

HERBERT GREEN WAGGENER TIMELINE

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Introduction: *Herbert Green Waggener was a Baptist Preacher in Adair and Hardin Counties, KY. He was very involved in the Russell Creek Association for many years. Herbert Green Waggener's father, James Herbert Waggener was apparently born on the estate of his parents, Herbert and Elizabeth (Garnett) Waggener, in South Farnham Parish, Essex County. This estate was probably not far from the estate of his grandparents, John and Rachel (Ward) Waggener, southwest of Tappahannock, along the north side of Hoskin's Creek. James father, Herbert, died in 1743, leaving his estate mostly intact with his wife for his younger children. (Essex County, VA, Wills Pages 37-39, Bond of Eliza. Waggener as executrix of Harbert Waggener. 20 Sept 1743 For L500 Sterling. Securities, Erasmus Withers Allen and George Coleman, Elizabeth Waggener, Erasmus W. Allen, George Coleman 20 Sept 1743.)*

James moved to St. George Parish in Spotsylvania County probably shortly after the death of his father, very likely with his brother John Waggener, as well as cousins Samuel Waggener, Jr., Erasmus Wethers Allen, and Lucretia Waggener. Later they were also joined there with his younger brothers, Reuben and Greensby Waggener. In 1744, James Herbert bought land in Spotsylvania County around from a cousin, Erasmus Wethers Allen (Erasmus Wethers Allen of St. Geo. Par., Spts. Co., to James Waggoner of same Par. and county. L30 curr. 300 a. in Spts. Co. Witnesses: Nathaniel x Allen, Thomas x Allen. May 1, 1750). (Crozier's Spotsylvania County Record, p. 206). On 08 December 1747, also in Spotsylvania County, James Herbert Waggener had married Ann Jones, daughter of James Jones of Spotsylvania (Crozier's Spotsylvania Record, p. 32, and DAR Waggener Family Bible for date). James brother Edmond was killed in 1755 while serving as an Ensign in the Virginia Volunteers at Braddocks Defeat. (Listing of the dead at Braddocks defeat.) On By 1771, James Herbert and Ann moved to Culpeper County, where James Herbert resided until he died. [Note, an undated newspaper article printed in Elizabethtown, KY, in The Mirror, after 1900, on an old Bible then owned by Samuel L. Waggener, gives the date of James Herbert Waggener and Ann Jones' marriage as 1757). (Source of newspaper article, Mary Jo Jones.)

15 April 1768 Herbert Green Waggener was born to James Herbert and Ann (Jones) Waggener, probably in Spotsylvania County, VA. (DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family). Within three years, his parents, James and Ann (Jones) Waggener, moved to Culpeper Co, VA, where they purchased property on the Rapidan River.

2 November 1785 Herbert G. Waggener (then eighteen years old), John Waggoner, Reuben Waggoner, William Willis, John Ingram, Thomas Garnett, Samuel Dogan and others petition the Virginia State legislature against an assessment bill. "Early Virginia Religious Petitions", online image from Culpeper Co., VA found at: <http://lcweb2.loc.gov/ammem/repehtml/> originals held by the Univ. Virginia Library.

10 June 1787 Herbert G. Waggener and Nancy Willis married in Culpeper Co, VA. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. Nancy was a daughter of William and Elizabeth "Betsy" (Garnett)

Willis. William and Betsy's land was on the east side of Herbert G. Waggener's father's land, and the Garnett family holdings were on the west side, on the horseshoe bend of the Rapidan, about where Orange, Madison and south Culpeper Counties meet. William Willis is thought to be the son of John Willis and Elizabeth Plunkett, and is thought to have received bounty land on Dick's River in Lincoln Co, KY, for services in the Revolutionary War but there were a number of William Willises in the area, and no firm link has been made. Betsy's father Anthony Garnett b. Essex Co, VA, and a vestryman in St. Mark's Parish, an officer during the French and Indian War, and later even served as a recruiter during the American Revolution. (DAR). Before his death, he owned 1,000 acres on the Rapidan River, known as Horseshoe Farm. Betsy's mother was Elizabeth Jones, eldest daughter to Robert Jones, who served as Burgess of Essex County in 1726, and was the widow of John Boulware (or Bowler). Anthony and Betsy Garnett lived in St. Ann's Parish in Essex County, VA, before moving to Culpeper Co, VA, about 1741. Source Rick Waggener. [William and Betsy (Garnett) Willis appear to have sold off their Culpeper Co, VA, land holdings and moved to KY about 1805. He is said to have died in Boone Co, KY, 1833 and she in KY 4 January 1835. Source Unknown.]

13 March 1788 Elizabeth Nancy Waggener, daughter of Herbert G. Waggener and Nancy born. Elizabeth Nancy died two years later. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family

11 September 1789 Frances "Fanny" Waggener was born to Herbert G. Waggener and Nancy. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. An Adair County, KY, marriage bond gives: "Alexander Miller and Fanny Waggener, dau. of Herbert G. Waggener, 3 Sep. 1806". Source Carol Moody

24 December 1790 Alexander Waggener was born, eldest son of Herbert G. Waggener and Nancy). DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. Alexander married Cassandra Smith in Adair Co, KY. Herbert Green Waggener performed the ceremony. See the Adair County Marriage Book. About 1825, having lost everything in the Panic of about 1820, Alexander and Cassandra moved to Pike Co, MO, later moving to Lewis Co, MO. Alexander died in Clark Co, MO, 03 APR 1861. Source, Rick Waggener.

1790 Culpeper Co Personal Property Tax List

Harbut G. Waggener 1 white tithable; - Blacks > 16; 1 black 12-16; 1 tithable 0.12 Tax
Herbert G. Waggener is listed after William Willis (his father-in-law) and before his father. If taken in order, it is likely Herbert G. Waggener and his family were living on the land of one parent or the other.

1791 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

Herbert G. Waggener 1 white tithable; - Blacks > 16; 1 Black 12-16; 3 horse; 1 tithable -.16

17 September 1791 Elizabeth Nancy Waggener b. 1788, daughter of Herbert G. Waggener and Nancy: died ~2 years old. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family

1792 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

May 24 Harbut G. Waggener 1 white tithable; 2 Blacks >16; - Blacks 12-16; 3 horses 3
3 tithables; tax 1.6

26 September 1792 William Willis Waggener, Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy's son, born. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. William married 06 March 1812 Maria Garnett, daughter of Oliver and Frances (Wetherall) Garnett in Adair Co, KY. Adair Co, KY, loose marriage bonds on a high shelf of the Courthouse, Columbia, KY. After the death of Maria, William married 17 May 1842 Matilda Edrington, Adair Co, KY.

1793 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

Herbert G. Wagener 1 white tithable; 0 Blacks >16; 0 Blacks 12-16; 2 horses; 1 tithable; tax 0.4 [Note: Herbert G. Waggener may have had a bad year or, more likely, he had hired his Blacks out to work, so was not charged with them for the year.]

11 April 1794 Herbert Green Waggener, Jr., born of Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. Herbert G. Waggener, Jr., m. Elizabeth Carlile in Green Co, KY. Waggoner, Herbert G. to Carlile, Elizabeth, cons his f, Herbert G. Sr., cons her f, James, 7 Nov. 1811", Marriages: Green Co., Ky. Marriages 1793-1836 Book A. Later, about 1828, Herbert G. Waggener Jr & Elizabeth Carlile Waggener were founding members of the Columbia Baptist Church, Adair Co, KY, and Herbert G. Waggener Jr. attended the Russell Creek Association meetings in the early 1830's. The Herbert G. Waggoner who was with the 4th Regiment (Ewing's), Mounted, Kentucky Vols. War of 1812 was probably Herbert G. Waggener Jr.

1794 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

Mar 11 Herbert G. Wagoner 1 white tithable; 1 Black >16; - Blacks 12-16; 4 horses; 2 tithable

1795 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

Apr 1 Herbert Waggener 1 white tithable; 2 blacks >16; - blacks 12-16; 5 horses; 3 tithables

19 April 1796 Willis Waggener son of Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy born. Willis died in September 1817. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family.

August 1795: Heaving rains throughout the area lead to a flood that comes down through Culpeper County. "Fredericksburg, August 4. Great damage has been done in counties of Culpeper, Orange etc, among the mills and mill dams many of which have been entirely swept away by this late flood." From Virginia Herald and Fredericksburg Advertiser, Tuesday, Sept. 1 (or 13), 1795. #447

In 1795, James Herbert and Ann (Jones) Waggener transferred to their son John the 150 acres in Culpeper County, on which they lived (Culpeper Deed Book "S", p. 169). In February 26, 1796 for "three hundred pounds current money" son John mortgaged this 150 acre tract of land to "Richard Waggener of Kentucky, James Jones Waggener of Culpepper, Thomas Waggener of Madison County, Herbert Green Waggener of Culpepper, and Ambrose Jones and John White, both of Madison County." (Ambrose Jones was the husband of daughter Mary Waggener, and John White was the husband of daughter Lucy Waggener.) The indenture further describes the tract of land as "on which the said John Waggener now resides," and mentions "on or before the death of James Waggener the elder of Culpeper County," (Culpeper Deed Book "S", p. 483). The indenture describes the tract of land in Culpeper County as "bounded by the lands of William

Morton, Samuel Dogan, and Robert Garnett and the Rapidan River." This Robert Garnett, who also witnessed James Herbert's will and its subsequent proving, is the father of Elizabeth, Sally, and Mary Garnett; the three Garnett sisters who married 3 Waggener brothers, James Jones, Thomas, and John Waggener, respectively.

1796 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

May 29 Herbert G. Waggener 1 white tithable; 1 black >16; - blacks 12-16; 4 horses; 2 tithable [Note: Herbert G. Waggener seems to have lost ground economically this year, perhaps due to the flood.]

1797 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

May 28 Herbert G. Wagener 1 white tithable; 2 blacks >16; - blacks 12-16; 4 horses; 3 tithables

25 February 1798 Burgess Waggener son of Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy born. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. Burgess m. 01 May 1819 Nancy Shipp, in Green Co, KY. Listed among Kentucky marriages prior to 1850. Nancy was a daughter of Richard Shipp IV and Mary Copeland who were m. 1789 Culpeper Co, VA. Richard Shipp IV was a messenger from Pitman Meetinghouse to the Russell's Creek Association for many years. (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky). Burgess and his wife died in IN, he in 1880, she in 1866. Rick Waggener.

17 September 1798: Herbert G. Waggener purchases 106 acres of land in two parcels from Joseph Wilkins for \$700. Culpeper Co, VA Deed Book U, p. 68, LDS Microfilm 0030950. This land was slightly north and east of their parents lands, and up on the side of Piney Mountain on Cabin Creek.

1798 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

10 April: Herbert G. Waggener 1 white tithable; 2 blacks >16; - blacks 12-16; 4 horses; 3 tithables Amount of Tax 1.6

14 July 1799 Peachy [Sarah] Waggener, daughter of Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy, born. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. Peachy m. 12-22-1817 Anthony Davis and was listed on the marriage bond dated 11 Dec. 1817 as dau of Herbert Green Waggoner, attest Alex William and Burris Waggoner. Carol Moody.

1799 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

Herbert Wagener 1 white tithable; 2 blacks >16; - blacks 12-16; 2 horses; 3 tithable; tax 1.12

1800 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

Herbert G. Wagener 1 wh tithable; 3 blacks >16; - blacks 12-16; 3 horses; 4 tithables; tax 1.68

14 August 1801 Albert Galatin Waggener, a son of Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy born. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. The Albert Gallatin after whom this child was named was a famous Swiss-American politician who was the head of the U.S. Treasury under Thomas Jefferson. Albert Galatin Waggener m. Lockie V. Chrisman and lived in Cumberland Co, KY, for most of their lives. Albert served as the Cumberland County Sheriff during the period 1845-

1847, and again in 1858. He also served as Justice of the Peace during 1874. Their son James M. Waggener of Co. "J" 1st Ky. Cav. Vol., died at Bean's Station in the War Between the States (Lockie applied 29 Jan. 1872 for pension appl# 201490, Cert 308144); and their daughter Nancy's husband Robert R. Parrish died after being captured while serving in the same unit. Her widow's pension was granted under Cert # 66,105.

1801 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

Harbert G. Waggoner 2 white tithables; 3 blacks >16; - Blacks 12-16; 5 horses;
5 tithable; tax amount 1.92 [Note: Herbert G. Waggener may have a white hired hand]

In 1802 there were 744 tythables in Adair County, KY between 1802 and 1806 the 10' x 10' jail was built with pillory and stocks (probably on the town square of the newly surveyed and laid out county seat of Columbia. Early Columbia by Ruth Paull Burdette, self-published, no date.

1802 Culpeper Personal Property Tax List

Harbert G. Waggoner 1 white tithable; 3 Blacks >16; - blacks 12-16; 5 horses;
4 tithables; tax amount 1.92

18 April 1803 James Herbert Waggener (Herbert G. Waggener's father) died in Culpeper Co, VA Source, probate of Will. In his will dated August 28, 1788, and proved April 18, 1803 (Culpeper Will Book "D", p. 437), James bequeathed to his wife Ann all his estate both real and personal for her widowhood, at her death or marriage it was to be equally divided among his children: Richard, James, Thomas, John, and Ann Waggener. He appointed his sons, Richard, James, and Thomas as Executors. The witnesses were Robert Garnett, Beverly Bradley, and William Willis. William Willis was the father of Herbert G. Waggener's wife, Nancy (Willis) Waggener. James Herbert's son Richard Waggener and grandson-in-law, Beverly Bradley, had already moved to Kentucky by the time James Herbert died in 1803. Herbert G. Waggener and three of his sisters were not mentioned in the Will, having apparently received their portions earlier. A Mr. Trist Wood of New Orleans had in his possession, several letters from his ancestor, Richard Waggener, Herbert G. Waggener's eldest brother. One of the letters is dated September 28, 1809, and written by "Mrs. Lucy White, (Herbert G. Waggener's sister Lucy) of Madison Co., Virginia," to her brother Richard in Barren co., Kentucky. She wrote, "I ad no more but remain your affectionate sister, Lucy White. Johnny White with the rest of the family joyns me with respects to you and your family family. Mother sends her love to you all." This letter shows that Lucy's mother Ann (Jones) Waggener apparently went to live with Lucy and John White in Madison County, VA, after the death of her husband James Herbert Waggener. Rick Waggener.

8 July 1803 John Calvin Waggener was born to Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. John C. m. 1st 28 February 1824 Matilda Willis in Boone Co, KY; 2nd 29 September 1840 Elizabeth Ann (Kidwell) Odell in Lewis Co, MO; and 3rd 24 MAY 1866 Pauline C. Newman, Lewis Co, MO. He died in 1867 in Lewis Co, MO, having fathered 11 children.

10 Oct. 1804 Herbert G. Waggoner purchased for \$2,000. from Robert Patton of Fredericksburg, VA and Ann Gorden his wife their 1/3 interest in a tract in Adair Co on Glens or Russells Creek

containing 667 acres beginning on the main west fork of Glens Creek being the same tract purchased by Robert Patton, Rich's Hackley and John Lee from James Garnett and others. Adair County Kentucky Deed Abstracts, Books A and B, 1802-1811 by Michael C. Watson p. 13, Book A p. 277. [Note: It was over two years before the deed was actually honored and recorded.]

16 Oct. 1804: Herbert G. Waggoner: Sold the Culpeper Co. VA land where they lived Z 55 1805 to Robert Patton, 443 acres for \$1420. The land is partly that Herbert G. Waggoner purchased from Hawkins, but part he also purchased from James Somerville, which deed is not in the index of Culpeper Co VA deeds. The property was adjoining the lands of William Robertson, John Jamison, Peter Hansbrough and James Somerville on the south side of Cabin Branch and west side of Piney Mountain. That places him about 4 miles NNE of James Waggoner Sr's original Culpeper land.

16 October 1804 Herbert G. Waggoner sold 100 acres to his brother-in-law Benjamin Willis for \$100. Culpeper County Deed Book AA page 247. [Note: when Willis tried to record the sale in April 1805, Herbert G. Waggoner was not around.

10 Oct. 1804: John and his wife Sally (Garnett) Waggoner sold 2 parcels of land in Culpeper Co. to Robert Patton for \$1104. Culpeper Co VA Deed Book: AA 93 [Note: the land was John's and what had been his father's, which was on the Rapidan River adjoining the Lands of Robert Garnett, Lovell Dogan and William Midlaw, conveyed to John by his father and mother, James and Ann (Jones) Waggoner 6 May 1795 consisting of 186 acres. The Graveyard was excepted. The other parcel contained 63.75 acres and adjoined the lands of Robert Garnett, William Willis, and Reuben Garnett.]

18 October 1804: Jeremiah Ingram (husband of Nancy (Willis) Waggoner's sister Sarah "Sally") sells for \$ 5304 440 acres of land in purchased in three parcels to Reuben Garnett (Nancy's great uncle). Culpeper Co, VA Deed Book U, p. 68, LDS Microfilm 0030950.

18 October 1804 Edmund Terrill (Willis (Nancy (Willis) Waggoner's brother) sells 476 acres of land for \$5600 to his brother Alexander "Sandy" Willis. Culpeper Co Deed Book AA, p. 254.
And:

18 October 1804: Nathaniel Welch of Madison Co, VA to Edmund Willis of Culpeper Co, VA "but now removed to the State of Kentucky"[at time recorded?] 1000 acres in Adair, Caney Fork of Russels Creek: Witnesses: John Wagoner, Oliver G. Wagoner, Hurbert G. Wagoner and Jere. Ingram. [From Adair County Kentucky Deed Abstracts, Books A and B, 1802-1811 by Michael C. Watson p. 13]

7 January 1805, Monday: Adair County Court Orders, p. 141: Herbert G. Waggoner makes his first action as a Justice of the Adair County KY Court. "On the mo[tion] of Hubbard Green Waggoner, It is Ordered that Jesse White Chisley Coffey James Miller and J. Nathan Elloon or any three of them being first sworn and reviewed blaze out and report the nearest and best way for a road from this place to intersect the road leading from Campbells ferry to Lincoln City to the next Court and that all further proceedings had on a former report So be held for naught. [Note: this, together with the Nathaniel Welch deed above which indicates that Edmund was gone, argues that the families traveled to Kentucky immediately upon selling their land. The trip

was only about 6 weeks or so by then. This would also indicate that Herbert G. Waggener was a court justice by Jan. 1805 and had probably visited Adair Co, KY, earlier in the year before selling his Culpeper Co, VA, land and purchasing land in Adair Co, KY.]

1805 Tax List for Adair Co, KY [none of the following showed land listed]

	white >21	white 16-21	black >16	Total blacks	# horses	Carriage
1805 Wagner, Herbert:	1	-	4	14	5	1
1805 Wagner, John:	1	1	2	4	4	
1805 Ingram, Jeremiah	1	2	9	17	5	
1805 Ingram, John	1	-	1	3	1	
1805 Willis, Edmund						

[Note: Herbert G. Waggener's slaves may have been two families with children? Did he bring the carriage with him from Culpeper Co, VA?]

Tuesday, 11 June 1805: Herbert G. Waggener has an advertisement in the Kentucky Gazette, Vol. XVIII, Number 978, "about a claim for land on Glen's fork of Russel's Creek entered by Alexander Dick, now belonging to Robert Pattern, Richard Hackley and John Lee." From The Kentucky Gazette, 1801-1920, Genealogical and Historical Abstracts, by Karen Mauer Green, Gateway Press, Baltimore, 1985.

14 & 15 Sept. 1805 Herb.G.Waggoner, Jn. [John] White, G. Foster, Armsted Redding were Messengers from the Zion Baptist Church on Glensfork to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists at their annual meeting which was held, that year, at Brush Creek Meeting-house in Green County. The introductory sermon delivered at noon on Saturday the 14th by Elder Baldwin Clifton, one of the messengers from Pitman's Creek, was from Acts 15:25-26 where the Jews seek to have the local Roman hierarchy put Paul to death because Paul has been converted to Christianity and preaches and witnesses for Christianity. The Romans believe Paul is mad and do not wish to put him to death but must send him to Rome for trial because Paul has asked for this. [Russell Creek Association Minutes excerpts from the Notes of the Copyright Office in Frankfort, KY, microfilmed by the Obtained copy of minutes from Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives, 907 Commercial Street, #400, Nashville, TN 37203-3630 (Tel: 615-244-0344) and available for sale (not interlibrary loan). The Archive has no information on when or how these were copied. Apparently the information was destroyed somehow. NOTE: The notice above the list said that N.B. ministers were listed in small caps and licensed preachers in italics. There were no small caps on the list but three names were underlined, including Herbert G. Waggener's] By comparing the 1813 transcription where this is also done with copies of actual minutes from 1813, I believe that the underline indicates italics. Therefore Herbert G. Waggener was probably licensed but not ordained at that time. By 1813 Herbert G. Waggener was listed as ordained.

\$ 5500 14 October 1805: Reuben (Herbert G. Waggener's uncle) and Catey Waggener, and Leah Mitchell Waggener (widow of Reuben's son or brother Greensby) sell land in Culpeper Co, to Philip Slaughter. Deed Book AA, p. 196. [Note: Reuben and Catey were apparently preparing to move to Kentucky. Whether Leah moved or not is not answered here]. Reuben later appears on the Adair Co, KY, Personal Property Tax Lists.

31 January 1806 Simeon Green Waggener born to Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. Simeon is my great great grandfather. He married 1st 03 February 1825 Elizabeth Loy; 2nd 20 October 1841 Rachel McClister, both in Adair Co, KY. [1st Marriage Bond given by Simeon Waggener and Albert G. Waggener for Simeon Waggener Son to Herbert whose consent is hereby certified and Elizabeth Loy daughter to Martin Loy whose consent is also hereby certified. Signed Simeon Waggener and Albert G. Waggener. 2nd Marriage bond by Simeon Waggener and James McClister.] Simeon fathered 21 children before his 1885 death in Lewis Co, MO. Family History.

28 March 1806 Elliott Rucker and wife Nancy of Madison Co, VA to Reuben Waggoner of Adair...448 acres in Adair on Butler's fork of Russell Creek adjoining Charles Creel on the south, Dudley north and John Anderson east, witnessed in Madison Co. VA. Herbert G. Waggener's uncle Reuben purchases land about 2 miles east of Columbia, Adair Co, KY. Reuben ran a horse stud, as would his sons, even after the family moved to Texas years later. Source: Liz Stump.

7 April 1806, Monday: Adair County Court Orders, p. 214: Commission from his Excellency Christopher Greenup esq. Gov'n of the Commonwealth appointing Hugh French, John Wolford, Nathan Montgomery and Herbert G. Waggener Justices of the Peace was produced and read and they severally being sworn took their Seats. Present: Nathan Montgomery, Herbert G. Waggener, John Wolford, and Hugh French, esquires.

8 April 1806, Tuesday: Adair County Court Orders, p. 217: Present: Dan'l Trabue, William Burberidge, Herbert G. Waggener, John Wolford, and Hugh French, esquires: On the motion of John Waggoner his ear mark a crop and overkeel in each ear is Ordered to Record. On the Motion of Herbert G. Waggoner his ear mark a crop in each ear and overkeel in the left is ordered to Recorded.

5 May 1806, Monday: Adair County Court Orders, P. 218, At the County Court began and held for the County of Adair ... at the house of John Anderson: Present William Burbridge, Nathan Montgomery, Rich'd Patterson, Robt. Trabue and Robert Thomas, esquires. Herbert G. Waggener comes after the court is adjourned to the house of Charles Reaville and after the first two items are entered: next item: Ordered that John Waggoner be Surveyor of the road between Columbia and Glens fork in the Place of William Barned & that the same hands (and all in the bounds thereof) do assist the Said Waggoner in the Exec of said office who assisted the Said Barned

4 August 1806 [From Adair County Kentucky Deed Abstracts, Books A and B, 1802-1811 by Michael C. Watson p. 20, Book A p. 412 and 416 refer to Herbert G. Waggoner, Robert Thomas and Martin Warren as three Justices of the Adair County Court]

03 September 1806 Frances "Fanny" Waggener, age almost 17, m. Alexander Miller attest Robert Trabue (ceremony not by Herbert G. Waggener). Alexander was involved in several subsequent enterprises, including a venture which resulted in a lawsuit being filed in 1806. According to Burdette, Alexander had an agreement in 1804 with Nicholas Perkins as partner.

Depositions were given that they went down the Mississippi to Gibsonport with many barrels of whiskey, ginseng, corn and Irish potatoes. One man deposes that he came to Columbia in December 1804 and that Perkins was then in Cumberland River attending to the loading of a boar. Another witness says he started back to Kentucky from Gibsonport and was overtaken in the State of Tennessee in the Indian Territory by Miller. Perkins had been left at the port to go around by Baltimore and on home. P. 6. Around 1812 John Montgomery bought an entire lot in Columbia and with Alexander Miller ran a store in the frame house. Burdette's Early Columbia, p. 11.

20 September 1806 Herbert G. Waggener, John White, Nathan Hurt and William Conover were messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists held at Meadow Creek Church in Green County. Herbert G. Waggener and brethren Buchanan and Hedgen were appointed to write to the several corresponding associations. Zion church is listed as having 41 members (10 were received by letter and 10 dismissed by letter, no baptisms, deaths or exclusions) (Herbert G. Waggener's name not underlined?) Russell Creek Association Minutes excerpts from the Notes of the Copyright Office in Frankfort, KY, microfilmed by the Obtained copy of minutes from Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives, 907 Commercial Street, #400, Nashville, TN 37203-3630 (Tel: 615-244-0344).

6 October 1806, Adair County Court Orders, P. 232: Ordered that Herbert G. Waggener, Charles Reaville, William McNeely & Joseph Miller, or any three of them, being first duly sworn before a magistrate of the county do apprise the slaves if any and personal Estate of John Stevenson deceased and return an account thereof to the Court at their next term.

3 November 1806: Adair County Court Orders, P. 235: Ordered that Herbert G. Waggener, Charles Reaville, William McNeely & Joseph Miller, or any three of them, being first duly sworn before a magistrate of the county do apprise the slaves if any and personal Estate of John Stevenson deceased and return an account thereof to the Court at their next term. (same order as 6 Oct)

December(?) 1806: Adair County Court Orders, P. 240: Ordered that Herbert G. Waggener & James Gilmore be Commissioners to Settle with Nathan Montgomery late Sheriff in his acct's with this county and that they report Ve.

1806 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, John. Property in Shelby County; Little Kentucky (watercourse); B. Anderson (original grantee); 1 white male >21; 1 white male 16-21; 2 blacks >16; 4 blacks altogether; 4 horses

Waggoner, Herbert 450 acres on Glens Fork (Alex Dick original grantee) 1 white male >21; 0 white males 16-21; 4 blacks >16; 14 blacks altogether; 4 horses

Waggoner, Reuben 400 acres on Butler's Fork 1 white male >21; 0 12-16; 6 blacks >16; 16 blacks altogether; 5 horses; plus 1 stud horse and 15 Rate of covering and season

Willis, Edmund 1000 acres on Cane Creek 1 white male >21; 0 12-16; 4 blacks >16; 15 blacks total; 4 horses; plus 1700 acres rate 111.9 on Cane Creek

Willis, William 1600 acres on Henderson Co 1 white male >21; 0 16-21; 9 blacks >21; 21 total blacks; 5 horses; plus 1500 3rd rate land in Lirengski? Co.

8 October 1806 Herbert G. Waggener is one of four appraisers of the 29 page inventory of a store for John Stevenson dec'd. [Adair County, Kentucky Wills Books A & B 1804-1818 compiled by Michael C. Watson, p. 1 Book A p. 36]

4 Nov 1806 John Mellenger and wife Peggy of Adair County sell 100 acres on Glensfork of Russell Creek to Herbert Green Waggener. Nov 1806 John Mellenger and wife Peggy of Adair County to William Hurt of Adair 269 acres, exclusive of the one acres deeded to Mellenger or the Baptist Church on Glensfork of Russell Creek [Watson Adair Deed Abstracts, p. 22 Book A, p. 455 & 457]

5 Jan'y 1807: "Herbert G. Waggener Esquire is appointed Commissioner of the upper end, and Thomas Gilman of the lower end of the County Agreeably to the division made between said Gilmer and Benjam Bowmar. Whereupon their severally took that Oath required by law and Executed and Acknowledged bond, the said Herbert with William McNeely his Security and the said Thomas with James Gilmer his Security in the Sum of \$2000 conditioned as the law directs." Adair County Court Orders

5 Jan'y 1807 Ordered that William Burbridge, James Gilson, Herbert G. Waggener & Dan'l Trabue, Gent, be, or any three Of them, Commissioners to Contract with some fit Person or persons to locate and secure the proper Quantity of land allowed by law to the County for the benefit of a Seminary of learning [school]. Vc and that they Oblige the undertaker to take such part of the land as they may think fit, for his Trouble and that they report Vc. Adair County Court Orders [next item].

2 March 1807 Adair County Deed Book A, p 493: Adair County Commissioners finally give Herbert G. Waggener clear title to the 450 acres of land he purchased from Patton in 1804.

1807 Adair County Ky Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, Herbert 450 acres on Glens Fork (Alex Dick, original patentee) 1 white male >21; 1 white male 16-21; 4 blacks >16; 14 blacks total; 7 horses plus 100 acres 3rd rate on Russell Creek [Note: white male 16-21 Is Herbert G. Waggener's oldest son Alexander b. 1891 Va]

6 July 1807, Monday: Bernard Fowler being permitted by the court chose Herbert G. Waggener as his Guardian whereupon the said Herbert with Daniel Trabue being Security Executed and Acknowledged bond in penalty of 100 pounds conditioned as the law directs. [Next item:] An indenture of Apprenticeship binding Bernard Fowler to William Minter was acknowledged by the parties thereto and Ordered to be recorded. [Minter is later listed in another indenture as a

cabinetmaker. In 1809, Minter marries John Waggener's daughter Elizabeth Green Waggener]
Adair County Ky Court Orders

3 August 1807, Monday: On the motion of Herbert G. Waggener, Esq, setting forth that he is possessed of a certain tract of land on Russell's Creek in this County and that he is ___ desirous of creating a water Grist Mill on the same and that an acre of land on the opposite side of the said Creek aforesaid, said tract of land may be la___ and Granted him for an butmill?: his claim. It is Ordered that an Ad Gread Domain Issue Vc and further Ordered that the Same be ___ on the day of ___ if ___ not on the next fair day and ___ he report. Adair County Ky Court Orders [Note: confusing, but looks like Herbert G. Waggener got permission to build a Grist Mill]

3 August 1807, Monday: Ordered that it be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts that Herbert G. Waggener Esq. One of the Comm. Of the Tax Vc in the County for this Year is allowed the Sum of Fifty Dollars for his Services. Adair County Ky Court Orders

19 Sept. 1807 and continued 21 Sept. (the 20th was the Sabbath): Herbert G. Waggener, John White, Francis Montgomery and William Conover were messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists held at Mount Giliad Meeting-house, Green County, KY. [Note: Herbert G. Waggener underlined again so probably still licensed but not ordained. This is not surprising since he has been a court justice and tax commissioner. The Baptist ministers at that time were supposed to be of the faith, not of the world. Herbert G. Waggener probably was too worldly and must change before ordination.] From Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives and Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky.

1807 Adair County Ky Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, John 150 Acres on Glens Fork 1 white male >21; 0 16-21; 3 blacks >16; 6 total blacks; 3 horses

Waggoner, Herbert 300 acres on Glens Fork (Alex Dick original patentee) 1 white male >21; 1 16-21; 5 blacks; 15 blacks total; 7 horses plus 100 acres 3rd rate on Russell Creek

4 April 1808: Ordered that Joseph Cook be Surveyor of the road leading from Waggeners Old improvement now the road to Cumberland County line in the survey(?) of Thomas Wisdom and that all the hands of those in the bounds thereof do assist said Cook in the Execution of his said Office who res(?) Wisdom. Adair County Court Orders [Note: the road past Waggeners' grave yard is still the road to Cumberland Co.]

22 June 1808 Nancy Waggener born to Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family

16-17 (Friday and Saturday) September 1808: Herbert G. Waggener, John White and Owen Owens were again messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky). Zion Baptist Church received 5 new members by letter, excluded 1 and had one die leaving 45 members. Richard Ship was listed as a messenger for Pitman's Creek Baptist Church. [Richard Shipp was the father of Nancy Shipp

who would marry Herbert G. Waggener's son Burgess in 1819. (Herbert G. Waggener NOT underlined again although about half were). Herbert G. Waggener was appointed to work with William Hiter of Meadow Creek to answer the correspondence from other Associations and churches. From Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives. [Note: this and the fact that Herbert G. Waggener was made a justice, indicate that he had more than average education. Interesting for a man who married at 18 and supported a family thereafter]

November 1808 Term: Herbert G. Waggener again listed as one of three members of Adair County Court. [Watson Adair Deed Abstracts, p. 35 Book B, p. 168]

8 December 1808: William Willis of Adair County, KY, to Nancy Willis, now Nancy Waggoner, and Herbert Waggoner, her husband, of the same county, in consideration of the natural love and affection borne to his daughter Nancy, and for \$1.00, a tract of land in Henderson County, Kentucky on the waters of Lost Creek, containing 528 1/2 acres. Said tract bounded by land of Reuben Graves, and by land reserved for Benjamin Willis. Witnessed by J. Blane, John Wolford, Edmund Willis and Benjamin G. Willis. Recorded by the Kentucky Court of Appeals, December 29, 1808. From Kentucky Court of Appeals Deed Books H-N, Volume 2 transcribed by Michael L. Cook and Bettie A. Cook, Cook Publications, Evansville, IN: 1985, p. 259. Pp 258 & 259 also contain Indentures from William Willis of 641 acres to Robert Willis, 442 acres on Cypress Creek and 123 1/4 acres on Lost Creek to William Willis Jr; and 517 acres to Benjamin Willis; 739 acres to Sally Willis Ingram and Jeremiah Ingram; 425 on Cypress Creek, Henderson Co, and 155 1/2 acres on Lost Creek to Elizabeth Willis Graves and Reuben Graves of Boone County, KY. [Note: Since William Willis lived until about 1830; I wonder why he transferred the land now. Could be that he was pursued by creditors and wanted to transfer the land before it was confiscated?] What about John, Edmund T (Edmund is witness?), Isaac & Alexander?

20 January 1809 Herbert G. Waggener witnesses sale of Columbia Town lot #58. [Watson Adair Deed Abstracts, p. 44 Book B, p. 316]

20 August 1809 Nancy Waggener, ~1 year old daughter of Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy, dies. Probably in Adair County, Ky. DAR Waggener Family Bible.

9 Feb. 1809 Herbert G. Waggener performed marriage of Robert Trabue and Lucy Waggoner (John's daughter). This was the second marriage ceremony written under Herbert G. Waggener's name in the Adair County Marriage Book A.

1809 Original Diddle Tavern was licensed and for two year thereafter, sold about 1814 to Robert Anderson and his father-in-law Edmond Willis. "They ran a tanyard on what was then the back of the place. For many years the depressions left by the pits were visible in the field along Jamestown Street." Burdette, p. 14. Edmond Willis was Nancy (Willis) Waggener's brother.

March 1809 Herbert G. Waggener is sued for debt by James Wier [Adair County, Kentucky Civil Court Cases 1802-1826 compiled by Michael C. Watson, 1995 [p. 8, Filed March 1809 box 3; Wier also filed separate cases against Joseph Holt, Sr., and Samuel Smith at the same time.]

1809 Adair County Ky Personal Property Tax List [land given by William Willis appears]

Ingram, Jeremiah 839 acres of 3rd rate land in Henderson Co 3 adult males >21; 8 blacks >16; 28 blacks total; 8 horses plus 530 acres in Adair County

Waggoner, John 150 Acres on Glens Fork 1 white male >21; 2 blacks >16; 4 blacks total; 2 horses

Waggoner, Herbert G. 523 acres Henderson Co
plus 300 acres Glens Fork (Alex Dick) 1 white male >21; 5 blacks >16; 15 blacks total; 7 horses.
plus 100 acres 3rd rate on Russell Creek

3rd Saturday in September 1809 and days following, the Russell's Creek Association met at Zion Baptist Church in Adair County, KY. Herbert G. Waggener, John White, F. Montgomery, R. Rowland and N Hurt were again messengers for Zion (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky). That year Zion had 41 members, 3 new baptized, 5 dismissed by letter, 1 excluded and 1 died. One of the letters received that year was from South District Association from Jeremiah Briscoe (and others). Jeremiah was probably related to Walter David Briscoe who would marry Herbert G. Waggener's daughter Elizabeth Ann in 1829. Other messengers include William Willis from Mount Giliad and R. Ship from Pitman's Creek. From Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives.

19 June 1810 Justices of Adair County Court provide 136 acres on Petits Fork of Russels Creek to Andrew Ewing for a seminary (school). [Watson Adair Deed Abstracts, p. 46 Book B, p. 365] Burdette p. 22 says that on January 25, 1812 the Town Trustees of Columbia ordered and subsequently the citizens of Columbia built an "academy or seminary of learning" by subscription and using moneys that the KY legislature had set aside for schools from the sale of state lands.

1810 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

John Waggener and Herbert G. Waggener taxes same as 1809.

3rd Saturday in September 1810 and the days following the Russell's Creek Association Of Baptists met at Good Hope Meeting-house, Green County, Herbert G. Waggener, John White and Robert Rowland were again messengers to The Russell's Creek Association Of Baptists (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky). Herbert G. Waggener delivered the Introductory Sermon from Revelations 7:14 "These they are what came out of great tribulation." John White was chosen Moderator. Richard Ship was again messenger for Pitman's Creek. No statistics listed. From microfilm obtained from the Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives.

23 December 1810 James Madison Waggener born to Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. 28 October 1830 James Madison Waggener, age 20, m. Gillead "Gilly" Caroline Shepard, age 17, in Hardin Co, KY. "H.G. Waggoner father of man gave consent by a written certificate of ___ proves by -----/ Amelia Shepard Mother of girl gives

consent in person. The rites of Matrimony celebrated between the above named parties on the 28th day of October 1830 by me. H.G. Waggoner." [signed exuberantly by HGW in large letters with large slashes below] From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788. 4th Saturday in January 1833: James Waggener is excluded by the Church at his own Request with no other charge against him. He had asked a month earlier and been told to wait a month. 4th Saturday before the 4th Sunday in September 1837: Bro James Waggoner was received in this church by making acknowledgment and recanting, then granted a letter of dismissal. Gilead Baptist Church Minutes DAR Records. In 1840 Hardin Co. Deed Book T, p. 41: James M. Waggoner sold his land to Thomas Brown. By 1852 James was living in Lewis Co, MO, on BLM purchased land. 2 April 1865 he m. Catherine Jane Stripe, a widow. James died 22 December 1903, father of six children (DAR Waggener Family Bible).

07 November 1811 Herbert Green Waggener, Jr., age 17, married Elizabeth Carlisle in Green Co, KY Both needed parental permission. Herbert G. Waggener Jr was 17. (maybe daughter of James Carlile who was active in the Russell's Creek Assn. He was probably the Herbert G. Waggener who was in the 4 Regiment (Ewing's), Mounted, Kentucky Vols. War of 1812. Herbert G. Waggener Jr. and Elizabeth Carlisle were founding members of the Columbia Baptist Church and HGW, Sr, was one of the preachers who sanctified the church (see Young's Trabue book), and Jr. was a messenger to the Russell's Creek Association in the early 1830's, and by 1841 had moved to Cumberland Co, KY.

1811 Reuben Waggener was elected as a Trustee of the town of Columbia with John's son Oliver G. Waggener as Clerk of the board. (to serve one had to own property in town) p. 39 Burdette. In 1812 Reuben was elected President of the Board, Oliver still in place, though he will leave later in the year, giving up his position, to move to Paris, Bourbon Co., KY (replaced by lawyer Isaac Caldwell) and Edmund Waggener as tax collector with Reuben Waggener as surity. By 1812 Reuben is listed a Gent. P. 43 Burdette.

1811 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, Herbert 300 acres Glens Fork (Alex Dick) 1 white male >21; 6 blacks >16; 17 total blacks; 9 horses

plus 100 acres 3rd rate on Russell Creek {Henderson County land from Nancy's father William Willis not listed??}

October 1811 Herbert G. Waggener sues James Leeper for 10 pounds damages when Leper failed to pay for items sold to Leeper by Herbert G. Waggener in 1810 apparently two different times:

3 ½ yds coating	2.12.6
2 handkerchief @ 4.6	0.9.0
1 pen knife	0.3.9
¼ yd Drab @ 14.6	0.18.1 ½
1 paper pens	0.6.6
?? Swan Down	0.6.0
Tu tis pepper----- 24/6	0.1.1

And second list

3 yrs Block lawnth @ 5/3	0.15
2 lt Brimstone a 1/6	0.3
1 comb 2/3	0.3
1.2 yr Ribbon @ 1/6	0.2
1 Qr paper 1/6	0.1
3/2 le Lecice a 1/	0.2
1 Thimble	0.0.?
/2 te copplass a 1/?	0.0.?
Dec. 8 To Clerkrudge? Pd Poulson 4.12.?	
Owes 6.0.?	

3rd Saturday in September 1811 and the days following the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists met as Brush Creek, Green County, Herbert G. Waggener, F. Montgomery and N. Hurt were Zion's messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky) and Richard Ship from Pitman's Creek. Zion Church had baptized 83, received by letter 4, dismissed 7, excluded 1 with 136 current members, making it second only to Mt. Giliad Church in membership among the Association's churches, having tripled its membership in two years. From Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives.

06 March 1812 Herbert G. Waggener's son William Waggoner, 29 years old, married Maria Garnett (Herbert G. Waggener co-signed the bond with his son and performed ceremony per the Adair County Marriage Book A). Maria's father Oliver Garnett also gave permission. Adair County loose permission and bond papers.

1812 Reuben Waggener, President of Town Trustees for Columbia when Trustees ordered that all males over 15 are compelled to patrol from 10 pm to daylight. Formed into 7 classes or companies with a captain for each. With a fine of \$1 for refusing. Alex Miller, Edward Waggoner and Reuben Waggener were all listed specifically as either Captains or in charge. Burdette, p. 47 The War of 1812 had come to Town.

1812 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, Herbert 300 acres Glens Fork 1 white male >21; 7 blacks >16; 18 blacks total; 7 horses.

plus 100 acres 3rd rate on Russell Creek

Waggoner, Herbert Jr. no land 0 white males >21; 0 blacks >16; 0 blacks total; 1 horse

1812 Waggoner, Alex. no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 0 blacks; 1 horse

1812 Waggoner, William. no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 0 blacks total; 3 horses

3rd Saturday in September 1812 and the days following the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists met as Pitman's Creek Meeting-house, Green County, Herbert G. Waggener, his brother John Waggener, Wm. Burbridge, Wm. Smith, Ben Nailer and Na. Hurt were Zion's messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South

Central Kentucky) and Richard Ship from Pitman's Creek. Zion Church had baptized 51, received by letter 9, dismissed 5, excluded 1, restored 1 with no deaths and 180 current members, making it the largest church in the association. From Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives.

2 November 1812 Herbert G. Waggener has been wrongfully Charged with the County levy & "revinew" tax on one negro woman above the age of 16 years for the years 1809, 10 & 11. He to have Credit with the Collector of the Present year. Adair County Court order book. [another item] Reuben Waggener renewed bond as Tavern Keeper with Wm. Caldwell Scy. License granted.

About 1812 "several brick houses were built in Columbia on the same plan with large rooms, having beautiful classic woodwork, handcarved mantles, and handsome doors and windows well done by master craftsmen. It seems positive that James and Benjamin McDowell were the men who did this work." Burdette p. 12 It appears that both John and Reuben Waggener had homes built. Daniel Trabue, a contemporary of Herbert G. Waggener and co-Justice of the Adair Co, KY, Court, had such a house built. Much added onto, it still survives as the home of the Adair County Historical Society. Trabue lost the house within a couple of years of having it built, due to financial distress.

29 January 1813 Eliza Ann Waggener is the last born child to Herbert G. Waggener & Nancy Waggener. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. Elizabeth Ann Waggener m. 11-26-1829 Walter David Briscoe, in Hardin Co, KY. By 1835 Walter and Eliza are living in Lewis Co, MO, as are many of the Briscoes and Waggeners. Walter David d. 09-16-1853 and Eliza d. 06-20-1864, both in Lewis Co, MO, the parents of 14 children.

17 February 1813 Adair County Deed Book C, p. 277-278: between Herbert G. Waggener and James Ingram, whereas Herbert G. Waggener has this day borrowed \$450 from Jeremiah Ingram to be repaid in a year from this date, Herbert G. Waggener mortgages his land for surity to James Ingram, a trustee for Jeremiah, the tract of land where Herbert G. Waggener now lives containing 300 acres adjoining that of Capt. John Waggoner & the Widow Step, if he doesn't pay, the land to be sold at public auction at any time after the 19th February 1816 by giving notice of the time and place of sale at the door of the Court house in Adair County. Witnessed by John Ingram and Alexander Waggoner. [Note: This places Herbert G. Waggener's land directly next to his brother John's]

18 August 1813 Herbert G. Waggener and Nancy, his wife, of Adair County, Kentucky sell to William Caldwell of Columbia, Adair Co, for \$1500, a tract in Union County, Kentucky, on the waters of Lost Creek containing 528 ½ acres bounded by Reuben Graves, Benjamin Willis, and Jeremiah Ingram. Witnes by James Caldwell. Recorded July 19, 1814, Adair County, Kentucky, at which time Nancy Waggoner relinquished her rights of dower, and recorded by the Kentucky Court of Appeals on May 15, 1823. From Kentucky Court of Appeals Deed Books V-Z, Volume 4 transcribed by Michael L. Cook and Bettie A. Cook, Cook Publications, Evansville, IN: 1985. [Note: This was the land that Nancy's father William Willis gave them in 1808. Union County was formed from Henderson County in 1811.]

1 Nov. 1813, Monday. The Court Proceed to lay the County levy a Statement of Which is as follow-

To H.G. Waggener & Thos. Wilson Judges & Thomas B. Johnson
Clerk of Election in Precinct for this year-\$3.00 each\$9.00

Adair County Court Orders 1809-1813, vol. 2 by Marilyn Poe Laird & Vivian Poe Jackson. P. 402-404.

1813 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, Herbert 300 acres Glens Fork 1 white male >21; 6 blacks >16; 15 blacks total; 8 horses plus 100 acres 3rd rate on Russell Creek

Waggoner, Herbert Jr. no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 0 blacks total; 2 horses

1813 Waggoner, Alex. no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 0 blacks total; 2 horses

1813 Waggoner, William. no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 0 blacks total; 3 horses

3rd Saturday in September 1813 and the days following the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists met at Mt. Giliad, Green County, Herbert G. Waggener (listed as ordained minister), his brother John Waggener, Thos. White, William Burbage, F. Montgomery and Oliver Garnett (brother of Elizabeth, Sally and Mary Garnett who all married Herbert G. Waggener's brothers) were Zion's messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky) plus Richard Ship and Richard's son James Ship (licensed preacher) from Pitman's Creek. Zion Church had received 1 by letter, dismissed 35, excluded 3, with 2 deaths with 142 current members, making Mt. Giliad with 160 members the largest church in the association and Zion second. Brethren H.G. Waggoner, David Elkin and R. Shipp, with the moderator and clerk, to arrange the business of the association. Corresponding letters from other associations were read and responses approved, to be hand carried by selected groups, with Herbert G. Waggener in the separate groups to South District and Green River. The Association agreed to have three union meetings in the year, with Herbert G. Waggener assigned to attend the ones on the 1st Saturday 1814 at Hopewell Church and the fourth Saturday in June 1814 at Sand Lick Church. Appointed brother Waggener to write the circular letter for the next year and to be prepared as backup preacher to Brother David Elkin, should Elkin fail. Abstract from Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives and copy of full original document from Southern Baptist Seminary, Louisville KY.

10 MAR 1814 Alexander Waggoner m. Casandra Smith, marriage performed by Herbert G. Waggener

6 May 1814 Herbert G. Waggener witnesses will of Aron Burbridge and brother John Waggener appraised estate with 2 others (proved July 1814) [Adair County, Kentucky Wills Books A & B 1804-1818 compiled by Michael C. Watson, p. 6 Book B p. 123]

1814 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, Herbert 300 acres Glens Fork 1 white male >21; 7 blacks >16; 15 blacks total; 10 horses

plus 100 acres 3rd rate on Russell Creek

plus 134 on Glens Fork

plus 92 on Rusayer? Co. Ck.

(New Column for Captain: shows Taylor for Herbert G. Waggener)

Waggoner, Alex. no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 0 blacks total; 2 horses

Waggoner, William. no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 0 blacks total; 3 horses

17 September 1814 and the days following the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists met at Meadow Creek, Green County, Herbert G. Waggener, his brother John Waggener, William Burbage, and Frances Montgomery were Zion's messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky) plus Richard and James Ship from Pitman's Creek. Zion Church had received 1 by letter with 142 total. David Elkin gave the Introductory sermon. [No mention in the abstract whether Herbert G. Waggener's circular letter was approved, but assume it was because they all were.] Need more work here to find a copy of the letter. Again brother Waggoner to preach the introductory sermon the following year if the appointed person fails. "10. Appointed the 3d Thursday in November, to be kept as a day of humiliation and prayer, by the Churches in our Association – on account of the calamities of war; & invite our brethren of other denominations to join with us." Abstract from Southern Baptist Historical Library.

1815 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, Herbert

300 acres Glens Fork (Alex Dick) 1 white male >21; 8 blacks >16; 15 total blacks; 12 cattle plus 200 on Glens Fork

(New Column for Captain: still shows Taylor for Herbert G. Waggener and perhaps whole section?)

Waggoner, Alex.

400 Glens Fork (Alex Dick) 1 white male >21; 1 black >16; 4 blacks total; 3 cattle

[Note: the slaves given to Cassandra Smith Waggener by her father on her marriage]

Waggoner, William.

no land 1 white male >21; 0 black >16; 0 blacks total; 1 cattle

Waggoner, Reuben still there with lots of land (including original purchase on Butler's Fork).

23 May 1815 in Adair County Deed Book C, p. 502-503: Herbert G. Waggener and Nancy sell to John Waggener 150 acres for 200 pounds: Bounded as follows: Beginning at a beech white oak and dogwood on the bank of Glen's fork thence north Eighty and one Sixth degrees West one hundred and Ninety-two poles to two Beeches & a white oak thence South Eighty one degrees West Ten poles running through a spring to Two beeches thence South Seventy Nine and a

fourth degrees West two hundred and Six poles to a stake and pointers thence West forty six poles to a Stake and Pointers in the west line of the original Survey of Two hundred acres in the name of Alex Dick thence South Thirty Seven poles to a beech and rock marked W thence E 438 poles to a large oak marked, W, Standing on the bank of Glen fork thence down the Creek with the meanders thereof North Ten degrees East Forty Two and a half poles to the Beginning.

3 June 1815 Adair County Deed Book D, p. 315 John Moore and Nancy his wife sell 160 acres on Pettets Fork of Russell Creek (part of the military survey of Robert Jones) to Herbert G. Waggener for \$996:

16 September 1815 and the days following the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists met at Sand Lick (later called Friendship) Meeting-house, Green County, Herbert G. Waggener, Benjamin Nailor, Samuel Nailor, and Frances Montgomery were Zion's messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky) plus James Ship from Pitman's Creek. Zion Church had received 1 by baptism and 2 by letter with 145 total. [From Spencer's "History of Kentucky Baptists", p. 205 on the Russell's Creek Assoc., biography section (right after Herbert Green Waggener's bio): "JAMES SHIPP was a young preacher of excellent gifts. He was licensed to preach, in Pittmans Creek church, in 1813, and soon after ordained. He was appointed, in 1815, to write the circular letter for the next year. But before the time arrived for the performance of this duty, the Lord called him home." First collection was taken for foreign missions in KY (\$114.00).

2 March 1816 Adair County Deed Book D, p. 109: George Berry and Sally his wife sell to Herbert G. Waggener a 3 acres along Herbert G. Waggener's line for \$35.

March 1816 Herbert G. Waggener sues Edmond Willis and James Turner for debt. It appears that Willis had an account from 1811 to 1814 with Herbert G. Waggener, Edmund looked to Turner for payment owed him; and Herbert G. Waggener sued both. [Adair County, Kentucky Civil Court Cases 1802-1826 compiled by Michael C. Watson, 1995, p. 23, Filed March 1816 box 3; also includes as witnesses Jeremiah Ingram, Alexander Miller, Field and Creel, and William Willis.]

1816 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, Herbert 300 acres Glens Fork (Dick) 1 white male >21; 8 slaves >16; 15 slaves total; 11 cattle
plus 135 on Glens Fork

Waggoner, Alex. 25 Glens Fork (Dick) 1 white male >21; 2 slaves >16; 5 total slaves; 3 cattle

Waggoner, William. no land 1 white male >21; 1 slave >16; 1 total slaves; 1 cattle

Waggoner, Herbert Jr. no land 1 white male >21; 0 slaves >16; 0 total slaves; 2 cattle
(back from War of 1812 or did he serve at home?)

Waggoner, Edmund one town lot 1 white male >21; 1 slaves >16; 2 total slaves; 1 cattle

Ruth Burdette says that in 1816 Edmund Waggoner purchased a previously unsold town lot .
“We learn from later deeds that Mr. Waggener erected on this lot a brick building which burned more than seventy years ago. B.F. Waggener (Edmund’s brother) ran a tavern here in 1826 and 1827. It passed out of Mr. Waggener’s hands in 1843 and was later owned and operated as a hotel.
P. 28.

21 September 1816 Russell’s Creek Association of Baptists met at Zion meeting house in Adair County, KY. Herbert G. Waggener, John White (listed as an ordained minister for the first time), W. Burbridge, and Frances Montgomery were Zion’s messengers to the Russell’s Creek Association of Baptists plus Richard Ship from Pitman’s Creek (this was the year after the death of his son James). Zion Church had received 1 by baptism and 6 by letter, excluded 1 with 140 total. Association decides to drop the union meetings as too restrictive and adopts a plan for all of the ministers (ordained or licensed) to visit all of the churches during the year. John Chandler of Pitman’s Creek, Herbert G. Waggener and William Bailey of Bethel Church were assigned to begin on the first day of June, and visit , 2nd at Bethel, 3rd Zion, 4th Union, 5th Mt Gilead, 7th Little Barren, 8th Salem, 9th Brush Creek, 10th at Linn Camp, 12th Nolinn, 13th Otter Creek, 15th Stewarts, 16th Good Hope, and 19th Meadow Creek.. Several groups were so ordered, each starting a different month from April to September. Corresponding letters approved and messengers to hand carry them appointed, including Herbert G. Waggener with J. Steel and W. Burbridge to Cumberland Association. “9. Agreed to unite with the Missionary societies in America, Europe and Asia, to set apart the evening of the first Monday in every month in prayer to almighty God, that he may crown with success, every honest attempt to send the Gospel to the ends of the earth, & recommend the same to the Churches under our care.” Liberty Church was not disposed toward the Association and dropped, while Judah and Trace Creek Churches had withered from lack of numbers. The circular letter was on revitalizing the people. Abstract from Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives and copy of full original document from Seminary, Louisville KY.

16 Nov. 1816 on a sale of items of the estate of John Fletcher dec’d, Herbert G. Waggener listed among those who purchased something. [Adair County, Kentucky Wills Books A & B 1804-1818 compiled by Michael C. Watson, p. 11 Book B p. 243]

Traveling shows came to town frequently and were taxed which made a record. 1815 the town trustees levied on museums or exhibition shows a tax of not more than ten dollars nor less than five per week or from two to five dollars per day. In February 1817 a show was here for a week on which the notices listed either lion or leopard. In 1819 one with a lion and lioness, and later in that year a was figure exhibit which featured tumbling. Others shows were small hand tricks or ventriloquists. In 1824 a theatrical group came. Burdette p. 31.

1817 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

virtually the same, Herbert G. Waggener, sr and jr, Alex, John, Wm

Waggoner, Andrew no land 1 white male >21; 1 black >16; 3 blacks total; 2 cattle

Waggoner, Reuben lots of land 1 white male >21; 5 blacks >16; 11 blacks total; 7 cattle

September 19, 1817 (or 1816) Herbert G. Waggener's Mother, Ann (Jones) Waggener died. In a letter signed "Richard and Caty Waggener" but evidently written by Caty, and addressed to her brother, Rev. Richard Gaines, then in Abbeville Dist., S.C., in which she says, "Out children are all married by the youngest, Henry and Betsy", and "We have heard of the death of our old Mother Waggener, she died last April." From Tyler's vol., 20, p. 247, from Herbert G. Waggener look for personal property tax record in Cumberland Co, KY. Source, Rick Waggener.

September 1817 Willis Waggener, ~ age 21, Herbert G. Waggener and Nancy's 4th son, dies. Probably in Adair County, KY. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family

October 1817 Alexander Waggoner vs William Smith, William Montgomery and John McColester: Filed June 1817, box 4 - Waggoner married in 1814 Cassandra Smith, daughter of William Smith. Smith had given his daughter four negroes upon her marriage: [with 1817 ages] Lucinda 23, Rebekah 19, Guy 12 and Patsey 6. Lucinda had since had a child, Clara 1 yr in 1817. Patsey was also Lucinda's child. Guy was sold by Alexander to William H. Price. William Smith put slaves under the trusteeship of McColester (whose summons was directed to Lincoln County) and Montgomery. [Sounds like Alexander was selling off his wife's slaves and Papa didn't like it. Apparently these files are only in Kentucky State Archives where they can be reviewed.] from Adair County, Kentucky Civil Suit Index 1803-1826 by Michael Watson, pub. By Watson 1995: p. 25.

20 September 1817 Russell's Creek Association of Baptists met at Good-Hope meeting-house in Green County, KY. Herbert G. Waggener, John Waggoner, and W. Epperson were Zion's messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky) plus Richard Ship was not present from Pitman's Creek and may have moved on to Johnson Co, IN, where he died in 1836. Herbert G. Waggener was chosen as Moderator (meeting leader) for the first time that these scant records show. (Thomas Edrington from Mt. Pleasant and George Edrington from Meadow Creek, plus printer of J.P. Edrington from Bardstown, KY. Thomas Edrington's daughter Matilda would marry Herbert G. Waggener's son William Willis Waggener (widower of Maria Garnett in 1842). Zion church dismissed 3 for 137 total members.

13 Oct 1817 Herbert G. Waggener with two others appraises estate of Samuel Young dec'd and John Waggener is one of two administrators. [Adair County, Kentucky Wills Books A & B 1804-1818 compiled by Michael C. Watson, p. 12 Book B p. 262]

Reuben Waggener "seems to have been the builder of the old home on the side of Lot 49 next to Fortue Street which housed the library for several years and where the First National Bank drive-in was in the 1950's when Burdette wrote. P. 25. When Reuben died, he mentioned a town lot in his Will as going to his wife for her lifetime. Burdette further says that "In 1810 Reuben purchased the land and probably built the house at once. This must be where he ran the tavern. In 1816 he sold it to the Pittman Brothers."

January 1818 Richard Waggener, ~ 70 years old, (Herbert G. Waggener's eldest brother) dies in Barren County, KY (Holt County family history says he died in Barren Co, Dec. 20, 1814, but this was when he made his will. The Will was proven in January 1818 in Varen Co, KY [Kings

Abstracts of Early Kentucky Wills and Inventories p. 6; from Notes on Kay and Allied Families, Mrs. P. W. Hiden, Newport News, VA, 1939).

1818 Adair County Personal Property Tax List (Note: tax lists starts showing value; this is interesting as times are booming, then Panic hits)

Waggoner, Herbert 612 acres Glens Fork 1 white male >21; 8 blacks >16; 21 blacks total; 12 cattle; value \$14,320

Waggoner, Alex. no land 1 white male >21; 1 black >16; 4 blacks total; 11 cattle; value \$1450

Waggoner, Herbert Jr. no land Fork 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 0 blacks total; 2 cattle; value \$60

Waggoner, Catherine 324 acres Butler's Fork 0 white male >21; 7 blacks >16; 10 blacks total; 8 cattle; value \$ 8,327
plus 126 more on Butler's Fork (Reuben's widow Catherine Coleman Waggoner)

Waggoner, Andrew 70 acres on Butler's Fork 1 white male >21; 2 blacks >16; 2 blacks total; 3 cattle; value ?

1818 Waggoner, E.M. 147 acres/town lot/retail store Fork 1 white male >21; 1 blacks >16; 2 blacks total; 1 cattle; value \$13,365

18-21 September 1818 Russell's Creek Association of Baptists met at Meadow (Brush") Creek in Adair County, KY. Herbert G. Waggoner, John Waggoner, Wm. Burbridge, and Frances Montgomery were Zion's messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky). Zion Church had discharged 4 by letter, excluded 1 with 132 total.

At some time earlier, the town of Columbia had begun citizen patrols whose duty it was to ride around and inspect all suspicious places. They were appointed for a year at a time and required to serve at least 12 hours per month. In 1822 Reuben's son, Edmund M. Waggoner, was captain of the group. Burdette p. 30.

01 May 1819 Burgess Waggoner, age 21, marries Nancy SHIPP, daughter of Richard and Nancy (Copeland) Shipp in Green Co, KY. Listed on Ancestry.com among Kentucky marriages prior to 1850.

1819 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, Herbert 612 acres at \$8/ea Glens Fork 2 white males >21; 8 blacks >16; 19 blacks total; 11 cattle; value \$10,925 (second white male over 21 probably Burgess)

Waggoner, John 1050 acres value \$4.57/ea Glens Fork 1 white males >21; 4 blacks >16; 10 blacks total; 6 cattle; value \$8440

Waggoner, William 112 3/4 acres \$3.50/ea Russell's Creek 1 white males >21; 0 blacks >16; 1 blacks total; 3 cattle; value \$914

Waggoner, Alex. 250 acres \$8/ea Glens Fork 1 white males >21; 2 blacks >16; 6 blacks total; 2 cattle; value \$4,490
plus 200 acres valued \$2/ea (Shelby County)

Waggoner, Herbert Jr. no land 1 white males >21; 1 blacks >16; 0 blacks total; 2 cattle; value \$670

Waggoner, Catherine 333 acres Butler's Fork 0 white males >21; 5 blacks >16; 7 blacks total; 5 cattle; value \$5743

17-18 September 1819 Russell's Creek Association of Baptists met at Union Church in Adair County, KY. Herbert G. Waggoner, John White, John Waggoner, Wm. Burbridge, and Frances Montgomery were Zion's messengers to the Russell's Creek Association of Baptists (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky). Zion Church had added 1 by baptism, 1 by letter, discharged 4 by letter, excluded 2 with total torn off page. Excerpts.

1820 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

Waggoner, Herbert 300 acres at \$10/ea Glens Fork 1 white male >21; 8 blacks >16; 20 blacks total; 10 cattle; value \$11,875
plus 312 on Glens Fork for \$6/ea acre

1820 Waggoner, William 112 3/4 acres \$3 Russell's Creek 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 1 total black; 2 cattle; value \$ 783

1820 Waggoner, Alex. 250 acres \$6.00 Glens Fork 1 white male >21; 2 blacks >16; 6 blacks total; 3 cattle; value \$ 3800

1820 Waggoner, Herbert Jr. 100 acres Glens Fork (Dick) 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 0 blacks total; 1 cattle; value \$ 666

1820 Waggoner, Catherine 333 acres Butler's Fork 0 white male >21; 5 blacks >16; 7 blacks total; 4 cattle; value \$ 5743

28 February 1820 Adair County Deed Book E, p. 274: HG and Nancy Waggoner of Adair sell to F.F.F.G. Herald of Cumberland Co., for \$500 sells 100 acres lying on Russells Creek and bounded as follows: Beginning at three sicamores on the bank of Russells Creek thence E 63 poles to two white oaks on the bank of said creek thence S 30 W9(?) 310 poles crossing Russells Creek and Glens fork to a sugar tree and sycamore thence down Glens fork bending(?) there to Samuel Youngs corner two sugartrees and an Elm, thence S 3/E 200 poles to the beginning.

1820 Messengers to the Russell's Creek Association for Zion Church were Herbert G. Waggoner, John White, W. Burbridge, John Waggoner, F. Montgomery. Members of Zion 140. (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky)

1821-1822 James Jones Waggener, ~63 yrs old, one of Herbert G. Waggener's older brothers, dies in Kentucky after immigrating from Culpeper Co, VA, in 1820.

1821-22: Alexander was granted via warrant, 50 acres on Little Indian Creek (Book K, Page 99, Survey 02-18) and 50 acres on Roaring Lilly Creek (Book J p. 433, Survey 05-01) in Adair Co, KY. (The Kentucky Land Grants: A systematic Index to All of the Land Grants recorded in the state land office at Frankfort, KY 1892-1924. Jillson, Willard Rouse. Louisville, KY. The Standard Printing Co, 1925 (Suzzallo Library, Seattle, WA)

1821 Personal Property Tax List

Waggener, Herbert G. 300 acres value \$8 Glensfork (Dick) 1 white male >21; 8 blacks >16; 21 blacks total; 10 cattle; value \$11900
plus 312 acres valued \$8 Glens Fork (F Garott?)
plus 3.5 acres valued \$8 Glens Fork –

Waggener, Alexander no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 3 blacks total; 4 cattle; value \$900

1821. Civil case filed 27 November 1823 as Herbert G. Waggener vs. Asa and William Pittman says that in 1821 Robert Powell, acting as Deputy Sheriff of Adair County to Herbert G. Waggener [sheriff], collected moneys which were turned over to Pittmans' attorneys and Pittmans claimed it was not properly accounted for. Don't know why Herbert G. Waggener listed first as plaintiff. Wier [Adair County, Kentucky Civil Court Cases 1802-1826 compiled by Michael C. Watson, 1995 [p. 56, Filed March 1823 box 9].

Position of Sheriff: "In a Kentucky county during the first half of the nineteenth century the two justices of the peace whose commissions bore the earliest dates were customarily recommended to the governor as candidates for a two-year term as county sheriff. In this fashion, the members of the county court, who served without salary, could look forward to appointment to this very lucrative position." Westward into Kentucky: The Narrative of Daniel Trabue, Edited by Chester Raymond Young; University of Kentucky Press, 1981, Introduction by the Editor, p. 27-28.

1822 Personal Property Tax List

Waggener, Herbert G. 303 1/2 acres value \$10 Glensfork (Dick) 1 white male >21; 2 children home; 7 blacks >16; 17 blacks total; 6 cattle; value \$12635
plus 312 acres valued \$8 Glens Fork (F Garott?)
Children at home were probably James Madison Waggener 12 and Elizabeth Ann 9; Simeon was 16 by this time and probably working or apprenticed?);

Waggener, Alexander no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 3 blacks total; 4 cattle; value \$900

Waggener, John, Sr. 650 acres value \$8 Glensfork (Dick)

plus one town lot in Creelsboro 1 white male >21; 1 children home; 1 blacks >16; 3 blacks total; 14 cattle; value \$ 11892

Waggener, John Jr. No land 1 white male >21; 0 children home; 1 black >16; 1 black total; value \$540

1820's "When panic hit Columbia in the early 1820's..." Burdette. P. 11 Again p. 29, "When money was tight in the early 1820's many Columbia men were ruined financially...". Note, Alexander Waggener is one of them.

12 April 1822 between Elizabeth Stap, John Miller & Dicy Miller his wife late Dicy Stap, James Allen and Sally Allen his wife, late Lucy Stapp, William McDaniel, Robert Stapp, Willis Stapp, Oathey Wheat and Lucy Wheat his wife late Lucy Stap, Sylvanua Gilcress and Fanny Gilcress his wife late Fanny Stapp, Ann Stapp and Linclain Stapp heirs and representatives of Thomas Stapp deceased one the one part and Herbert G. Waggener Witnesseth: sells to Herbert G. Waggener for \$1598 a piece of land in Adair County on Glens' Fork of Russell's Creek containing 262 acres. Elizabeth Stapp, widow of Thomas Stapp, gives up her dower. Description of land is all trees, stakes and distances.

1822 a fire company organized in Columbia, including Greensby Waggener, Alex Miller, William Minter and most of the men then living in Columbia. Burdette. P. 38.

06 September 1822 Nancy (Willis) Waggener dies, probably in Adair County, KY

1822 Messengers to the Russell's Creek Association for Zion Church were Herbert G. Waggener, W. Burbridge, John Waggener, J. Allen, W. Epperson. Members of Zion 100. (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky)

28 October 1823 Adair County Deed Book F, p. 98: 1/3 Herbert G. Waggener, 1/6 Alexander Waggener, 1/6 John McAlister and 1/3 John Waggener agree to certain property lines in order to quite title on their shares of the 2000 acres they now own which were originally bounty land provided to Alexander Dick. Witnessed by Herbert G. Waggener, Jr., and Simeon Waggener. Through the Will of Alexander Dick, the land had become the property of Mary Taliaferro, afterwards Mary Payton, Charles C. Taliaferro, and John Fenton Mercer as devisees, conveyed the tract to Robert Patton and Richard T. Hackley of Fredericksburg & Major John Lee of the State of Kentucky; then Patton & wife conveyed their share to Herbert G. Waggener; Hackley conveyed his share to Robert Stewart who conveyed to John McAlister & Alexander Waggener; and Andrew Price & Mary his wife, Samuel J. Wallace and Matilda his wife, John Crittenden and Sally his wife, with the said Mary Matilda & Sally being heirs of Major Lee, their part to John Waggener.

25 August 1823 "NoLynn", Hardin County Kentucky. Josiah E. Best writes his Will, leaving virtually everything to his wife of less than 8 years Eleanor and his eldest son Samuel. ...I Josiah E. Best...being recurred by sickness of approaching dissolution.. 1st Item - I bequeath to my beloved wife, Eleanor, the tract of land whereon I now live, with all thte appurtenances during her widowhood, together with the following negroes, (Viz): Simeon, negro man, Vian, a

woman, Rachael, a girl, Green, a boy, Sal, a girl, Nathan, a boy, which negroes are to be hers for her service during her widowhood. 2nd item - all the farming utensils and the stock of every kind and household and kitchen furniture to be hers for her service during her widowhood. Item 3rd - at the expiration ... children: Samuel C. Best, Mary Best, Lloid R. Best & Patsy Best. Hardin Co, Will Book "D" 1821-1837 compiled by Mrs. Frances Terry Ingmire, St. Louis MO 1983 [Note: at the time of her marriage to Herbert G. Waggener, Eleanor still has land and one slave Rachael. Either she gave or lost to the children or with her marriage, her widowhood was over.]

6 December 1823 Adair County Deed Book F, p. 110: Herbert G. Waggener sells 147 ½ acres and 27 poles to Martin Loy being on the waters of Glensfork a branch of Russells Creek and bounded as follows (to wit): Beginning in the middle of said branch thence with James Allens line S 6 degrees W 144 poles to a sugartree and black gum thence south S 69 W 83 poles to a beach broke down an a sugartree there W 85 poles to a hickory and dogwood thence N. 1 degree E, 94 poles to dogwood and Beach thence West 4 poles to a black gum thence N 10 degrees W 29 poles to a stake corner to William Waggener thence N 4 degrees W 70 poles to a beach and dogwood on the bank of the aforesaid branch thence down the branch with the middle of the stream ...bunch of directions... to the beginning. Teste J.C. Waggener, William Davis. Recorded 3 May 1824. [Note: this Martin Loy was the father of Elizabeth Loy who would marry Herbert G's son Simeon Green Waggener]

6 December 1823 Adair County Deed Book F, p. 6: Herbert G. Waggener "sells" the 300 acres "on which he lives" to John Miller, essentially giving the land as bond for the \$832.90 Interest judgment against himself and others, a "considerable portion" of which is the debt of Alexander Waggener, his son, for payment of a judgment against them in the Federal Court in Replevin given 27 Aug. 1821. Miller in turn gives his 250 acres "on which he lives" as bond in mortgage for the said debt. [these were panic or depression times in KY and many lost everything, including Alexander Waggener]. Herbert G. Waggener is legally bound for the whole debt. Herbert G. Waggener's land is described as Beginning at two rotten down sugartrees on the main west fork of Greens [Glens?] fork of Russell's creek then south east corner of 2000 acres patented in the name of Alexander Dick and of which the said 300 Acres is part, thence down the Creek with the meanders thereof N. 10 degrees E 155 poles to a beech white oak and dogwood on the Bank of the Creek thence west 638 poles to a beech and rock marked ul, thence S 110 poles to a hickory and read oak thence E 420 poles to the beginning.

1823 Personal Property Tax List

Waggener, Herbert G. 300 acres value \$10 Glensfork (Dick)
plus "same apart for headright" 312 acres value \$5 Glens Fork (Dick)
1 white male >21; 5 slaves >16; 8 blacks total; 4 cattle; value \$7262
[Note: either the Panic hurt Herbert G. Waggener or he lost badly with Alexander's losses]

Waggener, Albert G. no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 1 total black; 2 cattle; value \$610

Waggener, John 150 acres value \$8 Glensfork (Dick)
plus 650 3rd at \$3.0 rate Glensfork 1 5 14 7
"one lot in Creelship"
1 white male >21; 5 blacks >16; 14 total black; 7 cattle; value \$9817

1823 Alexander Waggener apparently left Adair County, KY as he does not appear on the Personal Property Tax Lists thereafter. A descendant says that he sold everything before he left and had to start over. By 1828, he is purchasing land in Pike County, MO at government auction. He purchased land in Clark County, MO in 1836 and ran a ferry across the Des Moines River there, and the land was called Waggener's Landing for many years.

1824 Personal Property Tax List

Waggener, Herbert G. 300 acres value \$10 Glensfork (Dick)
plus 162 Glens Fork (F Garott?)
1 white male >21; 7 blacks >16; 9 total black; 2 cattle; value \$7220

1824 John C. no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks over 16; 0 blacks; 1 cattle Value \$160

17 March 1824 Gilead Baptist Church is organized by Warren Cash near Glendale, Hardin County, KY. Elenor Best is one of about 10 charter members. Another charter member is Hettie Briscoe [probably the mother or grandmother of Walter David Briscoe who would m. Elizabeth Ann Waggener in 1829] "Two Centuries in Elizabethtown and Hardin County, KY," by Daniel E. McClure, Jr, The Hardin County Historical Society, pub., 1979.

30 July 1824 ordered that the Cargill & Co. Theatrical performers pay to one of the Trustees of Columbia \$5 for each night they perform.

28 February 1824 John Calvin Waggener age 21 m. Matilda Willis, daughter of John Willis and Jane Dogan, in Bullitsburg, Boone Co, KY. [Note: the Dogan family lived next to the Willis and Garnett families in Culpeper Co, Va]

August 1824 Cole, Quick & Co., pay to the Trustees of Columbia for exhibiting the Lyon, tigers, etc. 2 days.

1825 Adair Co, KY, Personal Property Tax List

Waggener, Herbert G Sr: 300 acres at \$10/ea Adair Glensfork (Dick)
plus 162 acrs at \$5 Adair Glensfork (part Catvil? / part by Stapp)
1 white male >21; 7 blacks >16; 12 total blacks; 2 cattle; value \$ 11,000
[Note: Herbert G. Waggener seems to have recovered his fortunes, perhaps his pay as Sheriff helped or good tobacco years]

Waggener, John Sr. 650 acres at \$6/ea Adair Glensfork Dick
plus 1 town lot in Creels borough Value \$92
1 white male >21; 6 blacks >16; 14 total blacks; 5 cattle; value \$ 11,292

Waggener; Albert G. 61 $\frac{3}{4}$ acres at \$7/ea Adair Glensfork Dick
plus 50 1. Adair Greasy b. 1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 1 blacks total; 3 cattle;
Value \$668.25

Waggener, John C. no land 1 white male >21; 0 blacks over 16; 0 blacks; 1 cattle Value \$75

Herbert G Jr 1 white male >21; 1 black >16; 1 total black; 1 cattle; Value \$ 675

03 February 1825 (marriage bond date) Simeon Green Waggener, age 19, m. Elizabeth Loy, age 20, in Adair County, KY. Marriage Bond given by Simeon Waggener and Albert G. Waggener for Simeon Waggener Son to Herbert whose consent is hereby certified and Elizabeth Loy daughter to Martin Loy whose consent is also hereby certified. Signed Simeon Waggener and Albert G. Waggener. [Simeon named his second son Albert G. Waggener]

1826 Adair County Personal Property Tax List

Waggener, Albert G. 61 ^{3/4} \$6 Adair Glens Fork Slaughter
1 white male >21; 2 blacks >16; 2 total blacks; 2 horses \$728.50

Waggener, John 450 \$6 Adair Glensfork Dick
1 white male >21; 6 blacks >16; 14 total blacks; 6 horses \$7742.50

Waggener, Herbert G Sr: 300 6 Adair Glensfork Dick
165 6 Adair Glensfork Colvert
30 6 Adair Glensfork Berry
1 white male >21; 8 blacks >16; 10 total blacks; 5 horses \$6059.50

Waggener, W. W. 113 3 Adair Glensfork M. Heart
1 white male >21; 2 blacks >16; 3 total blacks; 3 horses \$1307.50

Waggener, Ben F. no land outside town
plus tavern And town lot
1 white male >21; 4 blacks >16; 4 total blacks; 3 horses \$4000.00

Waggener, E. M. 220 \$3 Adair Setherweed
Plus 132 \$5 Adair R. Creek Anderson
Plus one town lot
1 white male >21; 4 blacks >16; 7 total blacks; 32 horses \$4000

Waggener, Herbert G. [Jr] no land
1 white male >21; 0 blacks >16; 1 total blacks; 1 horses \$375

17 May 1826 From Carol Moody: Benjamin Franklin Waggener married Juliza Ann Allen, dau of James Allen. Attest Sinclair Stapp and Joseph Burton, 17. May 1826.

6 September 1826 Adair County Deed Book f, p. 548-550. Herbert G. Waggener sells to Anthony Garnett of Cumberland County, KY, for \$2590.27, and ten thousand and 361 pounds of Tobacco in hand, a tract of land on Glens Fork of Russells Creek being part of two military surveys in the names of Alexander Dick and Colvert and a headright in the name of Benjamin Stapp totaling 470 acres. Waggener reserves 1/4 of an acre of land on Joseph Colverts tract aforesaid including a grave yard and also excludes from the conveyance and reserves one quarter of an acre including three inac(?) grave yards in the tract held under Alex Dick that is one quarter

of an acre to be divided between the said three grave yards and the parties agree that the said Waggener is to have the privilege of pailing or in any manner enclosing the three said grave yards at any time he may think proper. NOTE: This Anthony must be Anthony (Oliver⁵, Robert⁴, Anthony³, Thomas², John¹) who married that year and whose father lived in Cumberland Co.

16 September 1826 Elsey Creel vs. Benjamin Bell and Robert Powell: Herbert G. Waggener and Elsey Creel were securities for Robert Powell on a note to the Bank of the Commonwealth. The Bank sued for payment. Powell owned 209 acres of land near Columbia and Creel purchased it at auction when it was sold for the debt. Powell had then gone to Tennessee, where he lived in 1826, but gave possession of the land to Benjamin Bell. Creel stated he also purchased a “negro man of great value.” Creel wanted his property. Wier [Adair County, Kentucky Civil Court Cases 1802-1826, compiled by Michael C. Watson, 1995 [p. 75, Filed 16 Sept. 1806 box 8; Wier also filed separate cases against Joseph Holt, Sr., and Samuel Smith at the same time.]

8 February 1827, Adair County Deed Book G, p. 106: Herbert G. Waggener agrees to pay to Wagley Caldwell & Patterson:

\$ 283.64 on notes owed by Herbert G. Waggener, Jr.

\$384.08 on notes owed by Herbert G. Waggener himself.

Herbert G. Waggener has already given them possession of the Slave Randall until the amount is paid and promises them his present crop of tobacco at a price to be agreed on, or he can sell and ship tobacco with theirs and pay them.

9 July 1827 Eliner Best to Lloyd Ray, Hardin Co, Deed Book K, p. 357 – Eliner puts her land and Slave Sarah in trust with Lloyd Ray for her own benefit. This would prevent her from losing it in Herbert G. Waggener’s lawsuit should that go badly, and also she would retain rights should anything happen to Herbert G. Waggener. [Note: One of Eliner’s step children is named Lloyd Ray Best and Eliner’s daughter with Herbert G. Waggener will have Ray in her name.]

14 November 1827 Herbert G. Waggener mortgages personal property to Anthony Davis (Sally “Peachy” Waggener’s husband and Herbert G. Waggener’s son-in-law of Adair County). Anthony is security for Herbert G. Waggener in 3 different suits: 1 for \$44; 1 for \$39; and a bond of injunction in the case between John Miller, ___ Patterson and Herbert G. Waggener for \$884. Hardin Co, KY Deed Book “K”, p. 380. Includes much the same list as he remortgages to Wintersmith in 1831. [Note: I suspect that this goes back to the 1823 case where Herbert G. Waggener had given security for Alex Waggener.]

27 July 1827 Herbert G. Waggener married “Eliner” Best in Hardin Co, KY. Marriage performed by Warren Cash, Pastor of the Gilead Baptist Church. This was Eliner’s church. Hardin County Marriage Records and Marriage Bonds. They were both active in the Gilead Baptist Church thereafter.

1827 Herbert G. Waggener still listed in Adair Co Personal Property Tax List (usually taxed as of June yearly)

1827 Messengers to the Russell's Creek Association for Zion Church were Herbert G. Waggener, W. Burbridge, John Waggener, L Crage, A. Garnett. Members of Zion 85. (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky)

1st Friday in October, 1827: Herbert G. Waggener attends the Salem Association of Baptist annual meeting as a messenger for the Russell Creek Association, held at Otter Creek, Mead County, KY.

28 January 1828, Saturday: Herbert G. Waggener received into the Gilead Baptist Church, near Glendale, Hardin County, KY by letter. [Regent Ezra Parker Chapter DAR transcription by Robert Shannon Stimson and Mrs. Clinton Frank 1975-6 from the copy of the minutes held by Iva Wertham Jeffries, Michigan (hereinafter Gilead Church DAR Records)]. NOTE: Herbert G. Waggener's youngest daughter married a Jeffries, they may have taken the records with them to Michigan when the church split ca 1840 on the subject of missions?)

1828 Hardin County KY Personal Property Tax List,
Herbert G. Waggener no land listed 1W>21 4B>16 11B Total 4Horses \$20 value per acre

1828 Josiah E. Best Heirs to Amos Coombs, Hardin County Deed Book L, p. 123 (no copy)

5 March 1829 Nancy Elizabeth Ray Willis Waggener born to Herbert G. Waggener & Eleanor. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. On 17 September 1850 Nancy ERW m. John J. Jeffries, "on Tuesday morning before breakfast". DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. It appears that John was a well-to-do widower with five children. 1850 Census Hardin Co KY, Roll 203, p. 384: #10, family of
John J. Jeffries 40 M Merchant value 4000 b. KY
Martha E 12 F b. KY
Jamma 10 F b. KY
Ann J. 7 F b. KY
Amanda 5 F. b. KY
Thomas James 3 M b. KY
Samuel Waggener 19 M b. KY (Nancy E.R.W.'s younger brother)

11 March James Waggoner and Eliza Waggener received into the Gilead Baptist Church by experience. (Note: These are Herbert G. Waggener's son and daughter still living at home. Gilead Church DAR Records)

1829 Herbert G. Waggener Hardin County 30 acres Hardin Nolin Ck.
1 white>21; 0 whites 16-21; 0 blacks >16; 3 total blacks; 2 horses; 0 value
Hardin County 10 acres
1 white>21; 1 white 16-21; 9 blacks >16; 3 20 \$29600 (don't know why two entries)

3 August 1829, Saturday: Herbert G. Waggener is appointed to bear letters to the Salem Association, along with Warren Cash, Baley S. Tabb and William Prather. Gilead Church DAR Records.

1829 (date handwritten on scraps of Salem Association of Baptist Minutes.) Scraps include W. Cash, H.G. Waggener, B.S. Tabb, W. Prather attending as messengers from Gilead Church. David Thurman, Moderator, Will Holmes, Clerk. Herbert G. Waggener not found elsewhere on these scraps.

13 August 1829 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of Clem N. Thompson to Mary Sanders. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788. [This is the first marriage listed in the Hardin Co Marriage Book that Herbert G. Waggener performed]

16 August 1829 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of Joseph R. Dillingham to Lucinda Larue. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

3 September 1829 Herbert G. Waggener and Eliner granted letters of dismissal "if called for". Gilead Church DAR Records. [Note: This seems odd. The church met once a month, so Herbert G. Waggener & Eliner must have thought they would have to move quickly. Unknown whether Herbert G. Waggener was seeking to become preacher at another church; working on a land deal that falls through, thinking to move]

26 November 1829 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of his daughter Eliza Ann, age 16, to Walter David Briscoe, Jr. Surety Walter Briscoe, Sr., man's father, who consented in person. Herbert G. Waggoner, girl's father, gave written consent; witnesses Walter Briscoe and James M. Waggoner. Hardin County Marriage Book A, p. 196. Compiled by Mary Josephine Jones, published by West Central Kentucky Family Research Assoc. And, KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

1830 John W. Garnett (probably son of Oliver Garnett) clerk of Columbia Trustees is replaced after he moved "out of the country" by George Alfred Caldwell (lawyer, Mexican War veteran, later highly important lawyer in KY). One of Herbert G. Waggener's son's Simeon Green Waggener's children is named George Alfred Caldwell Waggener.). Burdette p. 83.

13 May 1830 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of James Easton and Elizabeth Dorsey. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

28 October 1830 James Madison Waggener, age 20, m. Gillead "Gilly" Caroline Shepard, age 17, in Hardin Co, KY. See earlier.

1830 Hardin Co, Personal Propert Tax List: Herbert G. Waggener Hardin County 40 acres Nolin (watercourse) 1 white male >21; 3 blacks >15; 10 total blacks; 3 horses (2 blacks hired out) \$20 value per acre; value \$2800 (son James M. shows up for first time as head of household with no land and 1 white male ?21; 3 blacks >16.

3rd Saturday of August 1830: Herbert G. Waggener, W. Cash., Wm. Prather, Warran T. Cash, Baley S. Tabb appointed to bare the letter to the association. Herbert G. Waggener & Joseph VanMetre appointed to write the letter to the Salem Association. Gilead Church DAR Records. [Although the two Cashes and Tabb attend the Salem Association meeting held 1-3 October 1830 in Bardstown, Herbert G. Waggener and Prather do not attend.]

1830 Census shows Herbert G. living in Hardin Co, KY: white males in the household include 1 under 5, 1 10-15, 1 15-20, and 1 60-70. White females include 1 under 5, 1 5-10, 1 10-15, and 1 40-50. Slaves include 1 male 10-15, 1 female under 10, 2 between 10-24, and 1 24-36. Total household is listed as 17. Given Herbert G. Waggener had a son 15-20 and daughter 10-15 at home; he and Eliner had a new baby girl under 5; their son was not yet born; who are the remaining children? Did Eliner raise some of Josiah Best's children? She doesn't appear from Josiah's Will to have had any children with him.

14 June 1830 John Waggener, Herbert G. Waggener's brother, dies in Adair County, KY and is buried in one of the Waggener Cemeteries.

16 November 1830 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of William Upton and Amelia(?) Vorhees. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

4th Saturday in July 1831: Gilead Church of Christ met and agreed to send at the request of Brother Able, a member of Severns Valley Church, Herbert G. Waggener with Baley S. Tabb, Warren Cash, and Joseph Vanmetre "our ministerel help as many members as we think proper which the church have agreed to do... for to inquire into the qualifications and the gifts of a minister which they are about to ordain if they think proper". Gilead Church DAR Records

8 August 1831 Samuel Waggener born to Herbert G. Waggener & Eliner. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family. Samuel m. Lois Ann Yates about 1851, and d. 1862. He is buried near his mother and wife in Red Mill Cem, Hardin Co, KY. (Grave stone transcription from Cemeteries in Hardin County, Kentucky Volume I. Compiled by Mrs. Ernest L. Dykes and Mrs. Dewey B. Pate.) They had at least one child, Samuel L. Waggener b. 16 APR 1862 () who m. ca 1890 Hattie Thompson (1900 census). Hattie d. 1921 and Samuel L. d. 04 MAR 1945 in the Old Mason's Home, Shelby Co, KY. Hattie and Samuel L. are buried in the Elizabethtown, Hardin Co, KY, Cem. (Grave stone transcription from Elizabethtown City Cemetery Directory, Cemetery Inscriptions Hardin County, Kentucky Volume IV. Compiled by James Allison Jones and Mary Josephine Jones. 1981, and death certificate for Samuel L. Waggener). In the 1900 census Samuel L's Mother, Lois Ann was living with him with her then husband William Howsley b. May 1820. Lois Ann is listed as having 5 children, all then living. Unknown how many were Waggeners. [Mary Jo Jones provided copies of two undated newspaper clippings she had come across from The Mirror, a newspaper formerly published in Elizabethtown, KY. One clipping referring to Samuel as in his forties, discusses an old family Bible in the hands of Samuel L. Waggener and confirms that he was the grandson of Herbert Green & Eleanor (Best) Waggener.]

4th Saturday in August 1831. The Gilead Church of Christ appointed Bretherin Warren Cash, Baley S. Tabb and Herbert G. Waggener to bear a letter to the association.

1831 September 30 through October 2. The Salem Association met at Gilead Baptist Church. The Gilead messengers were Elder Warren Cash, Elder H.G. Waggener and Bailey S. Tabb. The membership reported for Gilead Church was 64 (this is about double from the 34 two years earlier). Elder David Thurman was the moderator, and Elder Samuel Carpenter, clerk. G.W.

Towles attended from the Russel's Creek Association. Herbert G. Waggener was appointed with others to attend the Association Union meeting set for Otter Creek Church on Friday before the 5th Lord's day July. He was also appointed to be one of several messengers to visit the Blue River Association of Baptists at their next meeting (2nd Saturday in Sept. 1832) and the Green River Association Meeting (At Smith's Grove meeting house, 2nd Saturday August 1832). Gilead Baptist Church Genealogical Records from the Captain Jacob Van Meter Chapter, DAR, Elizabethtown, Hardin Co, KY. Bessie N (Mrs. R.J.) Van Horne, Genealogical Chairman. And, Minutes of the Salem Association of Baptists, Held at Gilead Meeting-House, Hardin County, KY on the 30th of September and on the First and Second Days of October 1831.

7 October 1831 Herbert G. Waggener Hardin County mortgages property to H.G. Wintersmith, Hardin County Deed Book M, p. 388. Wintersmith enters surity for Herbert G. Waggener on \$160 owed to John Miller due 12 months from the date above. Property includes: 1 waggon and bed, 1 yoke steers 1 Bed furniture & Bed stead 5 (or 8?) chairs 2 mattocks 3 hoes 2 Bread Asees(?) 1 kettle 2 pots 1 Desk 2 ploughs 1 cow and yearling 1 log chain 1 dining table 1 set turning tools.

20 October 1831 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of Samuel Ames and Nancy Dodge. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

21 Nov. 1831 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of Sam'l Shepherd and Marry Upton (Milly Shepherd, mother of man, giving consent). From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

1831 Hardin Co, KY, personal property tax page missing or short count; Herbert G. Waggener & Eliner not there.

1 December 1831 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of Jacob Vanmeter and Sally Miller. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

21 December 1831 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of William Buckles and Jane Watson. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

4th Saturday in March 1832: Gilead Baptist Church appoints Brother Baley Tabb T. Cash James Waggoner members to ask a Brother accused of intoxication to attend the next meeting. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records.

4th Saturday in April 1832: Gilead Baptist Church appoints Herbert G. Waggener, Warren Cash and Baley S. Tabb to go the 3rd Friday in May "three members with ministerial help" to ordain Brother James Naul [Nall] as a preacher for Forks of Auter [Otter] Creek Church at the request of Brother William Lewis a member of that church. Also, the Church has agreed to hold three days meeting to begin the third Friday in July and Brother Waggoner and Wm. Cash to invite preachers to attend. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records.

1832 State Convention designates the last Friday of May next as a day of "*fasting, humiliation, and prayer*, to Almighty God to revive his work among the Churches and people" from The

Minutes of the First Session of the Kentucky State Convention, March 1832. p. 8.. printed by A.G. Hodges and Wm. M. Todd, at their office on Main Street, Frankfort, K. 1832.(Obtained copy of minutes from Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives, 907 Commercial Street, #400, Nashville, TN 37203-3630 (Tel: 615-244-0344).

1832 Hardin Co, KY, Personal Property Tax list Missing

4th Saturday in August 1832: Gilead Church gives Brother Walter Briscoe and his wife letter of dismissal also Brother Stephen Briscoe, Sister Hetty Briscoe and Mary Coomes. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records.

23 Sept. 1832 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of William G. Briscoe and Amanda Slaughter (Robert C. Slaughter, father gives consent). From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

4th Saturday in October 1832: Gilead Church appoints Herbert G. Waggener, W. Cash, Daley Tabb and Warren T. Cash to bear the letter to the association. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records. [since the Association meeting for 1832 was early that month, this must be for 1833]

1833 John W. Garnett is named as a commissioner of Columbia board to examine accounts (so he is back after leaving in 1831). Burdette p. 89.

1833 Herbert G. Waggener is named Deacon of Mud Camp Baptist Church (Casey's Fork) in Cumberland County, KY. "Some of the Clerks were Thomas Johnston, Herbert G. Waggener and Stephen Bowman. The Deacons ordained by the church were: George King Feb. 1825 and Ephriam Williams, Jan 1833. H.G. Waggener served a deacon, but appeared to have been ordained prior to his movement to Casey's Fork Church." - In May 1839 Herbert G. Waggoner is listed as joining the church by letter, and excluding 1841, from 1839 to 1846 was a messenger to the Freedom Association, so possibly this is Herbert G. Waggener Jr, or maybe only for the later entries. He is also listed as 1856 as messenger. (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky)

4th Saturday in January 1833: James Waggener (Herbert G. Waggener's son) is excluded by the Church at his own Request with no other charge against him. He had asked a month earlier and been told to wait a month. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records.

15 January 1833 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of Wm Mount and Katherine Bland (Wm Bland, father, gives consent. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

7 May 1833 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of Adam Leason(?) and Mary Rutherford (Wm. Rutherford father gives consent). From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

Richard Waggener, then of Weakley Co, TN and son of Herbert G. Waggener's older brother Richard then deceased, relates in a letter to his brother-in-law Col. Thompson Crenshaw of

Barren Co. KY, that on a recent visit to Mill's Point on the Miss. River, he happened to meet "Old Uncle Herbert Waggener, who is very much broken and now looks more like father than ever." (Tyler's, vol. 20, p. 247, from Notes on Kay and Allied Families, Mrs. P. W. Hiden, Newport News, VA, 1939).

June 1833 Herbert G. Waggener and Richard Garnett listed as members of the Beaver Dam Baptist Church, Edmondson County, (however, it also says some were not members but traveling preachers, etc.). Could have been revival with lots of visiting preachers, or Richard and Herbert G. Waggener travelling together, two others names also listed for June 1833. (Pioneer Baptist Church Records from South Central Kentucky)

4th Saturday in July 1833: Herbert G. Waggener proposes to send a letter to Brother John Slaughter and his wife to say, "no whey" they absent themselves from the Gilead Baptist Church. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records.

4th Saturday in August 1833: A letter of dismissal granted to Herbert G. Waggener and his wife provided they should move, also letter of dismissal granted to John H. Briscoe. Also Herbert G. Waggener and 3 others to be sent with a letter to the Association. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records.

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Herbert G. Waggener	40	Hardin Co	Nolin	1	3	10	3 (2 blacks hired out)
20 cattle							
James M.	-	-	1	-	-	3	

17 May 1833. There was a division in the Green River Association in 1832 between the Missionaries (and the Anti-Missionaries (Ralph Petty, leader) representing about 1/3 of the members, and the Missionaries (Jacob Lock, leader) reps 2/3. Both claimed to be the GRA. Jacob Lock was chosen Moderator and Richard Garnett Clerk for the 1st meeting. "Brethren of Russell's Creek and other neighboring associations interested themselves in bringing about a reconciliation between the contending factions of Green River Association. A meeting, composed of five Brethern from each of the parties of Green River Association and several brethren from other associations, met at the house of William Savage, in Barren county, May 17, 1833. H.G. Waggoner, was chosen Moderator, and Wm. Brown, Clerk." They set forth "terms of reconciliation" that held the association together for another 5 years or so. G.W. Towles was one of the committee who helped finalize agreement in Sept. 1833. Spencer: p. 110:

4th Saturday in September 1834 [chronologically 1833] a committee including Brothers Brosco and Waggoner met. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records.

4th Saturday of November 1833: A committee is appointed including Herbert G. Waggener to visit and talk with two feuding brothers and report back. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records.

4th Saturday in December 1834 [chronologically 1833]: "The report of the commitey cald for present of the commitey J.G.Waggoner, B.S.Tab Wm Bland they report that the difficulty"

between two of the members ahs been settled and they agreed to “drop them all and live as Brethern”. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records. (as spelled in the text)

2 January 1834 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of James Dougherty and Elizabeth Hickson (Benj. Hickson father gives consent). Herbert G. Waggener signs followed with the letters “M G” [Minister of the Gospel?]. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

11 Feb. 1834 Herbert G. Waggener performs marriage of Thomas O. Bland and Augustine Bland. Wm. Bland father consents. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

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Hardin PPT list Herbert G. Waggener and Eleanor not listed [Note: does this mean that they are living elsewhere? Probably.]

20 June 1834 Herbert G. Waggener performs his final marriage in Hardin Co, and perhaps ever, when he marries Joshua F. Doney and Angeline Hilton, Wm F. Hilton consents. Herbert G. Waggener’s name is spelled “H.G. Waggonner”, as if someone else may have signed the record for him after he was ill or had died. From KY Hardin Co Marriages 1793-1862. LDS Microfilm # 0390788.

29 July 1834 Herbert G. Waggener dies, probably of typhoid fever or cholera. His burial place is unknown.

Afterward

In 1834, tragedy struck the efforts of the Baptist State organization and many families in Kentucky. Cholera and typhoid fever ran through the population. Herbert Green Waggener “was called to his reward, in 1834, the same year that those other eminent soldiers of the cross, Thomas Thurman, David Mansfield, David J. Kelley and James H. L. Moorman, were to join the general Assembly and Church of the first born.” When the 2nd annual meeting (of the State Convention) took place 18 October, 1834, in Louisville, the report of the executive committee was “gloomy and discouraging. They lament the death” of these men and the convention, which was unpopular to begin with, was a failure.” Spencer, *A History of the Baptists in Kentucky*, p. 653. David Thurman death is described as, “after lingering some weeks with typhoid fever, passed away from earth this faithful servant of Christ on the 25th of August 1834, in the 43rd year of his age.” David Kelley: “In 1834 he and H.J.L. Moorman were appointed collecting agents for the Executive Board of the Kentucky Baptist Convention. They assumed the duties of that office, about the first of March, and sometimes together and sometimes apart, prosecuted their labors, till the 17th of June, when Mr. Moorman suddenly died. Spencer, *A History of the Baptists in Kentucky*, p. 331-332. Mr. Kelley continued his labors, till about the 20th of July, when he was attacked with fever. This was followed by a fatal flux, which he and six of his family died, between the 13th of August and the 5th of September.” Spencer, *A History of the Baptists in Kentucky*, p. 315-316.

Although all of the group, including Herbert, are elsewhere described as dying from cholera, it seems clear that typhoid fever was the cause of the three other Minister's deaths at that time. Herbert likely died of the fever as well. Perhaps, all four met at some point in June to discuss the upcoming State Convention or were at some common event. Herbert Green Waggener was dead at sixty-six, 29 July 1834, survived by his second wife Eleanor and sixteen children, two of them under five years of age.

1835 Hardin County Personal Property Tax List
Missing

1836 Personal Property Tax List for Hardin County, KY

1836 Eleanor Waggoner 40 acres Nolin (rate 2) - - 1 1 20 (cattle)

130 acres Nolin (rate 3) value of land 25 (took her land out of trust?)

1837 Eleanor Waggoner 60 1400 PPT List (don't know what this means)

April 1837 John H. Briscoe granted a letter of dismissal. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records.

4th Saturday before the 4th Sunday in September 1837: Bro James Waggoner was received in this church by making acknowledgment and recanting, then granted a letter of dismissal. Gilead Baptist Church DAR Records.

1838 Eliner Waggoner, no land listed; 20 180 1 black >16 8 horses 41 (cattle valued at >\$50)

1840 James M. Waggoner sells land to Thomas Brown in Hardin Co. Deed Book Index shows Book T, page 41. No info on him purchasing land (ordered microfilm to see).

The Saturday before the 1st Sunday in November 1842: Church met at Sister Waggoners. Records of Gilead Baptist Church.

23 August 1849 Eliner Best Waggener dies in Hardin Co, KY, and is buried in Red Mill Cem, Hardin Co, KY, about 1.5 miles from Gilead Baptist Church. [Note: Surprising that she was buried there instead of the churchyard, except that Josiah Best and his 1st wife were buried in Red Mill also.]

15 September 1849 Samuel Waggoner and John Jeffries are received into the Gilead Baptist Church, Hardin County, KY by experience and/or baptism.

17 September 1850 Nancy E.R.W. Waggener m. John J. Jeffries. DAR Bible Records of Waggener Family.

***Unknown year: probably 1833? Thomas Waggener, of Nicholas County, was added to the executive committee of the Baptist State Convention, and statistics as follows: Russell's Creek Assoc. 22 churches, 68 bapt (show stats). P. 15. from The Minutes of the First Annual Meeting of the Kentucky State Convention. p. 14, printed at the office of the Cross and Banner, 1833.

(Obtained copy of minutes from Southern Baptist Historical Library and Archives, 907 Commercial Street, #400, Nashville, TN 37203-3630 (Tel: 615-244-0344).

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