

## Families Named Jones

Adolphus—Edward—Nathaniel

### ADOLPHUS JONES

**A**dolphus Jones, son of Lewis and Jemima Jones, married Mary Huskey, a sister of Ibe Huskey. They now live off the sand clay road near Grassy Pond, a splendid family of singers and interested Baptists, beloved and respected by all who know the members.



### EDWARD JONES AND FAMILY

**E**dward Jones, the pioneer, came from Wales in 1742, and settled in Virginia. John, one of his boys, came and settled on Sandy Run creek, near Mooresboro, North Carolina. John had twelve children. Starling and Edward remained in North Carolina. The others went to Tennessee, and farther west. Starling is the father of Nathaniel Jones.



### NATHANIEL JONES AND FAMILY

**N**athaniel Jones, a son of Edward Jones, who emigrated from Wales in 1742 and settled in Virginia, married Anna Humphries, a daughter of Billy Humphries, and settled on the west prong of Surratt Creek. He was a farmer and was versed in weather lore. I had to pass through his yard on my way to school. I would often ask him when it was going to rain.

He would sometimes say, “I do not see any signs.”

Or again, “It will either rain or be thick cloudy in three days.”

“What are your signs?” I inquired.

“When you see those hazy clouds in the west, it will either rain or become cloudy in three days.”

He reared a fine family: Lewis, Fannie, Lucinda, Folly, Jonas, Cynthia, Memory and Rice. Lewis married Jemima Brooks. He was a member of the Fifth South Carolina Cavalry Volunteers. He died on the retreat of General Joe Johnston from Atlanta, Georgia, somewhere near Goldsboro, North Carolina. This was not known until recent years. However, his wife assumed the responsibility of the home and reared the children: Clarinda, Andrew, Jane, John, Adolphus, Sarah, Eunice, James and Hester. Clarinda married Marshall T. Davis and moved to Texas. They have six children. Andrew

married Martha Brooks. They have eight children. Jane married S. Austin Humphries. They have seven children. John married Sallie Huskey, daughter of James Huskey. Six children were in the family. Adolphus married Mary Humphries, daughter of Clairborne Humphries. They have seven children. Sarah married Ibe Husky. Twelve children came to them. Eunice married Robert Westbrook. They, with their ten children, live at Blacksburg, South Carolina. James married a Leona Mullins. They live in Gaffney, with their six children. Hester married Thomas Humphries, son of Clairborne Humphries.

