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- SHERWOOD, DANIEL, CONT.**, (Colonel Jeremiah Bannings) Talbot Co. Militia in Md., 1778, during the American Revolutionary War. **CHILDREN**: (by 1st wife) Thomas; Hugh, b. 1773; Elizabeth; Eleanor; Daniel; Benjamin, b. 21 Aug. 1783; Priscilla; John; (by 2nd wife) Fanny; Nancy; Annie. **DESCENDANT**: **LESH**, Ora Wilkens, No. 200379.
- SHIELDS, ABEL**, b. 7 Feb. 1748, Sussex Co., Del., d. 27 May 1833, Kernersville, N. C., m. 23 Sept. 1773, Sussex Co., Del., Grace Freeman, b. 22 Sept. 1750, Sussex Co., Del., d. 20 May 1830, Kernersville, N. C. **SERVICE**: Record, from Abel and Grace Freeman Shields Bible states that Abel Shields served seven years in the Revolutionary War. The Bible was published in 1811 by Mathew Carey in Philadelphia. **CHILDREN**: John, b. 20 Feb. 1755, m. Maretia Haisley, 1796; Mary, b. 22 Dec. 1776, m. John Haisley; Sarah, b. 18 May 1779, m. 1795, Jonathan Sell; Elizabeth, b. 7 July 1781; Rachel, b. 19 Dec. 1783, m. John Sell; Ann, b. 28 May 1786, m. 1807, George Hubbard, Reuben, b. 21 Dec. 1788, m. 1810, Grace Johnson, Deborah, b. 18 Oct. 1789, m. 1812, David Robertson; Grace, b. 20 Jan. 1793, m. 1834, John Leight. **DESCENDANT**: **CUMMINGS**, Ethel Shields, (Mrs. Joseph), No. 235553.
- SHIELDS, JOHN**, b. Sussex Co., Del., d. Sussex Co., Del., m. Sussex Co., Del., Mary Chipman, b. Sussex Co., Del., d. Rowan Co., N. C., **SERVICE**: Record of Service for John Shields, in American Revolution, Comptrollers office, Vol. 15, p. 13, Fol. 2; Book B, P. 1; Book J, p. 213, N. C., Revolutionary Army Accounts, Vol. XII, p. 52, Fol. 4, p. 53, Fol. 1, N. C., Revolutionary Army Accounts, Vol. 5, p. 13, Fol. 2. From N.C. Hist. Comm., 7 Feb. 1927. **CHILDREN**: Abel, b. 7 Jan. 1748, m. Grace Freeman; Reuben, b. 29 June 1750, m. Mary Moore; Elizabeth or Perusia, b. 12 Oct. 1753. **DESCENDANT**: **CUMMINGS**, Ethel Shields, (Mrs. Joseph), No. 235, 553.
- SHIPE, PETER**, b. ca. 1750, Pa., d. 1829, Knox Co., Tenn., m. 1772, Elizabeth Walker. **SERVICE**: Soldier and Private Virginia Line, during American Revolution. Reference: Virginia State Library Report Vol. 8, p. 399; Virginia State Library, Record, Vol. "War", H-p. 361. **CHILDREN**: Jacob, b. 24 March, 1773; Elizabeth, b. 12 Sept, 1744, m. John Chumley; Catherine,
- SHIPE, PETER, CONT.**, b. 30 Aug., 1777, m. Jacob Gray Deal; Adam, b. 5 Aug. 1780, m. Frances Carter; George, b. 3 Apr., 1783, m. Margaret Key; Margaret, b. 25 May, 1785, m. Robert Burns, Henry, b. 8 Nov. 1789, m. Deborah Skaggs; Mary b. 11 May, 1792, m. Eli Skaggs. **DESCENDANT**: **BIRDWELL**, Maud Shipe, No. 223954.
- SHIRLEY, VALENTINE**, b. ca. 1751, prob. Va., d. 1811, Augusta Co., Va., m. ca. 1771, Catherine Baer, b. 1752, Va., d. ca. 1815, Orange Co., Ind. **SERVICE**: Ensign and Patriot. He rendered material aid to the Colonists during the War of 1776. **CHILDREN**: Mary Barbara, b. 1772, m. John Baker; Jacob, b. 1774, m. Sarah Cook; John, b. 2 Aug. 1776; Henry, b. 26 March 1779, m. Catherine Wyman; Charles, b. 1782, m. Sarah Ingledore; Adam, b. 1786; Anna Catherine, b. 1792, m. Thomas Sewell; Elizabeth, m. Andrew Wilson. **DESCENDANT**: **EVERITT**, John Rothrock. (Mrs. Robert N.), No. 559784.
- SHOECRAFT, JOHN**, b. 13 Dec. 1755, Ulster Co., N. Y., d. 14 Apr. 1833, Penfield, Monroe Co., N. Y., m. Elizabeth McKey. **SERVICE**: Sergeant. John Shoecraft and his father were pioneers on the Mohawk Valley, State of N. Y., prior to the Revolutionary War, and were active in the Border Wars. John served in Philip Van Cortlandt's Second Regiment, also in Weissenfell's Regiment of State Troops in 1776; in command of a picket guard near Cherry Valley, he and Captain Brodhead were taken prisoners by the Indians and carried to Chenung. While the Indian guards were asleep they escaped, killing several of their captors. His service continued until the close of the Revolution. He served through General Sullivan's Expedition in 1799 and helped to bury the mangled remains of Lieutenant Thomas Boyd at Groveland, N. Y., 16 Sept. 1799. **CHILDREN**: Peter. **DESCENDANT**: **SHANNAHAN**, Mary H. Brayton, (Mrs. John Newton), No. 39252.
- SHOEMAKER, JOHN**, b. ca. 1753, Pa., d. 16 May 1818, Breckenridge Co., Ky., m. bef. 1779, Catherine Hoover, b. 1752, Pa., d. 7 March 1838, Perry Co., Ind. **SERVICE**: Active duty in the Westmoreland County Pa., Militia in Captain Shinn's Company. Private. **CHILDREN**: Adam, b. 30 Oct. 1779, m. Cathy Hoosier; John, b. 1786, m. (1) Rachel Taber, (2) Mary Chapman; Stephen, b. 1788, m. Elizabeth Taylor. All three sons and their mother are buried in Perry Co.,