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France,

Surveyor's Rec. 1 p. 82, 87, & 88

Bk 1 p. 82

July 29, 1812, surveyed for Daniel France 30 a. on the Beech Fork of 12 Pole by virtue of two entries 25 a. entered Aug. 29, 1810 & 25 acres entered 25th of Sept. 1810, both by virtue of a land office treas warrant No 13946.

of 972 1/2 acres, dated Aug. 24, 1782, "Beg. at a sugar tree and sugar tree opposite his house on the creek bank," thence,

S 8 E 80 poles to a sourwood & spanish oak,

S 7 W. 78 poles to a beech,

S 59 W. 38 " to a large white oak &

S 24 E 16, N 67 E. 38, N 4 E 160,

S 58 E. 18, S 70 E. 34, N 80 E 50,

N 19 W 26, due N 26 to a sugar tree

N 26 E 26, E 48, N 81 E. crossing

the Beech Fork 22 poles. N 35 W 24,

S 64 W 60, S 25 W 86, N 58 W 95, to a

slake due south 50 poles to beg."

Surveyor's Rec. 1 p. 87

Aug. 28, 1812, surveyed for
above, 243a, lying on the
main left hand fork of Twelve
Pole river,

Begins in Sproos (Spruce)
Narrows, about 2 miles above
the mouth of Lick Creek,
(includes mouth of Lick Creek.)

Surveyor's Rec. 1 p. 88.

Aug. 29, 1812, surveyed
for Daniel France 93 a
at the mouth of Cove Creek:

"Beg at a beech and white
oak standing on the side
of a hill about 40 poles
west of a slab camp on
the bank of said creek" etc.

According to the deed indexes, Daniel France rec'd a deed from Thos. Buffington Sr. et al for Lot 10 Guyandotte. (Deed Blk 1 p. 225) Sep. 21, 1810. (Thos. & Ann B. by Trustees. \$40.)

Deed Blk 1 p. 225

A deed recorded Oct. 6, 1812 in Cabell Co. is a re-survey of 700 a (300 x 380 rds) for Asa Booten & Daniel France, entered in the surveyor's office of Montgomery Co for David Sayers & surveyor on Beech Fork (Kanawha Co) conveyed by David Sayer to Alex. Sayer & by him to Asa Booten, etc. June 25, 1812.

Survey incorrect, hence resurveyed

Deed Blk 2 p. 164-1816

Shows he also took up $\frac{1}{2}$ of 200 a, on Beech Fork on Ridge bet. 12 Pole & East fork of Sandy River.
His wife's name was Susanna

France marriage licenses

William France m. Nancy Hull
Oct. 13, 1820, Stephen Spurlock
Isaac M. France m. Nancy Pearson
March 15, 1864 (2-12)

He 21, she 20. He b. Lawrence Co. O.,
she Cabell Co. Both single & residing
in Cabell Co. He son of Wm. H. and
Patience France she dau. of Simon &
Jane Pearson. Farmer Melcher Merrill
William France m. Amanda Collins

July 4, 1864 (2-12) at
Guyandotte, He 19, She 18. Both single
He b. Lawrence Co. O., she Eastern Va.
Residents Cabell Co. He son of H. (?) and
Patience France. She dau. of Wm. &
Nancy Collins. Farmer. Sampson Scott
Phoebe Ann France m. Hezekiah
Mays. He 18, She 16.

Oct. 7, 1866 (2-16)
He b. Cabell Co. she Lawrence Co. O.,
He son of Hamilton & Nancy Mays.
She dau. of Henry & Patience
France. Daniel Waddell

Charlotte H. France m. George C. Norman
1867 (2-17)

6
Sarah E. France m. Wm. Johnson
May 26 1868 (2-19) Both
single & 21, & b. Cabell. He son of
L. & J. Johnson. She dau. of P. & H. C. France. Farmer. Melcher Merritt

James France m. Evaline Clark
July 9, 1868 (2-19) He 32,
She 24. Both single. He b. Lawrence
Co. O., she Rockbridge Co. Va. He
son of W. & N. France. She dau. of D. &
R. Clark. Farmer. Daniel Ash.

Mary E. France m. David Clark
July 9, 1868 (2-19) He 23,
She 17. Both single. He b. Rock
bridge Co. Va. She Lawrence Co. O.
He resident of Lawrence Co. She Cabell?
He son of D. & J. Clark. She dau
of W. & P. France (Patience)

Mary E. France m. Wm. J. Parnick
Nov 6. 1871 (2-25) He 25,
She 21. He b. Jefferson Co. O., she Lawrence
Co. O., He son of Thos. & Indiana
Pickett, she dau. of Wm. H. & Peyton France
Daniel Ash.

Matilda J. France m
John C. Meehling
Feb. 3 1874 (2-30) He 20.
She 19. Both single. He b.
Lawrence Co. O. She Cabell. He son
of Charles F. & C. M. Meehling. She dau
of W. H. & P. France. Farmer. Daniel Ash.

1
Adaline France m. Albert Keenan
1874 (2-31)

Thos. J. France m. Theodosia Sheets
June 1, 1882 (2-53)
Elder Daniel Ash

Lydia Ann France m. Andrew J. Adkins
Oct. 24, 1882 (2-54)
B. J. Flowers

James G. France m. Parthena Woodyard
Nov. 1, 1882 (2-54)
Daniel Ash

Henry M. C. France m. Wilma F. McCallister
April 6, 1884 (2-60) W. J. Weaver

Phoebe France m. Wm. H. Harvey
June 1, 1884 (2-61)
L. B. Madison

Ellen France m. John Adkins
June 21, 1887 2-24
J. W. Wetherall

James H. France m. Martha ^A Adkins
June 4, 1888
(2-79) J. H. Jackson

Laura France m. Alex. Adkins
Aug 16, 1888 (2-80)
J. W. Wetherall

Waller France m. Ida B. Hodson
April 4, 1889
(2-83) A. Given

9
Nancy A. France m. Martin J. Davis
July 28, 1889
(2-84) Daniel Ash.

Ed France m. Seta Arthur
Sept. 7, 1890
(2-92) J. M. Hart

Ada B. France m. Isaac E. Cottle
Dec. 31, 1891 (2-99)
C. C. Thompson.

William & Nancy France 1830,
 get 100 a. Guyan Co. (Part of.)
 Mary A. & William France
 appear in records 1840

William France	1821
Nancy "	1825
William "	1835
Henry (Seven Mile)	1868
James	1874 (Huntington)
Patience & Wm. H.	1858. (Ohio R.)

Will Bk 2 p 607 - Shows Wm H.
 France's Army discharge.

Will Bk 4 p. 434 - Shows James
 France's Will. 1903

Will Bk 8 p. 109 - Harvey M. Francis's Will. 1924.

" " 10 p 129 - G. W. France's Will. 1936

Deed Book 1 p. 226

Sept. 9, 1812, Asa and Rebecca
Booten, for \$180, deed to Daniel
France 345 acres on Beech Fork of
Twelve Pole River

"Beg two white oaks, standing
on the side of a hill, about
two hundred poles south west of
the said France's dwelling house,
and running N (no doubt)
E 190 poles, thence N 300 poles
to a white oak (the n may have
been a typist error) W 145 poles
S 9 E 32 to two beeches on the
bank of Beech Fork, thence
to Beg. (No guarantee)

Deed Bk. 2 p. 164.

Oct. 22, 1816, James and Elizabeth
Smith, of Cabell Co., for \$100, deeds
to Daniel France (Quit claim)

"one moiety of a survey of 200 a.
granted to the said James Smith
by the Commonwealth of Virginia
the 20th day of May, 1806

Req. at trees on the the
E. bank of said Beech Fork,
being the upper corner of the
land James Smith conveyed to
Asa Bowers

N 29 E. 94 poles

S 55 E 207 "

S 40 E 126 "

S 55 W 22 " on bank of ^{Fork} Beech

& down same by its meanders

435 poles to Req.

(Deed Book 4 p. 95, shows that
James Smith & wife were the
same as James Smith who
lived at mouth of Smith
Creek. They moved to Jackson
Co. O. in 1825 See also Bk 4 p. 96)

The Grantor index shows that
Daniel & Susannah France made
only two deeds

1. Deed Bk 2 p. 158

Oct. 22, 1816, Daniel & Susannah
France, for \$400, deed to Hugh
Bower, 100 a. on Beech Fork of
Twelve Pole

Beg. on E. bank of 12 Pole, being
 upper corner of the land James
 (and Elizabeth) Smith conveyed
 to Asa Rooten (Quitclaim)
 N. 29 E 94 poles
 S 56 E 207 "
 S 40 E 126, etc (See opposite
 page

Deed Book 3 p. 66.

Nov. 16, 1819, Daniel France
 of Christian Co., Ky., deeded to
 Jesse Adams of Cabell Co., for \$1⁰⁰,
 all his right & title to land
 situated at the mouth of Cave
 Creek "an east branch of the
 left hand fork of twelve pole"
 "which was granted to the said
 Daniel France by the Commonwealth
 of Virginia" June 10, 1813, 93a.
 by survey Aug. 29, 1812, & 243a
 "on the main left hand fork" of
 12 pole river, at the mouth of Kick
 Creek, by patent of Va., dated
 June 12, 1813. Surveyed Aug. 28, 1812,
 (See grants)

Deed Book 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ p 401 -

June 14, 1890, C. C. Lickey & wife
& Frank Lickey & wife; for
\$360, deed to Waller & Henry
France, on the N. side of
Long Branch, adjoining 110
a. for J. B. Bower

Bowen.

The Surveyors Rec. 1, shows
 no grants in Cabell County,
 to any Bowen until Oct 4, 1830,
 when Abner Bowen receives a
 grant (Surveyor's Rec. 1 p. ~~75~~²⁷⁷) 100 a
 Rec. 1 p. 504, Aderson Bowen
 takes up 25 a. | Alderson?

Hugh or Hughha Bowen and
 Aderson Bowen are the ~~only~~
 Bowens to whom deeds were
 made until 1838, John B. Bowen
 took a deed from Hughha Bowen,
 et al (Deed Bk 6 p. 581) for
 125 a. on Twelve Pole creek.

Most of these early deeds
 were located on Beech Fork
 or Twelve Pole.

After 1838, the grantees show
 the following in order
 Deed Bk 6 p. 585 - Jefferson B. Bowen
 " " 6 p. 587 - " "

Then Hugh Bowen, Aderson
 Bowen, Jefferson B. Bowen To 1857

Andrew J. and John Bowen,
Sarah C. & Vienna Bowen
1852

William Bowen 1852

Ezekiel " 1853

David & French " 1869

Llyke " 1870

Ann F. Jefferson B. et al 1873, etc.

Excepting Mary & Jaze
Bowen 1827, Hugh & Elizabeth
Bowen make all Bowen deeds
until 1840:

Wills etc

Abner Bowen's settlement is
only Bowen listed in will
books until 1900. See Will Bk p. 325
and 351. Jan. 3, 1846.

William Bowen, adminis-
trator presented to the Court
a sale bill dated Jan. 19, 1846.
Final settlement between
William A. Bowen and the
court was made Nov. 10, 1848.

Bowen marriages:

Nancy Bowen m. Isarah Adkins
 Dec. 26, 1822, Stephen Spurlock
 Zaza Bowen m. Mary Knight
 June 25, 1827 " "
 Joan Bowen m. Simpson Booten
 June 21, 1827 " "
 Alderson Bowen m. Ann Shelton
 Oct. 21, 1830 Burwell Spurlock

Jefferson B. Bowen m. Martha
 Ann Booten. Feb 22, 1838
 Burwell Spurlock

Eveline Bowen(?) m. George Mays
 Feb. 4, 1841 James Mitchell.

Elizabeth Bowen m. Lyman Addison
 July 13, 1848 Chas. Carroll.

William Bowen m. Adelaide Templeton
 March 13, 1845. Chas. Carroll

Jefferson B. Bowen ^{17 yrs.} Jr. m.
~~Adelgen~~ Angeline Swann 17 yrs.
 Sept. 15, 1853. Stephen S.
 (1-111)

25
 Rebecca Bowen (21) m. Francis

H. Houchins (24 rs.)

July 27, 1854 (2-1)

Chas Carroll.

Elyester J. Bowen m

Susan C. Houchins

1858 (2-6)

Mary E. Bowen to Franklin

David W. Franklin

1859 (2-7)

John L. Bowen to Hester Ann Swann

1860 (2-8)

See p. 90.

Isadore Bowen To W.A. Baumgardner
1873 (2-29)

Noah Bowen To Mary E. Chatterton
1876 (2-36)

Lucinda F. Bowen To Gabriel Bryan
1877 (2-37)
John F. Lambert

Laura Bowen to John W. Esque
Oct. 24, 1878 (2-41)
James W. Ramsey.

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Isabell Bowen To Shelby J. Swann
Nov. 13, 1879. 2-44
Geo. W. Carter.

John H. Bowen to Lavina A
Woodyard Jno. J. Lambert.
Dec. 25, 1880.