

# Rose Hill Cemetery

*Rockmart, Georgia*

## *Self-Guided Tour*

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Historical Society



Rose Hill cemetery contains nearly 4,000 known burials and is arranged in a circular pattern, deviating from the usual east-facing tradition. The earliest grave, Narcissa Otterson (1856), predates the city of Rockmart (1872). The gazebo in the cemetery was constructed in 1891 and retains its original slate roof.

View videos on PC/Tablet/Phone Browser:

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Rose Hill on  
Find a Grave



## Virtual Tour

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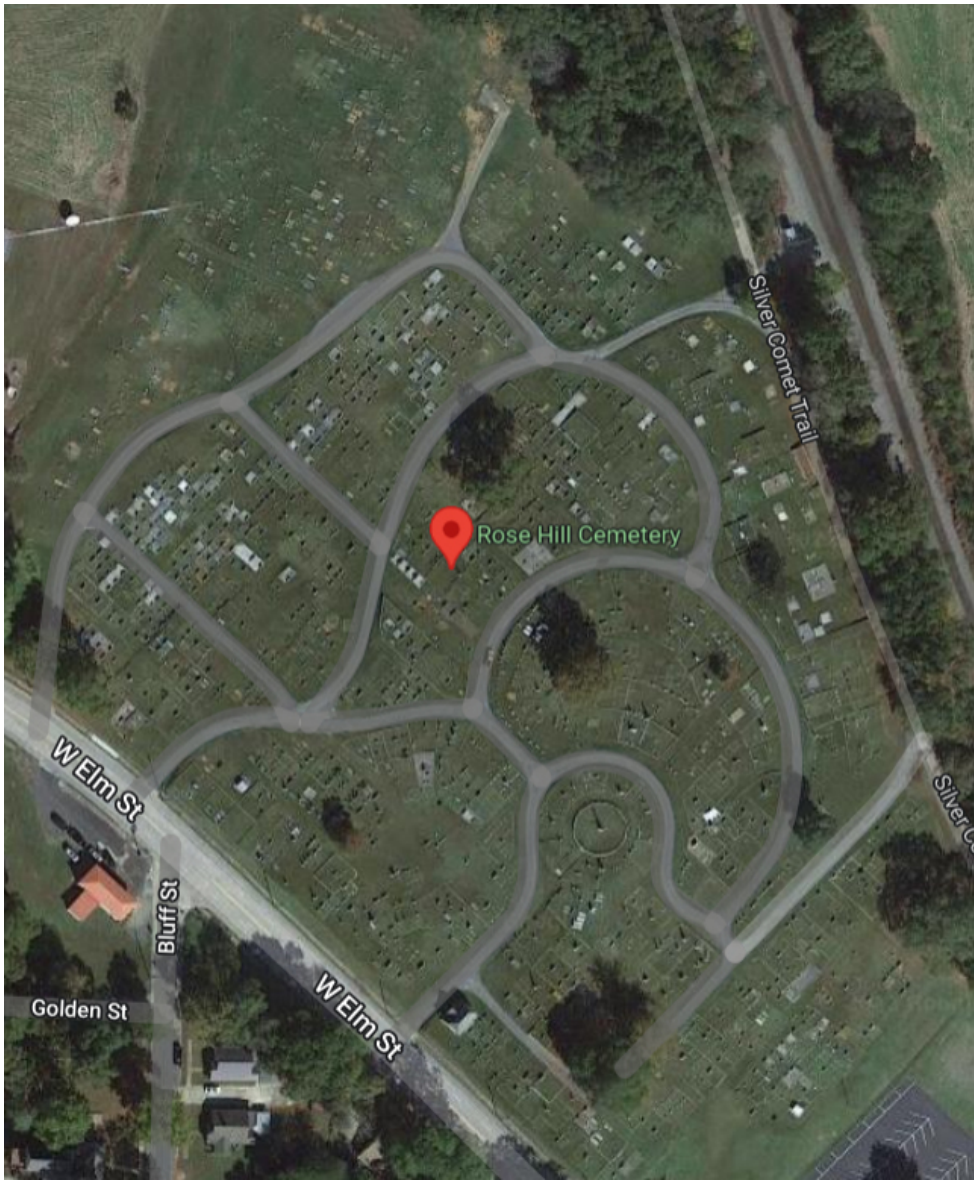
To scan QR code: Open your camera app as if you were taking a photo, and point it at the code. A web address will popup on screen and you click it.

Alternately, if you do not download the apps, you can still view the websites through the browser on your phone.

If you would like view the videos and websites from your computer or other device, you can find the content at:

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The Polk County Historical Society has added Find a Grave GPS coordinates to all the people listed in this booklet. Open the app and search for a name. When you bring up their individual page on Find a Grave, you will see a "show map" link beside the BURIAL information. Click this and it will place the red balloon (like above) on the exact location of the burial.

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# Lawrence Young Allgood

1871-1962 [Page 1]



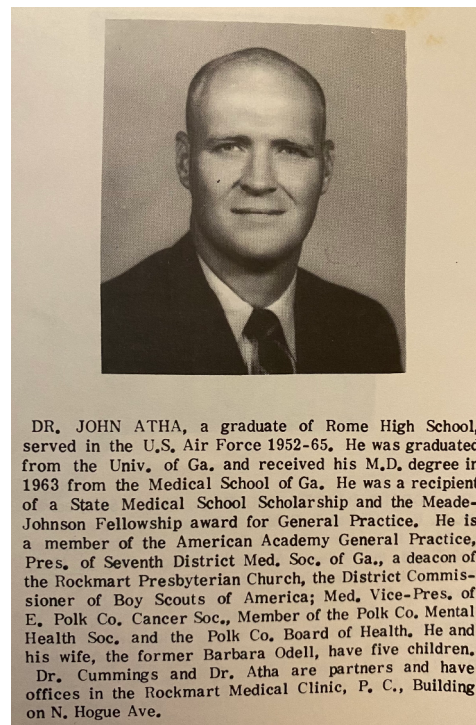
Lawrence Young Allgood was in the furniture and casket business. Records show that in 1900 he was also building musical instruments (organs in particular). According to the 1940 census, the highest grade he attended school was the 7th.

His son-in-law, William Bennett Cochran joined the business in 1914 and added a horse-drawn hearse. Mr. Cochran became the first licensed embalmer and funeral director in Rockmart.

Cochran Funeral Home was the predecessor of the current Freeman Harris Funeral Home.

# Dr. John Francis Atha

1934-2014 [Page 2]



John William Atha, grandfather of Dr. Atha, was born in 1866 in Walton County. He changed the spelling of the name from Athey to Atha, but continued to pronounce it "Athey."

John Atha had been shot in the head (and survived) at the Battle of Spotsylvania during the Civil War and further injured by a dynamite blast while digging a well.

The Atha family lived on Atlanta Street in Cedartown and operated a grocery store on West Avenue in the 1920's, later named Mullinax Superette.

By Dr. John Francis Atha's generation, his branch of the family was working and attending church in the Rockmart community.



Dr. Atha was quite accomplished and contributed much to the Rockmart and Polk County communities! Scan the code above for full details!



# Ruby Dodson Campbell

1894-1983 [Page 3]



Mrs. Campbell, a Rockmart businesswoman and longtime society editor for the Rockmart Journal, was very active in many groups and civic

organizations. After her husband's death in 1962, she continued to manage Campbell Hardware.

Below is a list of her memberships and achievements:

CHURCH: Member of First Baptist Church 60+ years, Sunday School Teacher, Women's Missionary Union, Choir

CLUBS: Rockmart Women's Club (President), Federation of Music Clubs (State Treasurer), Rockmart Seminar Club (Charter Member), Euharlee Garden Club

AWARDS: "Woman of the Year" Rockmart Rotary Club (1946), Merit Mother listed in Historic Georgia Mothers 1776-1976 by Georgia Mothers Association (1963)

ALSO: Longtime Board Member of the Sarah Murphy Orphanage in Cedartown, Correspondent for the Rome News Tribune

# Newton Cochran

1824-1890 [Page 4]

Newton Cochran came to Polk County sometime before the Civil War and built a farm halfway between Aragon and Taylorsville on Euharlee Creek. The family refuged to Alabama during the war. All but the foundation was destroyed, but the family rebuilt by 1875. A flood in 1886 again caused severe damage, and the mill was again restored in 1896.

The area of "Cochran" became a community with a grist mill, commissary, cotton gin, and a school that is said to have been the last one-teacher school house in Polk County. The nearby Bethlehem Methodist Church was served by circuit rider Sam Jones.

[Cochran Mills on the tax schedule.]

Rockmart.....	Nov. 4th & 29
Aragon.....	5
Buncombe.....	6 a m
Browning's.....	7 a m
Antioch.....	7 p m
Grady.....	8 a m
Fish Creek.....	8 p m
Seney.....	10 a m
Phillips' School house....	10 p m
Cedartown.....	11
Lake Creek.....	12 a m
Lovvorn's Mill.....	12 p m
Hampton's.....	13 a m
Etna.....	13 p m
Esom Hill.....	14 a m
Blooming Grove.....	14 p m
Young's.....	15 a m
Bellview School house...	17 a m
Brooks X Roads.....	17 p m
Cochran's Mills.....	18 a m



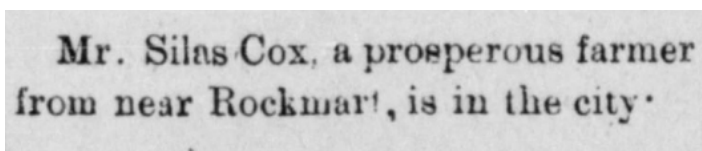
## Silas Jackson Cox

1831-1908 [Page 5]



Mr. Cox was raised and educated in Cass County, attending the common schools then taught in dirt floor log houses, with seats made of slabs, and the chimney of sticks and mud. He farmed and worked at the carpenter's trade until November 1861, when he enlisted in Company I, Fortieth Georgia Regiment, and gallantly served through the entire war. With his command, he was present at the protracted defense of Vicksburg, and participated in the battles at Franklin, TN, at Resaca, Kennesaw Mountain, and other great battles, where he was conspicuous for his bravery and dash. He prides himself on having always led his command regardless of danger. In 1867 he moved to Rockmart, where he engaged in the hotel business, and in connection with it kept a livery and feed stable. Afterward he conducted a general merchandise store in Rockmart, which he continued until 1891, when he turned his attention to farming. He is now one of the wealthiest citizens of Polk County, prominent and influential.

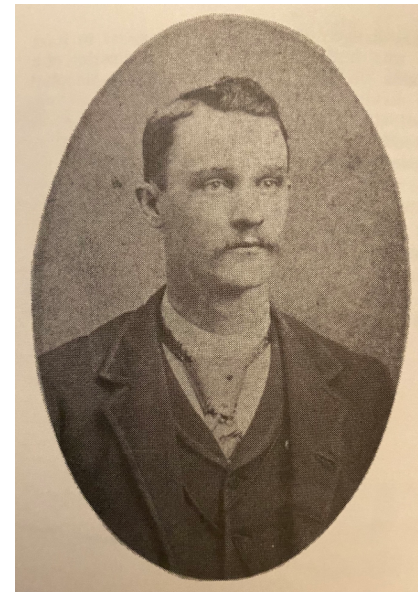
[Memories of Georgia; 1895]



## Gabriel Frances Marion "Gabe" Cummings

1861-1910

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Dr. G. F. M. Cummings, a Methodist, a Mason, and a chairman of the Polk County Democratic Executive Committee, was born May 4, 1861, in Cummingsville, Van Buren County, TN. He attended private schools, then studied medicine under his uncle, Dr. Isaac C. Morgan. He graduated with honors from Atlanta Medical College, now part of Emory University. After practicing in Cummingsville for a time, he came to Rockmart in the late 1880's where he practiced until shortly before his death on January 4, 1910. He and his wife, the former Mollie Nettles, a school teacher, had seven children.

[Memories of Georgia; 1895]

# Nathan Delano Dean

1934-2013 [Page 7]



You will find a long list of accomplishments on Nathan Dean's Find a Grave page and the video linked above.

"I have been a member of the Georgia General Assembly for 42 years and a member of the Rockmart City Council for four years - plus two years in the army, for a total of 48 years of service to others - all on a continued basis. I was only out of the army for four days when I ran for City Council of Rockmart. I have served under eight governors and six lieutenant governors. I have never seen politicians actively knocking on doors seeking the opinion of the people. I had not heard them ask, 'What can I do for you?' I found that success comes when you determine to do something for others every day."

[There's Still Work to be Done, Agnes Hagin, The Cedartown Standard; 4/5/2004]

# Sarah Jane Blance Dever

1835-1904 [Page 8]

## James F. Dever

1826-1895

Joseph G. Blance opened the first quarry in Rockmart in 1850. He

was the first to recognize the value of the dark-colored, nearly black slate of the area. He arranged for a number of Welsh families to settle here as they were skilled and expert in mining slate. Mr. Blance died in 1854. He willed all of his slate property to his daughter, Sarah Jane Blance, who married James F. Dever, Sr. They named the community containing the slate quarry Blanceville.



## The Blanceville Slate Quarry, VAN WERT, POLK COUNTY, GA.

THE subscribers have their SLATE QUARRY fully opened, and are provided with a sufficient number of workmen to fill orders in any part of the South. The quality of this Slate has been fully tested, and is superior in beauty and excellence to any Northern Slate now in use. The subscribers propose to sell the Slate low, or furnish it, and lay it on the roof, at an expense not exceeding the cost of Tin roofing.

Contracts can be made with J. W. SAPPINGTON, Agent for Columbus, who has a sample of the Slate at his Store, or with the subscribers at Van Wert, Polk county, Ga.

June 16-3m

DEVER & BLANCE.



# Cecil D. Franklin

## 1908-2002 [Page 9]



SERIAL NUMBER 703	1. NAME (Print) CECIL DENWOOD FRANKLIN		ORDER NUMBER 523
2. ADDRESS (Print) 227 EAST ELM ST. Rockmart Polk Georgia			
3. TELEPHONE 242	4. AGE IN YEARS 32	5. PLACE OF BIRTH Cedartown	6. COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP U.S.A.
7. NAME OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS Mrs. Cecil D. Franklin			
8. RELATIONSHIP OF THAT PERSON Wife			
9. ADDRESS OF THAT PERSON 227 East Elm St. Rockmart Polk Georgia			
10. EMPLOYER'S NAME Self			
11. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS Marble Street Rockmart Polk Georgia			
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE FURNISHED ABOVE ADDRESS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.			
REGISTRATION CARD D. N. S. Form 1 Cecil D. Franklin			

President of the Rockmart Centennial and Chairman of the board of Directors of the Rockmart Bank, Cecil Franklin was born in Cedartown to Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Franklin. The family moved to Rockmart in 1919 and he attended and graduated from Rockmart High School. He received his college education from North Georgia College, Georgia Tech, and Mercer University. In 1935 he was admitted to the Georgia Bar. He began the practice of law in Rockmart the same year. He is a member of Sigma Nu and Sigma Delta Kappa Fraternities. He has served in both the House and the Senate of Georgia, and is a past mayor of Rockmart. He has served as president of the Chamber of Commerce, as County Attorney, and for 32 years he has been City Attorney, the longest term in Georgia records. He is married to the former Glynnis Thornton, and they have one son, Cecil D. Franklin, Jr. of Columbia, S. C.

[Rockmart Centennial; 1972]

# Dr. Harold Winfred Goldin

## 1919-1995 [Page 10]



Son of Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Goldin, Harold finished Rockmart High School and had his pre-medical training at Vanderbilt University. He was graduated with honors

from the Medical College of Georgia in 1947, where he was a member of the Chi Fraternity and Alpha Omega Alpha. He served his internship at the Medical College of Virginia and began practice in Rockmart in 1948. From 1950 to 1952 he was in the U. S. Air Force as Chief of Professional Services at Turner A. F. B. He was discharged as a Captain. Since 1952 he has been in practice in Rockmart. He is a member of the Floyd-Polk Medical Society, Seventh District Medical Society, M. A. of Georgia, and the A. M. A. He and his wife, the former Elizabeth Harrison, have two sons. [Rockmart Centennial; 1972]

# Dr. Robert Battey Goldin

1889-1974 [Page 11]



Son of Dr. W. F. and Sarah H. Goldin, of Draketown, was graduated from Draketown Baptist Institute, attended Mercer University and the Atlanta Medical College, and in 1917, was graduated from the Chicago College of Medicine and Surgery. He interned at the Birmingham, Alabama Infirmary. In 1918, he and Estelle McBrayer married and they moved to Rockmart where he has been practicing ever since. They have four sons and one daughter. Dr. R. B. is a member of the Polk County Medical Society, the Medical Association of Georgia, and the American Medical Association.

[Rockmart Centennial; 1972]

# Charles Freeman Harris

1914-1987 [Page 12]



## ***Freeman Harris Funeral Home***

212 East Elm Street. Rockmart, GA 30153.

(770) 684-6551



In 1937, Charles Freeman Harris graduated from the Cupton-Jones College of Embalming in Nashville, TN and moved to Rockmart for a position as a funeral director with Cochran Funeral Home. He married Anna Kathryn Bishop in June 1940. In 1942, Mr. & Mrs. Harris purchased the Cochran Funeral Home. Mr. Harris owned and operated the Freeman Harris Funeral Home for 45 years and built at its present location at 212 East Elm Street in 1948. They answered ambulance calls until 1969.

[The Rockmart Journal]





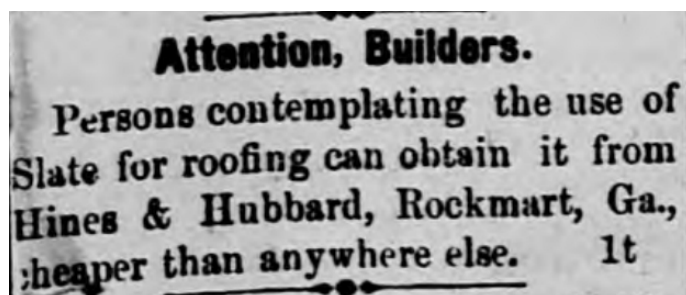
## William Henry "WH" Hines

1829-1897

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Mr. Hines was reared on a farm in Meriwether County, and was educated in the common schools of the county, taught in log cabins; but when he was eighteen years old he attended school at Longstreet, GA and obtained a good education. Returning home, he farmed until the war occurred. After the war he went to Jamestown, Texas, where he merchandised for fifteen months, and then returned to Meriwether County. He left that county and came to Rockmart, in 1871, where he established a large and profitable general merchandise business in which he is still engaged. He had but little to begin life with, and has attempted nothing extraordinary; but he has been satisfactorily successful, has accumulated a good property, and has an inviable reputation as a business man and citizen.

[Memoirs of Georgia; 1895]



## John Anselm Jones

1790-1880 [Page 14]



John A. Jones, according to a book Miss lone and Miss Louise Moore loaned me, was born in Augusta, Georgia, June 29, 1790. He spent much of his boyhood in Montgomery County with his uncle, John Jones, for whom (with his maternal uncle, Anselm Bugg), he was named, and by whose property he inherited.

In his early life John moved to Milledgeville, then the capital of Georgia. While there, he kept the Lafayette House, at the same time practicing law.

From Milledgeville he moved to Paulding County, Georgia, settled in Van Wert, where he accumulated a sizable fortune mining gold. After the War Between the States, he moved to Rockmart (then spelled Rock Mart), where he lived until his death, August 25, 1880, at the advanced age of 90 years.

In 1847, while serving as a member of the Legislature, he secured enactment of a law legalizing shorter and more direct forms of pleading. These brief forms, then a distinct novelty, long known in the State as "Jack Jones" forms, have since won their way pretty well throughout the English speaking world.

John A. Jones, known intimately as "Jack," was a man of strong mind and native wit. He was firm in his friendships and strong in his prejudices a man of mark in his section. Information taken from "Peter Jones - Richard Jones Genealogies," compiled from original sources by Augusta B. Fothergill and published in 1924.

[Checking up on the Joneses, Leonora Ferguson Mintz; 1998]

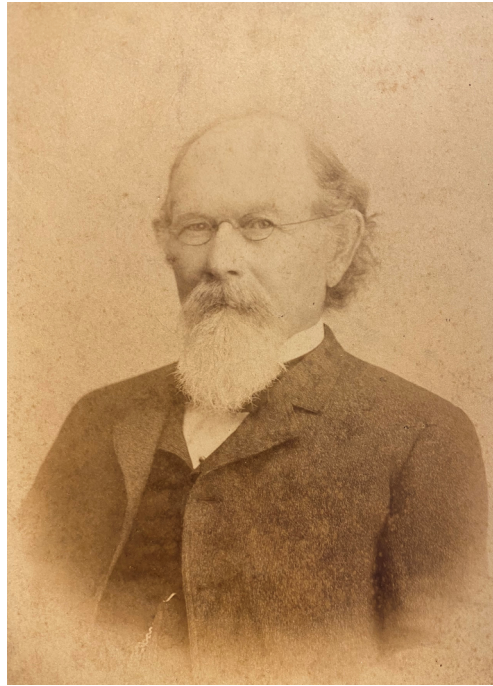


Seaborn Jones might be called the "Father of Rockmart." The owner of several hundred acres of land, he was instrumental in the founding of Rock Mart. He provided land for the first railroad, five churches, a public square, a city park, and Rose Hill Cemetery, in which he reserved one site for himself. His gravestone is the tallest monument in the cemetery and stands on the highest site.

At the start of the Civil War, Seaborn Jones became captain of the "Polk County Rifles," Infantry, Company D, Phillip's Legion, when it was first organized, but was mustered into the service as the Lt. Col. of the battalion and replaced by Capt. H. F. Wimberly. [The Heritage of Polk County Georgia 1851-2000]

## Seaborn Jones

1825-1891 [Page 15]



## Dr. Thomas Edwin McBryde

1878-1962 [Page 16]

Dr. Thomas Edwin McBryde, Elder in the Rockmart Presbyterian Church, a Shriner, Mayor, of Rockmart, Chairman of the Polk County Board of Commissioners, Physician for Goodyear and Aragon Mills and for the Seaboard Railways, practiced medicine in Rockmart for 60 years.

Dr. McBryde's first schooling was in a small private school in Kingston, Georgia, and later attended Piedmont Institute in Rockmart. He received his medical degree from the Atlanta College of Physicians and Surgeons, in 1902, and set up practice in Rockmart immediately.

At the end of his 50th year of practice he was honored by the American Medical Association.

Dr. T. E. McBryde, of Rockmart, was here yesterday, and was one of THE STANDARD's pleasant callers. He is a recent graduate of the Atlanta Medical College, standing fourth in a class of one hundred and thirty-eight, and shared many of the honors of his class throughout his term in college. He is a talented young gentleman, and has a bright professional future. He has located in Rockmart for the present, and will be in the same office with his brother-in-law, Dr. W. J. Adair, one of the leading physicians of the county.

### About Slate Quarries.

From Capt. A. J. Little a Tribune reporter yesterday learned a valuable slate quarry was concerned in a trade about completed in Polk county.

A Northern man, whose name he did not give, was negotiating for the slate quarry owned by Col. Seaborn Jones, of Rockmart.



# Leonora Ferguson Mintz



1909-2009

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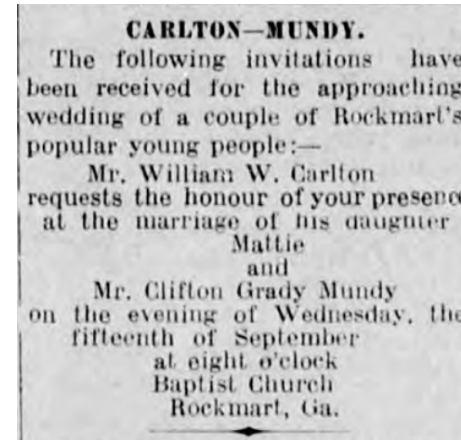


Leonara Ferguson Mintz is the daughter of the late Thomas Roland and Lizette Nettles Ferguson, landowners and farmers of the New Prospect community, two miles north of Rockmart. She married at an early age to Robert "Buddy" Mintz, Superintendent of the Waterworks for the City of Rockmart. During the busy years of child-rearing, Leonora Mintz continued to pursue and achieve personal goals but not at the neglect of her family. She had an avid interest in education and found time and energy where seemingly there was none to continue her own studies, earning a B.S. degree in Elementary Education in 1960. A history buff, she served in 1972 on the Centennial Commission of the City of Rockmart and worked with the Historical Committee on her church as the church observed its 100th birthday in 1975. She's knee-deep in Rockmart Women's Club work, the DAR, educational circles, and perhaps her most loved work, that of an author.

[DAR Biographical Sketch]

# Clifton Grady Mundy

1890-1933 [Page 18]



Clifton Grady Mundy, a lifelong resident of Rockmart, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Madison Mundy. He received his education at the Piedmont Institute and Mercer University Law School. After graduating from Mercer in 1910, he returned to Rockmart to become the law partner of his brother, Ivey Felton Mundy, who was married to the former Minnie Allgood. C. G. Mundy's first wife, Mattie Carlton Mundy, and their infant son died in 1917. Three daughters were born to him and his second wife, Agnese Russell, whom he married in 1920, and who served as Rockmart's postmaster for 20 years after his death. He was a Methodist, a member of the school board, a member of the Chamber of Commerce and was serving as Mayor when Goodyear Mills was built in 1929.

[Rockmart Centennial; 1972]



# Narcissa McKie Otterson

1798-1856 [Page 19]

## Dr. Samuel Otterson

1793-1859

Narcissa Otterson has the distinction of being the person with the earliest burial at Rose Hill Cemetery. The family is connected to the Seaborn Jones family through marriage, and it is assumed the Ottersons moved to the area shortly before Narcissa's death, as the family most likely lived in Marietta where her husband and daughters were employed at the Marietta Female Institute. The below ad was found in a newspaper dated 1855.

**MARIETTA  
FEMALE INSTITUTE.**  
**Dr. SAMUEL OTTERSON,**  
**PRINCIPAL.**

Prof. J. C. HOLMES,  
Instructor in Mathematics *pro tem.*

Miss A. N. OTTERSON, } Teachers in Eng'ish Dep't  
Miss M. R. OTTERSON, }

Miss M. G. OTTERSON,  
Instructress in Drawing and Painting.

Miss N. S. OTTERSON,  
Instructress in Music.

The charges per term of five months, payable in advance.

For Board, (including Washing, Fuel, Lights, &c.)	\$ 60
For Tuition in Primary Department.....	12
Higher English Branches.....	25
Music on Piano.....	25
Music on Guitar.....	20
Use of Instrument.....	1 50
French.....	15
Drawing and Painting.....	20



# Elbert Carlyle "EC" Sanders

1917-2002 [Page 20]

EC Sanders was the owner and manager of The Rockmart Journal and The Rockmart Shopper. Previous to this he had been an educator and school principal. He also served as Mayor from 1959-1963, noted for improving municipal services and fundraising for city projects.

His work with the newspaper spanned from 1946-1980, acting as publisher, editor, manager and columnist.

Founder of the Rockmart Chamber of Commerce, he was also the Kiwanis Club's first president, an avid pianist, and author of two unpublished novels.

Sanders was a member of the Rockmart First Methodist Church for more than 50 years, in which he was chairman of the Board, on the Board of Trustees, and a Sunday School teacher.



After retiring from the paper, he spent his time reading and writing, and traveling with his wife, Hazel Waits Sanders.



# Dr. Charles M. Smith

1923-2007 [Page 21]

Dr. Charles Monclure Smith was born and educated in Mississippi before joining the military and serving as an Army Air Force pilot during WWII. He graduated medical school at the University of Mississippi, trained at Bowman Gray of Wake Forest College in Winston-Salem, N. C. and interned in Nashville, T. N. He started practicing medicine in Rockmart in 1954. He attended the Presbyterian church and was a member of the Rotary Club. Dr. Smith was on the Board of Directors of the Rockmart-Aragon Hospital.



Dr. Smith, Dr. Cummings, and Dr. Atha are all remembered fondly on the "You Might Be from Rockmart if..." Facebook page!

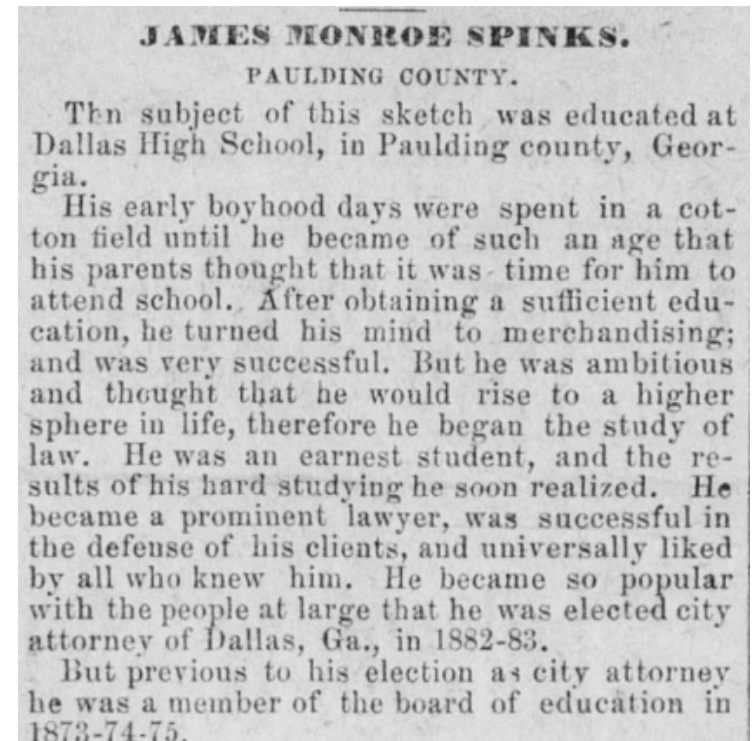


# Dr. James Monroe Spinks

1853-1926 [Page 22]

James Monroe Spinks was born in Paulding County. He graduated from the Atlanta Medical College, practiced medicine in Rockmart during the last 35 years of his life.

[The Rockmart Journal]



Mr. Spinks was born on the 26th of July, 1852, in Dallas, Ga., and has lived there all of his life except in the year of 1877, when he became a citizen of Cedartown.

His father was Mr. G. H. Spinks. He married Miss Elizabeth Matthews, daughter of C. J. Mathews, of Newton county, Ga. Mr. G. H. Spink was a representative of Paulding county four years, and served his constituents well, and now his son is following in the wake of his father.

The subject of this sketch has five brothers and one sister, and he is the third child.

He is a strong Democrat, and there is no member on the floor that is more attentive to the discharge of his duties than James Monroe Spinks, of Paulding county.



# Col. Louis "Jack" Spinks

1878-1911 [Page 23]



**PLEASANT FAMILY REUNION.**

The Spinks family, one of the most prominent in this section, held an enjoyable reunion over Sunday in Cedartown with one of its popular scions, Dr. R. N. Spinks. Hon. W. E. Spinks, the distinguished Senator from this district, came over with his family from Dallas. Dr. J. M. Spinks, a successful practitioner of Ragland, Ala., Col. L. J. Spinks, the popular Rockmart attorney, and his wife, and their sister, Miss Ella Spinks, of Rockmart, were here to enjoy the reunion. The occasion was a pleasant one in every way.

## Jack Spinks Dead.

Col. L. J. Spinks, one of Rockmart's prominent young lawyers, died Tuesday night. He had been in ill health for a long time, and his death was not unexpected. A young man of brilliant intellect and genial manners, he had a host of friends who regret his death. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. J. M. Moore of Villa Rica; three brothers—Hon. W. E. Spinks of Dallas, Dr. R. N. Spinks of Cedartown, and Dr. J. M. Spinks of Rockmart; and two little daughters.

Dr. R. N. Spinks and family attended the funeral yesterday afternoon in Rockmart. Col. J. M. Hunt represented the Cedartown bar at the funeral.

# Rev. Augustus Theodore

Williamson 1834-1893 [Page 24]

One of the pioneer citizens of Rockmart, A. T. Williamson was twice Mayor of Rockmart, a lawyer, and Judge of the Inferior Court. He was also a licensed Methodist Episcopal minister, and owned farm land. The Williamsons and four of their children were already established in the community when Rockmart formed in 1872, having originally lived in Pike and Cass counties. The daughters married into the Davitte and Clements families. A niece married into the Hubbard family. Several members of the family moved West.

A note on the Inferior Court system from our Research Library's files on Augustus Williamson: "At that time, with horse and buggy transportation, Georgia had both Inferior and Superior Courts. Rockmart, 15 miles from the county seat, Cedartown, where there was a Superior Court, had an Inferior Court; Inferior Courts no longer exist."

A. T. was killed in Cedartown while attending a court session. He was kicked by a mule and succumbed to his injuries. His wife, Maggie Sherrill, outlived him by more than 40 years.



# Interesting Features

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Gazebo



Welsh Markers



Family Tree  
Marker



Symbolism



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- <https://www.polkcemetery.com>
- <https://www.fold3.com>

## APPS

- Find a Grave
- TikTok

## PCHS Museum

117 West Avenue

Cedartown, GA 30125

770-748-4828

Thurs ~ Sat 11-4

## PCHS Research Library

205 S. College Street

Cedartown, GA 30125

770-749-0073

Wed ~ Fri 11-4

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