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Barboursville Notes.

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1. Earliest settlers.

William Merritt.

Jeremiah Ward

Thos. Clap (110 poles above mud)

Earlier settlement

2. Indians

3. Roads

a. The Kentucky Trace

b. The Old State Road.

c. The Kanawha Road.

1. Claudius Crozet.

2. The James River & Kan. Co.

3. Ezra Walker.

4. Description.

5. Stages.

6. Drivers.

7. Bridges.

8. Houses of Entertainment

a. Before the road.

1. Elizabeth Dittler

2. Ben Maxey 1815:

1822. 1825 at

ma of Sandy.

a. One Elisha

McComas bord

1816, as shew

iff.

9. Famous Travelers

4. The Town founded. 1813.

a. The Trustees

Elisha McComas

Thomas Hatfield

Edmund McGinnis

b. Extent of the Town.

c. Early purchasers.

1. Ben Macey - Lots 30 & 37.
 Lots 18 & 19, known as
 Macey's Gardens

2. William Merritt Jr.

d. Early Land Grants

1. The Savage Survey.

2. James Vaughn 1400 a.
 sold for taxes 1791-41
 purchased by Ben
 Macey.

5. Early settlers in & around B'ville ³
William Merritt

Solomon Thornburg,

~~Elisha McComas~~

Philip Baumgardner,

John Samuels

James Wilson, Pros. Atty.

Joseph Day - Tanner 1816.

Anthony Shelton (Nov 21, 1822)

4

Solomon Thornburg, ^{gr.} son of Thos.
Thomas Thornburg, & Ruth Shepherd
m. Mary Staley Jan. 28, 1813 (German)

Children

1. John Wm. Thornburg, father
of Mrs. Susie Moore, etc
2. Mary Jane m. ~~Kilgore~~ James Everett
mother of Betty Kilgore.
3. Thos. Thornburg
4. James L. " , father
of Mrs. Vickers
5. Elizabeth m. John W. Griffie.

Evan W. Blume m. Evaline McKendree
(172) Feb 7, 1857 (Irouton)

Court Houses

1. At William Merritts - John Coalter.

2. At Guyandotte

3. At Barboursville - Built by Tom Ward.

4. ~~At Huntington~~

4. New Court House about 1852 by Wm. C. Miller. Contractor. A Mr. Beckel of P.V. Pleasant did most of brick work.

The Log Jail

Churches

Blue Sulpher Baptist Church 1807-

Methodist Church. (Lot 34)

Deed dated July 24, 1835, \$20

Trustees (35 X 60 ft.)

Patrick Talbert

John W. Hill

Charles L. Roffe.

Joseph Rutherford

William McComas

Lovell J. Harris

Jhos. Kyle

Luther Richey

James Pennell.

By John & Emily
Samuels.

Early Purchasers of Lots

No. 1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

8.

9.

10.

11. - John Everett Sr. \$10 (Reg. on Alley)

12. - John Everett Sr. \$25

13

14 - John Morris Jr. \$12⁷⁵

15 - John Morris Jr. \$10⁰⁰ (check)

16

17

18

19

20

21 - William Merritt (Sr.)

22 - William Merritt \$20

23 - Stephen Staley \$47

24 - John Everett Sr. \$15

25 - Cuff Caldwell \$15²⁵

Early Purchasers, etc

- 26 - Jacob Staley \$22 25
- 27 - Cuff Caldwell ~~\$27~~ \$18 (Beg. on Water St.)
- 28 - William Collins \$20
- 29 - Philip Baumgardner \$23 (Main St.)
- 30 -
- 31 -
- 32 - Joseph Mc Donigle \$15
- 33 - Ben Maley \$20 - Beg on "Main St."
- 34 -
- 35 -
- 36 - Philip Baumgardner \$7 00 (Fraction)
12 ¹/₃ poles
- 37 - Ben Maley \$5 00 (Fraction)
- 38 - Joseph Mc Donigle \$6 00 (") (22 ³/₄)

Famous facts

James Kusolung & Robert Stewart
had a store about 1835-4
on site of music Hall.

John & Sig Miller kept here
Later - Blume Hotel.

James H. Ferguson.

James J. Kuhn

Valentine Leist

Capt. Wm. J. Hovey

F. M. Ferrell Taylor

Wm. L. Jones, Tailor, before War

Absalom Holderby } Store
Robert Allen } keepers

Godfrey Espey shop beyond
Mills property on
Water St.

Dr. Henry B. Maupin

Thos. Kyle was a gunsmith
Lived where Mrs. Scherr died

Dr. John Seashole lived
about where Mr. Valland
ingham ^{lives} or Presbyterian
church stands

Arnold Westhoff & Baker, tanners
~~also John~~ About 1850

John Hatfield Hotel. Also
M. Kenda