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Dear, Lt. &Melanie :

I have received Melanie's latest checkrite check for \$50.00, thank you. I have completed the time for the previous check and will report on my findings to you at this time. Then when your turn comes up again I will continue the search for the latest funds. It is my pleasure working on for you on the family lines.,

I have tried to complete the marriages that you requested previously for this report and found that when I did the first of the marriage index checking I hadn't taken time to look up all the possible family names so will report on these various searches. First of all in Sevier county marriages, Ark. book one 1007941 item one pg. 75 Marriages Charles Lyons - Debrah Compton marr. as residence of William C. Compton in Clear creek twp. 1 Sep 1844. Sevier county marr. book 2 pg. 17 Thomas Jerome Billingsley 25 Dec 1853 MaryJane Anderson, no ages stated. Marr. by Isaac W. Pearce, J. P. Pg. 11 Amanda Billingsley about 24, Sherrill French abt 22, married at house of Edward Billingsley 5 Dec 1853. pg. 245 James Hopson- Naomi Dauggett(their spelling) 9 June 1861, minister of C. P. Church married them, both of lawful age.

Sevier county, Ark. marriages, book 3, item 3, 1007041, 1866-1883 Pg. 24 Milton Blackwell- Mary E Sessions 15 Aug 1865. He of Hunt county, Texas age 26. Mary of Sevier county, age 29.

pg. 137 Capt. Asa E. Doggett - Sarah F. Clements. Asa age 28 and Sarah age 22. Ordained minister bapt. church married them. Recorded in Hempstead county.

Pg. 417 marriage you requested, see filmed copy William A. Kirk -

Mary H. Marsh marr 10 Jan 1877. He age 21 and she age 18.

pg. 462/3 John r. Doggett - Fannie Patton. He age 27. She age 16.
Lic. 3 Dec and marr. 5 Dec 1877. Marr. by Joseph H. Denson, minister
regular bapt. church of Christ.

Pg. 467 George W. Doggett - California F. Hickman. He age 27, she
age 21. Lic. and marriage 13 Dec 1877. Marr. by minister, P. W. Preston.

Pg. 470/471 Thomas M. Lyon - Sallie e. Pettus, age 21, lic. 22 Dec
and marr. 24 Dec 1877 by minister, R. W. Preston.

Sevier county, marriages, 1007942 item 3 book F

Pg. 303 Willie Burriss - Nancy Lyons, both of Lockesburg. He age 27
and she age 16. Marr by minister, W. E. Dooley., lic. and marr. same day
11 Jan 1893.

pg. 412 John N. Wallace - Rosa Marsh, both of Locksburg. He age 22,
she age 31. License 22 Jan and married 24 Jan 1894. Marr. by A. M.
Robertson.

Sevier county, Ark. Marr, 1007942 item one book E

Pg. Calvin A. Lindall- Mrs. Emma Alice Kirk of Brownstown.
License 31 De 1886 and marr. 3 Jan 1887.

H. L. Alford and Miss Joanna Ayers, both of Petty. He age 27 and she
age 14. Married by clerk of circuit court, license 7 Aug and marr. 28 Sep
1888.

pg. 371 J. F. and J. W. Alford marriage bond 3 July 1889; License 3
July 1889 for marriage to Mattie Pruett, age 18. J. F. Alford of
BenLomand, age 25 marr Mattie Pruett by J. P. W. R. Ellis on 4 July 1889.

Sevier county, Ark. marriage Records, book G 1894-1898, item one
film 1007943

pg. 175 E. P. Dickson Mary A. Alford. He age 40 and she age 24, both
of Ultimatheur. License 22 Jan and marr 26 Jan 1896.

pg. 235 R. E. Thomas, age 26, marr Emma Kirk, age 18, both of
Lockesburg, see photocopy

pg. 155 George F. Grady, age 27, Maggie Marsh, age 22, both of
Lockesburg, marr. and license same day 24 Dec 1895 by J. H. Bradford, M.
E. Church south minister.

Pg. 273 Miss C. A. Marsh age 20 - O. Y. Wallace, age 26, both of
Lockesburg, license 24 Dec, marr. 26 Dec 1896.

Sevier county, Ark. marriages book 8, film 1007944

pg. 10 L. L. Kirk, age 67 of Dequeen to Miss Martha J. Salter, 23, marr. 1

May 1898. License 30 April 1898, see photo.

Pg. 376 Mrs. Mattie Kirk - W. L. Bowen, license 15 Feb 1900, marr. same day. He 42 and she 25 years. Marriage record very faded so copy didn't turn out well either.

Pg. 475 Henry C. Marsh -Ada Vancill. He age 22 of Lockesburg, she age 20 of Dequeen. License 4 Aug and marr. 6 Aug 1900.

pg. 396 Marriage William McDaniel - Mattie Doggett
Original marriage very faded so original not good, see photo. Marr 4 March 1900, licence day before.

I could not find the marriage of Stephen Kirk, though I looked twice.

Since Allen J. Marsh was reported in Clarke county, Ark. before coming to Sevier, I decided to check some more references there.

There was an Arkansas Bile records series compiled by the Daughters of the American revolution on films 907,977 item 6 which included records from Hempstead chapter, Pulaski chapter, Garland and Hot Springs chapters, Conway county, and Clarke county from Arkadelphia Chapter DAR pg. 82 J. E. Marsh age 30 - Julia Clark age 18 marr by M. G. , J. R. Moore 22 Oct 189-. Read whole series nothing more on family names.

General Index to marriage records Clark county, Ark., film 1009942, 1819-1934. No Marsh or Wooldridge, Woolridge names or Alford names at all. Marriages Clarke county, Ark. originals on film Book C 1845-1856 Nothing, indexed.

Clark county, Ark. Deeds book A 1821-58. Worst Index I*I've ever seen for deeds. surnames not all arranged together by alphabetical listings. All mixed up, not chronological. Clarke county, Ark. will book G. 1855-67, indexed no Marsh, no Woolridge, Alford.

I looked up the Original will in Chatham county, N. Carolina on film 018,448, volume A. pgs. 59-60 for the Robert Marsh referred to as a possible father to the older Marsh living with your Elijah in 1850 census in Madison county, Tenn. in one of the Marsh books. Robert dated his will 14 March 1801 and mentions children John, William, Robert, Joseph, Henry , Alexander, Elizabeth Brantley, Barbara Griffith, Mary Hockney, Nancy Dilliard, Martha Lambert, Sarah David, Frances Taylor, Elisa Stuart and Henrietta. With your Elijah born in Georgia? I am not sure how these

families might tie in together so will continue our searching in Georgia and try to tie back to the supposed relatives in North Carolina earlier. Perhaps the Joseph of Chatham is the older Joseph reported in 1850 to have been born in North Carolina and the father of Elijah could be one of sons and could have moved to Georgia by then, or he may be a brother to this Robert and therefore, an uncle to Elijah? More checking will be done in the hopes of getting more definite proof.

It is my pleasure working with you. Hope that you two are enjoying good weather there. It is still very cold and wintry here. Until my next report I send you my best wishes.

I was surprised to find your L. L. Kirk married later in life.

Sincerely yours,

Lola L Sorensen
Mrs. Lola L. Sorensen/AG

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p.s. My TV monitor went down so went to my daughters to do this report. Sorry about mistake in calling the check a checkrite check it is rather called CHECKFREE.