
on 8/4/1841; died at Boston, Mass., on 1/6/1921
Their Son was—
(Son or Daughter)
5. Joseph Randolph Coolidge, Jr.; born at Boston, Mass. on 5/17/1862;
died at Center Sandwich, NH, on 8/8/1928; married at Boston, Mass.
on 10/28/1886, to Mary Hamilton Hill, who was born at Boston, Mass.,
on 10/16/1862; died at Groton, Mass., on 10/6/1952
Their Daughter was—
(Son or Daughter)
6. Eleonora Randolph Coolidge; born at Boston, Mass. on 1/31/1899;
died at Denver, Colorado, on 2/25/1984; married at Boston, Mass.
on 6/20/1921, to Charles Enoch Works, who was born at Rockford, Ill.,
on 1/18/1897; died at Denver, Colorado, on 5/16/1972
Their Son was—
(Son or Daughter)
7. John Hamilton Works; born at Denver, Colorado on 3/29/1925;
died at, on; married at Ridgewood, N.J.
on 8/27/1950, to Ellen Linnaea Johnson, who was born at Melcher, Iowa,
on 7/20/1924; died at, on
Their Son was—
(Son or Daughter)

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8. John Hamilton Works, Jr.; born at Kansas City, MO on 7/13/1954 ;
 died at _____, on _____; married at New York, N.Y.
 on 10/15/1983, to Angela Marie DeMeo, who was born at New York, N.Y.,
 on 8/26/1953 ; died at _____, on _____
 Their _____ was—
 (Son or Daughter)

9. _____; born at _____ on _____;
 died at _____, on _____; married at _____
 on _____, to _____, who was born at _____,
 on _____; died at _____, on _____
 Their _____ was—
 (Son or Daughter)

Give below a REFERENCE to the Authority for EACH Statement of BIRTH, MARRIAGE or DEATH.

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1. No reference is required for the first generation.

2. Burke's Presidential Families of the United States of America
 (1st Ed.) [hereinafter "Burke's"], p. 98

3. Burke's, p. 113

4. Burke's, p. 114

5. Burke's, p. 114

6. Burke's, p. 115

7. Burke's, p. 115

See form for acknowledgment on next page.

REPORT ON APPLICATION

The foregoing application has been examined and approved.

Date _____ Registrar.

Dated, _____ 19 _____

The Board of Governors has carefully scrutinized and considered the foregoing Application and recommends that the
 Applicant be _____ received and that _____ name be placed upon the Roll of Membership of the
 (his or her)
 DESCENDANTS OF THE SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

By Order of the Board of Governors:

Attest:

Secretary Board of Governors.

Chairman Board of Governors.

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..... was married to on
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CHILDREN OF APPLICANT

Name Date of Birth To Whom Married

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- THE SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE
- Each application should begin with one of the following names:
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 George Clymer James Smith
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NUMBER.....

The Descendants of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF

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[THE FOLLOWING FORM OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT IS REQUIRED]

STATE OF New York }
 COUNTY OF New York } ss. June 15 1984

Personally appeared JOHN HAMILTON WORKS, JR., the signer of the within and foregoing application and statement, and made oath that the statements therein contained are true to the best of his knowledge and belief, before me.

Official signature: *Paul A. Golinski*
 PAUL A. GOLINSKI
 Notary Public, State of New York

The Descendants of President Jefferson

THOMAS JEFFERSON *m* at her father's residence, The Forest, Charles City County, Virginia 1 Jan 1772, Martha (*b* in Charles City County 19/30 Oct 1748; *d* at Monticello 6 Sept 1782, *bur* there), widow of Bathurst Skelton (to whom she was *m* 20 Nov 1766 and who *d* 30 Sept 1768, having by her had issue an only son, John, *b* 7 Nov 1767; *d* 10 June 1771), and dau of John Wayles, of The Forest, Charles City County, Virginia (a native of Lancaster, England), by his 1st wife Martha Eppes, and had issue,

→ 1 Martha (Patsy) JEFFERSON, *b* at Monticello 27 Sept 1772, *m* there 23 Feb 1790, her 3rd cousin Thomas Mann Randolph, Jr, of Edgehill, Albemarle County, Virginia, Gov of Virginia 1819-22 (*b* at Tuckahoe, Goochland County, Virginia 17 May 1768; *d* at Monticello 20 June 1828, *bur* there), 2nd but eldest surv son of Col Thomas Mann Randolph, of Tuckahoe, by his 1st wife Anne, dau of Archibald Cary, and *d* at Edgehill 10 Oct 1836 (*bur* Monticello), having had issue,

1 Anne Cary RANDOLPH, *b* at Monticello 23 Jan 1791, *m* there 19 Sept 1808, Charles Lewis Bankhead (*b* 3 May 1788; *d* in Albemarle County, Virginia 1835), son of Dr John Randolph Bankhead, of Caroline County, Virginia, by his wife Mary Warner Lewis, and *d* at Monticello 11 Feb 1826 (*bur* there), leaving issue,

(1) John Warner BANKHEAD, of Missouri, *bat* Carlton, nr Monticello 2 Dec 1810, *m* 3 Nov 1832, Elizabeth Poindexter (*b* 9 March 1814; *d* at Prairieville, Missouri 23 Dec 1895), dau of Archibald Christian, by his wife Fanny Warren, and *d* 1896, having had issue,

1a Archer Christian BANKHEAD, *b* in Virginia 15 Sept 1833, *m* 10 June 1857, Mary Graves (*b* at St Louis, Missouri 10 April 1840; *d* in Pike County, Missouri 2 April 1906), dau of Col A. B. Chambers, and *d* 1911, leaving issue,

1b John Warren BANKHEAD, *b* in Pike County, Missouri 25 Feb 1859, *m* there 4 Nov 1886, Selma Presca (*b* at Ashburne, Missouri 12 May 1869; *d* at Hannibal, Missouri June 1956), dau of Charles William Purgahn, by his wife Pauline Waggoner, and *d* in Pike County, Missouri 19 Oct 1916, leaving issue,

1c Charles Archie BANKHEAD [*Higbee, Missouri 65257, USA*], *b* in Pike County, Missouri 28 April 1887, *m* at St Louis, Missouri 5 Jan 1909, Vera (*bat* New Hartford, Missouri 17 Feb 1886; *d* at New London, Missouri 5 May 1924), dau of Eli Hugh Rees, by his wife Mary Elizabeth Johnson, and has issue,

1d Lowell Cary BANKHEAD [*Box 38, Higbee, Missouri 65257, USA*], *b* at Lyrene, Missouri 14 Oct 1909, *m* at Hannibal, Missouri 30 Jan 1937, Erma Lee (*b* at Hannibal, Missouri 4 Nov 1913), dau of Claude Green, by his wife Erma Lee Lillard, and has had issue,

1e Warren Lee BANKHEAD, *b* and *d* at Hannibal, Missouri 23 Feb 1943.

2e Lowell Cary BANKHEAD, Jr [*Box 38, Higbee, Missouri 65257, USA*], *bat* Hannibal, Missouri 14 Oct 1947, *m* at Higbee, Missouri 15 Sept 1968, Charla Marie (*b* 7 July 1950), dau of Charles J. Rockett, and has issue,

Lowell Cary BANKHEAD III, *b* at Adana, Turkey 17 Sept 1972.

2d Audrey Louise BANKHEAD, *b* at Cyrene,

Missouri 16 May 1913, *m* at Hannibal, Missouri 21 April 1935, Joseph Eugene Howard (*b* at Hannibal, Missouri 8 July 1912) [*2131 Flintridge Court, Riverside, California 92504, USA*], son of Orin William Howard, by his wife Nettie Rachel Rubison, and has issue,

1e Sharon Jo Ann HOWARD, *b* at Santa Barbara, California 31 Oct 1939, *m* at Riverside, California 14 July 1962, Steven George Stockwell (*b* 1939) [*438 Sycamore Road, Santa Monica, California, USA*], son of John F. Stockwell, by his wife Beatrice Gurlich, and has issue,

1f Todd Howard STOCKWELL, *b* at Los Angeles, California 1 Jan 1966.

2f Charlton Howard STOCKWELL, *b* at Los Angeles, California 29 May 1967.

2e Kristen Audell HOWARD, *b* at Santa Monica, California 4 July 1947, *m* there 4 April 1971, David Druker (*b* at St Paul, Minnesota) [*525 Midvale, Los Angeles, California 90024, USA*], son of Leonard Druker.

3d Iris Jean BANKHEAD, *bat* Cyrene, Missouri 5 May 1916, *m* at Macon, Missouri 14 March 1936, Wilford Cameron Caldwell (*b* at New London, Missouri 29 July 1914) [*777 North 15th Street, San Jose, California, USA*], son of Greenville Caldwell, by his wife Dollie Florence Smith, and has had issue,

1e Stanley Terrill CALDWELL, *b* at Hannibal, Missouri 1 April 1942; *d* at San Jose, California 20 May 1958.

2e Randolph Cary CALDWELL [*1134 Rickenbacker Street, San Jose, California, USA*], *bat* Hannibal, Missouri 23 Aug 1945, *m* at San Jose, California, Roxanne (*b* at San Jose, California), dau of Wilbur Garlic, and has issue,

Terrill Cameron CALDWELL, *bat* Mountain View, California 27 Sept 1973.

4d Selma Elizabeth BANKHEAD, *b* at Cyrene, Missouri 10 May 1918, *m* at Ventura, California 26 Nov 1938, Richard Philip West (*bat* Cicero, Illinois 14 Sept 1914) [*4280 Calle Real, Santa Barbara, California 93111, USA*], son of Maxwell Walter West, by his wife Gulborg Ruud, and has issue,

1e Stephen Matthew WEST, *b* at Santa Barbara, California 30 Oct 1939, *m* 1st at Montecito, California 1963 (*m* diss by div 1967), Lois Ione (*b* at Detroit, Michigan 1939), dau of Walter Harold Kleiber, Jr, by his

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SHACKELFORD, Jr, Major US Army, lawyer, soc 1964-65, mem Bd of Orange, Pres Monticello Orange, Virginia 22960, 1916, educ Woodberry Virginia (BA, LLB 1937), 7 Aug 1943, Carroll (b 31 Oct 1920), dau of sm, of Missouri, by his ill, and has issue, h SHACKELFORD III, Orange, Virginia 22960, ville 27 July 1946, educ Princeton (AB 1968), D 1974).

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24014, USA], dau of Junius Blair Fishburn, by his wife Grace Parker, and d at Roanoke, Virginia 31 July 1965, leaving issue,

1c Mary Parker SHACKELFORD, b at Roanoke, Virginia 19 Jan 1929, m there 1951, John Crosland, Jr (b at Charlotte, N Carolina 20 Sept 1928) [2240 Lemon Tree Lane, Charlotte, North Carolina 28211, USA], son of John Crosland, by his wife Lillian Mason Floyd, and has issue,

1d Mary Parker CROSLAND, b at Roanoke, Virginia 4 Jan 1954.

2d John CROSLAND III, b at Charlotte, N Carolina 30 Jan 1957.

2c George Scott SHACKELFORD III [2919 Wycliffe Avenue, Roanoke, Virginia 24014, USA], b at Roanoke, Virginia 20 Sept 1933, m there 10 Sept 1960, Virginia Ria (b at El Paso, Texas 4 Jan 1940), dau of William Stephenson Thomas, by his wife Armistead Hardy, and has issue,

1d William Scott SHACKELFORD, b at Roanoke, Virginia 12 May 1962.

2d George Randolph SHACKELFORD, b at Roanoke, Virginia 7 Nov 1964.

3d Virginia Travis SHACKELFORD, b at Roanoke, Virginia 17 March 1967.

4b Margaret Wilson SHACKELFORD, b at Orange, Virginia 28 Oct 1898, m at St Thomas's Church, Orange, Virginia 5 Dec 1923, Frank Stringfellow Walker (b at Woodberry Forest, Virginia 1 Feb 1883; d at Gordonsville, Virginia 10 June 1971), son of Robert Stringfellow Walker, by his wife Anne Goss, and d at Charlottesville, Virginia 13 July 1963, leaving issue,

1c Anne Carter WALKER, b at Charlottesville, Virginia 4 April 1925, m at St Thomas's Church, Orange, Virginia 18 Oct 1948, Atwell Wilson Somerville (b at Hillsville, Virginia 1921) [Box 629, Orange, Virginia 22960, USA], son of Walter Gray Somerville, by his wife Hattie Nottingham, and has issue,

1d Atwell Wilson SOMERVILLE, Jr, b at Charlottesville, Virginia 24 Nov 1949.

2d Frank Walker SOMERVILLE, b at Charlottesville, Virginia 21 Feb 1952.

3d Anne Carter SOMERVILLE, b at Charlottesville, Virginia 3 Jan 1954.

2c Virginia Randolph WALKER, b in Madison County, Virginia 23 April 1927, m at St Thomas's Church, Orange, Virginia 19 Sept 1949, Andrew Henry Christian (b at Richmond, Virginia 26 Jan 1921) [3318 Devon Road, Durham, North Carolina 27707, USA], son of Andrew Christian, by his wife Eleanor Rennolds, and has issue,

1d Andrew Henry CHRISTIAN, Jr, b at Richmond, Virginia 19 Sept 1950.

2d Scott Shackelford CHRISTIAN, b at Richmond, Virginia 3 Sept 1953.

3d Virginia Randolph CHRISTIAN, b at Richmond, Virginia 19 May 1957.

3c Margot Shackelford WALKER, b in Madison County, Virginia 8 Aug 1931, m at St Thomas's Church, Orange, Virginia 18 Dec 1954, Cary Hill Humphries (b at Culpeper, Virginia 17 Oct 1929) [4512 Mooreland Avenue, Edina, Minnesota 55424], son of — Humphries, by his wife Anne Green, and has issue,

1d Raleigh Green HUMPHRIES, b at Baltimore, Maryland 6 Feb 1956.

2d Cary Hill HUMPHRIES, Jr, b at Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania 6 Feb 1958.

3d Robert Walker HUMPHRIES, b at Memphis, Tennessee 30 July 1960.

4c Frank Stringfellow WALKER, Jr [Romi, Orange, Virginia 22960, USA], b in Madison County, Virginia 11 Oct 1935, m at St Paul's Church, Richmond, Virginia 3 Dec 1960, Bernice, dau of Stamo Spathey (by his wife née Wilson), and has issue,

1d Susan Stringfellow WALKER, b at Charlottesville, Virginia 22 Jan 1964.

2d Margaret Austin WALKER, b at Charlottes-

ville, Virginia 27 Feb 1967.

2a Wilson Cary Nicholas RANDOLPH, Jr, of Lynchburg, Virginia, b 1 Aug 1861, m 2 Jan 1890, Margaret Henderson Hager (b 27 Dec 1861; d 29 March 1946), and d 1 March 1923, leaving issue,

John Hager RANDOLPH [3816 Hawthorne Avenue, Richmond, Virginia 23222, USA], b 16 July 1893, m 15 Aug 1917, Grace Lee (b 15 April 1892), and has issue,

1c Margaret Lee RANDOLPH, b 15 Sept 1919, m 2 Jan 1946, William Moreau Platt (b 2 March 1912) [3816 Hawthorne Avenue, Richmond, Virginia 23222, USA], and has issue,

William Moreau PLATT, Jr, b 4 Jan 1955.

2c John Hager RANDOLPH, Jr [6327 Ridgeway Road, Richmond, Virginia 23226, USA], b at Fredericksburg, Virginia 27 July 1921, m 7 Sept 1946, Rebecca Holmes Mem (b 15 March 1920), and has issue,

1d Beverley Langhorne RANDOLPH, b 25 April 1948.

2d Rebecca Hutter RANDOLPH b 22 July 1949.

3c Cary Ann RANDOLPH, b 12 April 1925, m 23 April 1949, Carroll Marcus Cooper (b 4 July 1926) [1210 Mallicotte Lane, Newport News, Virginia 23606, USA], and has issue,

1d Carroll Marcus COOPER, Jr, b 17 July 1950.

2d Margaret Lee COOPER, b 24 Feb 1953.

3a Mary Buchanan RANDOLPH, b 1865; dunn 1900.

4a Julia Minor RANDOLPH, b 19 Feb 1866, m 26 Sept 1891, William Porterfield, and d 10 July 1946, having had issue,

1b Mary Elizabeth PORTERFIELD, b 17 July 1893; dunn at Staunton, Virginia 8 May 1965.

2b Virginia Randolph PORTERFIELD, b 23 Aug 1897; d 22 July 1898.

3b John PORTERFIELD, b 7 March 1900; d at Orange, Virginia 5 July 1916.

4b Wilson Randolph PORTERFIELD [973 North Main Street, Conyers, Georgia 30207, USA], b 17 Feb 1903, m 30 July 1931, Mary Hamilton Cook.

Dr Wilson Cary Nicholas Randolph m 2ndly 10 June 1891, Mary, dau of — McIntire, of Charlottesville, and d at Charlottesville 26 April 1907 (bur Maplewood Cemetery, Charlottesville), having by her had issue,

5a Elizabeth McIntire RANDOLPH, b 9 Jan 1893, m 19 Aug 1917, Gen Thomas Jeffries Betts, US Army [650 Independence Avenue, SE, Washington, DC 20003, USA], and d 28 Feb 1966, leaving issue,

1b Mary McIntire BETTS, artist, b at Richmond, Virginia 29 May 1920, educ George Washington Univ (BA), Corcoran Sch of Art, Art Inst, and Art League Workshop, m at Washington, DC 30 Sept 1944, Walter Stratton Anderson, Jr, BS (Harvard), US Foreign Service Offr 1937-62, Vice-Pres GTE Internat (b at New York 1912) [5310 Albemarle Street, Washington, DC 20016, USA], son of Walter Stratton Anderson, by his wife Virginia Miller Ewing, and has issue,

1c Virginia Randolph ANDERSON, b in London, England 20 Dec 1947.

2c Thomas Stratton ANDERSON, b at Washington, DC 27 July 1951.

2b Elizabeth Hill BETTS [650 Independence Avenue, SE, Washington, DC 20003, USA], b 29 March 1923.

(12) Meriwether Lewis RANDOLPH, Capt CSA, b at Edgehill 17 July 1837, m 1869, Anna David (b 1851; d July 1873, bur Monticello), and d at Aiken, S Carolina 1 Feb 1871 (bur Monticello), leaving issue, Meriwether Lewis RANDOLPH, Jr, b 1870; d March 1877 (bur Monticello).

(13) Sarah Nicholas RANDOLPH, Prin of Patapsco Inst, Ellicott City, Maryland, and of Miss Randolph's Sch for Girls, Eutaw Place, Baltimore, author of *The Domestic Life of Thomas Jefferson* (1871), bat Edgehill 10 Oct 1839; dunn at Baltimore 25 April 1892 (bur Monticello).

3 Ellen Wayles RANDOLPH, b at Monticello 30 Aug 1794; d there 26 July 1795 (bur there).

4 Ellen Wayles RANDOLPH, b at Monticello 13 Oct 1796, m there 27 May 1825, Joseph Coolidge, Jr, of Boston, Mass (bat Boston Oct 1798; d there 15 Dec 1879), son of Joseph

Coolidge, Sr (see BURKE'S *Distinguished Families of America*), by his wife Elizabeth Bulfinch, and *d* at Boston 21 April 1876, having had issue,

(1) Ellen Randolph COOLIDGE, *b* at Boston 30 March 1826, *m* 24 Jan 1855, Edmund Dwight (*b* 30 Sept 1824; *d* 6 June 1900), and *dsp* 9 May 1894.

(2) Elizabeth Bulfinch COOLIDGE, *b* at Boston 1827; *d* there 9 June 1932.

(3) Joseph Randolph COOLIDGE, *b* at Boston 29 Jan 1828, *m* there 18 Dec 1860, Julia (*b* at Boston 4 Aug 1841; *d* there 6 Jan 1921, *bur* Mount Auburn Cemetery, Cambridge, Mass), dau of John Lowell Gardner, of Boston, by his wife Catherine Elizabeth, dau of Capt Joseph Peabody, of Salem, and *d* at Boston 9 Feb 1925 (*bur* Mount Auburn Cemetery), having had issue,

1a Joseph Randolph COOLIDGE, Jr, of Center Harbor, New Hampshire, architect, *b* at Boston 17 May 1862, *educ* Harvard (AB 1883, AM 1884), Dresden Polytechnic, Berlin Univ, Mass Inst of Technology, and Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris, *m* at King's Chapel, Boston 28 Oct 1886, Mary Hamilton (*b* at Boston 16 Oct 1862; *d* at Groton 6 Oct 1952), dau of Hamilton Alonzo Hill, of Boston, by his wife Mary Eliza Robbins, and *d* at Center Sandwich, New Hampshire 8 Aug 1928, having had issue,

1b Joseph Randolph COOLIDGE III, served in World War I as 1st Lieut and Capt Engrs US Army in France, *b* at Boston 13 Dec 1887, *educ* Harvard, *m* at Emmanuel Church, Boston 30 July 1913, Anna Lyman (*b* at Cambridge, Mass 17 Nov 1888) [*Far Pastures, Center Sandwich 27, New Hampshire, USA*], dau of William Brooks Cabot, by his wife Elizabeth Lyman Parker, and *d* at Sandwich, New Hampshire 22 Sept 1936, leaving issue,

1c Julia Gardner COOLIDGE, *b* at Brookline, Mass 8 March 1914.

2c Joseph Randolph COOLIDGE IV [*c/o Mrs Joseph Randolph Coolidge III, Far Pastures, Center Sandwich 27, New Hampshire, USA*], *b* at Brookline, Mass 17 Feb 1916, *m* at Lindsay Memorial Chapel, Emmanuel Church, Boston 8 Nov 1952, Peggy (*b* at Swampscott, Mass 19 July 1913), dau of Willoughby H. Stuart, by his wife Claire Ingalls.

2b Julia Gardner COOLIDGE, *b* at Brookline, Mass 6 Sept 1889, *m* at King's Chapel, Boston 21 June 1910, Henry Howe Richards (*b* at Boston 23 Feb 1876; *d* at Groton, Mass 16 Nov 1968), son of Henry Richards, by his wife Laura Elizabeth Howe, and *d* at Center Harbor, New Hampshire 22 June 1961, leaving issue,

1c Henry Howe RICHARDS, Jr [*Center Sandwich, New Hampshire, USA*], *b* at Groton, Mass 15 March 1911, *m* at St John's Chapel, Groton 21 June 1952, Mary Pauline (*b* at Lawrence, Mass 17 July 1918; *d*), dau of Charles Henry Choate, by his wife Mary Pauline Culver.

2c Hamilton RICHARDS [83 High Rock Lane, Westwood, Massachusetts, USA], *b* at Groton 15 Sept 1913, *m* at First Parish Church, Brookline, Mass 8 Oct 1937, Edith (*b* at Cohasset, Mass 22 April 1917), dau of Geoffrey Whitney Lewis, by his wife Edith Louise Lincoln, and has issue,

1d Hamilton RICHARDS, Jr, *bat* Boston 14 Feb 1939.

2d James Lincoln RICHARDS, *b* at Glen Cove, New York 22 Oct 1942, *m* 12 June 1965, Deborah Ann Davis.

3d Anne Hallowell RICHARDS [640 Homer, Palo Alto, California, USA], *b* 7 Nov 1946.

3c Tudor RICHARDS [Hopkinton Village, RD1, Concord, New Hampshire, USA], *b* at Groton 15 Feb 1915, *m* at Wolverton Parish Church, Oxford, England 10 Aug 1949, Barbara (*b* at Oxford, England 1 Jan 1929), dau of William Robert Day, by his wife Ida Levick, and has issue,

1d Francis Tudor RICHARDS, *b* at Ann Arbor, Michigan 15 Feb 1952.

2d Victoria Day RICHARDS, *b* at Keene, New Hampshire 18 Nov 1956.

3d Robert Gardner RICHARDS, *b* at Keene, New Hampshire 7 Nov 1960.

4c Anne Hallowell RICHARDS, *b* at Groton 13 Sept 1917, *m* 3 April 1966, John Robert Knowlton Freedy, MD, Prof of Med, Emory Univ, Atlanta [904 Clifton Road NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30307, USA].

5c John RICHARDS II [Phillips Andover Academy, Andover, Massachusetts, USA], *b* at Groton 15 March 1932, *m* at Old Lyme Congregational Church, Connecticut 14 June 1955, Carol Meredith (*b* at New York City 10 Oct 1936), dau of David Pierre Guyot Cameron, by his wife Carol Moore Dunbar, and has issue,

1d Laura Elizabeth RICHARDS, *bat* Harlingen, Texas 2 Nov 1956.

2d Pamela Moore RICHARDS, *b* at Methuen, Massachusetts 3 June 1958.

3d Christopher Cameron RICHARDS, *b* 4 May 1963.

4d John Timothy RICHARDS, *b* 4 May 1963 (twin with his brother Christopher Cameron Richards).

5d Catherine Coolidge RICHARDS, *b* 11 June 1964.

3b Mary Eliza COOLIDGE, *b* at Paris, France 10 Dec 1890; *dum* at Brookline, Mass 21 Aug 1935.

4b Hamilton COOLIDGE, Capt Air Service US Army, had French Croix de Guerre and DSC, *bat* Brookline, Mass 1 Sept 1895, *educ* Harvard, *ka* in World War I at Chevières, nr Grand Pré, France 27 Oct 1918, *usm*.

5b John Gardner COOLIDGE II [640 Harland Street, Milton, Massachusetts 02186, USA], *b* at Boston 12 Dec 1897, *educ* Harvard, *m* at Emmanuel Church, Boston 12 June 1918, Mary Louise (*b* at Boston 1 May 1899), dau of Arthur Dehon Hill, by his wife Henriette McLean, and has had issue,

1c Natalie McLean COOLIDGE, *b* at Boston 30 April 1919, *m* at Emmanuel Church, Boston 23 Nov 1941, John Wilbur Keller (*b* at Newton, Mass 9 Sept 1919), son of Capt Harold Russell Keller, USN, by his wife Edith B. Wilbur, and *d* 24 March 1965, leaving issue,

1d Jeremy KELLER, *b* at Boston 23 Aug 1942, *m*.

2d Natalie Russell KELLER, *bat* Boston 17 July 1945.

3d Peter Gardner KELLER, *b* at Laconia, New Hampshire 17 July 1949.

4d Mary Hill KELLER, *b* at Laconia, New Hampshire 30 Aug 1955.

2c Mary Hamilton COOLIDGE, *b* at Boston 8 July 1921, *m* 1st at Boston 4 June 1942 (*m* diss by div), Albert Lamb Lincoln, Jr (*b* at Boston 27 Oct 1920), son of Albert Lamb Lincoln, by his wife North Winnett, and has issue,

1d Albert Lamb LINCOLN III, *b* at Lake City, Florida 16 March 1945, *m* 23 March 1968, Joan Miller.

2d Christine LINCOLN, *b* at Laconia, New Hampshire 16 Sept 1947.

3d Matthew Dehon LINCOLN, *b* at Boston 30 Nov 1948.

Mary Hamilton Coolidge *m* 2ndly 18 Feb 1968, George Nichols, Jr, MD, son of George Nichols.

3c Olivia Hill COOLIDGE, *b* at Brookline, Mass 8 April 1923, *m* at Rye, New York 17 June 1950, Harry William Dworkin (*b* at New York City 13 June 1919) [150 Gordonhurst Avenue, Upper Montclair, New Jersey, USA], son of Isidore Dworkin, by his wife Molly Gotthelf, and has issue,

1d Michael Hill DWORKIN, *bat* Philadelphia 28 May 1953.

2d Victoria Gail DWORKIN, *b* at Philadelphia 29 April 1955.

3d Thomas Adam DWORKIN, *b* at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 11 June 1959.

4c Hamilton COOLIDGE II [235 Goddard Avenue, Brookline, Massachusetts 02146, USA], *b* at Boston 11 Nov 1924, *m* at New York City 16 Oct 1948, Barbara Fiske (*b* at Springfield, Mass 27 Aug 1927), dau of Chester Bowles, by his wife Julia Mayo Fiske, and has issue,

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- 1d John Hamilton COOLIDGE, b at Boston 21 Feb 1950.
- 2d Linda Bowles COOLIDGE, b at Boston 7 March 1952.
- 3d Hope McLean COOLIDGE, b at Boston 20 Aug 1953.
- 4d Malcolm Hill COOLIDGE, b at Boston 20 April 1956.
- 6b Eleonora Randolph COOLIDGE, b at Boston 31 Jan 1899, m at King's Chapel, Boston 20 June 1921, Charles Enoch Works (bat Rockford, Illinois 18 Jan 1897) [127 Lafayette Street, Denver, Colorado 80218, USA], son of Charles Augustus Works, by his wife Eva Panthea Enoch, and has issue,
 - 1c Charles Chandler WORKS, b at Denver, Colorado 25 March 1923.
 - 2c John Hamilton WORKS [4500 West 54th Terrace, Rockland Park, Kansas 66205, USA], b at Denver 29 March 1925, m at Emmanuel Baptist Church, Ridgewood, New Jersey 27 Aug 1950, Ellen Linnaea (bat Melcher, Iowa 20 July 1924), dau of Edwin Nikolas Johnson, by his wife Lillian Olson, and has issue,
 - 1d Linnaea Coolidge WORKS, bat Philadelphia 17 Aug 1952.
 - 2d John Hamilton WORKS, Jr, b at Kansas City, Missouri 13 July 1954.
 - 3d David Aaron WORKS, b at Kansas City, Missouri 3 Sept 1956.
 - 3c Josephine Randolph WORKS, b at Denver 28 April 1929, m at St Martin's Chapel, St John's Episcopal Cathedral, Denver 20 Dec 1949, Willis Lloyd Turner (b at Loveland, Colorado 9 Sept 1927), son of Gerald Simpson Turner, by his wife Edith Christina Johnson, and has two adopted children,
 - (a) Michael Gerald TURNER, b 25 Sept 1958.
 - (b) Erika Edith TURNER, b 9 Aug 1960.
- 7b Oliver Hill COOLIDGE [Center Sandwich, New Hampshire 03227, USA], b at Manchester, Mass 5 Aug 1900, educ Harvard, m at St Peter's Church, Cazenovia, New York 31 Aug 1925, Elizabeth Ten Eyck (bat Boston 2 Nov 1903), dau of John Arthur Brooks, by his wife Mary Ten Eyck Oakley, and has had issue,
 - 1c Oliver Hill COOLIDGE, Jr [711 Warren Avenue, Thornwood, New York, USA], b at New York City 13 March 1927, m at Shadwell, Bedford Hills, New York 29 Dec 1956, Lee (Leonarda) (b at Cleveland, Ohio 21 June 1924), dau of James P. McGrath, by his wife Sylvia Slovak, and has issue,
 - 1d Peter Brian COOLIDGE, b at New York City 3 Oct 1957.
 - 2d Liza Hill COOLIDGE, bat New York City 27 May 1959.
 - 2c Peter Jefferson COOLIDGE, bat New York City 24 Aug 1928; d at Bedford Hills, New York 14 Feb 1934.
 - 3c Henry Ten Eyck COOLIDGE [7 Irene Street, Burlington, Massachusetts 01803, USA], bat Mount Kisco, New York 14 May 1935, m at Guly Port, Mississippi 9 Jan 1959, Camilla Starnes (bat Birmingham, Alabama 28 Dec 1935), dau of Vincent H. Tedford, by his wife Camilla Johnson, and has issue,
 - 1d Henry Ten Eyck COOLIDGE, Jr, bat Guly Port, Mississippi 4 Oct 1959.
 - 2d John Vincent COOLIDGE, b at Camden, New Jersey 20 Feb 1962.
- 8b Roger Sherman COOLIDGE [Bunchrew House, Bedford, New York 10506, USA], b at Brookline, Mass 30 Sept 1904, educ Groton Sch, and Harvard (BA 1927), m at Cantitoe Farm, Katonah, New York 1 July 1950, Barbara V. (bat Greenwich, Connecticut 10 Aug 1910), formerly wife of Warren Milne, and dau of Bayard S. Litchfield, by his wife Marguerite V. Berg, and has issue,
 - 1c Bayard Randolph COOLIDGE [Box 385, Bedford, New York 10506, USA], b at New York 16 Aug 1951, educ Brooks Sch, and Univ of Miami (BSEE 1974).

- 2a John Gardner COOLIDGE, of Boston, diplomat, b at Boston 4 July 1863, educ Harvard (AB 1884), m at Stevens Estate, North Andover 29 April 1909, Helen Granger (bat North Andover 3 April 1876; d at Boston 19 April 1962), dau of Henry James Stevens, by his wife Helen Granger, and dsp at Boston 28 Feb 1936.
- 3a Archibald Cary COOLIDGE, Prof of History at Harvard, Harvard Exchange Prof to France 1906-07 and Berlin 1913-14, Dir Harvard Univ Library 1913-28, Pres Monticello Assoc 1921-23, author of *The United States as a World Power* (1908), *Origins of the Triple Alliance* (1917) and *Ten Years of War and Peace* (1927), bat Boston 6 March 1866, educ Harvard (AB 1887, LLD 1916), Berlin Univ and Freiburg Univ (PhD 1892), dmm at Boston 14 Jan 1928.
- 4a Charles Apthorp COOLIDGE, bat Boston 10 Jan; d 11 Jan 1868.
- 5a Harold Jefferson COOLIDGE, of Boston, lawyer, Dir Nat Shawmut Bank of Boston, Pres Monticello Assoc 1931-32, author of *The Life and Letters of Archibald Cary Coolidge* (with Robert Howard Lord) and *Thoughts on Thomas Jefferson or What Thomas Jefferson Was not* (1936), bat Nice, France 22 Jan 1870, educ Hopkinson's Sch, Boston, and Harvard (AB 1892, LLB 1896), m at the Church of Our Savior, Longwood, Brookline 19 Feb 1903, Edith (bat Boston 10 Nov 1879; m 2ndly at Boston 30 June 1936 (m diss by div 1953), James Amory Sullivan; and 3rdly at Beverley, Mass 28 May 1954, Gen Sherman Miles; and d 7 Oct 1966), dau of Amory Appleton Lawrence, of Boston, by his wife Emily Fairfax Silsbee, and d at Squam Lake, New Hampshire 31 July 1934 (bur Mount Auburn Cemetery), leaving issue,
 - 1b Harold Jefferson COOLIDGE, Jr [38 Standley Street, Beverly, Massachusetts 01915, USA], b at Boston 15 Jan 1904, educ Arizona Univ, Harvard, and Camb Univ, m 1st at Westminster Presbyterian Church, Scranton, Pennsylvania 25 Jan 1931 (m diss by div 1972), Helen Carpenter (bat at Scranton 5 Nov 1907), dau of Albert George Isaacs, by his wife Anne Carpenter Richards, and has issue,
 - 1c Nicholas Jefferson COOLIDGE [200 East End Avenue, New York, NY 10028, USA], b at Brookline, Mass 12 Feb 1932, m at St John's Church, Fisher's Island, New York 11 July 1959, Sarah Flanagan (bat at New York City 6 Nov 1939), dau of Albert Hamilton Gordon, by his wife Mary Rousmaniere, and has issue,
 - 1d Nicole Rousmaniere COOLIDGE, b at New York City 29 May 1961.
 - 2d Peter Jefferson COOLIDGE, b at New York 17 April 1963.
 - 2c Thomas Richards COOLIDGE [520 East 86th Street, New York, NY 10028, USA], bat Boston 29 Jan 1934, m at Greenwich, Connecticut 8 May 1965, Susan Lane (b 6 Nov 1940), dau of Albert Freiberg, by his wife Harriet Hall, and has issue,
 - 1d Laura Jefferson COOLIDGE, b at New York 27 June 1967.
 - 2d Anne Richards COOLIDGE, b at New York 10 Feb 1969.
 - 3d Thomas Lawrence COOLIDGE, b at New York 6 July 1973.
 - 3c Isabella Gardner COOLIDGE, b at Boston 1 June 1939.
- Harold Jefferson Coolidge, Jr m 2ndly at West Medford, Mass 26 May 1972, Martha Thayer (bat at Cambridge, Massachusetts 26 Jan 1925), dau of Robert Graham Henderson, by his wife Lucy Gregory.
- 2b Lawrence COOLIDGE, b at Boston 17 Jan 1905, educ Groton Sch, Arizona Univ, and Harvard (AB 1927, LLB 1931), m at Bethlehem Chapel, Washington Cathedral 16 Jan 1932, Victoria Stuart (bat at Tyringham, Massachusetts 23 Oct 1909; m 2ndly at Hamilton, Mass 1952, Gilbert L. Steward [Windy River, Topsfield, Massachusetts, USA]), dau of Robb De Peyster Tytus, by his wife Grace S. Henop, and d at Beverly, Massachusetts 3 Jan 1950 (bur Hamilton Cemetery), leaving issue,
 - 1c Robert Tytus COOLIDGE [27 Rosemount

HOSPITAL BIRTH CERTIFICATE

St. Luke's Hospital
of Kansas City

THIS CERTIFIES, That John Hamilton Weeks was born in
St. Luke's Hospital, of Kansas City, in Jackson County, State of Missouri
at 6:23 o'clock, p. m., on the 13th day of July 1954

Harold G. Gentry
ATTENDING PHYSICIAN

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The said Hospital
has caused this Certificate to be issued and
signed by its duly authorized officer and its
corporate seal to be hereunto affixed on this

20th day of July, 1954

Julie D. Shaw
SUPERINTENDENT

Family History

Father's Full Name John Hamilton Weeks
Residence 4952 West 78th, Prairie Village, Kansas.
Birthplace Denver, Colo. Date Mar. 29, 1915.
Mother's Maiden Name Ellen Tennessee Johnson
Birthplace Melcher, Iowa Date July 20, 1924.

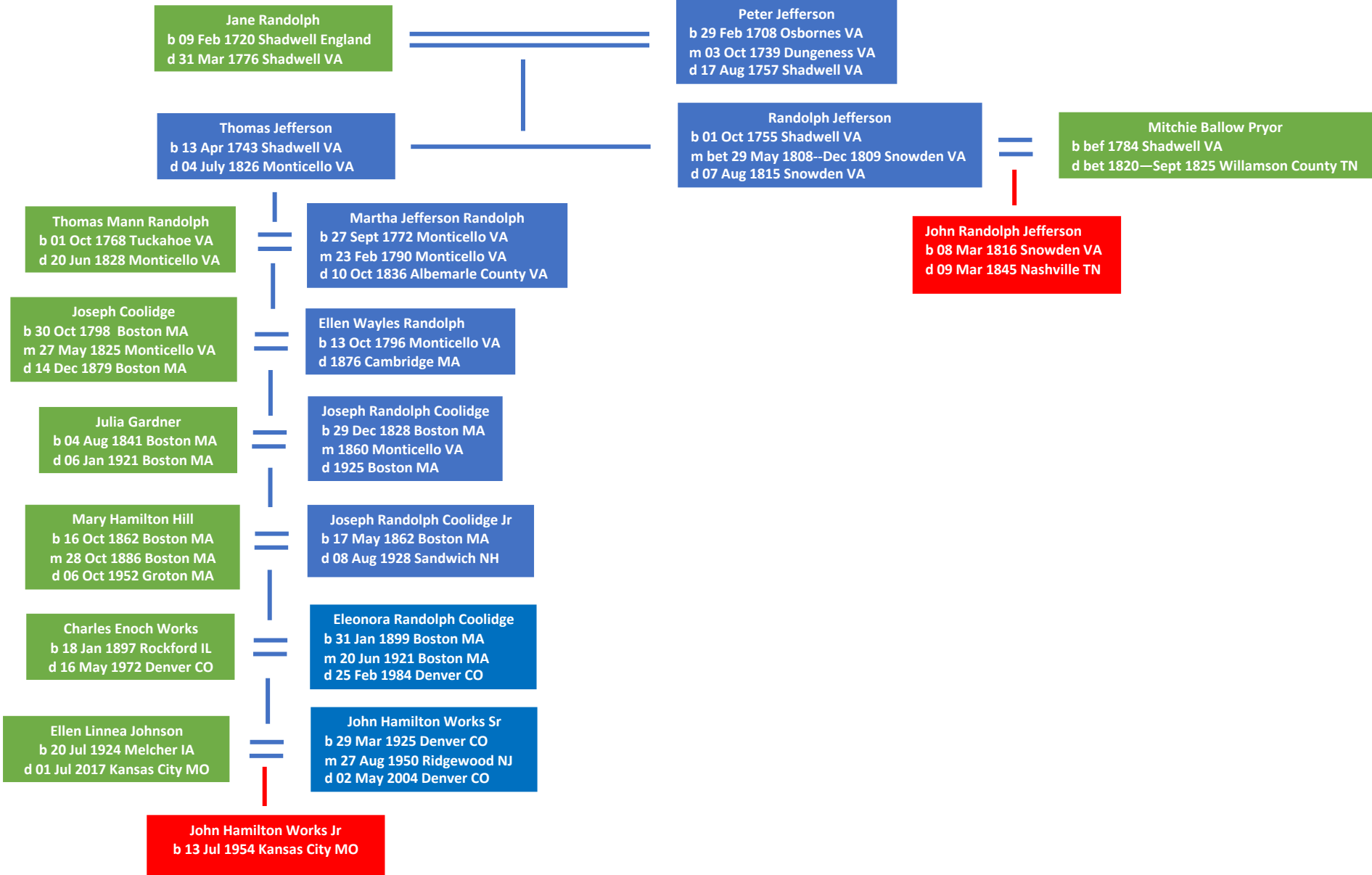
MOTHER'S FINGERPRINT

BABY'S FOOTPRINT





Lineage

John Hamilton Works Jr and John Randolph Jefferson



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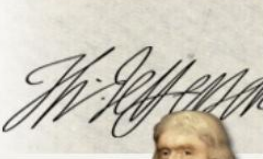

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THOMAS JEFFERSON TO MITCHIE B. PRYOR JEFFERSON, 2 AUGUST 1815

To Mitchie B. Pryor Jefferson

Monticello Aug. 2. 15.

Dear Sister

your letter of yesterday gave us the first information of my brother's illness. we learn it with great concern Mrs Marks would have visited him, but that we have now in our family, both in doors, and out, more sickness than I have ever had since I was a house keeper. Cornelia, Virginia and both of Mrs Bankhead's children. all of these are on the recovery except Virginia. without doors two or three are taken of a day, so that all the houses of the negroes are mere hospitals requiring great and constant attendance and care; all of an epidemic dysentery now prevailing thro' the neighborhood. your letter gives us a hope that my brother is mending. we shall be very glad to hear of him by the mail which furnishes a weekly-opportunity.

I return by Squire the harness he was so kind as to lend me. it has answered the only occasion I had for it, and may on some other be useful to yourselves. affectionately Yours

Th: Jefferson

PoC (MHI); on verso of reused address cover of [John Wayles Eppes to TJ, 6 July 1815](#); at foot of text: "Mrs M. B. Jefferson"; endorsed by TJ.

Mitchie Ballow Pryor Jefferson was the daughter of David Pryor, of Buckingham County, and the second wife of Randolph Jefferson, having married him by 1809. She gave birth on 8 Mar. 1816 to John Randolph Jefferson (d. 1845), whom she later took to Tennessee to live with her brother Nicholas B. Pryor. On 29 Apr. 1819 she married Josiah Johnson, of Williamson County, Tennessee. She died between giving birth to James Monroe Johnson on 2 July 1820 and her husband's remarriage in 1825 (VMHB 7 [1900]: 325-6; Bernard Mayo, ed., *Thomas Jefferson and His Unknown Brother* [1942; repr. 1981], 4; note to [Randolph Jefferson to TJ, 7 Dec. 1809](#); gravestone inscription for John Randolph Jefferson, Old City Cemetery, Nashville; T: Williamson Co. Marriages; Albert L. Johnson Jr., *Guardian Records of Williamson County, Tennessee* [2001], 1:iv, 2:234; *Richmond Enquirer*, 15 Dec. 1832).

Jefferson's letters to her brother-in-law TJ **OF YESTERDAY**, 1 Aug. 1815, and of 10 Aug. 1815, both not found, are recorded in [SJL](#) as received from Snowden on the days they were written. Missing letters from TJ to his sister Anne Scott **MARKS** of 9 and 16 Aug. 1815 are also recorded in [SJL](#). Ann C. Bankhead's **CHILDREN** at this time were TJ's great-grandchildren John Warner Bankhead, Thomas Mann Randolph Bankhead and Ellen Maria Bankhead.

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SOURCE PROJECT

Jefferson Papers

TITLE

Thomas Jefferson to Mitchie B. Pryor Jefferson, 2 August 1815

AUTHOR

Jefferson, Thomas

RECIPIENT

Jefferson, Mitchie Ballow Pryor

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2 August 1815

Reference

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"Thomas Jefferson to Mitchie B. Pryor Jefferson, 2 August 1815," *Founders Online*, National Archives, <https://founders.archives.gov/documents/Jefferson/03-08-02-0515>. [Original source: *The Papers of Thomas Jefferson*, Retirement Series, vol. 8, 1 October 1814 to 31 August 1815, ed. J. Jefferson Looney. Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2011, p. 636.]



Fwd: DNA sample from the grave of John Randolph Jefferson (1816-1845)

From John Works <johnhworks@gmail.com>
Date Thu 10/16/2025 9:33 AM
To Morgan Jones <mjones@tewlawfirm.com>

FYI

John Works
johnhworks@gmail.com

Begin forwarded message:

From: Harald Ringbauer <harald_ringbauer@eva.mpg.de>
Date: October 16, 2025 at 2:45:25 AM EDT
To: Matt Matternes <mmatternes@newsouthassoc.com>, krause@eva.mpg.de
Cc: John Works <johnhworks@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: DNA sample from the grave of John Randolph Jefferson (1816-1845)

Dear Hugh,

That sounds like an excellent plan, and it all works for us!

The petrous (including meatus) and a molar are an ideal combination for aDNA - I hope either or both are still preserved.

Keeping the soil in the meatus is indeed a preferable approach. In our experience, often ossicles get lost in "washing" after Archaeological excavations (most people don't pay much attention to these tiny bones).

I hope your recovery goes well; I cross my fingers.

All the best and thank you for your efforts,
Harald

Matt Matternes <mmatternes@newsouthassoc.com> hat am 15.10.2025 17:30
CEST geschrieben:

Hi Harald,

Thank you for your quick response. Your input was extremely valuable!

Part of our efforts will be to recover samples that will minimally disturb the interment. From your email it sounds like the best recovery strategy will be to focus on removing samples from the base of the skull. This means we will not have to expose or disturb the remaining parts of the interment. Bone preservation in mid-19th century historic burials in the Nashville basin can be kind of 'hit or miss'. The dense petrous portions have a good chance of survival and recovery of one petrous should provide you with ossicles inside the meatus provided they are still present (We will keep the meatus embedded in as much soil as possible). Since we should be only a few centimeters away, it might be wise to recover a molar in case bone preservation is not optimal. This means we will look at providing two samples, one petrous and one molar. We can limit excavator contamination by having a single physical anthropologist do the extraction while wearing neoprene gloves and place the samples in separate virgin 4-mil polypropylene sample bags. Our anticipation is that materials removed will not be returned as replacement in the interment will be extremely cumbersome. Does all this work for you?

We have a branch office in Nashville and they have agreed to hold the samples until shipping arrangements have been made. Meeting your environmental controls should not be a problem.

Let us know if there are any modifications we need to implement to this plan. 'Hoping to provide you with some spiffy information!!

Sincerely,

Matt

Hugh B. "Matt" Matternes Ph.D., RPA (he/him) | Director of Mortuary Archaeology/Principal Investigator

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From: Harald Ringbauer <harald_ringbauer@eva.mpg.de>

Date: Wednesday, October 15, 2025 at 5:43 AM

To: Matt Matternes <mmatternes@newsouthassoc.com>, krause@eva.mpg.de <krause@eva.mpg.de>

Subject: Re: DNA sample from the grave of John Randolph Jefferson (1816-1845)

Dear Matt,

Thank you for reaching out!

For human DNA preservation, the best source are ossicles - one of those tiny bones would be enough for us. The larger petrous bone generally works very

well too (we drill it then) and has been a work horse of aDNA studies.

Alternatives (but generally less working) are the dense talus, dense phalanx or molars.

Molars have the advantage of having the potential to preserve pathogen DNA.

Ideally, you send us the whole skeletal elements, and we drill samples in our clean rooms. Only the ossicles are so tiny that we would dissolve them entirely.

Extended storage at room temperature is generally no problem, but you should avoid excessive heat or humidity. To minimize the risk of contamination, we also recommend that you always handle skeletal elements with gloves.

All the best,
Harald

Matt Matternes <mmatternes@newsouthassoc.com> hat am
14.10.2025 16:34 CEST geschrieben:

I am Hugh 'Matt' Matternes, Mortuary Archaeologist with New South Associates. New South is looking at assisting the Monticello Foundation with the recovery of a DNA sample from the grave of John Randolph Jefferson (1816-1845) who is interred in the Nashville City Cemetery. It is my understanding that John Works of the Foundation has been in contact with you.

New South's involvement with this project will be to open Jefferson's grave, extract a bone or dental sample from Mr. Jefferson, and close the grave. Our hope is to minimize disturbance of Mr. Jefferson's remains. This will involve considerable coordination with you.

So that we know how to properly obtain useable samples we need some information from you.

What specific hard tissue samples are you hoping we can obtain?
Which bones or teeth are you looking for? How much material are you hoping we can obtain?

Are there any recovery methods we should employ to improve the sample?

There will probably be a period of storage prior to shipment to you.
Are there any guidelines we should follow for proper storage?

We are currently putting together our excavation approach as part of the permitting package and the answers to these questions will help us

provide you with what you need.

Thank you for your time!

Sincerely,

matt **Hugh B. “Matt” Matternes Ph.D., RPA (he/him) |
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**METRO NASHVILLE DEPARTMENT
OF PARKS AND RECREATION,
TENNESSEE HISTORICAL
COMMISSION, METRO NASHVILLE
HISTORICAL COMISSION**

Case No.

Respondents.

AFFIDAVIT OF DEBBIE W. SPERO

STATE OF TENNESSEE

COUNTY OF SUMNER

I, Debbie W. Spero, being first duly sworn, depose and state as follows:

1. My name is Debbie W. Spero. I am 64 years old and reside at 276 Alexander Lane, Bethpage, TN 37022. I am competent to testify to the matters set forth in this affidavit.
2. I am a genealogical researcher and have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein and in the attached report. I make this affidavit under oath and understand that it is subject to the penalties of perjury under the laws of the State of Tennessee.
3. I have reviewed my expert report, dated October 22, 2025, which is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated by reference into this affidavit.
4. I adopt and endorse the findings, opinions, and conclusions set forth in the expert report attached as Exhibit A. I believe the report to be accurate, reliable, and relevant to the matters at issue in this case.

5. The expert report addresses the genealogical history of John Randolph Jefferson and his wife, Amanda Jefferson; it traces all mentions of these individuals in primary source material surrounding the known dates of death for both individuals and seeks to ascertain whether any children were born to the couple.
6. The report concludes that no children were born to the couple and, therefore, there can be no surviving lineal descendants of John Randolph Jefferson at this time.
7. I affirm that the opinions and conclusions in the expert report are consistent with my understanding of the facts and circumstances of this case.
8. I submit this affidavit in support of John Hamilton Works, Jr.'s Petition to Disinter, Sample, and Reinter in the above-captioned matter.
9. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Tennessee that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

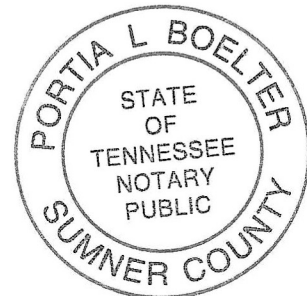
Signed: Debbie W. Spero
 Debbie W. Spero
 Date: 11/13/2025

NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGMENT
 STATE OF TENNESSEE
 COUNTY OF Sumner

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this 13th day of November, 2025, personally appeared Debbie W. Spero, known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same for the purposes therein contained.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

Notary Signature: Portia L. Boelter
 Notary Printed Name: Portia L. Boelter
 Notary Public, State of Tennessee
 My Commission Expires: 2/29/28



[seal/stamp]

EXHIBIT A to Spero Aff. (Exh. B to Petition)

276 Alexander Lane
Bethpage, TN 37022
24 September 2025

Mr. David Smith
14911 Village Elm St
Houston, TX 77062-2914

Mr. Smith,

I hope this finds you well. These are the following records searched, trying to learn if John Randolph Jefferson and Amanda Gillman Jefferson had a child.

Genealogical Information from the Western Methodist 1833-34 by J.K.T. Smith, 2003—0 Pryor or Jefferson

Genealogical Abstracts from Reported Deaths The Louisville and Nashville Christian Advocate and The Christian Advocate 1852-1856 by J.K.T. Smith, 1997—0 for Amanda Jefferson

ProQuest Historical Newspapers, The Nashville Tennessean—0 for John Randolph Jefferson, searching Jan 1, 1816 through Dec 31, 1845--0
March 9-Dec 31, 1845—0 for John Randolph and/or Randolph Jefferson

Newspapers.com Southeast Edition for John Randolph Jefferson—11 March 1845, Tri Weekly Nashville Union: Died in this city on the 9th int of consumption at the residence of his father-in-law Major T.W. Gilman, Mr. John R. Jefferson, aged about 28 years.

I did find “letters in the P.O. at Nashville” in the Tri-Weekly Nashville Union, p. 2, April 15, 1845 “Mrs. Amanda Jefferson”. The same was repeated in Thursday April 17, 1845 and Sat April 19, 1845.

Republican Banner Wed April 03 1844, p.3: Died in this city on the 2nd inst, Eliza M., infant daughter of John R. and Amanda Jefferson. The funeral will take place this evening at 3 o’clock from the residence of Mr. Eli Woods, corner of Deadrick and Summer Streets, Divine Service by Rev. J.B. McFerrin.

1850 printed census of Davidson Co TN by Porch 1909—0 for Amanda Jefferson. There were no entries for Jefferson in the index.

1850 printed census of TN Volumes 3 and 4 Gaskell-Marley by Sistler and Assoc, 1974—0 Amanda Jefferson. I also checked Vols 7 and 8 Walland through Z and the cross index—0 for Amanda Jefferson.

Nashville Directories began 1855-56, but it was a “business directory” at that time. 0 for Amanda Jefferson.

Davidson Co TN Wills and Administration to 1861, an index, by Sistler, 1989—0 Jefferson

Online index at TSLA for Davidson Co. TN Wills (indexed):

Vol 13 1843-1846—0 for Jefferson

Vol 16 1853-55—0 for Jefferson

Vol 17 1856-59—0 for Jefferson

Microfilm Roll 1612 Davidson Co TN County Court Min Books

Vol C 1841-1846—0 Jefferson

Mf roll 1613 Davidson Co TN County Court Min Books

Vol F 1853-56—0 Jefferson

I did find a will for Zach B. Prior, dec'd, recorded Book 11, pp 274-: 17 Sept 1837 Stock, present crop, household furniture and farming utensils to Ann Wright, except my sorrel colt to Thomas Wright and bay colt to Ben Wright; The balance of my property to be equally divided between my 2 nephews John Jefferson and Munro Johnson; want executor to proceed to buy a good home for Ann Wright and her 3 living children; all my negroes shall have the privilege of choosing their master or mistress; Josiah Johnson of Williamson Co to act as my executor; Ben F. Foster, Jurat, John Maxey, Jurat signed by Zach B. Pryor.

Noting that the find a grave for Amanda Gillman Jefferson gave her parents as Timothy W. Gillman and Mary A. Gillman, I did search for these individuals,

hoping to find Amanda (and a child if there was one) with them in the 1850 census, or listed in a will by either Gillman.

I could not find a listing for Timothy W. Gillman or wife Mary A. Gillman in the 1850 TN census, printed Davidson Co TN census or online through ancestry.com. I also looked at the 1860 neighbors of Mary A. Gillman (She was living in the household of probable daughter Eliza M Wright in 1860). I could find but one of the 1860 neighbors in the 1850 census of Davidson and reading 5 pages of census before and after the neighbor, "Ira Stout", I found no entry for Timothy W. Gillman. Timothy Gillman, died in 1860. He was listed in the printed Tennessee Mortality Schedules, living in Davidson County and dying in 1860. I also searched printed 1850 Davidson County census as well as printed 1850 TN census, ancestry.com, etc and found nothing for Timothy Gillman in 1850.

In addition, I searched for both Timothy and Mary A. Gillman:
Mf roll 1614 Davidson Co TN County Court Minutes Vol H 1859-1862—0 Timothy Gillman

Mf roll 1615 Davidson Co TN County Court Minutes Vol I 1862-1866 (find a grave gives her death as 1866)—0 Mary A. Gillman
Vol J 1866-1868—0 Mary A. Gillman

I also searched the indexed and online Davidson Co TN wills:
Vol 18 1859-1861—0 Timothy Gillman
Vol 19 1861-65—0 Timothy Gillman
Vol 20 1866-67—0 Mary A. Gillman

Davidson Co TN Wills and Adm to 1861, an index, by Sistler, 1989, had a listing for Timothy W. Gilman. I looked at this listing, Will Book 14, p.480. It was dated Jan 1850 and Timothy W. Gillman was the administrator of Goodwin. This entry was for a "receipt of Goodwin's estate".

I also looked briefly at Eliza Wright, daughter of Mary A. Gillman. She married in 1843 to Charles F. Wright. I could not find Charles F. Wright and Eliza Wright in Davidson Co TN 1850. Charles Wright died in the 1850's in Nashville. Eliza and 3

daughters and her mother are together in the 1860 census of Nashville. I looked briefly for Eliza M. Gillman Wright in online, indexed wills of Davidson Co TN:

Vol 23 1874-75—0

Vol 24 1875-79—0

(Find a grave.com gave 1875 as death date of Eliza Gillman Wright).

Finally, the Metro Archives, Nashville, has Davidson Co TN records:

Guardian Bonds 1850-1971

Guardian Receipts 1854-1909

Guardian Settlements 1855-1979

This archives is located in the downtown Nashville Public Library, which is temporarily closed due to a fire in the parking garage attached to the library, that occurred this past June. I did call and left a message for a call back, as the recording I reached said that librarians did check the messages and would call back.

I received an email from Grace W. Hulme, C.A., Archives Associate with Nashville Public Library Metro Archives. I asked her to search the available Guardian bonds, Guardian Receipts and Guardian Settlements books of Davidson Co TN for an entry for Jefferson from 1845-1855. Ms. Hulme searched these records. She did not find the name Jefferson or Gilman (Amanda Jefferson nee Gilman):

Davidson Co TN Guardian Settlements Book D/F *Book E was not available--0

Davidson Co TN County Court, Index to Guardian Settlements, unlabeled--0

Davidson Co TN Guardian Bonds Book 5 1850-March 1859—0

Davidson Co TN Index to Guardian List Book, Book 1,4,5—0

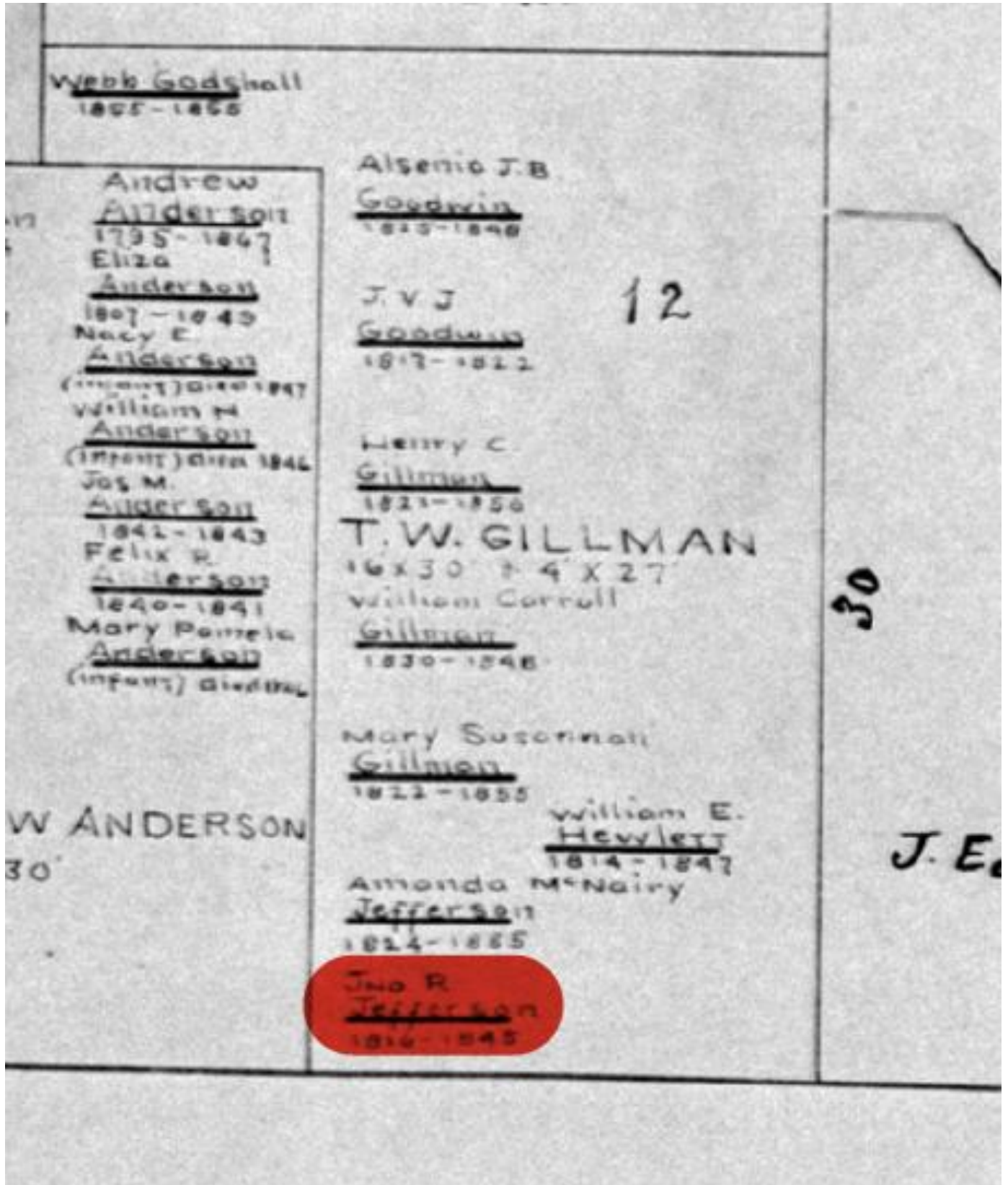
Davidson Co TN Guardian Receipt Book--0

Davidson Co TN County Court Loose Records Index--0

This is where I ended research. Other than the death notice of the infant of John R. and Amanda Jefferson, I found no records of any other children of John Randolph and Amanda Gilman Randolph. Your balance is now \$0.

Sincerely,

Debbie W. Spero



LOT OWNER	Section	Part of Section	Lot No.	Size of Lot
Gillman, Timothy W.	18	---	12	16x30x14x27
	Deed No.	Deed Book No.	Date Sold	
	303	1	Dec. 9, 1844	
(Part sold - 6' - from Horn, Lewis-- deed 340-Volume 1-May 12, 1847)	370	1	May 12, 1847	

<p>16'</p> <p>30'</p> <p>27'</p> <p>14'</p> <p>Full</p> <p>3 1/2</p>	<p>WEBB GODSHALL</p> <p>ALGENIA J. GOODWIN</p> <p>J. V. J. GOODWIN</p> <p>HENRY G. GILLMAN</p> <p>WIM. CARROLL GILLMAN</p> <p>MARY SUSANNAH GILLMAN</p> <p>WIM. E. HEWLETT</p> <p>AMANDA JEFFERSON</p> <p>JOHN R. JEFFERSON</p>	<p>Gillman, Henry C. 1821-1856</p> <p>Gillman, Mary Susannah 1822-1855</p> <p>Gillman, William Carroll 1830-1848</p> <p>Godshall, Webb 1833¹⁸⁵⁵ 1855 infant</p> <p>Goodwin, Alsenia J. B. 1825-1848</p> <p>Goodwin, J. V. J. 1817-1822</p> <p>Hewlett, William E. 1814-1841</p> <p>Jefferson, Amanda 1824-1855</p> <p>Jefferson, John R. 1816-1845</p>
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← Carol file says he was born in 1802 ?

BURIALS

Gillman, Major T. W. 1792-1860	Godshall, Samuel 1837-1866
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☛ Gilman, Mary A. 1798-1866	
Godshall, Fredrick 1852-1860	
Godshall, Douglass 1854-1860	
Godshall, Eugene 1856-1860	
inf of) Godshall, L. C. 1905	

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Nashville City Cemetery

John R. Jefferson – Tombstone Inscription

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Jefferson, John R.

Section 18

ID # 180031

Erected

In Memory of

John R. Jefferson

Born in

Buckingham Co. Va.

March 8, 1816

Died

At Nashville, Tenn.

March 9, 1845

Documentation

1909 List: Jno. R. Jefferson

Section 18 Lot 12

Lot owner T.W. Gillman

Revisited after 2009 Restoration. Last line of inscription below ground. **Last line recorded by Smith 1908 and Garrett 1971**



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AFFIDAVIT OF HUGH B. MATTERNES

STATE OF Georgia

COUNTY OF DeKalb

I, Hugh B. “Matt” Matternes, being first duly sworn, depose and state as follows:

1. My name is Hugh B. “Matt” Matternes. I am 65 years old and work for New South Associates at 6150 Ponce de Leon Avenue, Stone Mountain, Georgia. I am competent to testify to the matters set forth in this affidavit.
2. I am a Principal Investigator and Senior Mortuary Archaeologist for New South Associates (“NSA”) and have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein and in the attached report. I make this affidavit under oath and understand that it is subject to the penalties of perjury under the laws of the State of Tennessee.
3. I have reviewed my expert report, dated October 20, 2025, which is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated by reference into this affidavit.

4. I adopt and endorse the findings, opinions, and conclusions set forth in the expert report attached as Exhibit A. I believe the report to be accurate, reliable, and relevant to the matters at issue in this case.
5. The expert report addresses the methodology and procedures NSA will employ in the disinterment, sampling, and reinterment of John Randolph Jefferson.
6. The report asserts that I will manage the disinterment, sampling, and reinterment of the remains with the highest degree of respect for both the remains and the Nashville City Cemetery grounds. No other remains will be jeopardized by the procedures set forth in the attached report.
7. I affirm that the opinions and conclusions in the expert report are consistent with my understanding of the facts and circumstances of this case.
8. I submit this affidavit in support of John Hamilton Works, Jr.'s Petition to Disinter, Sample, and Reinter in the above-captioned matter.
9. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Tennessee that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

Signed: *[Signature]*
Hugh B. "Matt" Matternes, PhD, RPA
 Date: Oct 30, 2025

NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF Georgia
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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this 30th day of October, 2025, personally appeared Hugh B. "Matt" Matternes, known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same for the purposes therein contained.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

Notary Signature: *[Signature]*
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RE: Statement of Qualifications and Proposed Methodology for Jefferson DNA Recovery Project, Nashville City Cemetery, Davidson County, Tennessee

Dear Mr. Jones:

New South Associates (NSA) is pleased to offer our services to John Works, Seventh Generation Acknowledged Lineal Descendant of Thomas Jefferson, to excavate the grave of John Randolph Jefferson (1816-1845). The purpose of this investigation will be to recover hard tissue samples for DNA heritage testing. Mr. Jefferson's remains are interred in the Nashville City Cemetery, Davidson County, Tennessee. The excavation and extraction will be addressed by NSA's Mortuary Studies Program. A cost estimate for the project is enclosed.

NSA is an SBA, WBENC and DOT certified women-owned small business providing cultural resource consulting services: Archaeology, History, Architectural History, Historic Preservation Planning, Public Outreach, Cemetery Surveys and Relocations, Geophysical Survey, and Subsistence Studies. Incorporated in Georgia in 1988, NSA is headquartered in Stone Mountain, Georgia, and maintains branch offices in Columbia, South Carolina; Greensboro, North Carolina; Fairfax, Virginia, and Nashville, Tennessee. The Mortuary Studies Program at NSA is a group of staff members with academic and professional experience in mortuary archeology and physical anthropology. At NSA these specializations translate into identifying the location of historic gravesites with a focus on excavation, recovery, examination, and reinterment of human remains. Examples of projects where the skills needed for this project are enclosed.

GENERAL POLICIES

Following award of an order to allow excavation, NSA is prepared to assist the Jefferson DNA project by conducting an archaeological recovery of samples from John Randolph Jefferson's gravesite. All archaeological investigations will be performed in accordance with the *Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Archaeology and Historic Preservation (36 CFR 61)* and with Tennessee historic cemetery relocation (TCA 46-4-101-104) and exhumation (TCA

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68-3-508) guidelines as they apply to the given investigation. Recovery will be done in compliance with a court order issued by the Chancery Court in Davidson County, Tennessee. Any additional stipulations added by the cemetery's management, landowner (City of Nashville), or Tennessee Division of Archeology will also be addressed.

All supervisory personnel assigned to this project will meet the qualifications for professional archaeologists as listed in the Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualifications Standards (48 FR 22716). On-site staff will include a mortuary archaeologist who is also a trained physical anthropologist, and a field assistant who is trained in historic mortuary site recovery.

The recovery site will be inhabited during work hours (6:00 AM-6:00 PM) by NSA personnel or following hours of operation set by the City Cemetery. Personnel will be advised that the site is a culturally sensitive facility, requiring professional treatment to all artifacts and recovered remains. All information concerning the excavation will be considered confidential. The site will be treated as a closed excavation area and casual visitation discouraged. Visitation will generally be permitted by appointment only and will require prior approval from the Cemetery, NSA, or the client. Visitors to the site will be reminded of the culturally sensitive nature of the work in progress and that professional behavior is required. Photographs and videos will be limited to those taken by project personnel for the project and will remain professional. Privacy screens consisting of shelters equipped with tarp sides will be erected as needed to shield human remains from public view and inclement weather. Recovery of samples will occur as quickly as possible and if possible will require only partial exposure of the remains. When not being excavated, open grave pits will be covered in combinations of plywood sheeting and tarps to prevent weather, animal, and human damage.

If public presence on or near the site is great, NSA will cordon off excavation areas using yellow barricade tape to passively limit public access. The cordoned area will be at least 100 feet (30 meters [m]) away from excavation areas and only project personnel will be allowed access within the perimeter. A safety fence around the excavation area may be installed if determined necessary to prevent unauthorized intrusion.

RECOVERY METHODOLOGY

No invasive or destructive work will be conducted and field investigations will not start until a written Notice to Proceed has been received from the client (John Works). The grave is located in Section 18, Lot 12 and is adjacent to a vehicle path within the cemetery. There are no known graves between the vehicle path and Jefferson's grave. Jefferson's wife, Amanda McNairy Jefferson (1824-1855) is interred in an unmarked grave on the opposing side of her husband's grave. There are no trees, bushes, or edgings impeding access to the gravesite. The site is accessible to small heavy equipment (backhoe or mini-excavator).

The grave of John Randolph Jefferson is memorialized by a simple tablet made of limestone or marble. The marker is thin (about 1 inch thick), highly eroded, and exhibits cracks in the surface. The marker has been previously restored. Excavation beside the marker is anticipated to leave the monument unstable and it will be removed and placed in temporary on site storage until the excavation is completed. Removal and relocation will be accomplished by a professional monument mover. A plot marker near the gravesite may also require temporary relocation and protective sandbagging.

The text on Jefferson's marker is on the west side with the grave and faces east (PC Bryan Gilley, Cemetery Manager 2025). This places the head end of the grave on the east side of the marker. Excavation will require a unit measuring approximately 3.3x6.5 feet (1x2 meters) will be needed to recover the sample. Sod will be removed by hand and set aside for replacement after the sample is recovered and the unit is backfilled. Once sod is removed the exposed floor will be shovel shaved to determine if a grave pit stain is visible and adjustments to the unit's location will be made. The unit will be excavated mechanically with a backhoe or mini excavator equipped with a flat-bladed bucket. An archaeologist will closely monitor soil removal to ensure that proper depths are maintained, identify features as they are exposed, prevent accidental intrusion, and recover any exposed artifacts. Removed soils will be placed on heavy tarps adjacent to the excavation to protect the ground surface and positioned at least 18 inches from the margin of the unit as a safety precaution. Excavations will be limited to the space set aside for John Randolph Jefferson. NSA does not expect that these excavations will impact the grave of his wife, Amanda McNairy Jefferson.

NSA anticipates removing at least 3-4 feet of fill before encountering the burial chamber. Depths to the base of the grave will be monitored using a probe to define the floor. Mechanical excavations will terminate about a foot above the floor and hand excavations will resume until the floor or interment is identified. Shoring will be installed along the sides of the excavation unit as a safety precaution.

A common burial practice of the nineteenth century was to place the decedent within a form-fitting chamber within the floor of grave pit. If this is identified, soils in the grave pit will be removed and excavations targeting the approximate location within the underlying chamber where the DNA sample is located will be excavated. The floor of this secondary chamber is anticipated to be within 25 centimeters (10 inches) of the grave pit's bottom.

DNA samples will be processed by the Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology (Leipzig, Germany). Requested samples will be from the lower portions of the skull, so skeletal exposure will focus on the cranial (western) portion of the interment. This means NSA will not have to expose or disturb the remaining parts of the skeletal remains. The petrous portion of one temporal bone and one molar will be exposed and extracted using the least destructive means possible. Excavator contamination will be limited by having a single physical anthropologist do the extraction while wearing neoprene gloves.

Samples will be placed in individual virgin 4-mil polypropylene bags. These bags will be placed in a larger virgin 4-mil bag with a paper label identifying the sample and its archaeological context. The sample will then be placed in a small archival box to prevent light and heat exposure and for safe-keeping.

Once the samples have been removed soils will be redeposited in the excavation. The sod will be restored to the top of the excavation unit and the area cleaned of loose soils and debris. Equipment ruts will be filled or raked as appropriate and the marker reinstalled by the movement mover.

The DNA sample will be transported to NSA's Nashville branch office (1629 Fatherland Street) for temporary storage. The sample will be stored in a climate-controlled secure location within the office and will not be publicly displayed. Pending instructions received from the Institute, the sample will be shipped as instructed.

A short report documenting where the grave is located, recovery methods, and results will be generated. The report will include illustrations, figures, maps, and tables as needed to clarify how the excavations and sample recovery took place.

STAFFING

NSA proposes to assign the following personnel to the project. Copies of curriculum vitae for Matternes and Williams are enclosed with this Qualifications Statement.

Principal Investigator – Hugh B. Matternes, PhD, RPA

Dr. Matternes has been with NSA since 2001 and serves the company as a Principal Investigator and Senior Mortuary Archaeologist. He currently has over 41 years professional experience as a physical anthropologist and mortuary archaeologist. Dr. Matternes will be responsible for managing the identification, preservation, and recovery of remains uncovered and samples retained from the exposure of John R. Jefferson's remains. He will be responsible for the professional and ethical treatment of these human remains. Matternes will serve as co-author of a report addressing the recovery of Jefferson's DNA sample. Dr. Matternes received his B.A. in Anthropology from the University of North Carolina, Greensboro and his M.A. and Ph.D. in Anthropology with a focus in physical anthropology and mortuary archaeology from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. Dr. Matternes is also a Registered Professional Archaeologist (RPA). He has conducted over 400 field and research projects for a number of clients including several Departments of Transportation, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, the Tennessee Valley Authority, the National Park Service, Georgia and South Carolina Department of Natural Resources. Dr. Matternes has worked in Georgia, North Carolina, Florida, Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri, Alabama, Illinois, Ohio, South Carolina, South Dakota, and West Virginia, as well as Puerto Rico. Recovery projects he has directed include 31CD967 Cemetery Recovery (Cumberland County), Smith-White Cemetery Recovery (Jackson County, Georgia), Williams Cemetery Relocation (Fulton County, Georgia), St Paul's Church Cemetery Relocation (St. Mary's County, Maryland), Avondale Cemetery Recovery (Bibb County, Georgia), Densler (Chatham County, Georgia), Sprott Cemetery Relocation (Mecklenburg County, North Carolina), Blue Springs Cemetery Relocation (St. Clair County, Alabama), Smith-Tate Cemetery (Hanover County, Virginia), and Area 1 and Area 2 Cemetery Relocations (Hunter Army Airfield, Georgia).

Mortuary Archaeologist and Physical Anthropologist – Leigha Williams, M.A.

Leigha Williams received a BA in Anthropology and an MA in Sciences (concentration in Bioarchaeology and Human Osteology) from Georgia Southern University. She has five years' experience in Mortuary Archaeology, with the last three specifically in the Mortuary Studies Program. She has participated no less than 14 mortuary projects with NSA and either authored or co-authored at least 29 reports. Williams will serve as the program's field mortuary archaeologist and will co-author the recovery report. Recovery and skeletal examination projects that she has participated in or managed include the St. George Episcopal Church Cemetery (Fredericksburg, Virginia [current]), Douglas Rights Skeletal Collection (Forsyth

County, North Carolina), Elrod Family Cemetery (Anderson County, North Carolina), Unidentified African American Cemetery (Washington D.C.), Burt-Royster Family Cemetery (Wake County, North Carolina), Nancy Smith-White Family Cemetery (Jackson County, Georgia), and Graham Family Vault (Chatham County, Georgia). Williams is highly skilled at finding historic gravesites with heavy equipment, skeletal exposure, field identification and recovery of human remains.

Field Assistant in Mortuary Archaeology – Grayson Stanley

Grayson Stanley is assigned to the Mortuary Studies Program as a field assistant. She is currently completing her BA degree in Anthropology at Georgia State University with a concentration in Archaeology. Stanley's goal is to become a mortuary archaeologist and will be attending graduate school to further pursue this aspiration when she completes undergraduate work (Spring/Summer 2026). Through the University of Ohio, Stanley participated in the recovery of medieval skeletal remains from a monastic cemetery in Prosnan, Poland. In the meantime, she is acquiring training in mortuary archaeology through the Mortuary Studies Program. Her recovery experience with NSA includes the St. George Episcopal Church Cemetery (Fredericksburg, Virginia [current]), and the Elrod Family Cemetery (Anderson County, North Carolina). She also help examine skeletal material that were part of the Douglas Rights Skeletal Collection (Forsyth County, North Carolina).

If you have any questions regarding our skills, methodology, personnel or require additional information, please feel free to call me at 770-498-4155 (ext. 114 or contact me via email at mmatternes@newsouthassoc.com).

Sincerely,

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Hugh B. Matternes". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Hugh B., Matternes, PhD., RPA
Senior Mortuary Archaeologist

Enclosures

- Cost Estimate for DNA Recovery
- Example investigations in Mortuary Archeology and Physical Anthropology
- Curriculum Vita – Hugh B. Matternes
- Curriculum Vita – Leigha Williams

Example investigations in Mortuary Archeology and Physical Anthropology

The Mortuary Studies Program has an expertise in mortuary archaeology that is recognized throughout many aspects of the archaeological community. We have participated on over 30 cemetery relocations and skeletal studies since 2002. Among the investigations involving the recovery and examination of historic human remains are the following projects:

St George Episcopal Church Cemetery, Fredericksburg, Virginia (Currently in field)

Recovery and examination of human remains along the walls of a late eighteenth–nineteenth century church. This burial area has been used repetitively for human interment for at least 200 years, resulting in numerous disturbed and isolated skeletal remains. Leigha Williams, with assistance from Grayson Stanley, is assisting with field recovery and managing the skeletal analysis.

Q Street Cemetery Recovery, Washington, D.C. (Report Date: 2024)

Examination of grounds associated with residential properties revealed no less than 47 individuals who were originally interred in a 19th century African American cemetery. Matternes supervised recovery and skeletal analysis. Williams assisted with the field recovery and skeletal analysis.

Elrod Family Cemetery Relocation, Anderson County, South Carolina (Report Date 2024)

Recovery and relocation of a small nineteenth century family cemetery uncovered 15 decedents in a rural upland setting. All remains were reinterred in another location of the original family property. Matternes served as Principal Investigator and Williams conducted field recovery and skeletal analysis.

Red Banks Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Pitt County, North Carolina (Report Date: 2024)

Examination of GPR anomalies along the right-of-way by a historic cemetery revealed one decedent interred in a brick vaulted tomb. Matternes managed recovery and physical examination of remains. The decedent was identified as a young adult female who was reinterred elsewhere in the cemetery after examination.

Burt-Royster Cemetery Relocation, Wake County, North Carolina (Report date: 2023)

Recovery of two decedents from a circa-1840s and 1870s era burial ground. Surrounding grounds determined to be devoid of other interments. Matternes served as the Principal Investigator with Williams conducting the field recovery and laboratory examination.

St Paul's Methodist Church Cemetery, St. Mary's County, Maryland (Report Date: 2022)

As part of the recovery of unmarked gravesites within road widening beside a historic church cemetery, Matternes identified 14 mortuary features of which four were archaeologically recovered. Subsequent DNA testing of dentition revealed that the remains were African American.

31CD967 Cemetery Recovery, Cumberland County, North Carolina (Report Date: 2021)

Matternes conducted archeological investigations to find a lost cemetery within proposed area of an interstate on-ramp. The cemetery was delineated and estimated to contain at least 90

individuals, of which 16 were recovered revealing life as an African American share cropper in nineteenth-early twentieth century rural North Carolina.

Avondale Burial Place, Bibb County, Georgia (Report Date 2012)

Recovery of 101 individuals from a late find, African American community cemetery revealed a wealth of information about an extinct nineteenth-early twentieth century rural community. Analysis of DNA was able to positively link living descendants to specific decedents in the cemetery. All remains were reinterred in a church cemetery with ancestral ties to the burial community. Project was awarded Human Environmental Initiatives Award from the National Highway Administration and is used as a success story by the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation. A documentary based on the project won several awards at the International Film and Documentary Festival.



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EDUCATION

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M.A., Anthropology, University of Tennessee-Knoxville, 1992
B.A., Anthropology, University of North Carolina-Greensboro, 1987

YEARS EXPERIENCE: 41

LONGEVITY OR EXPERIENCE WITH NEW SOUTH ASSOCIATES: 25 years

SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE

Dr. H. B. Matternes serves New South Associates as a Principal Investigator, Senior Mortuary Archaeologist and Physical Anthropologist. He is an experienced Anthropologist with over 41 years of professional experience. He has directed research for a number of organizations, including University of Tennessee's Department of Anthropology Human Osteology Laboratory, Department of Anthropology Archaeological Research Program, University of Tennessee Transportation Center, and Wickliffe Mounds Research Center. He formerly directed the artifact identification and curation laboratory at New South Associates. His research experience includes mortuary and non-mortuary projects from Florida, Georgia, Alabama, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Kentucky, Ohio, Missouri, Virginia, Maryland, Illinois, Puerto Rico, and South Dakota. These researches have brought him in contact with a wide variety of American Indian, African American, and local community interest groups. Dr. Matternes has examined human remains from historic and prehistoric burial areas ranging from the Early Archaic through modern periods. He also has experience in historical archaeology, spatial analysis, forensic anthropology, skeletal biology, radiometric analyses, settlement and social analysis. Dr. Matternes' area of specialization includes:

- Historic and Prehistoric Mortuary Archaeology
- Anthropological Mortuary Theory
- Human Osteology and Bioarchaeology
- Forensic Analysis
- Archaeological Theory of the Southeastern United States
- Collections Management
- Artifact and Document Conservation Studies
- Artifact Classification and Typology
- Historic Coffin Hardware Classification and Typology
- Identification of Unmarked Graves
- Marker Classification and Typology
- Title Searches

KEY SUPERVISORY EXPERIENCE:

A. Company Positions

2006-Present Senior Mortuary Archaeologist/Director of Mortuary Studies Program. New South Associates, Stone Mountain, Georgia. Dr. Matternes is responsible for the survey, identification, and, when warranted, relocation of all human remains and burial areas that are encountered during New South Associates projects.

2006-Present Principal Investigator, New South Associates, Stone Mountain, Georgia. Dr. Matternes supervises the archaeological investigation of a variety of archaeological projects with a particular emphasis on cemetery related investigations.

2005- 2011 Secretary and Board Member. New South Associates, Stone Mountain, Georgia.

2006-2007 Subsistence Program Director. New South Associates, Stone Mountain, Georgia. Dr. Matternes supervised a full time paleobotanist and three zooarchaeologists and a variety of part-time/temporary specialists who identified, analyzed, and reported on botanical and faunal remains recovered from archaeological settings.

2000-2007 Laboratory Director 2000-2007. New South Associates, Stone Mountain, Georgia. Dr. Matternes supervised no less than 12 materials specialists in an archaeological artifact recovery, identification, conservation and curation laboratory.

B. Select Project Positions

2022-2024 Senior Mortuary Archaeologist. Woodland Cemetery Restoration Project. Clemson University. Inventory, mapping, preservation plan and GPR anomaly testing associated with removal and reconfiguration of pathways around the cemetery. Matternes also developed a preservation plan for the cemetery and managed a marker inventory and mapping of the cemetery's holdings.

- 2021-2023 Senior Mortuary Archaeologist. Natchez Trace Parkway Cemetery Inventory Project. Inventory, transcription, and basic conservation assessments of markers and gravesites for 33 historic period cemeteries along the Natchez Trace Parkway in Tennessee, Alabama and Mississippi. Over 700 individual gravesites were identified and examined to provide the National Park Service with information on cemetery resources present on the trace.
- 2019-2021 Senior Mortuary Archaeologist. 31CD967** Cemetery Identification and Recovery. Identification of a lost historic period cemetery and recovery of interments present within the Right-of-Way for the proposed Fayetteville Outer Loop, Cumberland County, North Carolina. The cemetery was determined to include no fewer than 93 graves with 18 requiring relocation. Recovered graves indicated late nineteenth through early twentieth century interment of probable African American decedents.
- 2018 Mortuary Archaeologist and Osteologist. St Paul's Church Cemetery Recovery, St. Mary's County, Maryland. Exploration of the margin of a historic period cemetery along Maryland State Route 5 required 100-percent removal of soil to five feet below ground surface in order to determine whether unmarked graves were present. Six unmarked graves were discovered, recovered, examined, and reinterred.
- 2012-2018 Mortuary Archaeologist. Cathead Creek Historic District Development Project. Four historic period African American cemeteries were included as part of the development plan for the Cathead Creek Historic District, located on the outskirts of Darian, in McIntosh County, Georgia. Two plantation through post-emancipation era cemeteries needed to be relocated, another required interpretive signage and the final, Dunwoody Cemetery required interpretive signage, boundary identification and a historic preservation plan developed. Following impact of the Dunwoody Cemetery by construction personnel, a conditions assessment and remediation of damages project was accomplished to restore the cemetery back to a more original state. Dr. Matternes was responsible for accomplishing these tasks.
- 2015-2016 Mortuary Archaeologist and Osteologist. Platt Mound Data Recovery, Brevard County, Florida. Excavations of a midden mound, containing high concentrations of bone prompted the need for an in-field osteological team to scan, identify, and remove human remains from a large assemblage of non-human bone. Human remains were kept on-site and handled following directives from the ACOE and Native American consultants. Dr Matternes led a team of osteologists who were also charged with the in-field identification major classes of non-human taxa. When the project was completed, Dr. Matternes oversaw the reinterment of all human remains.
- 2014-2017 Principal Investigator and Mortuary Archaeologist. Williams Cemetery Relocation Project. Development of terminal areas associated with the Fulton County (Georgia) Airport (Brown Airfield) will require the relocation of an early nineteenth century cemetery. Dr. Matternes has engaged in a variety of aspects of this project including the survey, historical research, project development, descendant relations, and permitting. He is slated to oversee the cemetery's relocation and reinterment.

- 2007- 2012 Principal Investigator. Avondale Burial Place Recovery Project, Bibb County, Georgia. Dr. Matternes served as the Principal Investigator for the identification and relocation of a nineteenth through early twentieth century African American cemetery. Examination of Fall Line burial traditions, the skeletal biology of pre- and post-Civil War families, supervising the re-interment, and relating this information with living descendants were important highlights of the research strategy.
- 2006-2010 Principal Investigator/Mortuary Archaeologist. Hunter Army Airfield Cemetery Recovery, Chatham County, Georgia. Dr. Matternes directed the survey and recovery of two late nineteenth to twentieth century cemeteries on Hunter Army Airfield. The project required considerable coordination between several Federal agencies and private contractors as well as outreach to the local communities. The investigation includes the survey, identification, recovery, analysis and report generation for human and artifact remains from over of 385 interments.
- 2007 Mortuary Archaeologist. Old School Cemetery, Wilkes County, Georgia. Matternes coordinated an unmarked graves survey, helped document and analyze the cemetery landscape of a nineteenth century African American cemetery in the city of Washington.
- 2007 Project Director/Mortuary Archaeologist. Spratt Cemetery Recovery, Charlotte, North Carolina. Directed the emergency recovery of a late eighteenth-century cemetery and worked with family descendants. Matternes supervised the recovery, analyzed the data and served as principal author on the report and coauthor of the memoriam.
- 2007 Principal Investigator. Tennessee State University Agricultural Extension Farm Survey, Cheatham County, Tennessee. Dr. Matternes served as the Principal Investigator for the surface and subsurface survey of a 10-acre farm to assess the potential that the farm contained prehistoric or historic archaeological deposits.
- 2006- 2007 Principal Investigator. Connally Park Cemetery Survey, Fulton County Georgia. Dr. Matternes served as the Principal Investigator for a surface and subsurface survey of a 16-acre park to assess the potential that the park contains pre-emancipation era African American burial areas.
- 2005-2006 Project Director/Mortuary Archaeologist. Royal Palms Burial Area Recovery Project, Dade County, Florida. Dr. Matternes directed the recovery of a large multi-component burial area beneath the former Royal Palms Hotel in downtown Miami. He supervised a crew of up to 35 mortuary specialists in an urban setting recovering ossuaries, secondary (bundled) and primary interments.
- 2004-2005 Project Director/Mortuary Archaeologist. Blue Springs (1SC320) Cemetery Relocation Project. St. Clair County, Alabama. Dr. Matternes was responsible for the initial survey, relocation, recovery, examination, documentation and reburial of mortuary features from a middle-to-late nineteenth century rural cemetery on the outskirts of the City of Ragland.
- 2004 Project Director/Mortuary Archaeologist. China Grove Cemetery Perimeter Project,

Mecklenburg County, North Carolina. Dr. Matternes was responsible for an intensive survey of an emancipation period-to-twentieth century African American cemetery near the town of Pineville. This project entailed examinations of the ground surface, undisturbed subsurface and mechanically stripped subsurface environments.

2002 Physical Anthropologist/Mortuary Archaeologist. Smith-Tate Cemetery (44HN333) Archaeological Recovery Project, Hanover County, Virginia. Dr. Matternes supervised the recovery, data collection and preparation for re-interment of a nineteenth-to-twentieth century Anglo-American family cemetery. He conducted the skeletal analysis and coauthored the final report.

1998-2000 Project Manager/Ceramicist/Bio-Archaeologist. Archaeological Contract Program, University of Tennessee-Knoxville. Mr. Matternes was responsible for directing field and laboratory analysis and report preparation for a variety of CRM projects. His duties include prehistoric pottery and skeletal data analysis, report writing and maintenance of a prehistoric pottery type collection. His additional responsibilities included development of protocols for prehistoric pottery analysis, human skeletal remains analysis and laboratory procedures.

1997-1998 Bio-Archaeologist. Department of Transportation, University of Tennessee- Knoxville. Mr. Matternes was responsible for supervising the recovery, analysis and write-up of information recovered from human skeletal remains found by the Department of Transportation. Analyses included materials from the Drennon Mortuary Site (40DV447), Cool Branch Cemetery (40HK9) and 40GL68.

1992, 1995-1997 Project Director. Division of Archaeology, State of South Dakota (Contracts awarded to Department of Anthropology, University of Tennessee-Knoxville). Mr. Matternes was responsible for the collection, analysis and publication of data recovered from human skeletal remains prior to their reinterment.

1991–2000 Bio-Archaeologist. Wickliffe Mounds Research Center (Murray State University), Wickliffe, Kentucky. Mr. Matternes was responsible for directing the excavation, removal, curation, and analysis of human skeletal remains encountered during archaeological investigations sponsored by the Research Center. He worked on cemetery excavations the summers of 1991 and 1992. This site was the subject of Dr. Matternes' dissertation.

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A. Publications

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- 2020 Kannady, John and Hugh B. Matternes Phase I Archeological Survey of CR 574/CS 1078/Lake Park/Bellville Road Improvements, Lowndes County, Georgia. Report prepared for KCI Technologies, Inc., Duluth Georgia and Georgia Department of Transportation, Atlanta, Georgia. (Project No. 5368)
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C. Presented Papers

- 2022 Matternes, Hugh B. Coffins and Caskets: A Peek at Stylistic and Symbolic Change in the American Funeral. Paper presented at the Stone Mountain Historical Society, Stone, Mountain, Georgia.
- 2022 Matternes, Hugh B., Paige Dobbins, Katie Quinn, and Sue Eleazer The Stack Family Cemetery: A Brief Glimpse of a Family in Dutch Fork, Lexington County, South Carolina. Paper presented at the 2022 Southeastern Conference on Historic Sites Archaeology, Columbia, South Carolina.
- 2022 Dr. Strangelot or How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love Deed Research. Paper presented at New South Associates, Inc. Company Meeting, Stone Mountain, Georgia.
- 2021 Matternes, Hugh B. and Paige Dobbins Finding 31CD967: A Lost Cemetery near Fayetteville, North Carolina. Paper presented at the 2021 Southeastern

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- 2021 Matternes, Hugh B. and Justin Elmore Review and Updates on Investigations at the New Hope AME Church Cemetery. Paper presented at the Buckhead Heritage Society Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 2020 Matternes, Hugh B. Documenting the New Hope AME Church Cemetery. Paper presented at the Buckhead Heritage Society Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 2020 Matternes, Hugh B. Eternal Homecoming: Documentation of the New Hope AME Church Cemetery. Paper presented at the University of South Alabama Museum Coffee with an Archaeologist Program. Online Presentation.
- 2020 Matternes, Hugh B. and J.W. Joseph The Avondale Burial Place: A Community Remembered. Paper presented as All Together Here: A Community Symposium for Discovery and Remembrance, Austin Texas. Online Symposium.
- 2019 Sacred Land on the Promised Land: An Examination of Gwinnett County's Anderson-Maguire Cemetery (9GW677). Paper presented at the Fall Meeting of the Society for Georgia Archaeology, Lawrenceville, Georgia.
- 2019 Lowry, Sarah, Hugh B. Matternes, and Maeve Herrick. Finding Lost Graves and Cemeteries: Archaeological Approaches to Remote Sensing. Paper presented at the 2019 Meeting of the Georgia Municipal Cemeteries Association, Savannah, Georgia.
- 2019 Mary Rests Upon the Hill: A Glimpse of 1845 from the Outskirts of Early Atlanta. Paper presented at the 2019 Society for Historic Archaeology Meeting, St. Charles, Missouri.
- 2018 What Do Granite Box Tombs Look Like Below the Ground Surface? Paper presented at the 2018 Southeastern Archaeological Conference, Augusta, Georgia. *Southeastern Archaeological Conference Bulletin* 61.
- 2017 A Venue for the Working Man: Archaeological Detection in a Portion of Wilmington's Oak Grove Cemetery. Paper presented at the Sixth Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Conference on Historic Sites Archaeology, Spencer, North Carolina.
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- 2016 Military Burial Sites of the Civil War: An Overview. Paper presented at the 2016 Meeting of the Stone Mountain Historical Society, Stone Mountain, Georgia.
- 2015 The Granite False Crypt: A Popular Upland Grave Cover in Georgia. Poster presented at the 2015 Southeastern Archaeological Conference, Nashville, Tennessee. *Southeastern Archaeological Conference Bulletin* 58.
- 2014 Graham, Lain K. and Hugh B. Matternes. Unwelcome Pay for a Hard Day's Work: Osteoarthritis in Two African American Cemeteries on the Outskirts of Savannah, Georgia. Paper presented at the 79th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Austin, Texas.
- 2014 Matternes, Hugh B. Post-Mortem Dynamics in a 19th Century Interment from Central Georgia. Paper presented at the 2014 Southeastern Archaeological Conference, Greenville, South Carolina. *Southeastern Archaeological Conference Bulletin* 57.
- 2014 Matternes, Hugh B. and Valerie Davis. Finding Avondale: Remote Sensing for an Unmarked Cemetery in Difficult Subsurface Conditions. Paper presented Nationwide Cemetery Preservation Summit, Niagara Falls, New York.
- 2014 Matternes, Hugh B. and Valerie Davis. Nineteenth Century African American Emergency Medical Care: Evidence from a Failed Amputation in Chatham County Georgia. Paper presented at the 2014 Southeastern Conference on Historic Sites Archaeology, Stone Mountain, Georgia.
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- 2009 Matternes, Hugh B. and Staci Richey. Formal and Informal Cemeteries. Paper presented at the Society for Georgia Archaeology, Buford, Georgia.
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C. Laboratory Conservation and Curation Reports

Between 2001 and 2013 Matternes also completed 144 Conservation and Curation Reports as part of work with the New South Archaeology Laboratory. An Inventory of these reports is available on request.

EMPLOYMENT

2000-2025	New South Associates, Inc. Stone Mountain, Georgia
1998-2000	Project Manager/Pottery Analyst/Bio-Archaeologist, Archaeological Contract Program, University of Tennessee
1997-1998	Bio-Archaeologist, Department of Transportation, University of Tennessee
1997	Bio-Archaeologist, Cultural Resources, Incorporated
1996-1997	Instructor, Department of Anthropology, University of Tennessee
1995-1997	Project Director/Bio-Archaeologist, Department of Anthropology, University of Tennessee
1994-1996	Teaching Assistant, Department of Anthropology, University of Tennessee
1993	Bio-Archaeologist, 3-D Environmental Services, Inc.
1993	Field Director, Glynn Duvall and Associates
1992	Project Director/Bio-Archaeologist, Department of Anthropology, University of Tennessee
1991-2000	Bio-Archaeologist, Wickliffe Mounds Research Center, Wickliffe, Kentucky (Murray State University)
1990	Crew Chief, Department of Transportation, University of Tennessee
1989-1992	Research Assistant, Department of Anthropology, University of Tennessee
1988	Field Technician, National Park Service
1988	Field Technician, Carolina Archaeological Services
1987	Field Technician, Office of Cultural Resource Management, University of Kentucky
1987	Laboratory Assistant, University of North Carolina - Greensboro
1984-1987	Instructor/Supervisor/Field Assistant, Dayton Museum of Natural History
1984-1990	Senior Book Seller, Waldenbooks
1978-1982	Investigations Clerk/Munitions Specialist, United State Army
1975-1978	Stock Assistant, Eckerd Drugs

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND SERVICE:

Register of Professional Archaeologists (RPA)
Member, Society for Historical Archaeology
Member, Society for Georgia Archaeology
Member, Southeastern Archaeological Conference
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EDUCATION

M.A., Social Sciences emphasis on bioarchaeology and human osteology, Georgia Southern University – 2021
B.A., Anthropology, Minor in Photography, Georgia Southern University – 2019

YEARS OF EXPERIENCE: 5 years; **with New South Associates:** 4 years

SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE

Leigha Williams serves New South Associates as an Assistant Mortuary Archaeologist. She has completed curation projects for the National Park Service and archaeological phase I, phase II, and phase III field work for multiple companies in Georgia, Tennessee, Mississippi, South Carolina, Alabama, Florida, North Carolina, Virginia, and Washington, D.C. Her areas of expertise include:

- Phase I, II, and III archaeological survey
- Preparing archaeological artifacts for curation
- Human osteological analysis
- Human burial removal and cemetery relocations

KEY EXPERIENCE

- 2025 Mortuary Archaeologist.** Mortuary survey on two displaced headstones on an undeveloped parcel of land in Snellville, Georgia. Conducted soil compaction probing and surface features.
- 2025 Archaeologist.** Phase I archaeological survey for the proposed expansions of truck parking at Rest Area #14 along I-75 southbound in Dooly County, Georgia. Conducted shovel testing and artifact identification. Work conducted for GDOT and AECOM.
- 2025 Mortuary Archaeologist.** Mortuary survey on the west side of Highway 76 in Gilmer County, Georgia. Conducted a pedestrian survey to identify additional potential burials after an incidental finding of a set of human remains was discovered

- 2025 Mortuary Archaeologist.** Survey, Delineation, and Inventory of the Maffett Family Cemetery in Leesburg, Loudoun County, VA. Managed the project that included visual surface examination of the grounds and subsurface soil compaction probing to identify surface and subsurface features indicative of gravesites to detect marked, unmarked, and poorly marked burials.
- 2025 Mortuary Archaeologist.** Conducted archaeological surface investigations and condition assessment of the Bethel African Methodist Episcopal (A.M.E.) Church Cemetery (38CH1870) in Charleston County, South Carolina. A preservation action plan was developed to determine which conditions were in the greatest need for conservation and restoration once the assessment was completed. Work conducted for Charleston County Parks and Recreation Commission (CCPRC).
- 2024 Mortuary Archaeologist.** Mortuary Survey of the Broadfield Cemetery in Brunswick, Georgia. Conducted a survey to determine the number of marked, poorly marked, and unmarked burials within the Broadfield Cemetery (9GN411). Survey of the Broadfield Cemetery involved examination of ground surface in and around the cemetery for surface features that could indicate potential graves followed by systematic probing of the area within and surrounding the cemetery.
- 2024 Mortuary Archaeologist.** Mortuary Survey of the Butler Back Substation, Taylor County, Georgia. Conducted an investigation to determine the boundaries of Martin Cemetery (9TR156). Survey of the Martin Cemetery involved examination of ground surface in and around the cemetery for surface features that could indicate potential graves followed by systematic probing of the area within and surrounding the cemetery.
- 2024 Mortuary Archaeologist and Physical Anthropologist.** Cemetery relocation of Elrod Family Cemetery in Anderson County, South Carolina. Relocated the graves to another portion of the property, where they would be accessible to the local community and would receive perpetual care.
- 2023 Archaeologist.** Phase I Cultural Resources Survey of SR 52 over Cartecay River Bridge Replacement in Gilmer County, Georgia. Work conducted for ARCADIS and the Georgia Department of Transportation.
- 2023 Archaeologist.** Historic Cemetery Pedestrian Survey of 16.67 Acres in Navassa, Brunswick County, North Carolina. Archaeological fieldwork consisted of identifying any historic burial places comprised of marked, poorly marked, or unmarked burials. Work was conducted for the North Carolina Department of Natural and Cultural Resources (DNCR).
- 2023 Archaeologist.** Phase I/II Survey for multiple projects across the Southeast including historical and prehistorical archaeological sites. Archaeological fieldwork included shovel testing, metal detecting, and unit excavation.
- 2023 Mortuary Archaeologist and Physical Anthropologist.** Cemetery relocation of Burt/Royster Cemetery in Wake County, North Carolina. Relocated the graves to another cemetery, where they would be accessible to the local community and would receive perpetual care.

- 2022 Mortuary Archaeologist and Co-Author.** Completed multiple surveys across the Southeast for multiple government agencies and private clients to determine the size and distribution of marked and potential unmarked gravesites. Conducted systematic surface and subsurface investigations of cemeteries to identify the number of graves and their distribution in the landscape.
- 2022 Mortuary Archaeologist and Physical Anthropologist.** Cemetery relocation of the Smith White Cemetery in Jackson County, Georgia. Relocated the graves to another cemetery, where they would be accessible to the local community and would receive perpetual care.

REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS

Technical Reports

- 2025 Leigha Williams, Anna Chitwood, Megan McPherson, June Weber. *Phase I Archaeological Survey for the Improvement of Rest Area #14 at I-75 Southbound in Dooly County, Georgia.* Report prepared for GDOT and AECOM.
- 2025 Leigha Williams. *A Survey and Delineation of the Maffett Family Cemetery (44LD2148) in Loudoun County, Leesburg, Virginia.* Report prepared for Vibrantech Solutions.
- 2025 Leigha Williams, Velma Fann, Ashley Shares, and Hugh B. Matternes. *A Historical Context, Reconnaissance and Soil Compaction Survey, Condition Assessment, and Preservation Action Plan for the Bethel A.M.E. Church Cemetery (38CH1870) within the Caw Caw Interpretive Center.* Report prepared for Charleston County Parks and Recreation Commission.
- 2025 Leigha Williams, Gabriel Griffin, Sarah Lowry, Velma Fann, Laura Leigh Haga, Hugh B. Matternes. *Archaeological Survey, Historical Context, Condition Assessment, and Preservation Action Plan for the Unnamed Probable Enslaved (UPE) Cemetery at the Caw Caw.* Report prepared for Charleston County Parks and Recreation Commission.
- 2025 Leigha Williams, Hugh Matternes. *Surface and Subsurface Grave Identification and Inventory of the Broadfield Cemetery (9GN411).* Report prepared for Georgia Department of Natural Resources.
- 2024 Leigha Williams and Hugh B. Matternes. *Analysis of Human Skeletal Remains from the Douglas L. Rights Collection in the Lam Museum of Anthropology at Wake Forest University.* Report submitted to the Lam Museum of Anthropology.
- 2024 Williams, Leigha, Monica Foster. *The Big Elrods: An Archaeological Recovery and Relocation of the Elrod Family Cemetery (38AN357).* Report Submitted to Anderson County School District One.
- 2024 Leigha Williams, Sherry Teal, Kaitlin Ahern. *Phase I Archaeological Survey for the Replacement of GDOT Bridge 107-0073-0, McGarrh Mill Pond Road over Daniels Mill Creek.* Report submitted to Edwards-Pitman and GDOT.

- 2024 Hugh B. Matternes, Leigha Williams, Matt Colvin. *Archaeological Monitoring of Construction Activities in the Woodland Cemetery on the Campus of Clemson University*. Report submitted to Board of Trustees Clemson University.
- 2024 Matt Colvin, Leigha Williams, Monica Foster. *Phase I Archaeological Survey of the Butler Back Substation, Taylor County, Georgia*. Report submitted to Georgia Power Company.
- 2024 Leigha Williams, Janae Lunsford, Chris Cartellone, Daniel Fiore, Catherine Gould, Justin Elmore, Kaitlin Ahern. *Phase I Archaeological Survey for the Replacement of the SR 384 Bridge Over the Chattahoochee River*. Report prepared for Arcadis U.S., Inc. and GDOT.
- 2024 Williams, Leigha. *An Inventory and Archaeological Boundary Delineation of the Montgomery Family Cemetery*. Report prepared for Ms. Susan Montgomery.
- 2024 Hugh B. Matternes, Janae Lunsford, Leigha Williams, and Faith Meader. *An Inventory and Archaeological Boundary Delineation of an Unnamed Cemetery near Airport Industrial Park Road*. Report prepared for Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc.
- 2024 Lucy Wayne, Leigha Williams, Hugh B. "Matt" Matternes, Sarah Lowry. *Reconnaissance Level Investigation of the Gen Land-Redfish Solar Energy Center Property*. Report prepared for Florida Power & Light Company, Nextra Energy.
- 2023 Shawn Patch, Leigha Williams, Faith Meader. *Historic Cemetery Pedestrian Survey of 16.67 acres in Navassa, Brunswick County, North Carolina*. Report submitted to North Carolina Department of Natural and Cultural Resources
- 2023 Williams, Leigha, Kaitlin Ahern. *Phase I Archaeological Survey of SR 141 at CS 119/State Bridge Road, Fulton County, Georgia*. Report submitted to WSP and GDOT.
- 2023 Williams, Leigha. Elrod Family Genealogy and Deed Research Results.
- 2023 Susan Olin, Renée Donnell, Janae Lunsford, and Leigha Williams. *Phase I Cultural Resources Survey of the East Point–Union City 230kV Reroute*. Report prepared for Georgia Power Company.
- 2023 Williams, Leigha. *Delineation, Survey, and Inventory of the Elrod Family Cemetery in Anderson County, South Carolina*. Report prepared for the Anderson County One School District.
- 2023 Brian Snyder, June Weber, Patty McMahon, Jera Davis, Hugh Matternes, Sarah Lowry, Justin Elmore, Leigha Williams, Hannah Brecker, Gabriel Griffin. *Phase I Addendum Survey and Phase II Archaeological Evaluation of Sites 9BR1209, 9CK1356, 9CK1361, and 9CK1366 for Proposed Improvements to SR 20 from I-75 to I-575*. Report submitted to GDOT and Arcadis.
- 2023 Williams, Leigha and Hugh B. Matternes. *Saved by Grace: An Archaeological Recovery and Relocation of the Burt/Royster Cemetery (31WA1629)*. Report prepared for Duke Energy.
- 2023 Williams, Leigha, Chris Espenshade, and Monica Foster. *Phase I Archaeological Survey for the Conversion of Two Intersections into Roundabouts on State Route 54, Troup County, Georgia*.

- 2023 Williams, Leigha and Hugh B. Matternes. *Archaeological Delineation and Inventory of the Williams Cemetery*. Report prepared for the Georgia Transmission Company.
- 2023 Williams, Leigha, Matt Evans, Sarah Lowry, and Hugh B. Matternes. *Archaeological Investigations Along a Sewer Replacement Corridor by the North Oconee River on the West Side of Oconee Hill Cemetery*.
- 2023 Wise, Ronald, Smanatha Taylor, John Kimes, Holly Adington, and Leigha Williams. *Phase I Archaeological Survey of the Lewis Chapel Transmission Line, Sequatchie County, Tennessee*.
- 2022 Williams, Leigha, Justin Elmore, and Hugh B. Matterness. *Archaeological Boundary Determination of an Unnamed Cemetery in Clarksville, Montgomery County, Tennessee*. Report submitted to the City of Clarksville.
- 2022 Elmore, Justin, Hugh B. Matternes, and Leigha Williams. *The Whites and Wrights of Jackson County: An Archaeological Recovery and Reinterment of the Nancy Smith White Cemetery (9JK353)*.
- 2021 Williams, Leigha. *The Graham Vault: Analysis of Skeletal Material After Reopening in 1980*. Unpublished report submitted to Georgia Southern University and the City of Savannah, GA.

SUMMARY OF PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

Miss Williams has authored and co-authored multiple technical reports and presented work at a research symposium organized by Georgia Southern University, as well as at the 2024 Southeastern Archeological Conference.

PRESENTATIONS

- 2024 Cause of Death and Memorialization. SEAC.
- 2021 The Graham Vault: Analysis of Skeletal Material After Reopening in 1980. Georgia Southern University.

EMPLOYMENT

- 2022-Present Mortuary Archaeologist, New South Associates, Inc.
- 2021-2022 Field Archaeologist, University of South Carolina, Savannah River Archaeological Research Program.
- 2021 Field Technician, New South Associates, Inc.
- 2021 Field Technician, TerraXplorations.
- 2020-2021 Project Coordinator/Curator, Georgia Southern University/National Park Service.

MEMBERSHIPS AND REGISTRATIONS

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