

## *Descendants of Nancy T Murphy*

### *Generation No. 1*

1. NANCY T<sup>3</sup> MURPHY (*WILSON*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>) was born Aug 1850 in Butler County, Alabama<sup>1</sup>, and died 07 Mar 1894<sup>2</sup>. She married PETER HOLMES CHEATHAM 15 Mar 1868 in Butler County, Alabama<sup>3</sup>. He was born Abt. 1840 in Alabama<sup>4</sup>.

Notes for NANCY T MURPHY:

Age 1 month on census 25 Sep 1850, which was supposed to reflect the status as of 1 June.

Marriage record says: married "at Wm. (i.e. Wilson) Murphy's". Gives her middle initial as 'A', but father's estate papers refer to her many times as Nancy T, as does 1880 census.

1870 US Census Butler County, Alabama, pg 373, TWP 10, Greenville, #222:

Peter Cheatham	27	farmer, \$500, \$800	Al
Nancy	19		Al
Peter	1		

also:

Henry Cheatham 19, farmer, - - -, \$125 Al

1880 US Census, Butler County, Beat 11, Butler Springs, pg 413, #420:

Cheatham, P A	40,	farmer	Al Al Al	
wife N T	30		Al Ga SC	
P W (son, works farm)	11,	J H (son) 9,	M C (son) 7,	M X (dau, middle initial looks like 'X') 5,
M H (dau)	3			

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Most of my names and dates for the Cheatham family come from Richard G. Gibson's file on the Butler County website at <http://www.rootsweb.com/~albutler/families/petercheatham.htm>.

Notes for PETER HOLMES CHEATHAM:

Alabama Dept. of Archives & History Civil War Service Database (online:

<http://www.archives.state.al.us/civilwar/soldier.cfm?id=29910> ):

P Cheatham, private, company C, 33rd Alabama Regiment, Infantry: Slightly wounded, Battle Chickamauga 1863/09/19 & 20. Authority: Casualites list newspaper clipping of current date.

#### **Compiled Service Record:**

Peter H Cheatham, Pvt, Co C, 33rd Al Inf: enlisted 1 Mar 1862 in Greenville by Capt Dunklin.

Muster Roll for bounty of \$50.00, 1 Mar 1862.

Muster Roll for Mar-Apr, May-June, July-Aug, Nov-Dec 1863.

Roll of POWs captured by Brig. Gen. Lucas, 3rd Brigade Cav., Mil. Div. West Miss. and paroled at Greenville, Al. Roll dated Montgomery, Al 6 May 1865. Captured 21? April 1865

Register of St Mary's Hospital, West Point, Miss, 10 Jan 1865. Disease: VS Rmks: admitted.

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Joe Sanders' family data at worldconnect.rootsweb.com gives his middle name as Holmes, son of Peter Cheatham and Melinda Holmes. He also gives Peter and Nancy's marriage date as 21 Feb 1868, which is incorrect. He gives second son's full name as James Holmes Cheatham born 17 feb 1871 in Alabama.  
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Mildred Stinson Brown webpage [www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ranch/5448/cheatham.html](http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Ranch/5448/cheatham.html) (no longer available) said Peter Cheatham was born 20 Oct 1805, Edgfield Dist., SC, died 15 Sep 1867, buried at Fort Dale Cemetery; Malinda Holmes Cheatham born 20 Nov 1810 in Twiggs County, Ga, died 12 Nov 1862, buried at Fort Dale Cemetery.

**Butler County, Alabama Obituaries** by Marilyn Davis Barefield, 1985, pg 97: Nancy C Stallings was born in Butler County 10/8/1840. She was the daughter of Peter and Malinda Cheatham and was married at the old homestead 4/4/1864 to Archie M Stallings. She was the mother of 6 children. Greenville Advocate of 5/18/1882.

Children of NANCY MURPHY and PETER CHEATHAM are:

- i. PETER WILSON<sup>4</sup> CHEATHAM<sup>5</sup>, b. 28 Apr 1869, Butler County, Alabama<sup>6</sup>; d. 11 Mar 1964, Flomaton, Escambia County, Alabama<sup>6</sup>; m. FRANCES PEARL DONALD, 31 Oct 1900, Escambia County, Florida<sup>6</sup>; b. 06 Jan 1882, Baldwin County, Alabama<sup>6</sup>; d. 06 Dec 1971, Flomaton, Escambia County, Alabama<sup>6</sup>.
2. ii. JAMES HOLMES CHEATHAM, b. 17 Feb 1871, Butler County, Alabama; d. 14 Feb 1951.
- iii. MURPHREE CLARENCE CHEATHAM<sup>6</sup>, b. 29 Dec 1872, Butler County, Alabama<sup>6</sup>.
3. iv. MAUDE SHEBA CHEATHAM, b. 02 Apr 1875; d. 08 Mar 1962.
- v. M. H. CHEATHAM<sup>7</sup>, b. Abt. 1877, Butler County, Alabama.
- vi. HARRY H. CHEATHAM<sup>8</sup>, b. 17 Oct 1881<sup>8</sup>; d. 28 Feb 1952<sup>8</sup>.

### *Generation No. 2*

**2. JAMES HOLMES<sup>4</sup> CHEATHAM** (*NANCY T<sup>3</sup> MURPHY, WILSON<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>8</sup> was born 17 Feb 1871 in Butler County, Alabama, and died 14 Feb 1951<sup>8</sup>. He married CLARA BELL LINTON<sup>9</sup> Abt. 1894. She was born 23 Dec 1876 in Alabama<sup>10</sup>, and died 07 Dec 1960<sup>10</sup>.

Notes for JAMES HOLMES CHEATHAM:

Info (except census) on this family is from Joe Sanders' family data at [worldconnect.rootsweb.com](http://worldconnect.rootsweb.com).

1910 US Census Butler County, Alabama, 25 Apr, pg 136, Beat 11, Forest Home and Pine Apple Rd, #196:  
Cheatham, James H 37 first marriage, married 16 yrs, farmer, rents farm Al Al Al  
Belle F 34 8 children/6 living Al Al Al  
Lola 15, Nancy Julia 13, Jimmie (dau) 10, Eva 7, Edna 5, Clarence L 2

See also database at

<http://worldconnect.rootsweb.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=rwgreen12&id=I3147> (copied 3 Mar 2004).

More About JAMES HOLMES CHEATHAM:

Burial: Forest Home, Butler County, Alabama<sup>10</sup>

More About CLARA BELL LINTON:

Burial: Forest Home, Butler County, Alabama<sup>10</sup>

Children of JAMES CHEATHAM and CLARA LINTON are:

- i. LOLA<sup>5</sup> CHEATHAM, b. Abt. 1895.
- ii. NANCY JULIA CHEATHAM, b. Abt. 1897.
- iii. JIMMIE CHEATHAM, b. Abt. 1900.
- iv. EVA CHEATHAM, b. Abt. 1903.
- v. EDNA CHEATHAM, b. Abt. 1905.
- vi. CLARENCE CHEATHAM, b. Abt. 1908.

3. MAUDE SHEBA<sup>4</sup> CHEATHAM (*NANCY T<sup>3</sup> MURPHY, WILSON<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>10,11</sup> was born 02 Apr 1875<sup>11,12</sup>, and died 08 Mar 1962<sup>12</sup>. She married (1) MAC C BOUTWELL<sup>13</sup> Bef. 1896<sup>14</sup>. He was born Jan 1873<sup>15</sup>, and died Bef. 1907<sup>16</sup>. She married (2) HORACE C. MURPHY 28 May 1907 in Butler County, Alabama<sup>16</sup>, son of C MURPHY and AMANDA WATTS. He was born 16 Dec 1855 in Alabama<sup>17</sup>, and died 03 Dec 1923<sup>17</sup>.

Notes for MAUDE SHEBA CHEATHAM:

See also notes on Nancy Murphy Cheatham for another person's research on Maude Sheba's children.

1900 Census, Butler County, Alabama, 21 June 1900, Pct 11, Forest Home and Butler Springs, ED 18 (near end of reel), Page 140A, #196:

Boutwell, Mac C	27 (Jan 1873)	farmer, rents, both can R/W	Al Al Al
Maude S	25 (Apr 1875)	mar 6 yrs, 3 ch/3 living	Al Al Al
Hattie P?	5 (May 1895)		Al Al Al
Olive M (dau)	3 (May 1897)		Al Al Al
Osten (son)	9/12 (Aug 1899)		Al Al Al *** is name supposed to be Austin?

More About MAUDE SHEBA CHEATHAM:

Burial: Pine Flat, Butler County, Alabama

Notes for HORACE C. MURPHY:

See Horace's notes under his listing in his father's file.

Children of MAUDE CHEATHAM and MAC BOUTWELL are:

- i. HATTIE B<sup>5</sup> BOUTWELL<sup>18</sup>, b. May 1895.
4. ii. OLIVE M (OLLIE) BOUTWELL, b. May 1897.
- iii. OSTEN BOUTWELL<sup>19</sup>, b. Aug 1899<sup>20</sup>.
- iv. ARTHUR P BOUTWELL<sup>21</sup>, b. Abt. 1902.
- v. SHEBA BOUTWELL<sup>21</sup>, b. Abt. 1905.

Children of MAUDE CHEATHAM and HORACE MURPHY are:

- vi. HORACE A<sup>5</sup> MURPHY, b. Abt. 1909<sup>22</sup>.
- vii. KATHLEEN MURPHY<sup>23</sup>, b. Abt. 1913.
- viii. FELTON UNDERWOOD MURPHY<sup>24</sup>, b. 13 Sep 1917<sup>25</sup>; d. 30 Jul 1926.

### *Generation No. 3*

4. OLIVE M (OLLIE)<sup>5</sup> BOUTWELL (*MAUDE SHEBA<sup>4</sup> CHEATHAM, NANCY T<sup>3</sup> MURPHY, WILSON<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>26,27</sup> was born May 1897<sup>28</sup>. She married JOHN STEWART<sup>29</sup> Abt. 1914<sup>29</sup>.

Notes for OLIVE M (OLLIE) BOUTWELL:

She is the Ollie Stewart with whom Kathleen Murphy was living in 1930.

1930 Butler County, Alabama, April 9, Forest Home & Butler Springs, ED 11 Sht 98 (sht 3?B per Ancestry.com image), Pct. 11, Forest Home & Pine Apple Rd, #94:

Stewart, John	40	has radio, mar. age 24, farmer, rents farm	Al Al Al
Ollie	32	married at 16	Al Al Al
Lucile 15, Robert 11, Nell 8 (all 3 in school, can R/W), George 5			Al Al Al
Murphy, Kathleen	17	sgl, sister-in-law, in school	Al Al Al

Children of OLIVE BOUTWELL and JOHN STEWART are:

- i. LUCILE<sup>6</sup> STEWART, b. Abt. 1915<sup>29</sup>.
- ii. ROBERT STEWART, b. Abt. 1919<sup>29</sup>.
- iii. WILL STEWART, b. Abt. 1922<sup>29</sup>.
- iv. GEORGE STEWART, b. Abt. 1925<sup>29</sup>.

### *Endnotes*

1. US Census 1850 Butler County, Alabama.
2. Gibson, Richard G., Cheatham descendant, *Gibson family data*, (<http://www.rootsweb.com/~albutler/families/petercheatham.htm>), "Electronic."
3. *Butler County, Alabama marriage records*.
4. US Census 1880 Butler County, Alabama.
5. Gibson, Richard G., Cheatham descendant, *Gibson family data*, (<http://www.rootsweb.com/~albutler/families/petercheatham.htm>), "Electronic," middle name Wilson.
6. Gibson, Richard G., Cheatham descendant, *Gibson family data*, (<http://www.rootsweb.com/~albutler/families/petercheatham.htm>), "Electronic".
7. US Census 1880 Butler County, Alabama, Butler Springs, frame 413, #420, age 3.
8. Gibson, Richard G., Cheatham descendant, *Gibson family data*, (<http://www.rootsweb.com/~albutler/families/petercheatham.htm>), "Electronic".
9. Gibson, Richard G., Cheatham descendant, *Gibson family data*, (<http://www.rootsweb.com/~albutler/families/petercheatham.htm>), "Electronic", Children's data from same source.
10. Gibson, Richard G., Cheatham descendant, *Gibson family data*, (<http://www.rootsweb.com/~albutler/families/petercheatham.htm>), "Electronic".
11. US Census 1910 Butler County, Alabama.
12. Tombstone, <http://www.rootsweb.com/~albutler/cemeteries/pflat.htm>.
13. US Census 1900 Butler County, Alabama, Pct 11, Forest Home and Butler Springs, ED 18, Page 140A, #196.
14. US Census 1910 Butler County, Alabama, Beat 11, Butler Springs, Murphy's Bridge Rd, page 134, #160, birth of first child, 1896.
15. US Census 1900 Butler County, Alabama, Pct 11, Forest Home and Butler Springs, ED 18, Page 140A, #196.
16. *Butler County, Alabama marriage records*.
17. Tombstone, <http://www.rootsweb.com/~albutler/cemeteries/pflat.htm>.
18. US Census 1910 Butler County, Alabama, Beat 11, Butler Springs, Murphy's Bridge Rd, page 134, #160, but on 1900 census, middle initial may have been "P."
19. US Census 1910 Butler County, Alabama, Beat 11, Butler Springs, Murphy's Bridge Rd, page 134, #160.
20. US Census 1900 Butler County, Alabama, Pct 11, Forest Home and Butler Springs, ED 18, Page 140A, #196, age 9 months.
21. US Census 1910 Butler County, Alabama, Beat 11, Butler Springs, Murphy's Bridge Rd, page 134, #160.
22. US Census 1910 Butler County, Alabama, Butler Springs, Murphy's Bridge Rd, age 10 months.
23. US Census 1920 Butler County, Alabama, Forest Home & Butler Springs Road, #141, age 7.
24. US Census 1920 Butler County, Alabama, Forest Home & Butler Springs Road, #141.
25. *Butler County cemetery compilation in Butler County Probate Office*.
26. US Census 1910 Butler County, Alabama, Beat 11, Butler Springs, Murphy's Bridge Rd, page 134, #160.
27. US Census 1900 Butler County, Alabama, Pct 11, Forest Home and Butler Springs, ED 18, Page 140A, #196, full name Olive M.
28. US Census 1900 Butler County, Alabama, Pct 11, Forest Home and Butler Springs, ED 18, Page 140A, #196.
29. US Census 1930 Butler County, Alabama, Pct. 11, Forest Home & Pine Apple Rd, #94.