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*From:* Gerry Hill <[gerryvinga@yahoo.com](mailto:gerryvinga@yahoo.com)>

*Subject:* Re: [GAGREENE] Edmondson family of Greene Co.

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I have a Little

— William P Edmondson was in Greene

Born 3 Sep 1794 Near Barisdston, Oglethorpe, Ga died 31 Dec 1882  
 married 20 Feb 1817 Greene- Sarah M "Salley" English born 13 Sep 1789 Ga-  
 I only show 2 children Augusta P of Greene- 31 Dec 1817  
 and Elizabeth 2 Apr 1820

Her are my notes- and notes from others:

If they are not signed, they usually were found on Genforum.com where most foks don't sign.

William Edmondson my great grand was born near Bairdstown GA in Oglethorpe Co., September 3, 1794 je died December 31, 1882. He married twice. His first wife was Dina English, she was born July 12, 1794 and died September 8, 1831

1790-Tax List-Greene Co Ga

No Edmondson's

1793-Mar 9 Recorded-Deed Book E Pg. 653

GREENE CO GA LAND RECORDS 1785-1810 F. Turner

I James Powell Edmondson of Greene County, appoint Hugh Ennis of Franklin Co. Va., as my

Lawful attorney to receive on my behalf 45 lbs due me for three years arrears of my annual pension

becoming due 4 Mar 1790 as an invalid of the United States, this 9 Mar 1793-Wit.

William Cochran,

Malcolm Johnson.

1799-Apr 1-Recorded Page 59-Deed Book P Greene Co Ga

GREENE CO GA LAND RECORDS 1785-1810 F. Turner

William Ragsdale of Oglethorpe sold to Redman Thornton of Same 23 Jan 1799 for \$368.50 67

acres of land lying in Ogle. bounded by Marshall's line, Edmondson's line and Fluker's line. Wit John

Heard, Matthew Bragg and Jesse Lacy UP

1802-Apr 29-pg 539-Greene Co Ga

Samuel Ray of Clark Co sold to Huriah Gilmore of Greene on 24 Apr 1801, for the sum of \$250, 250

acres of land Greene. Wit. Wm Edmondson

1805-Tax List-Greene co Ga

Capt. John Myrick's Dist. Jas. Edmondson

1805-Mar 4-Pg. 150 Deed Book BB

GREENE CO GA LAND RECORDS 1785-1810 F. Turner  
 Theophilus Burk of Greene Co sold to Nelson Harris on 5 Mar 1803 for the sum of \$600, 150 acres of land in Greene bounded by Henry Hume and Richard Edmondson. Wit. TH. Harris. 1808-Apr. 18-Recorded-Page 714 Deed Book BB- Greene Co Ga  
 Redman Thornton of Greene County sold to Philemon Owen of Greene Co. on 31 Dec 1807, for the sum of \$500, a negro man called Bill. Wit. William Edmondson, James Edmondson Recorded 18 Apr 1808  
 1810-Tax Defaulter's List Capt. Myrick's Dist. William Edmondson, Samuel Edmondson  
 1810-Apr 17- Recorded-Pg. 396 Deed Book CC Greene Co Ga  
 Nelson Harris of Hancock sold to Benj. Boon of Greene on 7 Mar 1809 for \$900, 150 acres of land Greene bounded by Richard Edmondson, Jesse Boon, and Britain Williams. Wit. Jesse Boon.  
 1817-James married-see below  
 1820-Census-Oglethorpe Co Ga (Several more Edmundson)  
 Fanny  
 John, Lexington  
 Philemon  
 Thomas Capt William's Dist.  
 Putnam Co Ga (2 more Edmundson)  
 Thomas  
 William  
 Bulloch Co Ga  
 Nancy  
 1824-Samuel died Greene Co Ga-see below  
 1830-Census-No Edmondson in Greene  
 1835. William Edmondson was on the jury, Greene County Superior Court. (The Georgia Journal).  
 May 18, 1837. Juliann Edmondson married Jeremiah Lindsay, by W.R.N. Moseley, M.G. (She was a daughter of Samuel Edmondson who died about 1826).  
 1840-Census-Greene Co Ga  
 ✓ William Edmerson  
 1850-Census-Greene Co Ga (Rhea Otto)  
 pg 14 (HH358)  
 ✓ William Edmondson 55  
 Matilda 40  
 William 20 student  
 Eliza 16  
 Mary 12  
 John 10  
 Matilda 7  
 James 2  
 Bailey Brooks 20  
 1859-HISTORY OF GREENE CO by Rice & Wms  
 William Edmondson pg. 447 Jan 1859 Patrol Commissioners for Year-138th Dist. William Edmondson  
 Marriages Greene pg 531 HISTORY OF GREENE CO by Rice & Wms.  
 Augustus 1842 by N M Lumpkin  
 John L Apr 8 1859 Martha G Freeman by George A Mathews see below  
 Joseph Dec 29 1845 Rebecca Ann Wilson by W H Cone  
 James Mar 28 1817 Elizabeth Humphrey by James Greer  
 ✓ Mary Edmondson Dec 20 1855 James Armstrong see below  
 Mrs. Mary C Armstrong Nov 15 1865 John Armstrong  
 Harriet E dtr of Samuel B d 1826 m 28 Jul 1837 Greene Joseph H Baldwin to Cass now Bartow  
 (Kathryn Gavan thinks Richard is Grandfather-genforum)  
 May 18, 1837. Juliann Edmondson married Jeremiah Lindsay, by W.R.N. Moseley, M.G. (She was a daughter of Samuel Edmondson who died about 1826).  
 July 12, 1850. Elizabeth W. Edmondson married George W. Neal, by P.H. Mell, M.G. (The Rev. P.H. Mell and his son Dr. John D. Mell were Baptist ministers for many years at old Bairds Church. Louis Edmondson, a slave of William Edmondson, was baptized into membership and became a Negro deacon who served the Negro members of Bairds who participated in services with white members. After teh War, Louis and his wife and daughter remained members though most of the black members started a

separate church. Louis remained a faithful member after his wife's death and would be invited to the homes of various white members for a Sunday meal.)

Julia Ann May 18 1837 Jeremy Lindsay son of Jerimy from Hanover Co Va  
 Adeline Jun 12 1822 Wm Harrison McWhorter  
 Lucinda ? a 1800 George Armstrong  
 Martha Sep 2 1824 Peyton R Clements  
 Mary Carolyn Edmondson 24 Feb 1838-22 Apr 1875 Greene Co Ga Woodville Cemetery  
 Greene  
 by James had Hattie 15 Dec 1857 Ga by John Sarah "Sallie" 8 Sep 1866 Greene, James H  
 1 Sep 1868 Greene (Dtr of William & Matilda-see above)  
 I expect to do an on site search of the Greene County and Morgan County courthouse records soon and will look for the Downs family and for any connections with Halifax County NC. All the Edmondsons in Greene and Oglethorpe that I know of are not from eastern NC but came down from Virginia. However, part of the Halifax County Edmondsons were their close relatives, descendants of Bryant Edmondson, too. My own people are descended from Bryant's brother, Joseph, who moved to Craven Co. NC. in the early 1700's. His son moved in his late years to Wilkes County GA, the section which became Warren County in 1793. A bunch of Edmondsons from Nash/Wayne/Greene Counties in NC moved to Warren in the 1790's, who were in old Halifax County NC in earlier years.

Author: OscarGardner Surnames: edmondson

My wife is researching Samuel B. Edmondson who died a 1824 Greene Co.  
 w/ unnamed wife  
 and three girls Harriet  
 and a son named Henry Alexander Edmondson. Any help would be appreciated.Chris  
 Gardner  
 BrokeHampton, Ga.  
 Samuel B b a 1800 Ga  
 Children  
 Harriet a 1815 see above  
 Judy Ann a 1818 married Jermiah Lindsey see below  
 Henry Alexander 1820 Polk Co Ga  
 Martha a 1821  
 Let me discount the commission on your next HUD bid.  
 May 18, 1837. Juliann Edmondson married Jeremiah Lindsay, by W.R.N. Moseley, M.G.  
 (She was a daughter of Samuel Edmondson who died about 1826).

I am looking for info on Elizabeth Edmondson -Daut. of Bryant edmondson Of Halifax Co. N.C.She came to Greene Co. Ga In 1806-1808 with her husband ,David Downs-she died before 1824-I believe because she is not mentioned in her father-in Laws Will ( Wm. Downs of Morgan Co. Ga.-1824)I would love to know her death Date and someday where they are buried.( She is my Gt.Gt.Gt.aunt-David downs is br. to my GT.GT.Gt.grandmother ,Sarah Downs McCullough.I would appreciate the help-I have researched this Family for 15yrs!-L.D.Rinald( [mbskid@yahoo.com](mailto:mbskid@yahoo.com))  
 Julia, was this Edmondson family every in Georgia? Any of the children? My Martha J and Amanda Edmondson were found in Greene County, Morgan County and Walton County, Georgia in 1855 and 1867 when they married Caleb T Greer. I found a Richard Edmondson married to a Matilda Glaze in Oglethrope County, Ga; this Richard Edmondson comes thur John Edmondson, born in 1833; this is the birth year for William Moore Edmondson; I checked to see what I could find out on them; seems they were born, married and died in Washington County Virginia. Can you help me with the Georgia Edmondson family, which I believe some of their children of William Moore Edmondson migrated to Georgia. THank you Bea O'Quin/New Orleans, La

William Edmondson b Sep 3 1794 Bairdstown,Ga-Dec 31 1882-Greene Co Ga m Jan 4 1832  
 Ogle Matilda Penn Raines b 1810 Ga son James T born Oct 1847 Greene  
 Wm. Harrison McWhorter m 26 Oct 1837 Greene Adaline b 12 Jun 1822 d 21 Mar 1897  
 John L Edmondson b a 1832 a d bef 30 Jul 1862-Dec 31 1862 CSA  
 Enumerated 6 June 1860 by James Davison, Jr., Asst. Marshal  
 LN 24-26, HN 90, FN 91, Page: 462; Image: 0013; Roll: M653-125  
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 Edmondson...John L.....28....M...W...Teacher...\$---...\$---...GA  
 Edmondson...Martha.....15....F...W.....GA  
 Edmondson...Lucinda...1/12...F...W.....GA (Lucinda

Florence born May 1860 Greene)

John, Martha and their new baby were living on the farm of Martha's parents, John J. Freeman, head of household, his wife Ory and their four other children.

1 Event: Military Service 24 Apr 1861 Greene County, Georgia Note: Edmondson, John L. (or John H.) - served in the military enlisting as a private in Co. C, "Dawson Grays," 3rd Regiment, Georgia Volunteer Infantry, CSA, April 24, 1861 in Greene County, Georgia. On detached duty, nurse at Brigade Hospital, July 30, 1862. Died 1862.

Quoted from the Civil War Soldiers and Sailors System Web site:

3rd Regiment, Georgia Infantry

3rd Infantry Regiment was assembled at Augusta, Georgia, in April, 1861. Its companies were recruited in the counties of Clarke, Burke, Dawson, Dade, Madison, Baldwin, and Oconee. This regiment served in the Departments of Norfolk, North Carolina, and Middle and Eastern Florida before being assigned to the Army of Northern Virginia. Here it was under the command of General A.R. Wright and after November, 1864, General Sorrell. It participated in the difficult campaigns of the army from Seven Pines to Cold Harbor, then was involved in the Petersburg siege north and south of the James River and various conflicts around Appomattox. The unit reported 25 killed, 110 wounded, and 22 missing at Malvern Hill and had 10 killed and 129 wounded at Chancellorsville. It lost more than forty-five percent of the 441 engaged at Gettysburg, and there were 75 casualties at Manassas Gap. The 3rd surrendered in April, 1865, with 12 officers and 236 men. Its commanders were Colonels Edward J. Walker and Ambrose R. Wright; Lieutenant Colonels A.B. Montgomery, R.B. Nisbet, James S. Reid, and Claiborne Snead; and Majors George E. Hayes, John F. Jones, Augustus H. Lee, and John R. Sturges.

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In our Family two people wed Edmondson; David Downs of Greene Co Ga, wed Elizabeth Edmondson( Daut. of Bryant Edmondson) and LaterIn Ga. (Morgan Co. ) John Downs wed anna Edmondson -I am not doing much on this line but would like to know about Bryant Edmondson and wife , I Will glsdly Share Downs -Edmondson Info.--L. D. Rinald  
The Edmondson info that I have is that

Wm. EDM m. Dinah English.

His parents were Philemon & Eliz. Ryan EDM.

Grandparents: Richard & Priscilla (Lovell?) EDM. G-gp's: Bryant & Sarah (Farr?) EDM. GG-gp's: Bryant & Mary Haille EDM. GGG-gp's: Ths. EDM (d. leaving an Essex Co, VA will naming his ch. in 1715) & his wife, Mary. Nancy Edmondson Wood (Greene Co Ga List)

A letter written by Mrs. Lola Edmondson Jarrell of LaGrange, Georgia, is in the McWhorter Collection, Georgia State Archives, Atlanta. It was written to her cousin Edgar McWhorter, July 5, 1828:

Dear Edgar--

I didn't intend to wait so long to answer your letter--but I haven't been well and I hope you will excuse me.

Wish you had told me about your aunty--I have always loved her and her mama. If she comes this way, I sure want her to stop to see me.

I enjoyed the bit of news of yourself and your sisters--I'll always be interested in dear Lena's children.

I'm sorry that I can't give you much information as to our ancestors--I am going to copy what I find in my father's old Bible for you. Perhaps Cousin Pat McWhorter's daughter Pattie can tell you more than I . She wrote me several years ago that she wanted to join the D.A.R. and thought I could help her. My sister and I are eligible, but our ancestors were traced from my mother's family.

This is what I find recorded in my father's Bible--

The grandfather of W.P. Edmondson (my father) was Philemon Edmondson, who died June 20, 1842. Don't know birth.

The father of W.P. Edmondson (my father) was William Edmondson, born Sept. 3, 1794--died Dec. 31, 1882.

The mother of W.P. Edmondson (my father) was Dinah English--she was born July 12, 1794--died Sept. 8, 1831.

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W P( Philemon, Richard, Bryant, Bryant, Thomas) I have more on.One child by #2 wife Dinah English Wm Pettus.