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Hi all and Jim, Jim, Linda forwarded your request to the list in the hopes that someone might be able to help you. I am afraid that I don't have too much more to add but thought I would at least toss it into the pot. > I haven't really tied in to the Romine family yet, I'm asking > other Romine Family researchers for help because of two > interesting affiliations: > > 1. Possible Connections to Russell County Virginia esp: 26 April 1816 > Will of George Francisco (poss. father of Elizabeth Francisco who married > Elijah Webb also of Russell Co) Witness' to will: > William & Richard Romine I have not done much research myself in Russell Co but have seen the record that you are referring to above. The difficulty is that at this same time period, there was a ROMAN family in Russell Co area also and at least the above name Richard may have belonged to that family and possibly William also. An 1815 property tax list for Russell Co lists the estate of William ROMAN of 220 acres "in the New Garden" as well as the property of William ROMINE with 350 acre on Indian Creek. The 1820 Census index gives us both a William ROMAN and a William ROMINE in Russell Co. About the time that you begin to wonder if the ROMINE fellows who witnessed the will of George Francisco might really be ROMANS, one notices that the third witness to that will was a Daniel HORTON. On 17 Oct 1842 a Mary REMINE witnessed the will of a Daniel HORTON, also in Russell Co. The name of Daniel HORTON ties to a David FANNING, who married, as a second husband, Lydia EMMONS, the probable widow of Syrenius EMMONS. I say probable because neither a death record for Syrenius nor a divorce decree has yet been found. Lydia's maiden name was ROMINE and she and Syrenius were married in Frederick Co, VA. A Samuel ROMINE obtained land in Russell Co on 26 Oct 1789 and more land in the Indian Creek area in 1791. This land was adjacent to Syrenius EMMONS as was some land that William ROMINE obtained in 1797. According to an earlier Romine researcher, Samuel and William or William H. Romine make numerous appearances in the court records of Russell Co from 1797 to 1828. I have not followed thru with that research at this point. Not desperate enough at this point, I guess. :) > -now the Romines I know moved to the area now known as Roane Co. WV > as did the Webbs and one Francisco circa 1845. So I see some sort of > connection and possibly may find related material within these families. > > 2. Benjamin F. Romine of Roane Co. marries Salina Riley, a dau of > George W. Riley and Louisa (Kitturah) Arnold. (abt 1870) George's > first wife Louisa is probably the daughter of James J. Arnold and > Theresa Board (of Harrison & Gilmer Co) however it has proven very difficult > to prove. So I am looking for any relation to Benjamin in hopes to find > any record of Salina's Mother. Of George & Louisa's 4 children (Louisa died > early -prior to 1850) my direct ancestor Theresa Riley (dau of George and > Louisa, sister to Salina) married Amos Kelley and her death > certificate lists her mother as "Kitty" and I need more than that to est. > the link. So I'm attempting to find all records concerning all of George's > four kids before his marriage to Elizabeth Nutt in 1850 in an effort to > establish that George's first wife Louisa is indeed the dau. of James J. > Arnold and Theresa Board. I have nothing on Benjamin F other than the abstract of his civil war pension claim. It does provide a little bit of information that may be helpful. Evidently the claim is difficult to read as Salina's name is given as "Statirah" Riley which may be an attempt at "Kitturah". One of the children is named Louisa K. "Statirah" as she is called died 2-10-1910. With that death date, you may be able to find a death record or an obituary which may help you learn the proper first name of her mother. Sorry I couldn't be more helpful.

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