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**RISQUE**, James Beverly; b 1767; d 29 Nov 1843 **RU**: Captain, Aide-de-Camp, Brigadier General Joel Leftwich, 12th Brigade **GS**: Y **SP**: mar Eliza Kennerly, d 1809 **VI**: Served from 02 Sep 1814 to 01 Dec 1814, discharged at Endicott Mills, MD. Served in the rank of Major on the staff of General Andrew Jackson at the Battle of New Orleans and received Jackson at his house in Lynchburg after the War **P**: None **BLW**: No **PH**: N **SS**: A rec 16420 **BS**: 31.

**ROBINSON**, John; b 1769 d Dec 1832 **RU**: Sergeant, 53<sup>rd</sup> VMR, Capt James Dunningham, Artillery, Campbell County, attached to Cocke's Detachment vic James River **GS**: N **SP**: no spouse info **VI**: no further information **P**: No **BLW**: No **PH**: No **SS**: K pg 168, W pg 447 **BS**: 245.

**ROYALL**, Joseph: b UNK, d 24 Sep 1844 **RU**: Private, 53<sup>th</sup> VMR Capt James Dunningham's Co of Artillery, Campbell Co, attached to Cocke's Detachment vic James River, **SS**: L pg 691; W pg 447 **BS**: 245

**SAUNDERS**, James Turner; b 18 Jul 1791, Bedford Co; d 21 Jan 1864 **RU**: Surgeon, 7th VMR Lt Col David Saunders at Norfolk **GS**: U **SP**: mar in Greensville Co on 19 Nov 1823 to Ann Maria Rives, b 17 Jul 1805, d 23 Apr 1887, daughter of Nathaniel Rives & Elizabeth Rivers of Rockingham Co **VI**: University of Pennsylvania medical degree, tobacconist, member of State Convention of 1829-30. House of Delegates from Lynchburg. Son of Col David Saunders (b Hanover Co on Feb 1761, d 29 Sep 1842 at "Pleasant Grove", Bedford Co) **P**: Spouse **BLW**: No **PH**: N **SS**: A rec 10849; BD pg 1545 **BS**: 49.

**SAUNDERS**, William L; b 01 Aug 1798, d 01 Nov 1882 **RU**: Private, 10<sup>th</sup> VMR, Capt Joshua Early & LT Nicodemus Leftwich, Bedford County, attached to 3<sup>rd</sup> VMR (Dickinson) to Richmond to MD campaign **GS**: Y **SP**: mar 1) Sarah L (---); 2) Mary Shields Camm, b 16 Sep 1806, d 12 Feb 1886 **P**: William applied, Sarah received **BLW**: No **PH**: No **SS**: A rec 11089; BD pg 1546; M pg 276 **BS**: 245.

**SCRUGGS**, Benjamin Elliott: b 1795, d 28 Mar 1855; Private, 28<sup>th</sup> VMR Capt William C Scott's Co, Nelson County, attached to 8<sup>th</sup> VMR, (Walls), 4<sup>th</sup> Brigade at Camp Carter on James River **SP**: mar Emaline S Cabell, 1804, d 06 Jul 1885, daughter of Colonel Samuel Jordan Cabell **SS**: K pg 104; **BS**: 245

**TYREE**, Richard, Sr; b 1776; d 19 Nov 1852 **RU**: Private, 52nd VMR, Lt Thomas Tunstall, New Kent & Charles City Cos **GS**: Y **SP**: mar Mildred (----), d 27 Jul 1857, age 73 **P**: None **BLW**: No **PH**: N **SS**: L pg 787 **BS**: 207.

**WILLS**, John; b 21 Apr 1793, d 05 Jan 1853 **RU**: Corporal, in a company Bedford or Campbell counties attached to 5<sup>th</sup> VMR in Norfolk **GS**: Y **SP**: mar Mary R (----), b 19 Apr 1797, d 08 Oct 1877 **P**: No **BLW**: No **PH**: No **SS**: A rec 2094 **BS**: 245.

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