

INFORMATION & DATA ON THE FAMILY OF:

**ROBERT & JALEY ANN BURBRIDGE**

1779-1846

1784-1851

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Being a collection of information from Public records, biographies, histories and family sources, and arranged to present a coherent view of said family and their individual relationship. This has all been done for the purpose of preserving for future generations a knowledge of their past.

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# Robert & Jaley Ann (Richards) Burbridge

No.	Children	Year of Birth	Place of Birth	Their Ages in the Censuses				
				1850	1860	1870	1880	
1	Rowland	1808-09		-	-	-	-	
2	Elizabeth	1810-12	Kentucky	38	50	-	-	<i>Classified as an idiot in 1850</i>
3	Mary "Polly"	1815-16	Kentucky	34	45	-	-	
4	Thomas Benjamin	28 Feb 1818	Kentucky	30	42	52	62	
5	Harrison	1819-20	Kentucky	28	38	-	-	<i>Classified as an idiot in 1850</i>
6	Carlisle	1821	Kentucky	29	36	49	-	
7	Milon	1821-22	Kentucky	28	-	-	-	
8	George Washington	15 Oct 1822	Kentucky	27	36	45	55	
		?						
9	Jahn	1825	Kentucky	22	35	-	55	<i>Classified as an idiot in 1850</i>
10	Jalia Ann	1826	Missouri	24	34	44	53	<i>1830 Census shows a female under 5 yrs.</i>
11	Absalom	1828	Missouri	22	32	44	-	
	Jovna Burbridge	1823	Kentucky	26	36	46	56	

BURBRIDGE

Surname

FAMILY INFORMATION CHART NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Census Records  
10-20  
1840

Husband's full name Robert Burbridge  
 born at Virginia on 5 Jan 1779  
 married at Montgomery Co. Kentucky on 25 May 1803  
 died at Pike County, Illinois on 20 May 1846  
 interred at Burbridge Cemetery No. Groom's marriages 1  
Sec 24, Montgomery Twp.

Authority or source of information:

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_ Military Service \_\_\_\_\_  
Roland Burbridge Jane Wells  
 His Father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's maiden name \_\_\_\_\_

Records, Census & Others:  
 1830 & 40 Pike Co Mo, 1850  
 65-3W Pike Co Ill.

1850 65-3W

Wife's maiden name Jaley Ann Richards  
 born at Virginia on 11 Jan 1784  
 died at Pike County, Illinois on 11 Sept. 1851  
 interred at Burbridge Cemetery No. Bride's marriages 1

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_  
 Her Father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's maiden name \_\_\_\_\_

Abodes and removals:

1. That part of Montgomery County until Jan 1811 when Bath County was organized from it.

Sex	Children	Additional information
7	(1) Name <u>Roland Burbridge</u> born at <u>Bath Co. Kentucky</u> on <u>abt 1811</u> died at _____ on _____ married at _____ on _____ to _____	Roland went to Helena, Jo. Davis Co. Ills. when it was a great mining area, there he became ill and died there.
1850 65-3W	(2) Name <u>Elizabeth Burbridge</u> born at <u>Bath Co. Kentucky</u> on <u>abt 1812</u> died at _____ on _____ married at _____ on _____ to _____	1850 Census states she was an idiot records kept at _____
10	(3) Name <u>Julia Ann Burbridge</u> born at <u>Pike County Missouri</u> on <u>abt 1826</u> died at _____ on _____ married at <u>Pike Co Illinois</u> on <u>8 May 1845</u> to <u>Daniel D Hicks</u> MR-1, p 96, no. 1181	Children: (7) Frances, Barbara E., Florence E., Emma, Robert Thomas, Laura, James, w/o Hicks (p 529 Jesse Thompson's Pike County History) Julia & Dan are both buried in the South Cemetery at Pittsfield.
18 1850 65-3W	(4) Name <u>Mary (Polly) Burbridge</u> born at _____ on <u>abt 1816</u> died at _____ on _____ married at <u>Pike Co Missouri</u> on <u>4 Oct 1832</u> to <u>Thomas Anson</u> MR-1, p 64, No. 240 List other children on the reverse side.	Children: Robert F. Anson 1833 mo Juliana Anson 1835 mo Roland Anson 1839 mo. George W. Anson 1841 ill. Mary J. Anson 1844 ill. Thomas B. Anson 1846 ill.

Other information & sources:

1860 Cen. { J. E. Anson 1854 ill.  
 L. Anson 1857 ill.

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CHILDREN OF Robert and Joley Ann (Richards) Burbridge

Sex	Name	Age	born at	died at	married at	to	Notes
	(5) Name <u>Thomas B. Burbridge</u>	<u>2-4</u>	<u>Bath Co Kentucky</u>	<u>28 Feb-1818</u>	<u>Pike Co Illinois</u>	<u>8 Aug. 1888</u>	<p>Children:                      Cynthia <sup>Ann</sup> Burbridge 1842                      Jola Elizabeth Burbridge 1848                      Robert Burbridge 1849                      John W. Burbridge 1857                      James Burbridge 1853                      Harriet Burbridge 1855                      Thomas Burbridge 1858</p>
<u>1850</u>	(6) Name <u>Harrison Burbridge</u>		<u>Bath Co. Kentucky</u>	<u>ca 1819</u>			<p>1850 Census <sup>records him as</sup> <del> says he is</del> an idiot</p>
	(7) Name <u>Milen Burbridge</u>			<u>abt 1820</u>	<u>Pike Co Illinois</u>	<u>9 Oct 1847</u>	<p>Children:                      Anne Burbridge</p> <p>MR-1 p. 118, no. 1365                      performed by Jos Burbridge M.D.</p>
<u>1850</u> <u>1870</u>	(8) Name <u>George <sup>Washington</sup> Burbridge</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Bath Co. Kentucky</u>	<u>15 Oct 1822</u>	<u>Pike Co Illinois</u>	<u>11 Oct 1852</u>	<p>Children:                      Alice, Harriet, Angeline, Helan, Olive, Jesse, P. Lovra, Mennie, George Washington Burbridge are above <del>in</del> in order of birth.</p>
<u>1860</u> <u>1870</u>	(9) Name <u>Absalom Burbridge</u>		<u>Pike Co Missouri</u>	<u>abt 1828</u>	<u>Pike Co Illinois</u>	<u>30 Aug 1850</u>	<p>Children:                      Delgahina Burbridge 1852                      Rosetta Burbridge 1856</p> <p>MR-1 p. 152, no 137                      performed by Lewis E Hayden, J.P.</p>
<u>1850</u> <u>1860</u> <u>1870</u>	(10) Name <u>Carlisle Burbridge</u>		<u>Bath Co. Kentucky</u>	<u>abt 1826</u>	<u>Pike Co. Illinois</u>	<u>16 Nov. 1844</u>	<p>Children:                      Sarah Burbridge 1865                      Milo Burbridge 1867                      Ella Burbridge 1867</p> <p>Carlisle went to Oregon and died there.</p>
	(11) Name <u>John Burbridge</u>		<u>Kentucky</u>	<u>abt 1825</u>			<p>1850 Census <sup>records him as</sup> <del> says he is</del> an idiot.                      In 1880 Census is living with his brother Thomas Burbridge.                      Birth year has determined by 1860 &amp; 1880 census age.</p>
	(12) Name _____		born at _____	died at _____	married at _____	to _____	

Continue on another form if there are more children.  
 1. Cynthia died at age 32yr. 1mo 8.19 day, is buried in Blue River Cemetery  
 married at age 16 yrs. 4 mo. & 28 days.

SOME MARRIAGES  
IN  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, KENTUCKY  
BEFORE 1864

Collected by Hazel Mason Boyd\*

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BURBRIDGE, Joseph Howe m. Elizabeth UNDERWOOD, June 6, 1822	Howe
" Polly m. Wingate JACKSON, December 4, 1804	Howe
" Robert m. Jaley RICHARDS, May 25, 1803	Howe
" Rowland (Rev. soldier) m. Jane WELLS	Miles

Marriages performed by the Rev. Joseph Howe, May 1795 to October 1826, who came to Kentucky from North Carolina in 1794, was ordained by Transylvania Presbytery in 1795 over Little Mountain (Mt. Sterling) and Springfield Churches. Original Journal and Marriage Record are in the Presbyterian Historical Society Library in Philadelphia as a part of the John O. Shane Collection.

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1820 CENSUS — UNITED STATES

[No. 1.]

The number of Persons within my Division, consisting of Bath County, appears in a Schedule hereto annexed, subscribed by me this 8th day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty. James M. Graham Assistant to the Marshal of Kentucky

Schedule of the whole number of Persons within the division allotted to James M. Graham

Name of Families.	Free White Males.				Free White Females.				Slaves.		Free Colored Persons.															
	Of ten & under sixteen.		Between sixteen & eighteen.		Of sixteen & under twenty-six, including heads of families.		Of twenty-five & upwards, including heads of families.		Under ten years of age.		Of ten & under sixteen.		Of sixteen & under twenty-six, including heads of families.		Of twenty-five & upwards, including heads of families.		Under fourteen years.		Of fourteen & under twenty-six.		Of twenty-five & upwards.					
	to 10	to 16	to 16	to 18	to 16	to 26	to 45	&c.	to 10	to 16	to 16	to 26	to 45	&c.	to 14	to 26	to 45	&c.	to 14	to 26	to 45	&c.	to 14	to 26	to 45	&c.
Bath County	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

(No. 4) **SCHEDULE of the whole number of Persons within the Division allotted to Moses Kelly**

Name of County, City Ward, Township, Parish, Precinct, Hundred, or District.	Names of HEADS OF FAMILIES	FREE WHITE PERSONS (including heads of Families)														
		MALES							FEMALES							
		Under 5 yrs.	5 & under 10	10 & under 15	15 & under 20	20 & under 30	30 & under 40	40 & under 50	50 & under 60	60 & under 70	70 & under 80	80 & under 90	90 & under 100	100 & upwards		
(not recorded)	Burbridge, Thomas	1	1	2	1	1	1	1								1
	Burbridge, Joseph				1	1*										1*
	Burbridge, Robert		2	3	1	1	1									1
	Burbridge, Benjamin			1	2	3	1									1

\* Probably this is their father, Rowland & wife, Jane (Wells) Burbridge.

County of Pike by the Marshal of the Missouri District (or Territory) of Missouri

Name of County, City Ward, Township, Parish, Precinct, Hundred, or District.	SLAVES						FREE COLORED PERSONS							WHITE PERSONS included in the foregoing.								SLAVES & COLORED PERSONS included in the foregoing.				
	MALES			FEMALES			MALES				FEMALES			Under 14 yrs.				14 & under 25				Deaf & dumb				
	Under 10 yrs.	10 & under 24	24 & under 36	36 & under 55	55 & under 100	100 & upwards	Under 10 yrs.	10 & under 24	24 & under 36	36 & under 55	55 & under 100	100 & upwards	Under 10 yrs.	10 & under 24	24 & under 36	36 & under 55	55 & under 100	100 & upwards	Under 14 yrs.	14 & under 25	Deaf & dumb	Deaf & dumb	14 & under 25	Deaf & dumb	25 & upwards	Who are blind
(not recorded)	1						1						2	1						14						
	1	1						1												14						
	1																			11						
																				13						
TOTAL.			1					1												14						

(No. 4.) SCHEDULE of the whole number of persons within the division allotted to Samuel Parr

Name of County, City, Ward, Precinct, Township, or District	FREE WHITE PERSONS, INCLUDING HEADS OF FAMILIES.														FREE COLORED PERSONS					
	MALES							FEMALES							MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 5 yrs.	5 & under 10	10 & under 15	15 & under 20	20 & under 30	30 & under 40	40 & under 50	50 & under 60	60 & under 70	70 & under 80	80 & under 90	90 & under 100	100 & upwards	Under 10 yrs.	10 & under 24	24 & under 36	36 & under 55	55 & under 100	100 & upwards	
Robert BURBRIDGE	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1							
Thomas ANSON	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1							

by the Marshal of the Missouri District (or Territory) of Missouri (Page No.) 68

MALES	SLAVES						TOTAL.	NUMBER OF PERSONS IN EACH FAMILY EMPLOYED IN										AGES	MULTIPLE PERSONS INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING.				SCHOOLERS, &c.												
	Under 10 yrs.	10 & under 24	24 & under 36	36 & under 55	55 & under 100	100 & upwards		Mining.	Agriculture.	Commerce.	Manufactures and trades.	Navigation of the ocean.	Navigation of canals, lakes, and rivers.	Learned professions & engineers.	Blind	Deaf & Dumb under 14 yrs.	Deaf & Dumb 14 & under 25		Deaf & Dumb 25 & upwards	Blind	At public charge.	At private charge.	INSANE & IDIOTS	Blind	Deaf & Dumb	At private charge.	At public charge.	INSANE & IDIOTS	Blind	Deaf & Dumb	At private charge.	At public charge.	* No. of white persons over 20 who cannot read and write.	* No. of Scholars	
9							5	1																											
5							1																												



es fixed by the Constitution, Judiciary may be untrammelled by the fear of any interference. Let us be the creatures of our Constitution and a part of that fundamental law, so that when once established they can be changed or altered only with that solemnity and ratification so important to the stability of the Courts, they have serious evil in every State in which they have

d. thus endeavored more than was at first intended, to the glaring defects in our Constitution so far as it relates to the appointment of the Courts, of In a succeeding number perhaps speak of the mode of electing Judges by popular vote, and of the tenure of their office.

**CONVENTION.**

For the Free Press.  
**DIALOGUE.**

A lofty place on the public square,  
—last Thursday.  
Person:—Loco Foco Clique.  
you heard the news?  
at news?  
governor has made a call for  
[A general falling of the  
followed this, succeeded by a  
some moments.]  
't see any necessity for that—  
States furnish enough?  
say its volunteers he calls for  
speak of drafting, does he?  
it's only for volunteers. [Great  
le in the countenances of the  
old.]  
I reckon he can get them; I  
number who will go (naming  
legs and a few democrats, but  
a crowd present.) [Another  
boys, it don't look right  
old.] What don't look right?  
prevail to question what Mr.  
ans?—any step that he has ta-  
you are an enemy to the  
traitor—a British Whig.  
Oh, no! that was not

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**PRICES CURRENT.**

**Saint Louis, Mo.**

<b>WHEAT</b>	Shoulders	36
	Sides	38
<b>CORNE</b>	St Domingo, per pound	71
	Rio, per pound	84
<b>FLOUR</b>	Country brands	\$1 30-55
	City Mills	\$1 20-50
<b>GRAIN</b>	Wheat—Primo	45
	Fair and good	
	Medium	
	Corn—Stalks	25-26
	Flaxseed, Primo	\$1 12
	Roughly, per lb	\$1 60
	Oats	27c
	Rye, per bush	92-15c
	Barley, per bush	60-65c
<b>HEAR</b>	Day-Rotted, per ton	\$3 60-65
	Drying, per ton	
	Fair and Good	
	Prime, per ton	
<b>LARD</b>	Primo, per lb	5 1-2-3-4c

**BANK NOTE TABLE**  
(CORRECTED WEEKLY)

<b>MISSOURI</b>	State Bank and Branches	Do	County Mo.
<b>ILLINOIS</b>	State Bank and Branches	State Bank	Do
<b>INDIANA</b>	State Bank and Branches	Do	Do
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	Bank of Louisville, at N. O.	Gas Bank	Mechanics and Traders Bank
	Union Bank	Louisiana State Bank	Carrollton Bank
	Commercial Bank	Consolidated Bank	Improvement Bank
	Exchange Bank	Bank of Orleans	Atchafalaya Bank
	Municipality, No 1	No 2	No 3
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	Bank of Louisville	Bank of Ky and branches	Northwestern Bank
<b>OHIO</b>	Cincinnati Banks	Specie paying Country Banks	Lancaster Ohio Bank
	Bank of Hamilton	Bank of Cleveland	Commercial Bank of Lake Erie
	Commercial Bank of Scioto	All other	
<b>PENNSYLVANIA</b>	Banks of Philadelphia	Exchange Bank of Pittsburgh	and Branches
	Bank of Pittsburgh	Merchants and Manufacturers	Country Banks
	United States Bank	Bank of Virginia and branches	Bank Valley and branches
	Exchange Bank of Norfolk	Parish Bank of Virginia	Merchants and Mechanics Bank
	Wholesaling	N. W. Me. Va. and branches	

1850 CENSUS — UNITED STATES

SCHEDULE 1. Free Inhabitants in Town 6S3W (Hardin Township), in the County of Pike, State of Illinois, enumerated by me on the 8th day of Nov., 1850. J. Grimshaw Ass't Marshal

Line No. on page	Dwelling No.	Family Number	The name of every person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1850, was in this family.	Age	Sex	Color	Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each male person over 15 years of age.	Value of Real Estate owned	place of birth	Married within the year	Attended School within the year	Over 20 who cannot read & write	Whether deaf & dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, pauper or convict.	(Remarks)
6	1332	1372	Thomas Burbridge	30	M		farmer	1500	Ky					
7			Mary	26	F				Ills					
8			Cynthia	7	F				Do		/			
9			Jala	2	F				Do					
10			Robert	11/12	M				Do					
11			Jasper McNary	18	M		farmer		Do		/			
20	1334	1376	George W Burbridge	27	M		farmer	300	(Ky) Do					
21			Jala	55	F				Va					
22			Elizabeth	38	F			300	Ky			/	idiot	
23			Harrison	28	M			300	Do			/	idiot	
24			John	22	M			300	Do			/	idiot	
25	1335	1377	Milon Burbridge	28	M		farmer	170	Do					
26			Emeline	21	F				Ohio					
27			Anne	1	F				Ills					

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**CONVENTION.**

For the Free Press.  
**DIALOGUE.**

SENATOR: A loathsome place on the public square.  
TOWN: Last Thursday.  
SENATOR: Have you heard the news?  
TOWN: What news?

SENATOR: The Governor has made a call for volunteers. [A general falling of the jaw followed this, succeeded by a sneeze of some moments.]

TOWN: I don't see any necessity for that—other States furnish enough?  
SENATOR: You say its volunteers he calls for—don't speak of drafting, does he?  
TOWN: No—it's only for volunteers. [Great cheering visible in the countenances of the whole crowd.]

SENATOR: Well, I reckon he can get them; I know of a number who will go (naming several whigs and a few democrats, but none of the crowd present.) [Another sneeze.]

TOWN: Well, boys, it don't look right to me.  
SENATOR: (shouting) What don't look right?  
TOWN: I pretend to question what Mr. Governor has done?—any step that he has taken?  
SENATOR: Sir, you are an enemy to the country—a traitor—a British Whig.  
TOWN: (humbly) Oh! no; that was not what I meant. Glory be to Paddy, he can do wrong—that's impossible. But I meant to say, was—that as we

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**Saint Louis, Mo.**

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	Shoulders	36
	Sides	36
<b>COFFEE</b>	St Domingo, per pound	74
	Rio, per pound	81
<b>FLOUR</b>	Country brands	\$3 30 & 3 55
	City Mills	\$4 25 & 4 50
<b>GRAIN</b>	Wheat—Prime	45
	Fair and good	
	Medium	
	Barley	25 & 28
	Flaxseed, Prime	\$1 12
	Rough, per lb	\$1 00
	Oats	22 & 23
	Rye, per bush	\$2 15 & 2 25
	Wheat, per bushel	65 & 70
<b>HEMP</b>	Raw-Rotter, per ton	\$3 45 & 3 65
	Interior, per ton	3 00
	Fair and Good	
	Prime, per ton	
<b>LARD</b>	Prime Lard per lb	5 1-2 & 3-4
	No. 2 per pound	5 1-2 & 1-3
<b>MOLASSES</b>	From the landing	27 & 31
	From state	31 & 35

**BANK NOTE TABLE**  
**(CORRECTED WEEKLY)**

<b>MISSOURI</b>	State Bank and Branches	100
	St. Louis City Warrants	100
	Do County do.	100
<b>ILLINOIS</b>	State Bank and Branches	100
	State Scrip \$30	100
	Do do \$50	100
	St. Louis City Warrants	100
<b>INDIANA</b>	Bank of Illinois and Branches	100
	State Bank of Illinois and Branches	100
	Quico Bank	100
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	Wisconsin, Marine and Insur	100
	Bank of Mineral Point	100
	Ohio's Bank of Danbury	100
<b>LOUISIANA</b>	Bank of Louisiana, at N. O.	100
	Gas Bank	100
	Mechanics and Trade Bank	100
	Union Bank	100
	Louisiana State Bank	100
	Carrollton Bank	100
	Canal Bank	100
	Commercial Bank	100
	Consolidated Bank	100
	Improvement Bank	100
	Exchange Bank	100
	Bank of Orleans	100
	Atchafalaya Bank	100
	Municipality, No 1	100
	Do No 2	100
	Do No 3	100
<b>MISSISSIPPI</b>	Bank of Louisville	100
	Bank of Ky and Branches	100
	North Carolina Do	100
<b>OHIO</b>	Cincinnati Bank	100
	Specie paying Country Bank	100
	Lancaster Ohio Bank	100
	Bank of Hamilton	100
	Bank of Cleveland	100
	Commercial Bank of Lake Erie	100
	Commercial Bank of Detroit	100
	All other	100
<b>PENNSYLVANIA</b>	Banks of Philadelphia	100
	Exchange Bank of Pittsburgh and Branches	100
	Bank of Pittsburgh	100
	Merchants and Manufacturers	100
	Country Banks	100
	United States Bank	100
<b>VIRGINIA</b>	Bank of Virginia and branches	100
	Bank Valley and Branches	100
	Exchange Bank of Norfolk	100
	Farmers Bank of Virginia	100
	Merchants and Mechanics Bank	100
	Wheeling	100
	N. W. Bank and branches	100
<b>TEXAS</b>	Bank of Tenn. and branches	100
	Planters Bank and Branches	100

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b that in the multitude as there is safety, is not referred to a Court of the Court was composed of a number of members, each Judge would feel a fair share of responsibility, and the decisions of the Court, would appear to *whit was the law* possess greater weight and professional both at home and abroad.

The most correct decisions of law are not always made by a numerous Court, as simplified in the State of New York, we sometime find an incorrect decision of Chancery (when in office) or of a Circuit or Supreme Court, which would be entirely contrary to the majority of the cases reviewed and overruled by the Senate of that State and the Court of Errors and Appeals.

Every formidable objection to the present system is that the Judges hold Circuit Courts afterwards sit as a Supreme Court to review their own decisions on the several Circuits. The friends of the present system may point to a state somewhat similar to this in England, and in some of our States. But, though we admire the decisions of the present constituted and constituted and quote them as precedents in cases arising in this State, we should have our eyes to the defects of the present system itself, or the defects of the present Courts. A Judiciary which our own reservations might slight degree, may be well in England and in some of the States in the Union. But undoubtedly it is not the best system for our wants, and it would be more desirable to have operations in this State. The present Circuits are very inefficient on account of population and distance throughout the State, and require a reduction of

the Judges fixed by the Constitution, that our Judiciary may be untrammelled and unawed by the fear of Legislative interference. Let our Courts be the creatures of our Constitution and a part of that fundamental Law, so that when once established they can be changed or abrogated only with that solemnity and deliberation which should characterize alterations so important an instrument. Let us have done with Legislative Courts, they have proved a serious evil in every State in the Union in which they have been tried.

I have thus endeavored more at length than was at first intended, to point out the glaring defects in our Constitution so far as it relates to the establishment of the Courts of this State. In a succeeding number I may perhaps speak of the present mode of electing Judges by the Legislature, and of the tenure of the Judicial office.

**CONVENTION.**

For the Free Press.

**DIALOGUE.**

SCENE—A *loafing* place on the public square.

Time—last Thursday.

Dramatis Personæ—Loco Foco Claque.

A. Have you heard the news?  
 All. What news?  
 A. The Governor has made a call for volunteers. [A general falling of the lower jaw followed this, succeeded by a silence of some moments.]  
 B. I don't see any necessity for that—can't other States furnish enough?  
 C. You say its volunteers he calls for—he don't speak of drafting, does he?  
 A. No—it's only for volunteers. [Great relief visible in the countenances of the whole crowd.]  
 B. Well, I reckon he can get them; I know of a number who will go (naming several whigs and a few democrats, but none of the crowd present.) [Another pause.]  
 D. Well, boys, it don't look right somehow.  
 A. (*sharply*) What don't look right? Dare you pretend to question what Mr. Polk has done?—any step that he has taken? Sir, you are an enemy to the country—a traitor—a British Whig.  
 D. (*humblly*) Oh! no! that was not what I meant. Glory be to Polk; he can't do wrong—that's impossible. But

The Hon. Joseph Maull, late Speaker of the Senate of Delaware, who succeeded to the Executive Chair of the State some time in March last, in consequence of the decease of Gov. Stockton, also departed this life at his residence near Dover on Sunday the 3d inst. According to the Constitution, the Hon. William Temple, of Kent county, late speaker of the House of Representatives, will discharge the duties of the Executive office until the next regular election.

**ARRIVED.**

May 17th, by the Rev. John Bazin, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Mr. Do Witt Clinton Petrie to Miss Martha Susan Rogers, daughter of Captain Rogers.

**DIED.**

May 20th ult., Mr. ROBERT BUR BRIDGE, aged about 73 years. The deceased was long a devoted member of the Christian Church, and through his kindness of heart and correctness of character, ever enjoyed the high esteem of all who knew him. [Sentinel.]

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	Fair and good	
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	Rye, per bush	\$2 1/10
	Barley, per bush	65c
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	Common Good	do
	Prime, per ton	do
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	No. 2 per pound	5 1/2
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- Burbridge, Elder James d. 31 Mar. 1868 - aged 83 yr, 1 mo, 13da  
 , Mary A. d. 9 Sept. 1863 - " 56 " 5 " 24 "  
 (Wife of Elder James B., a minister)
- Burbridge, Mary N. b. 13 Nov. 1822 - d. 1 July 1862  
 (nee McNary - 1st wife of Thomas B.)  
 , Thomas B. b. 28 Feb. 1818 - d. 8 Aug. 1888  
 (2nd wife - Emily Hodge)
- Burbridge, Jaley d. 1 Sept. 1851 - age 67 yr, 8 mo  
 P. & B.A. P. 199 (Wife of Robert Burbridge)  
 , Robert d. 23 May 1846 - aged 67 yr, 4 mo, 18 da  
 , Harriet d. 20 June 1855
- Burbridge, George W. b. 15 Oct. 1822 - d. 24 May 1895 - aged  
 79 yr, 7 mo, 9 da. born in Bath Co., Ky  
 , Nancy E. b. 22 Nov. 1833 - d. 25 May 1874 - aged  
 41 yr, 6 mo, 3 da. nee Benn of Ky.)
- Burbridge, Ella R. 1866 - 1947 (Ellen Rebekah, dau. of Daniel  
 Green Wilson and Sarah Chaplin)  
 , Jesse P. 1865 - 1930 (P. for Preston)  
 , Delcie V. d. 14 June 1897 -  
 (dau. of J. P. and E. R. Burbridge)
- Burbridge, Minnie Lorence d. 17 Dec. 1880 - age 13 yr, 3 da.  
 (dau. of G. W. and Nancy E.)
- Burbridge, Sidney M. b. 21 Dec. 1906 - d. 8 Jan. 1907  
 (infant son of D. A. and M. P. Burbridge)

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