

First Generation

1. Location: in Headwaters area, Highland County, VA Settled on Shaws Fork near Headwaters, VA in 1766.¹⁻² Property: 34 acres; mentions Estill Rodd in Cowpasture River Valley, Augusta County, VA in Dec 1766.³ Property: 135 acres, adjoining Alexander Miller in Cowpasture River Valley, Augusta County, VA on 31 Dec 1771.⁴ Property: owns 7 horses and 17 cattle in Augusta County, VA in 1787.⁵ Family Note: in 1787 one white male between 16 and 21 years of age in Augusta County, VA.⁵ Property: 125 acres to John Devericks for 100 pounds in Cowpasture River Valley, Highland County, VA on 4 Nov 1797.⁶ Property: Pendleton County land patent for 300 acres on Shaw's Fork in 1800.⁷ **Thomas DEVERICKS**^{1,5,8} died in 1810; .⁸ Military: Served in the Revolutionary War.¹

Thomas DEVERICKS had the following children:

- +2 i. **John DEVERICKS**, married Mary PEEBLES, 24 Apr 1787, Augusta County, VA; died 1843, Pendleton County, VA.
- 3 ii. **Sarah DEVERICKS**⁸ was born (date unknown).
- 4 iii. **Margaret DEVERICKS**⁸⁻⁹ was born (date unknown).
- +5 iv. **Mary DEVERICKS**.
- +6 v. **Thomas DEVERICKS**, died bef 1807.

Second Generation

2. Property: owns 3 horses in Augusta County, VA in 1787.⁵ Property: Pendleton County land patent for 465 acres on Cowpasture in 1805.¹⁰ Tithable: Pendleton County, later to become Highland County, VA in 1822 .¹¹ **John DEVERICKS**^{5,12-16} (Thomas-1) died in 1843; in Pendleton County, VA.¹⁷

John DEVERICKS and Mary PEEBLES were married on 24 Apr 1787 in Augusta County, VA.¹⁸⁻¹⁹ **Mary PEEBLES**^{12-15,20-21}, daughter of John PEEBLES and Jane , died in 1842; .⁸

John DEVERICKS and Mary PEEBLES had the following children:

- +7 i. **DEVERICKS**.
- +8 ii. **Julia Ann DEVERICKS**, married Andrew GWIN, 28 Jul 1832, Pendleton County, VA.
- +9 iii. **Thomas DEVERICKS**, married Elizabeth MORTON, 1809; married Jane WILSON, 16 Oct 1820, Pendleton County, VA; died bef Jul 1840.
- +10 iv. **Nancy DEVERICKS**, married James CAMPBELL, 5 Jun 1822, Pendleton County, VA.
- +11 v. **William DEVERICKS**, born 1790, Pendleton County, VA; married Jane LEACH, 18 Dec 1821, Pendleton County, VA.
- +12 vi. **Sarah DEVERICKS**, born 1795, Pendleton County, VA; married James MORTON, 1813; died aft 1860.
- +13 vii. **Mary Anne DEVERICKS**, born 1796, Virginia; married William WILSON, 1814; married Isaac JOHNS, 1823; died 24 Apr 1886, Cowpasture River Valley, Highland County, VA.
- +14 viii. **John DEVERICKS**, born 1796, Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA; died 20 Oct 1861, Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA.

5. **Mary DEVERICKS**⁸ (Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Thomas BODKIN⁸ was born (date unknown).

6. **Thomas DEVERICKS**⁸ (Thomas-1) died before 1807; .²²

Thomas DEVERICKS had the following children:

- 15 i. **James DEVERICKS**⁸ was born (date unknown).
- 16 ii. **John DEVERICKS**⁸ was born (date unknown).

Third Generation

7. **DEVERICKS**⁸ (John-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

GRAHAM⁸ was born (date unknown).

GRAHAM and DEVERICKS had the following child:

- 17 i. **Sarah GRAHAM**²³ was born (date unknown).

8. **Julia Ann DEVERICKS**^{14,24-25} (John-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Julia Ann DEVERICKS and Andrew GWIN were married on 28 Jul 1832 in Pendleton County, VA.^{24,26} **Andrew GWIN**^{24,27-28} was born (date unknown).

9. **Thomas DEVERICKS**^{14,29} (John-2, Thomas-1) died before Jul 1840; .³⁰

Thomas DEVERICKS and Elizabeth MORTON were married in 1809.⁸ **Elizabeth MORTON**³¹, daughter of Edward MORTON and Sarah JOHNS, was born (date unknown).

Thomas DEVERICKS and Jane WILSON were married on 16 Oct 1820 in Pendleton County, VA.^{8,26} **Jane WILSON**³² was born (date unknown).

Thomas DEVERICKS and Jane WILSON had the following children:

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- +18 i. **Mary A. DEVERICKS**, married MORTON.
 - +19 ii. **Francis J. DEVERICKS**, married DODDS.

10. **Nancy DEVERICKS**^{8,14,33} (John-2, Thomas-1) was born (date unknown).

Nancy DEVERICKS and James CAMPBELL were married on 5 Jun 1822 in Pendleton County, VA.^{8,26} **James CAMPBELL**^{8,33} was born (date unknown).

James CAMPBELL and Nancy DEVERICKS had the following children:

- +20 i. **Rachel R. CAMPBELL**, born 1834, Highland County, VA; married Anderson P. DEVERICKS, 25 Dec 1855, Highland County, VA; died 16 Feb 1872, Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA.
- 21 ii. **Sarah CAMPBELL**¹⁴ was born (date unknown).

11. **William DEVERICKS**^{14,34-37} (John-2, Thomas-1) was born in 1790 in Pendleton County, VA.³⁸⁻³⁹ Occupation: Listed as none in 1850.⁴⁰ Education: Listed as an adult who could not read or write in 1860.³⁹ Occupation: Farmer in 1860.³⁹ Property: Owned personal property valued at \$270 in 1860.³⁹

William DEVERICKS and Jane LEACH were married on 18 Dec 1821 in Pendleton County, VA.⁴¹⁻⁴² **Jane LEACH**^{13,39-41}, daughter of John LEACH and Margaret PIERSON, was born in Feb 1795 in Pendleton County, VA.⁴³⁻⁴⁶ Occupation: Housekeeper in 1860.³⁹ She died on 27 Dec 1869; at the age of 74 at Stonewall township in Highland County, VA.^{13,47}

William DEVERICKS and Jane LEACH had the following children:

- 22 i. Location: in West Virginia .⁸ **James DEVERICKS**^{8,48} was born (date unknown).
- 23 ii. Location: in West Virginia .⁸ **John A. DEVERICKS**⁴⁹ was born (date unknown).
- 24 iii. Location: in Ohio .⁸ **Robert DEVERICKS**⁸ was born (date unknown).
- 25 iv. **Margaret DEVERICKS**^{8,13,39-40} was born in 1827 in Pendleton County, VA.³⁹⁻⁴⁰ Occupation: House attendant in 1860.³⁹ Location: in Illinois .⁸
- +26 v. **Letitia J. DEVERICKS**, born 1830, Pendleton County, VA; married Elijah S. LEACH, 30 Mar 1854, Highland County, VA.
- +27 vi. **Allen H. DEVERICKS**, born Mar 1835, Pendleton County, VA; married Lucinda F. WILSON, 4 Mar 1862; died 12 Jul 1897, Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA.
- +28 vii. **William M. DEVERICKS**, born 1837, Pendleton County, VA.
- 29 viii. **George Monroe DEVERICKS**^{8,50-51} was born in 1840 in Pendleton County, VA.³⁹⁻⁴⁰ Education: Attended school within the past year in 1850.⁴⁰ Occupation: Farmhand in 1860.³⁹ Location: in Hardy .⁸

12. **Sarah DEVERICKS**^{13-14,31,52-53} (John-2, Thomas-1) was born in 1795 in Pendleton County, VA.⁵⁴⁻⁵⁵ Occupation: Seamstress in 1850.⁵⁴ Property: Owned real estate valued at \$500 in 1850.⁵⁴ Occupation: Housekeeper in 1860.⁵⁵ Property: Owned personal property valued at \$119 in 1860.⁵⁵ Property: Owned real estate valued at \$250 in 1860.⁵⁵ She died after 1860; at the age of 65.⁵⁵

Sarah DEVERICKS and James MORTON were married in 1813.^{8,56} **James MORTON**^{13-14,31}, son of Edward

MORTON and Sarah JOHNS, was born (date unknown).

James MORTON and Sarah DEVERICKS had the following children:

- 30 i. **David MORTON**⁵⁷ was born (date unknown).
- 31 ii. **Frances MORTON**⁵⁷ was born (date unknown).
- 32 iii. **Mary MORTON**⁵⁷⁻⁵⁸ was born (date unknown).
- 33 iv. **Thomas MORTON**⁵⁷ was born (date unknown).
- +34 v. **William D. MORTON**, married Emaline STEUART, 31 May 1842, Bath County, VA; died 1845.
- +35 vi. **James MORTON**, born 1820, Pendleton County, VA; married Mary Jane DEVERICKS, 11 Jul 1843, Pendleton County, VA; died Feb 1858, Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA.
- +36 vii. **Jared Morgan MORTON**, born 1823, Pendleton County, VA; married Mary C. BURNS, 1 Feb 1844, Bath County, VA.
- 37 viii. **Edward D. MORTON**^{13,54,57,59-60} was born in 1829 in Pendleton County, VA.⁵⁴⁻⁵⁵ Education: Attended school within the past year in 1850.⁶¹ Occupation: Farmhand in 1860.⁵⁵ He died in 1863; at the age of 34.⁶²
- +38 ix. **John T. MORTON**, born 1832, Cowpasture River Valley, Highland County, VA; married Mary A. , 1847; died 25 Nov 1859, Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA.
- +39 x. **Sarah E. MORTON**, born 1834, Pendleton County, VA; married Alison WILSON, 14 Oct 1852.

13. **Mary Anne DEVERICKS**^{14,63-65} (John-2, Thomas-1) was born in 1796 in Virginia.⁶⁶⁻⁶⁷ Education: Listed as unable to write in 1880.⁶⁶ She died on 24 Apr 1886; at the age of 90 cancer in Cowpasture River Valley, Highland County, VA.¹⁵

Mary Anne DEVERICKS and William WILSON were married in 1814.⁸ **William WILSON**^{8,68} was born (date unknown).

William WILSON and Mary Anne DEVERICKS had the following child:

- +40 i. **John L. WILSON**, born 1 Jun 1819, Lewis County, VA; married Barbara Hull ERVINE, 20 Dec 1842, Pendleton County, VA; died 24 Jul 1897, Cowpasture River Valley, Highland County, VA.

Mary Anne DEVERICKS and Isaac JOHNS were married in 1823.^{8,69} Moved to: in Illinois.⁶⁹ **Isaac JOHNS**⁷⁰, son of William JOHNS and Sarah WOOD, was born (date unknown).

14. **John DEVERICKS**^{14,71-79} (John-2, Thomas-1) was born in 1796 in Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA.^{13,39,80} Tithable: Pendleton County, later to become Highland County, VA in 1822.¹¹ Property: Pendleton County land patent for 23 acres on Shaw's Fork in 1825.⁷ Location: Shaw's Fork householder per map of the County Surveyor in 1848.⁸¹ Agriculture: in 1850 60 acres improved, 90 acres unimproved land; farm value \$1,200, machinery value \$20, livestock value \$250 in Highland County, VA.⁸² Property: Owned real estate valued at \$1200 in 1850.⁸³ Occupation: Farmer between 1850 and 1861.^{13,39,83} Property: Owned personal property valued at \$662 in 1860.³⁹ Property: Owned real estate valued at \$1,500 in 1860.³⁹ He died on 20 Oct 1861; at the age of 65 consumption in Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA.¹³ Estate: in 1862 Listed 137 acres valued at \$822.18.⁸⁴ Estate: in 1862 Listed 6 cattle, horses, or mules valued at \$108.⁸⁴

Margaret BOTKIN^{74-77,85}, daughter of Thomas BOTKIN and Margaret DEVERICKS, was born about 1800 in Pendleton County, VA.⁸⁶⁻⁸⁷ She died in 1861; at the age of 61.⁸

John DEVERICKS and Margaret BOTKIN had the following children:

- +41 i. **Anderson P. "Allen" DEVERICKS**, born 1825, Pendleton County, VA; married Louisa C. SMITH, 30 Apr 1874, Highland County, VA; married Rachel R. CAMPBELL, 25 Dec 1855, Highland County, VA; died 4 Dec 1883, Cowpasture River Valley, Highland County, VA.
- +42 ii. **Mary Jane DEVERICKS**, born 1828, Pendleton County, VA; married James MORTON, 11 Jul 1843, Pendleton County, VA; died Aug 1858, Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA.
- +43 iii. **Boyd DEVERICKS**, born 1830, Pendleton County, VA.
- +44 iv. **Martha A. DEVERICKS**, born 1832, Pendleton County, VA; married William WILSON, 21 May 1846, Pendleton County, VA; died 25 Aug 1858, Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA.
- +45 v. **Thomas M. DEVERICKS**, born 4 Jul 1837, Pendleton County, VA; died 4 Mar 1915, Stonewall District, Highland County, VA.
- +46 vi. **Frances Harden DEVERICKS**, born 5 Jul 1840, Shaw's Fork, Highland County, VA; married William Marshall LEACH, 17 Sep 1867, Highland County, VA; died 23 Apr 1910, Thorn section of Pendleton County, WV.
- 47 vii. **Jimison DEVERICKS**⁸³ was born in Oct 1849 in Highland County, VA.⁸³

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1. *New History of Highland County, VA* (1983), 113.
2. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 250.
3. Augusta County Land Grant Surveys, 59, Book OI.
4. Augusta County Land Grant Surveys, 190, Book OI.
5. Augusta County, Virginia 1787 Personal Property Tax List, 129.
6. Pendleton County, VA Courthouse Deed Books, Book 3, page 39.
7. *Pendleton County Land Patent from Sims' Index*, 4:254.
8. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279.
9. John Vogt & T. William Kethley Jr., Augusta County, VA Marriages. may be the Margaret Devericks who married Thomas Botkin on 24 April 1786.
10. *Pendleton County Land Patent from Sims' Index*, 2:253.
11. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 392.
12. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279, 384.
13. Highland County Death Records.
14. Pendleton County, VA Probate Records, Willbook 4, pages 228-230.
15. Highland County Death Records, 1886.
16. Bath County, Virginia Willbook, Book 1, page 232. John Deverin.
17. Pendleton County, VA Probate Records, Willbook 4, pages 228-230. will proved 6 July 1843.
18. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279, 384. 1786.
19. John Vogt & T. William Kethley Jr., Augusta County, VA Marriages. 24 April 1787.
20. John Vogt & T. William Kethley Jr., Augusta County, VA Marriages. Mary Pebles.
21. Bath County, Virginia Willbook , Book 1, page 232.
22. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279. before 1807.
23. Pendleton County, VA Probate Records, Willbook 4, pages 228-230. Sarah Grayham. granddaughter of John Devericks.
24. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279, 381.
25. Pendleton County, VA Marriage Records. listed as Julia Ann.
26. Pendleton County, VA Marriage Records.
27. Pendleton County, VA Marriage Records. listed as Givin.
28. Pendleton County, VA Probate Records, Willbook 4, pages 228-230. Andrew Gwin.
29. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279, 351, 383.
30. Pendleton County, VA Probate Records, Willbook 4, pages 228-230. my son Thomas, now deceased. in father John's will.
31. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279, 383.
32. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279, 351.
33. Highland County Death Records, 1872.
34. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279, 312. 279 says William; 312 says Thomas Devericks.
35. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 109A. spelled Deverix.
36. Highland County, Virginia Census 1860, 266. spelled Devericks; also listed in household were 26 year old William P. and a female infant, not yet named.
37. Highland County Death Records. William Devericks.
38. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 109A. 60 years.
39. Highland County, Virginia Census 1860, 266.
40. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 109A.
41. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279, 312.

42. Pendleton County, VA Marriage Records. listed as 18 Dec 1821.
43. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 312. says 1795.
44. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 109A. says 45 years of age.
45. Highland County, Virginia Census 1860, 266. says 64 years old.
46. Highland County Death Records. 74 years, 10 months.
47. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 312.
48. *Recorder*, 2, 7 Nov 1902. may be the same as James A. Devericks whose obituary appears here; born 28 Dec 1852, died 3 Oct 1902.
49. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279. listed as John A.
50. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 109A. listed as Monroe.
51. Highland County, Virginia Census 1860, 266. listed as George M.
52. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 74B. 12 year old Margaret Morton also listed in household; not sure who she is.
53. Highland County, Virginia Census 1860, 267. listed in son Edward's household.
54. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 74B.
55. Highland County, Virginia Census 1860, 267.
56. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 383.
57. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 384.
58. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 74B. may be the 12 year old Margaret listed in mother's household.
59. Highland County, Virginia Census 1860, 267. also listed in household were mother Sarah, 22 year old Margaret E., 13 year old Emeline, 10 year old John M., 9 year old William A., and 6 year old Jared M.
60. Highland County Courthouse Marriage Records, Book 1, page 571. witness on sister Sarah's marriage application.
61. *New History of Highland County, VA*, 74B.
62. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 384. killed.
63. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279, 307. 279 says Mary A.; 307 says Anne.
64. Highland County, Virginia Census 1880, 210A. listed as Mary B. Johns, widowed twice, in son John Wilson's household.
65. Highland County Death Records, 1886, 1897. Mary B. , Mary.
66. Highland County, Virginia Census 1880, 210A.
67. Highland County Death Records, 1886. 91 years.
68. Highland County Death Records, 1897.
69. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 307.
70. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279, 307.
71. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 270, 279, 280. spelled Devericks.
72. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 87A. spelled Deverix.
73. Highland County, Virginia Census 1860, 266. listed as John Devericks; also listed in household were 12 year old Franklin Rowf and 11 year old Nancy Morton.
74. **J. C. Matheny Jr., E. R. Matheny**, *Vital Records of Highland County, Virginia*, 325.
75. Highland County Courthouse Marriage Records, Book 1, page 744.
76. Highland County Courthouse Marriage Records, Book 2, page 55.
77. Highland County Death Records, 1858, 1883.
78. *Recorder*, 3, 29 Apr 1910.
79. 1850 Agricultural Census, Highland County, VA. John Deverix.
80. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 87A. listed as 53 years old.
81. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 394.

82. 1850 Agricultural Census, Highland County, VA.
83. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 87A.
84. Civil War Tax Record, Highland County, VA 1862.
85. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 270, 279.
86. **Morton, Oren F.**, *Morton's History of Highland County, VA*, 279. says born in 1796.
87. Highland County, Virginia Census 1850, 87A. says born in 1810.