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From "The Archives of the Pioneers of Tazewell Co VA," ed. Netti Schreiner-Yantis, 1973, p268:.....:

The Enumeration of All Taxpayers 1801-1820 includes
JOHN FERRELL*

*Footnote from Swain, History of Logan Co WV, p74: "While the Guyandotte Valley was being settled w/ hardy pioneers from Montgomery & the territory that formerly belonged to that ancient county, the Tug Fork of Sandy was being peopled by those who had for a while paused in their march to the wilderness on the waters of the Clinch & the Holston. From the time of the building of the old Block House at the forks of Sandy, about the year 1789, frequent visits were made from the cabins on the frontier by daring hunters to their friends in the old fort, but there is no account of any settlement being made on the WV side of the river below the McDowell County line, until the year 1800, when Richard & John FERRELL, sons of Richard FERRELL, who was killed by the Indians in Thompson's Valley in 1780, settled on the farm where M. A. Ferrell now lives. RICHARD FERRELL, the youngest brother, married a MISS ROMAINS of Russell Co VA & was the father of 10 children, 6 sons & 4 daughters.

"His sons were WILLIAM, who m Mahala Tiller; JOHN R., who m Elizabeth Coleman; ELIJAH, who m Barbara Jackson; RICHARD, who m Letitia Eskew; EVANS, who m Martha Duty; & MOSES, who m Jane Lockhart.

"His daughters were RACHEL, who m William Tiller; REBECCA, who m Green Justice; ELIZABETH, who m Jacob Justice; & NANCY, who m Cumming Music...."
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Does anyone know WHO the above "MISS ROMAINS of Russell Co VA" would be, who married RICHARD FERRELL?

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