**John Vawter4, (Samuel3, Edward2, Barth1)**

John is the son of Samuel Vawter and Agnes Richardson. John and Wife (unknown) were both deceased before 1815.

1810 Census for Prince Edward Co., VA

John Vawter, 1 male and 1 female age 26-44 and 5 children under 10 years. 2 males and 3 females. 4 slaves in household

Inventory payment of minors, Prince Edward County 1825 Estate of John Vawter decd

(GJNote: all values are left off as they are irrelevant to the names involved)

1815 cash paid Isham Harvey, cash to Nicholas Edmunds, taxes paid

July 1816 cash to Richard Shacklin, Nat Shacklin, S. Smith, Tho Vernon, Wm. Anderson. 1 hogshead tobo 26 pounds, cash to jesse Michaun

Nov 1816 cash to R Morgan, J. Michaux, Jno Vawters legatee proportion of sale of Will, negro fellow belonging to Elliot Vawter estate $66.55. Cash for Wm. L. Walker, cash for flour, cash for Wm Landrum. Paschall Jennings, Wm Bekley Cash for sundries by J. Vawter by W. Gilliams adm of Elliot Vawter. Cash for Thomas Marlin, Clark Lunderman, William Jones. Cash to A. M. Woodson for plank. Cash for Geo Porter

1816 taxes on land, sheriff and clerk paid, 2 yards cloth, 1 pair shoes for Julia Vawter

1 pair of shoes and 1 quire paper, sheeting, half soleling for Salina Vawter (GJNote: a quire is 25 sheets of paper), paid F Meschamp on acct.

August 1816 paid E. for kitchen and flax wheel

August 31 1816, 1 quire paper

November 1816 cash to Dr. Charles Slasgton (?)

Dec 18 1816 cash for John Vawters board, Cash for hire of Will (slave)

January 1817 Cash for Wm L. Thornton, Wm. Hamilton

February 1817 paid to Owen L. Wood and Malkins account Trent,

March 1817 5 yards domestic clothe and 3 yards clothe for J. Vawter, 1 tack comb, 1 cotton ball and cornhusk for B Vawter

Cash paid Wm Woodall, Paid Balina Vawter board, Paid Julia Vawter board

August 1817 1 pair shoes Balina Vawter, 1 pair shoes Julia Vawter

Sept 1817 Cash of S. Vawters bond and int. Cas of Thomas Vauters estate part of sale of lthe land belonging to John Vawters children 37 pounds with interest

Cash of Mr. Cunes, Archer Hix, Charles Slaughter

Sept 5 1817 Cash paid J. W. Woodson for tuition, 1 bonnet for Balina Vawter

Cash paid Elliott Vawter Estate bond of 12 pounds

1818 Cash paid Geo P. Foster account

April 2 1818 cash paid Mathews for Celena

1 pair shoes furnished for Celena, 1 pair shoes for John Vawter, Sum paid for Celina and for John

Cash paid Kegin Porter for Julia, Cash paid John Mosby fee and commissions

Paid Bob Hill, Gordon McCune, John Moreley, Isham Harvey for Selena, 3 yards osnaburg for John Vawter, Paid cash for A. Webster for tuition (osnaburg is a medium to coarse fabric)

Paid Isham Harvey for Julia, Paid Isham Harvey for Balina, Paid Isham Harvey for Jno Vawter

November 23 4 yards flannel for Selana Vawter

January 6 1819 paid A. Wester for tuiton

January 16 1819 J&J Harvey for John Vawter, 1 yard clothe for John Vawter

1 pair shoes for Celena, 1 pair shoes for John, lawyer fees and commissioners

June 9 1819 2 yards cloth Selona Vawter, 1 pair shoes Balina Vawter, 2 shirts Selena 2 yards cloth, thread and making 2 yards osnaburg for John Vawter, midwife fee to Nan. Board of Jno & Selona Vawter from 17 Feb 1818 to 17 Febuary 1819

June 2 1820 Sundries for Selana Vawter

Sept 29 1820 Sundres for Selana Vawter, making 2 coats 2 shirts for Selena Vawter

1820 4 yards cloth and making 2 shirts and thread and 1 pair shoes for Selena

1820 paid at Walker for schooling J. Vawter. 3 yards cloth, thread and making 2 shirts 2 pair buckles for John Vawters.

1821 4 yards clothe 2 shirts and 1 coat for John Vawter. 1 hatt, 1 pair shoes and 3 yards osnaburg for John Vawter. Sundries of Salina Vawter. Board for John and Selena Vawter from 17 Feb 1819 to 17 Feb 1821 2 years. Cash paid to Horton and Baldwin in Dec 1818

Cash paid Mr. Wester tuition of John Vawter 4 Sep 1819. Cash paid to Doct. Wright account for Selona Vawter, omitted 18 Nov 1819

1822. land taxes of 1820 and 1821

August 17 1822 cash to Anderson

Dec 23 1822 Sundries of John Vawter, Sundries to Selena Vawter, sundries to Balina Vawetr

May 1 1823 Doc Watsen for Selena Vawter, cash to Doc Watsen for Balina Vawter

Dec 1823 1 pr shoes for Selena Vawter, 1 pair shoes for John Vawter

Dec 28, 1823 board Selena Vawter from 17 Feb 1821 to 6 Dec 1822 at which time she died at $50

1824 Tickets of different dates, paid for Selena Vawters Coffin. Paid Jno Vawters tuition 9 months. Cash to Isham Harveys for Jno Vawter, cash for Julia Vawter. Paid for Balina Vawter Coffin.

Dec 17 1824 Doctor Hales for Selina Vawter

25 Jan 1825 Isham Harvey for Jno Vawter, cash to Rob Lewis tuition for Jno Vawter. Mr Watson board of Jno A. Vawter 7 mo. Up to 10 Dec 1824. Board paid of Jno A. Vawter from feb 1821 til May 1824 at $40

January 21, 1825 Doctor Watson for Belina Vawter, Selena Vawter, Julia Vawter and Jno A. Vawter. Cash to W Dearman for Belina Vawer and Julia Vawter and Selena Vawer and Jno A. Vawter.

1825 Taxes for land

January 24, 1825 Edwarfd C. Allen Judgment omitted in 1819. Taxes & tickets fo 1819. Cash to Mathews for J. Vawter, B. Vawter, S. Vawter and P. Vawter.

To this sum paid L. Vawter, John Vawter’s childrens part of this sum paid Elizabeth Vawter widow of Thomas Vawter the legatees having purchased her dower right in her husbands lands, which land was sold and divided among the legatees paid 22 Feby 1819

1825 cash from Edward Vawters estate

Cash of O. L. Mead bond and int. cash of E C. Allen cash and int.

Nove 1825 Cash of Adams and Ford bond and ints., cash of A. Mullin bond and int. cash to Jno Meadows, cash for rent 1821.

1822 omitted Cash of L. Vawters bond and Int.

17 Oct 1824 cash of L. Vawter land hire of Nan $15. I. Harvey hire of Nan, March I. Harvey hire of Nan

1 Jan 1825 cash of Isham Gilliam for Interest. Hire of nan and children and old Biddy to I. Harvey. Hire of negros (2 amts)

Jan 22 1825. John Vawters legatees proportion of Aggy Vawter estate 30 Jun 1821, 25 pounds

John Vawters legatee proportion of Saml Vawter estate due 30 Jun 1821, 275 pounds, deduction for John Vawter for secretary, bed and furniture 11 pounds

Jan 1825 Pursuant to the order of Prince Edward court to us directed we have examined and settled the amount of William Gilliam adm. Of John Vawter due find by commissions to be correct recorded 21 Mar 1825

4 children found in the settlement of John’s estate.

1. Belina Vawter d. 6 Dec 1822, deceased as child, coffin ordered from settlement of father’s estate

2. Salina Vawter d. bef Oct 1824, deceased as child, coffin ordered from settlement of father’s estate

3. John A (R) Vawter. In the original estate papers the middle name is clearly shown as A. Other documents state R.

Charlotte Co. VA marriages 1816-1850 13 Nov 1826

George W. Portwood m. Nancy T. Pugh. Dau. of Ezekiel Pugh who consents. Sur. Thomas Pugh Wit: John R. Vawter. Married 28 Nov 1826 by Daniel Petty. P. 53.

No evidence this John is correct, but he would likely have been of age by 1825 when the guardianship of Wm. Gilliam ended. No other information is known.

1830 Census Index Campbell Co., VA shows Family #340 John Vawlet

One male age 30-40 and one female age 30-40

4. Julia Ann Vawter b. ca 1808 d. bef 1880 m. 20 Dec 1827 in VA to Richard Woodson b. ca 1808 VA died after 1880 VA. Marriage Record of Prince Edward Co., VA, shown as Julian Vawter to Richard Woodson.

Children:

 a. William M. Woodson b. ca 1837 m. Mary M. Brightwell

 b. Benjamin H. (Berry) Woodson b. ca 1838 m. Sallie B. (nee?)

 c. Richard D. Woodson b. ca 1843

 d. Elizabeth A. (Bettie) Woodson b. ca. 1845 m. Daniel David Dickerson

 e. Joseph H. Woodson b. ca 1847

1850 US Census Prince Edw Co., VA line 14/14

Richard Woodson, age 42 VA, farmer value $3700

Julia A. age 42 VA

Wm. M age 13 VA

Benjamin H. age 12 VA

Richard D. age 7 VA

Elizabeth S. age 5 VA

Joseph H. age 3 VA

1860 US Census Prince Edw Co., VA

Richard Woodson age 53, Julia Woodson age 53, Benjamin Woodson age 22, Richard Woodson age 17 and Eliza S. Woodson age 15

1880 US Census Prince Edward Co., VA

Benjamin Woodson age 42, Sallie B. Woodson age 33, Lottie G. Woodson age 8, Richard Woodson age 72,father, widower, Dora L. Dickerson age 29, sister in law and Arthur L. Dickerson age 6, nephew

1870 US Census Appomattox Co., VA

David Dickerson age 57

Elizabeth A. Dickerson age 47

Sarah F. Dickerson age 24

Mary E. Dickerson age 18

Elijah Dickerson age 22

Emaline F Dickerson age 16

Josephine Dickerson age 13

Ida E Dickerson age 11

Laura L. Dickerson age 6

1880 US Census Appomattox Co., VA

Daniel Dickerson age 71

Bettie A. Dickerson age 64

Sarah Dickerson age 32 dau.

Fletcher E. Dickerson age 26 dau

Josephine Dickerson age 23 dau

Ioca Dickerson age 20 dau

H. McDearmon age 27 black servant

Stephen McDearmon age 4 son of servant

Ben Singleton male while age 12

Deed Book 39 page 553, Appomattox County, VA

This deed this 15th day of February 1888 between Jno. O. Elam and Mary M. his wife of the first part and Berry H. Woodson of the second part all of the county of Prince Edward State of Virginia Witnesseth that wheras Julia A. Woodson decd wife of Ricd. Woodson decd. Heired from her brother J. R. Vawter a certain tract of land in the county of Prince Edward containing 131 acres herein after more particularity described. And the said Julia A. Woodson departed this life without will leaving four children, Wm. M. Woodson, Berry H. Woodson, Bettie W. Woodson who married \_\_\_\_Dickerson and Richard D. Woodson her said children being equally in titled to ¼ interest in the aforesaid 131 acres land the said William M. Woodson married Mary M. Brightwell who is now the wife of Jno. O. Elam and part of this deed and departed this life leaving his widow by will his entire estate entitling her to ¼ part of the aforesaid 131 acres lands situated in the County of Prince Edward as aforesaid on the headwaters of Spring adjoining the lands of Geo. R. Foster Jno. R. Franklin Jas. M. Dillion and said Berry Woodson now in consideration of the sun of Eighty one 81 1/2/100 Dollars (81 1/2/100) the receipt where of is hereby acknowledged the said parties of the first part do hereby grant sell and convey to the said Benjamin Woodson of the second part all their entire interest in the aforesaid 131 acres of land and the said parties of the first part hereby convenant to warrant generally the title to the land hereby conveyed witness the following signatures and seals. Jno O. Elam and M. M. Elam

15 Feb 1888 M. M. Elam acknowledged her dower rights

21 Apr 1891 deed recorded in Prince Edward county Virginia