



Annual Elections Held



Pictured left to right: Cindy Burkhalter (Treasurer & Librarian), Norm Pence (Vice-President), April Makerney (Webmaster & Newsletter Editor), Donna Head (President & News Reporter), Sydney Groat (Corresponding Secretary & Membership Director), Billie Heath (Recording Secretary, Parliamentarian & Program Director). Not pictured: Sherri Cheek, Historian

The Choctaw County Genealogical Society held its annual elections on November 2, 2015.

Offices up for reelection in 2015 for the years 2016-2017 and those elected were as follows...

President - Donna Head

Recording Secretary - Billie Heath

Webmaster - April Makerney

Parliamentarian - Billie Heath*

Membership Director - Sydney Groat

Program Director - Billie Heath

Historian - Sherri Cheek*

*Note: Since elections were held a few changes have been made. Sherri Cheek stepped down as Histo-

rian. Donna Head is filling in for that position. Billie Heath stepped down as Parliamentarian. Cecelia Finch has taken over that position.

In addition, some new committees were created and chairpersons appointed to handle some of our ongoing projects.

Cemetery Committee - Billie Heath

Research Committee - Sydney Groat

Scanning Committee - Donna Head

Veteran Committee - April Makerney

Congratulations to everyone and here's to a fabulous next two years!

For a full list of all current CCGS officers and committee chairs, go to our [website](#).

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I REGRETFULLY DECLINE
YOUR OFFER TO INTERACT
SOCIALY.

I'M DOING
GENEALOGY

Chahta Anumpa (Choctaw Language)

Choctaw Language Rules

Rule 5

When a double consonant is written, both are pronounced. This gives the effect of one long drawn out consonant. Listen closely to the pronunciation of the double consonants in the links below.

[pukkoli](#) - ten

[homma](#) - Red

[ulla](#) - child

[issish](#) - blood

[ibbak](#) - hand

[ummi](#) - mine

[kullo](#) - hard

[tiwwi](#) - to open

Minor Rule

The white missionaries often did not hear the double consonants because English does not have them; in English, tt sound the same as t. The missionaries often wrote a single consonant where they should have written a double. Allen Wright, a Choctaw, carefully wrote all double consonants in his dictionary.

Click the links below to hear some words which the missionaries wrote single consonants.

[hashshuk](#) / [hashuk](#) - grass

[hoppi](#) / [hopi](#) - to bury

[nittak](#) / [nitak](#) - day

[issi](#) / [isi](#) - deer

[hattak](#) / [hatak](#) - person, man

[pukkoli](#) / [pokoli](#) - ten

On the left is the correct spelling, on the right the incorrect spelling.

Click on any of the Choctaw words in red above to hear an audio clip
from ChoctawSchool.com
(Courtesy of Choctaw Nation - used with permission)

Upcoming Events



Research Library

The Choctaw County Genealogical Society maintains a Research Library in the Heritage Room of the Donald W. Reynolds Library at 703 E. Jackson Street, Hugo, Oklahoma. The Heritage Room is available during library hours. We do ask that you sign in at the library front desk as well as sign our guestbook located on the Society desk. No food or drink is allowed.

Children under the age of 12 who enter the Heritage room must be under constant supervision of an adult. Children are not allowed to handle any genealogical materials or equipment in the Heritage room. Children are required to be respectful of other researchers by not being loud or otherwise disruptive. Any child being loud, using Heritage room research materials or equipment, or disruptive in any way will be asked to leave the Heritage room.

Library Hours

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday	9am - 7pm
Wednesday & Friday	9am - 6pm
Saturday	9am - 2pm
Sunday	Closed

January (Koinchush Hvshi - Wildcat Month)

1st - New Years Day

4th - CCGS meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Program - 'Computer Tips' presented by Norm Pence

10th - Cemetery Gathering, 10 a.m. - Restland Cemetery, pt. 3

16th - Cemetery Committee Workday, 10 a.m.

18th - Officer Meeting, 6 p.m. (Officers Only)

18th - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

30th - Library Workday, 9:30 a.m. - 'Joe Wilkins'

February (Watonlak Hvshi - Crane Month)

1st - CCGS Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Program - 'Choctaw Code Talkers' presented by Lila Swink

7th - Cemetery Gathering, 10 a.m. - Sawyer Cemetery

14th - Valentine's Day

15th - Officer Meeting, 6 p.m. (Officers Only)

15th - President's Day

March (Mahli Hvshi - Wind Month)

7th - CCGS Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

13th - Daylight Savings Time Begins

13th - Cemetery Gathering, 10 a.m. - Cemetery TBD

17th - St. Patrick's Day

20th - Spring Begins

25th - Good Friday

27th - Easter

April (Tek I Hvshi - Month of the Women)

4th - CCGS Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

10th - Cemetery Gathering, 10 a.m. - Cemetery TBD

18th - Officer Meeting, 6 p.m. - (Officer's Only)

22nd - Earth Day

29th - Arbor Day

CCGS Membership



We would like to wish a warm welcome to our **New Society Members!**

Jerry D. Wilson, Antlers
Bill Wicklund, Ringold
Allen County Public Library

Johanna Epperson, Antlers
Paula Sue Campbell, Hugo
Debbie Cody

Thank You For Your Support!

Member Birthdays



We would like to wish a very Happy Birthday to the following members...



John Brewer, Jan 24th

Cecilia Finch, Jan 25th

Gary G. Akin, Feb 2nd

Betty Montgomery, Feb 3rd

Billie Heath, Feb 4th

Debbie Cody, Feb 6th

Cindy Burkhalter, Feb 19th

Sim Morgan, Mar 3rd

Homer Davis, Mar 6th

Jerry D. Wilson, Mar 17th

Sandra Gregg, Mar 21st

Donna Calloway, Mar 25th

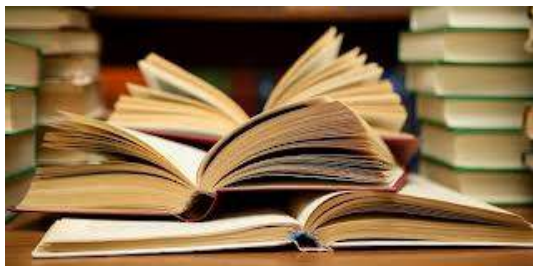
Peggy Maeger, Mar 29th

Matt Davis, Mar 29th

PLEASE SUPPORT US BY RENEWING YOUR MEMBERSHIP

The Membership Director will be sending out email or postal mail reminders to each member at the beginning of their membership renewal month.

CCGS Bookshelf / Donations



New on the bookshelf

Purchased

- ◆ “Choctaw Nation District Court Records, Jacks Fork Co. & Jackson Co. CTN 33, Vol. 2” published by Bryan County Genealogy Library and Archives

Donated

- ◆ The Arkansas Family Historian, Vol. 34 #4, Dec 1996 - Jolynn Self
- ◆ Navarro Leaves and Branches, Corsicana, TX, Vol. XX #1; Vol. XIX #3; Vol. XIX #4 - Jolynn Self
- ◆ Chahta Amumpa Aiiimabvchi Holisso, Choctaw Language Workbook - Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma
- ◆ “Days Gone By” by C. E. Dudley - Anonymous

DONATIONS

Donations are always welcome and will be preserved in our research library.

Remember donations are tax-deductible.

[Click here for our donation form.](#)

Donations

- ◆ Feedsack Quilt - D. L. Wilkerson - arrangements have been made for the quilt to be displayed by the Friends of Fort Towson
- ◆ Various cash donations
- ◆ Supplies donations

Thank You



Pictured above:

Donna Head & Sydney Groat accepting quilt donation from D. L. Wilkerson.

Pictured left:

Close up of graphic in the lower right corner of the quilt.

Veteran Spotlight



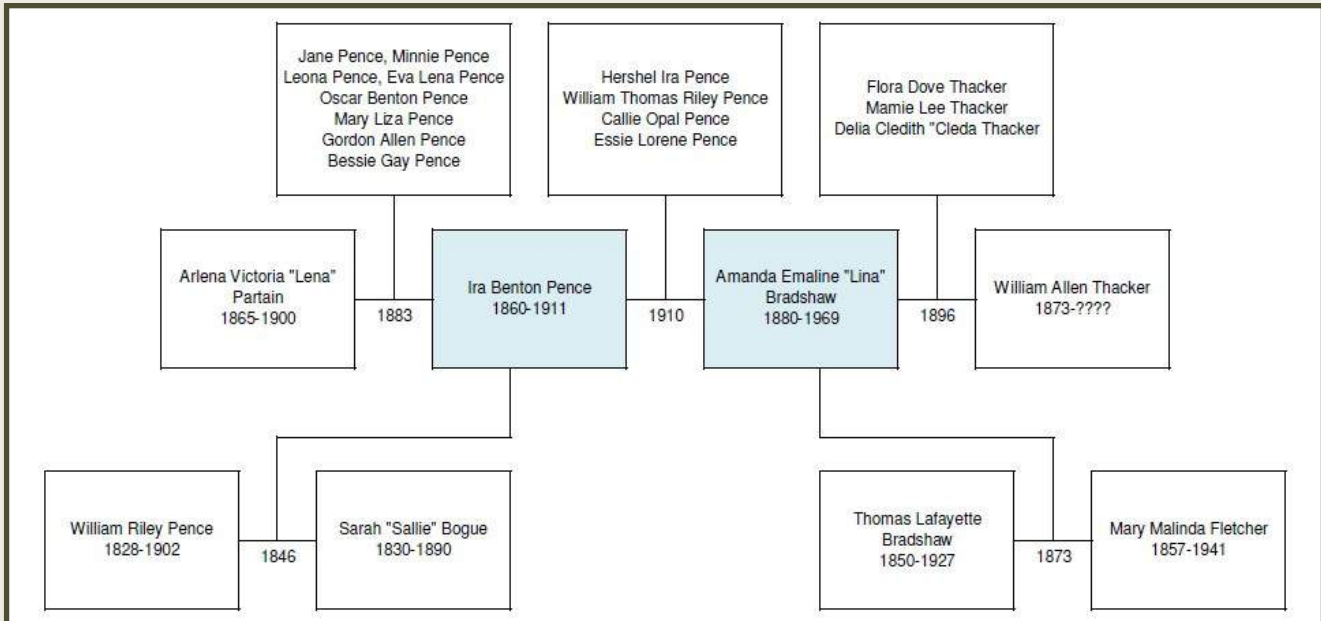
Henry Murray Hopkins

WORLD WAR II - KOREA - VIETNAM

Henry Murray Hopkins, son of Charley Hugh Hopkins & Rady B. Darnell of Boswell, Choctaw County, Oklahoma. Henry was 17 years old when he was sent to Germany. He participated in the Berlin Airlift and was a Crew Chief on a helicopter. He was also a Master Sergeant in Korea and Vietnam. He has a numerous listing of awards and medals including a Vietnam Service Medal, Valorous Unit Citation, Bronze Star, First Oak Leaf Cluster, and Good Conduct Medal. Henry has traveled all over the world and has been to almost every state in the U.S. When Henry retired from service, he returned home to his hometown of Boswell. There he served on the City Council and was a former VFW member. He also participated in NCOA and AMETS.

Henry raised two children, a daughter, Marlena, and a son, Steven, who was a Marine. Henry's grandfather owned the land that is now occupied by the Restland Cemetery. All five of Henry's brothers served in the military. Four of those brothers were career men. One was wounded in action and one brother, Hugh, was killed in action in the Philippines. Five years later his body was returned home and was met with a hero's welcome. Sadly, the last time Henry went to visit his brother's grave, he found that his headstone was now missing. Henry is the last surviving brother. Henry was turn 85 years old on February 7, 2016.

IRA BENTON & AMANDA EMALINE "LINA" PENCE FAMILY



Ira Benton Pence and Amanda Emaline "Lina" Bradshaw , with their children, moved from the Bonham, Texas, area in December 1918 to a home about three miles north of Hugo on the Ball Park Road (now North 4230 Road). Each had a previous marriage and they married in Fannin County Texas January 21, 1911. In addition to children from the previous marriages, they had two boys and two girls: Hershel Ira Pence, William T. R. "Bill" Pence, Essie Lorene (Pence) Smith and Callie Opal (Pence) Payne. All are now deceased except for Hershel Pence.

Amanda Emaline "Lina" Bradshaw was born on February 15, 1880, in Virginia, her father, Thomas, was 29 and her mother, Mary, was 22. She married William Alexander Thacker and they had three children together. She then married Ira Benton Pence and they had four children together. She died on December 19, 1969, in Hugo, Oklahoma, at the age of 89. She is buried in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Hugo, Oklahoma.



Ira Benton Pence was born on December 23, 1861, in Huntsville, Alabama, his father, William, was 33 and his mother, Sarah, was 31. He married Arlena Victoria "Lena" Partain and they had eight children together. He then married Amanda Emaline "Lina" BRADSHAW and they had four children together. He died on May 21, 1925, in Hugo, Oklahoma, at the age of 63, and was buried in White Rock Cemetery, Fannin County, south of Bonham, Texas.

Featured Family



Pictured above:
Ira & Lina Pence & children



Pictured left:
Ira & Lina Pence at home place.

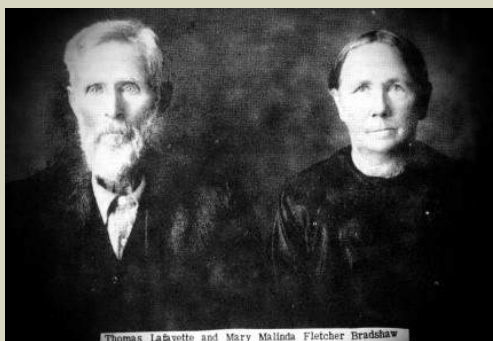
Featured Family

William Riley Pence was born on May 31, 1828, in Madison, Alabama, his father, Jacob, was 35 and his mother, Mary, was 29. He married Sarah "Sallie" Bogue on February 14, 1846, in his hometown. They had eight children in 22 years. He died on May 31, 1902, in his hometown, at the age of 74, and was buried there in Ragsdale Cemetery, Madison County, Alabama.

Sarah "Sallie" Bogue was born on October 3, 1830, in Alabama, her father, Joseph, was 32. She married William Riley Pence on February 14, 1846, in Madison, Alabama. They had eight children in 22 years. She died on October 22, 1890, in Huntsville, Alabama, at the age of 60, and was buried in Ragsdale Cemetery, Madison County, Alabama.



William Riley & Sallie (Bogue) Pence Headstone
Ragsdale Cemetery, Madison County, Alabama



Thomas Lafayette Bradshaw was born on March 14, 1850, in Tennessee, the child of William Henry and Nancy. He married Mary Malinda Fletcher on August 28, 1873, in Scott County, Virginia. They had 13 children in 26 years. He died on September 28, 1927, in Wellston, Oklahoma, at the age of 77, and was buried in Wellston Cemetery, Wellston, Oklahoma.

Mary Malinda Fletcher was born on November 6, 1857, in Estillville, Virginia, her father, Issac, was 49 and her mother, Elizabeth, was 41. She married Thomas Lafayette Bradshaw and they had 13 children together. She then had two daughters from another relationship. She died on March 9, 1941, in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, at the age of 83, and was buried in Wellston Cemetery, Wellston, Oklahoma.

This featured family and corresponding photos were submitted by Norm Pence, grandson of Ira & Lina Pence.
If you'd like to see your family featured in a future issue, contact April Makerney at choctawcountyokgensoc@live.com.

Featured Family



Pictured above:

Mary Malenda (Fletcher) & Thomas Lafayette Bradshaw
Wellston Cemetery, Wellston, Lincoln County, Oklahoma

Pictured below:

The original headstone for Thomas Lafayette Bradshaw



Obituary—Mrs. T. L. Bradshaw

Mary Malenda Fletcher was born in Scott county, Virginia, November 6, 1857. She departed this life March 9, 1941, having attained the age of 83 years, 4 months and 3 days.

She was united in marriage to Thomas Lafayette Bradshaw on August 28, 1873. To this union were born 12 children, of whom two preceded her in death. Surviving children are Billy Bradshaw, Edna Leslie and Geneva Victory of Bonham, Texas; Johnie, Orben, Hamp, Claude and Wiley Bradshaw, all of Wellston; Sallie Kinley of Broken Arrow; and Lina Pence of Hugo. Also 52 grandchildren and 92 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw resided in Tennessee and Texas before coming to Wellston in 1921, where deceased has since made her home. Mr. Bradshaw passed away in 1929.

Mrs. Bradshaw was converted and joined the Methodist Church when 30 years of age. After coming to Wellston, in 1923, she joined the Pentacostal Church, and received the baptism of the Holy Ghost at the age of 80 years. She lived a good Christian life and was loved by all.

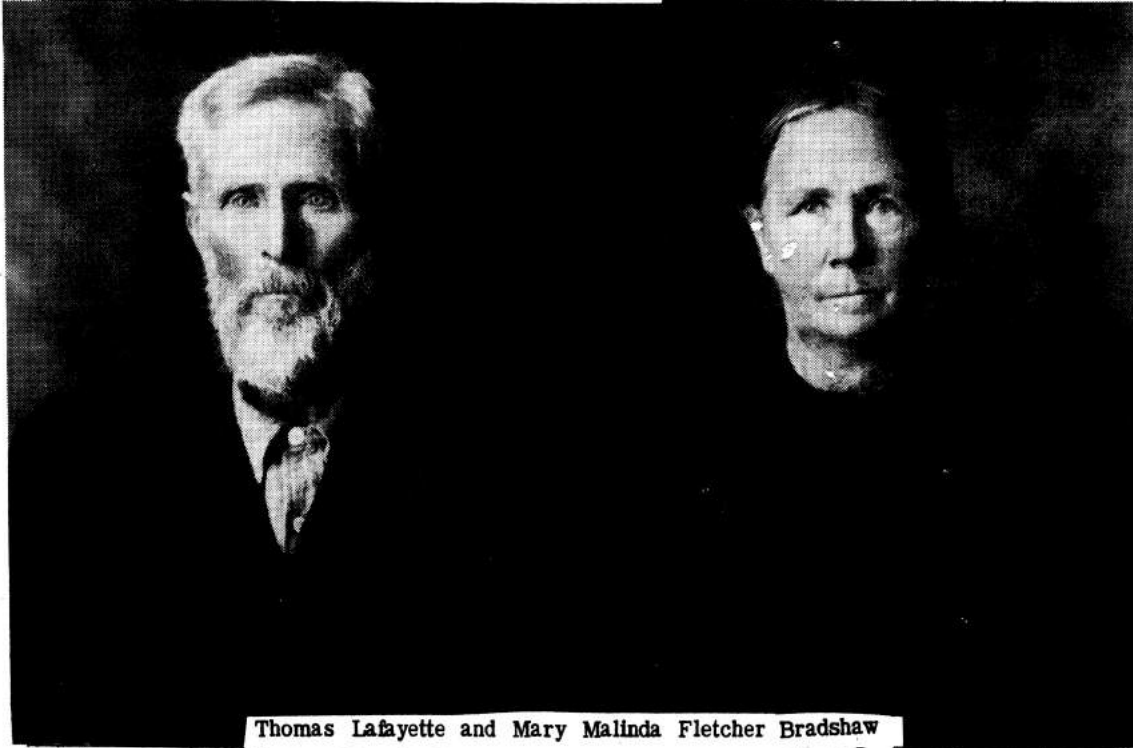
Funeral services were held at the Assembly of God Church in Wellston, Tuesday, March 11, conducted by Rev. Hobson Kennemer of Tulsa, and interment made at Wellston Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We truly thank all the good people of Wellston for their kindness in our time of sorrow, in the death of Grandmother Bradshaw.

The Children
Grandchildren, and
Great-grandchildren.

200 Kinfolk attend Bradshaw family reunion



Thomas Lafayette and Mary Malinda Fletcher Bradshaw

A large reunion of the Bradshaw family was held in Wellston this weekend featuring a family dinner in the American Legion Hall Saturday at which approximately 200 people were in attendance representing four generations. The reunion was held in memory of Thomas Lafayette Bradshaw and his wife, Mary Malinda Fletcher Bradshaw who were residents of Wellston (1920-1941) and who are both now deceased. Of this union, eleven children were born.

The grandchildren and great-grandchildren of seven of those eleven met in the Wellston American Legion Hall May 28, 1977, at 2:00 p.m. for a basket dinner. Those attending represented nine states.

Many of the family visited the Wellston Cemetery since it was Memorial weekend and it is where their grandparents and other relatives are at rest.

Present for the family dinner and reunion were: Vernon and Jo Bass, Denver, Colorado; Georgia B. Sauveur, Falls Church, Virginia; David and Essie Smith, Houston, Texas; Clara Bradshaw Gary, Haskell, Texas; Hershel, Ann, and Cathy Pence, Hugo, Okla.; Hall and Velma Bradshaw Stewart,

Lubbock, Texas; Mamie Cunningham, Ft. Sumner, New Mexico; Stanley K. Bradshaw and Nancy Phelps, Silver Springs, Maryland; Bill Leslie, Duncan, Okla.; Finis E. Bradshaw, Cypress, Calif.; Nona L. and Goued Bass, Wichita, Kansas; Bessie and Jesse Eldson, Wellston, Okla.; Harry and Hazel Bass, Wellston, Okla.; Clifford and Christina Bradshaw, Wellston, Okla.; Ray and Doris Bradshaw, and Ron, Alan, Phil, and Dalene, Choctaw; Velda B. Stephanson, Arlington, Virginia, and grandson, John P. (Tucker) Nash, Monroe, North Carolina; George Groenewold and family and August and Mae Groenewold, Weleetka, Okla.;

David and Wendy Bradshaw, Bren and Wendy; Bruce and Reta McLain, Wellston; Howard and Jonnie Bradshaw, Modesto, Calif.; Betty and David Leslie, Dallas, Texas; Maggie Lou Bradshaw, Cushing, Okla.; Euphema Bradshaw Knoch, San Diego, Calif.; Gary L. Bradshaw, Cushing, Okla.; Eula Mae Hall, Buena Park, California; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clay Harmon, Jennifer, Christy, and Wendy; John P. Bradshaw, Buena Park, Calif.; Willard Bradshaw, Bakersfield, California; Ruby Harmon, Okla. City; Duane Bass, Buena Park, Calif.; Vernie O. Groenewold, Phoenix, Arizona; Mrs. Ken (Billie) Wiley, Houston, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bass and son, Dean, Okla. City, Oklahoma; Effie O'Bannon, Sapulpa, Okla.; Naomi Wilson, Wellston, Mary Wayne Wallace, Karen Jean Wallace, and Cheryl Wilson Aultman, Wellston; J. G. and Gladys Erin, Okla. City; Wiley Da-

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Biographical Sketches

Edward A. Bohannon (Choctaw)

Born in Blue County, March, 1863. The subject of this sketch was the son of Edward Bohannon, who emigrated from Mississippi in 1852. The young man and his two brothers, David and Leonidas, were left under their mother's charge at an early age, and until 1855 assisted her on the family homestead. Edward made the most of the limited education he was enabled to receive at Durant, but was for several years incapable of active exertion through the effects of three bullet wounds which he received on Christmas night, 1884, at the hands of a man named Callaghan. The shots were fired while young Bohannon was observing the dancers, and the pistol was so close to him that each shot burned his clothing. The severity of his wounds obliged him to adopt the business of book agent and fur trader until 1889, when he was appointed a member of the U. S. Indian Police. Besides this, Edward Bohannon holds the appointment of special peace officer for the town of Caddo, for which he receives an income from the citizens. Since he has become a guardian of the public welfare it is notable that the town has enjoyed absolute freedom from lawlessness and rowdyism.

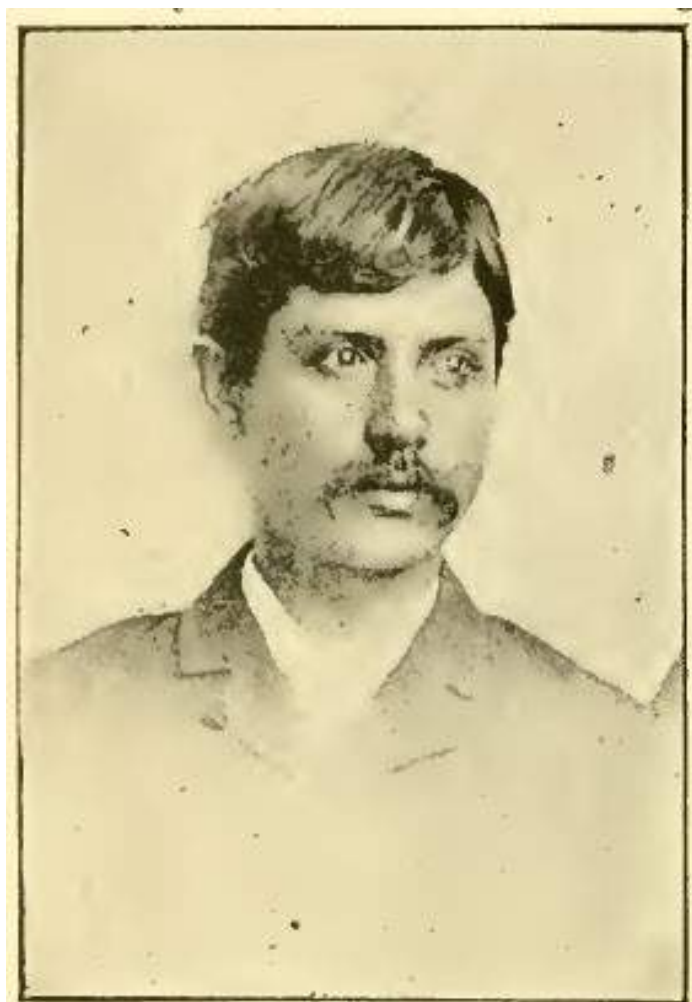
Julius C. Hampton (Choctaw)

Son of Nicholas H. Hampton, of Blue County, was born near Talihena in the Choctaw Nation, in 1859, where his father resided until 1865, when at the close of the war he moved fifteen miles east of Caddo, bringing with him his slaves, which were not yet set free. In 1885 the subject of this sketch married Jennie Davenport, and after her death, four years later, wedded Peggy Downing, a daughter of Ned Downing, a Cherokee refugee. In 1879 he was appointed circuit clerk under Judge Loring Folsom, and clerk of the House of Representatives in 1885 and 1886. In 1889 was clerk of the Net Proceeds Commission, of which Dr. E. Poe Harris was secretary. Some years previously Mr. Hampton was employed by Allinton Telle, supervisor of census to take the census of the Senatorial district. He is now devoting his attention to cattle and farming. Of the latter he has three hundred acres of land under cultivation and employs nine work-hands. He has one son, Walter, aged two years.

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Richard Smallwood (Choctaw)



RICHARD SMALLWOOD.

Born in 1864 at Doaksville, Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory; attended the neighborhood school until 1872, when he went to the American College, at Paris, Texas, where he remained for one year; then the following year to the Jesuit College, Osage Mission, Kansas. In 1875 he commenced clerking for John A. Dillon, a merchant of Atoka, remaining with him for three years; after which time he opened in the butcher business in the same place and remained at it for several years. In 1888 he married Miss Rose Cooke, of Denison, only daughter of N. L. Cooke, of Louisville, Ky. Mrs. Smallwood is an accomplished and entertaining lady and an excellent musician. Richard was appointed by his uncle, Governor Smallwood, in 1888, as National Coal Weigher for the Southwestern Coal Improvement Company, which position he still holds. Mr. Smallwood is a young man of considerable ability, and is popular among his people. He is the last of the Smallwoods, one of his brothers having been killed and the other died from smallpox in Mexico while Auditor for the Santa Fee Railroad Co.

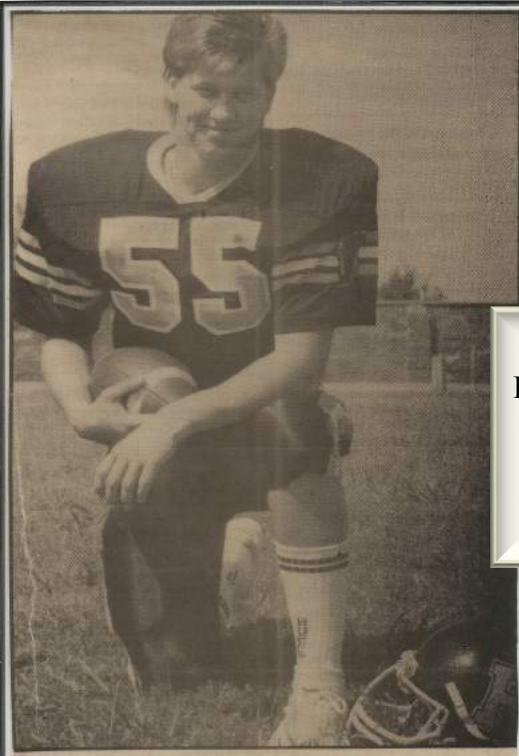
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Choctaw County Recollections



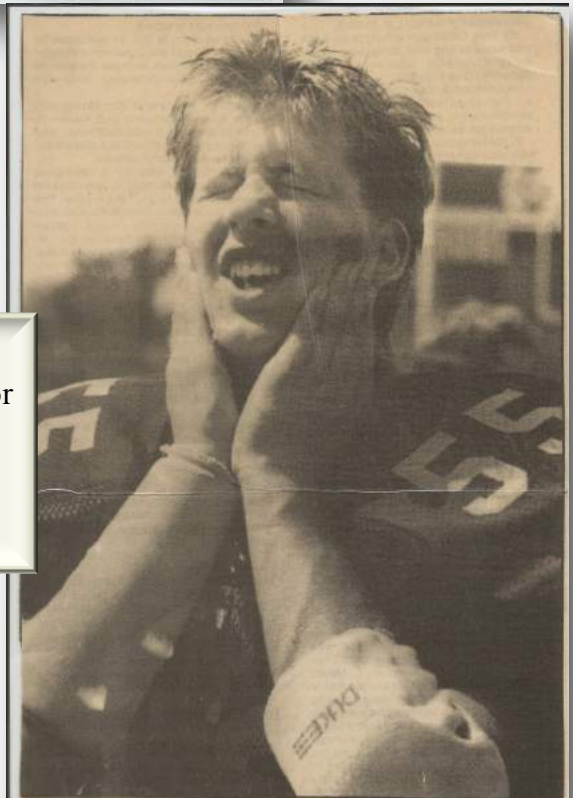
Ft. Towson High School
Prom
May 1991



Hugo High School Junior
Josh Welch
1985

HUGO HIGH SCHOOL junior, Josh Welch (at left), scored both touchdowns for the Hugo Buffs in action Friday against Broken Bow. Welch also caught three passes during the game, which the Buffs lost 34-15.

10-14-85



TAKING AN ICE break during Hugo High School football practice Monday afternoon is Josh Welch. Welch, a member of the Hugo High Buffaloes football team, found Monday's 101-degree temperatures a little warm during practice in the afternoon hours.

Hugo Daily News Staff Photo by Steve Casper
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54th Annual Hugo Rodeo & Homecoming

Tuesday, May 26, 2015

Lige Hammock: A cowboy's cowboy

An RCA rodeo cowboy, the first RCA cowboy to receive a Gold Card Lifetime paid membership. Lige Hammock was 35 when he entered in the RCA.

He was known to the cowboys as the "Grand Old Daddy of Rodeo." He stood six feet, four inches tall, 220 pounds of brute strength.

He was Beutler & Sons No. 1 pickup man.

When it came to wild cow milking, the cow often would end up the worse for the scuffle! Lige added humor and color to the RCA circuit.

His contribution to rodeo and steer wrestling, for which he still holds records in many states.

Lige Hammock, an early pioneer of our own Hugo Rodeo and Horse Club and member of its first board of directors, worked diligently to see the completion of the Hugo rodeo arena as we know it. His early hard work and devotion to the Hugo Club, and particularly the color he added to our own RCA rodeo, won him the honor of having his name placed alongside that of the great RCA world champion cowboy, his friends, Todd Whatley, in the naming of the Hugo rodeo arena.



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54th Annual Hugo Rodeo & Homecoming

Tuesday, May 26, 2015

Todd Whatley: He lived by the code of a man

Born in Rufe, Okla., in 1920, Todd Whatley entered his first rodeo at Battiest, Okla., in 1937. He later made his home in Hugo where he established his beautiful T-4 Ranch.

In 1947, Todd became the first All-Around Cowboy named in the RCA. He also won the steer wrestling championship in 1947 and later in 1953 he won the bull riding title.

He served on the Board of Directors of the RCA for nearly as long as he was a full time contestant. Todd was a charter member of the Cowboy Hall of Fame. In 1947, he set a record for the most money won at a single rodeo, \$8,898, at New York's Madison Square Garden, a record which stood until early 1976.

The name of Todd Whatley will

long be remembered in professional rodeo. This seems a fitting tribute, for even more solid than the three national championships and prize money he won during the 25 years he was a competitor, is the memory of the man's basic integrity and the depth of his friendship with others.

Todd Whatley was a Hugo rancher and RCA rodeo cowboy. Whatley won the All-Around and Steer Wrestling titles in 1947, and returned in 1953 to win the World Champion Bullriding Title. Whatley also served on the board of directors of the PRCA and held PRCA membership card No. 1. The Hugo Rodeo arena was named for Whatley and his rodeo friend, Lige Hammock.



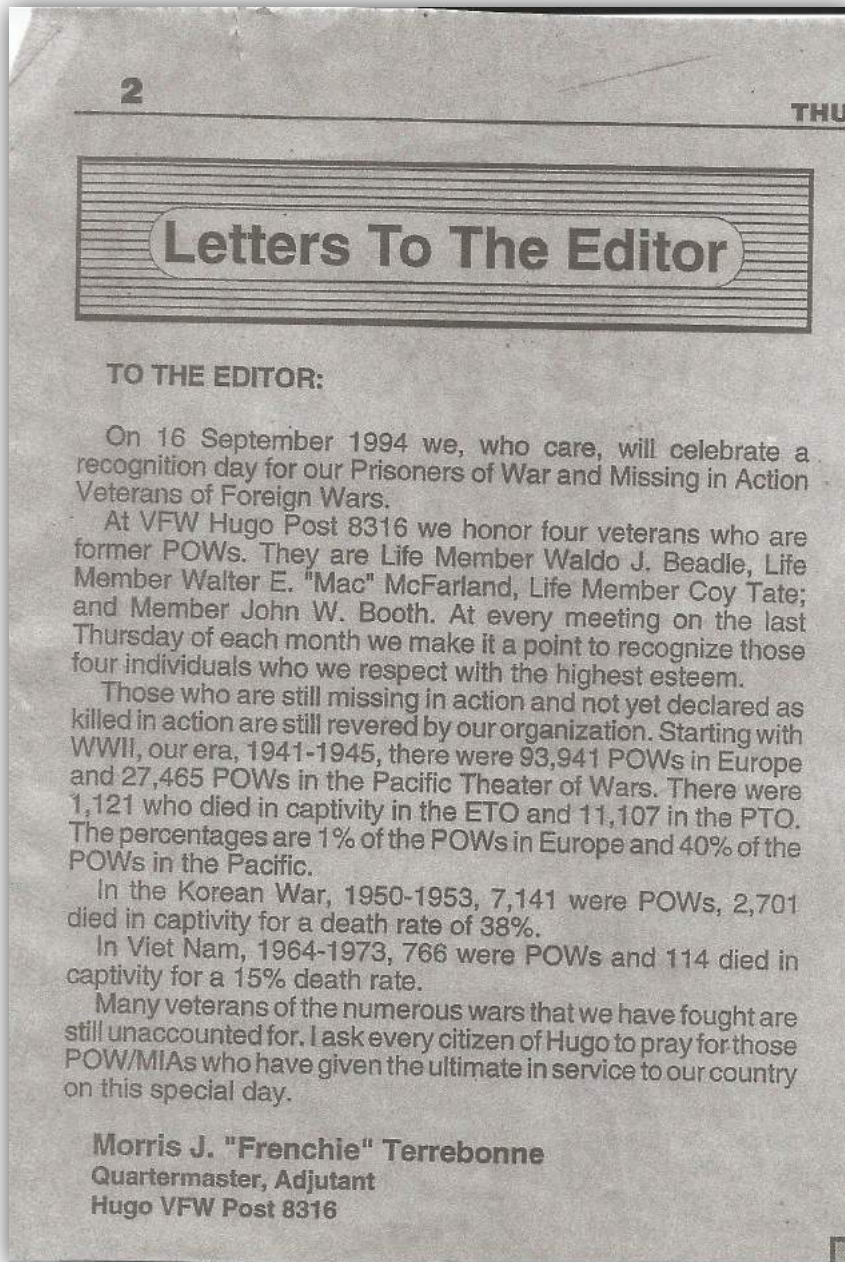
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Edith Lott (McLemore) Johnson
and her five Haislip children
(1948 - Hugo, Oklahoma)

Daughters (l to r:) - Estelle Haislip, Sylvia (Haislip) Minchew, Criss (Haislip) Lester
Sons (l to r:) - Travis Haislip and Roy Haislip

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Mark Elmer Wharton

(6 Mar 1900 - 9 Dec 1975)

Buried: Sugar Creek Cemetery

Son of James & Bettie (Grinstead) Wharton

Husband of Beulah (Holder) Wharton

Father of Louise, Roy, Margie & Vincent

Do you have clippings, photographs, etc. you would like to see

featured in our Choctaw County Recollections?

Scan and email them to choctawcountygensoc@live.com or mail us a copy to

703 E. Jackson Street,

Hugo, OK 74743

Publication List

Choctaw County Genealogical Society

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Cemetery Records	Price
Cemetery Records, Volume I, Book A-B	\$25.00
Cemetery Records, Volume I, Book C-D	\$25.00
Cemetery Records, Volume I, Book E-G	\$25.00
Cemetery Records, Volume I, Book H-J	\$25.00
Cemetery Records, Volume I, Book K-L	\$25.00
Cemetery Records, Volume I, Book M-N	\$25.00
Cemetery Records, Volume I, Book O-R	\$25.00
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First Quarter 2016

Jan - Restland Cemetery, pt. 3

Feb - Sawyer Cemetery

Mar - TBD

All cemetery gatherings are weather permitting. Cancellation notices will be emailed (to members) and posted on our [facebook page](#).

If we finish the designated cemeteries and there is enough time left in the day, we may go to Mt. Olivet cemetery.



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