

13. George (John?) Patrick, born 1866; was an invalid and never married.

The above listing of John Patrick's children may be incomplete and may contain some duplications (two of the names may be for the same person instead of two individuals). The census listings were very confusing but were used as the main source for the names. An additional name is listed in John Patrick's estate - "Joab Patrick". This may be a nick name for one of the above listed children.

John Patrick was an active participant in the Indian wars in south Georgia and Florida. He enlisted June 8, 1836 at Columbus, Georgia in Capt. DeLaperriere's Company in Alford's Battn. of Georgia Mounted Volunteers (Creek War) and served until September 2, 1836. He was a member of Capt. Jackson Bird's Company of Mounted Volunteers. He was mustered in at Black Creek, Florida on Nov. 25, 1839 and was honorably discharged on May 14, 1840.

John served as a private in Captain Aaron Jernigan's Company of Georgia Mounted Militia . He was mustered in Nov. 6, 1840 at Trader's Hill, Georgia and honorably discharged May 31, 1841 at Fort Moniac, East Florida. He served in this company again from November 15, 1841 to November 30, 1841. William A. Williams and Thomas Williams were also members of this company.

In the mid or early 1840's, the Patrick family settled in Columbia County, Florida and then moved to the Orlando area in Orange County prior to 1850. They were listed there in the 1850 census along with Isaac & Mary Jernigan, Patsey Jernigan (age 75), Anna Patrick (age 53), Wright & Nella Patrick and others who had been living with them in Camden County, Georgia in 1840.



On January 11, 1851, John Patrick applied for bounty land based on his services during the Indian conflicts. His signature is from that application. He received warrant #23078 for 160 acres on March 7, 1853.

John Patrick served in Capt. Robert Bullocks' Company from March 10, 1857 until September 11, 1857. In 1860, John & family were enumerated in Brevard County but listed as living at Orlando in Orange County.

During the 1860's, John Patrick settled in Manatee County probably in the Fort Ogden area. In the 1870 census he was listed as residing in the Fort Thompson settlement along with Maxfield Whidden, Ephraim W. & Keziah Thompson, Daniel & Martha Stewart and Jesse & Mary Lee.

Manatee County Cattle Records 1873-1876 has a record of cattle for John Patrick dated January 7, 1873.

By 1880, the Patricks had moved back to Orange County, Florida. Mrs. Patrick stated in her pension papers that John Patrick died Nov. 25, 1887 at Orlando but Orange County probate records show that John died November 1886 and Linny Patrick was appointed administratrix of his estate on Jan. 11, 1887. The records provided a "full list of the heirs of the said John Patrick, deceased: J. J. Patrick, John N. Patrick, Joab Patrick, N. Patrick, Jessop Patrick, George Patrick, Ellen Gay and Rebecca Johns."

On November 21, 1892, at Arcadia, Mrs. Linnia Patrick applied for a widow's pension. She stated that she had no papers with her husband's signature. She had burned all his old papers some time ago as she had no place to keep them. She gave his description during his Indian war services as fair skin, fair complexion, yellow hair, yellow beard, pale blue eyes and height 5'8".

In the 1900 Orange County census, Linny Patrick was living with Andrew J. & Rebecca Johns and listed as "mother-in-law".