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Alabama Marriages, 1800-1920

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Description:

Originally settled by the French around 1700, Alabama became the twenty-second state in 1819. This database is a collection of marriage records from the state between 1800 and 1920. Researchers will find the names of both bride and groom along with the marriage date. The county where the ceremony was performed is also provided. Containing about 150,000 records and the names of nearly 300,000 men and women, this collection can be a tremendous aid to those seeking ancestors from the area.

Originally posted to Ancestry.com in January of 1998 and taken from the original draft cards, this database provides information on a fraction of the men registered. This update, part of an ongoing project, adds over 200,000 names to the previously posted database and brings the total number of names provided to almost 900,000. It adds information on registrants from Alabama, Arkansas, Hawaii, Illinois, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New York, North Dakota, Oregon, and Vermont.

It should be noted that aliens were required to register but were not subject to induction into the American military. Persons already in the military did not register. Recent Italian emigrants wrote their last names first, resulting in some cards being filed under first names. Cards of Hispanics may be filed under their mother's maiden name surname if the registrant gave both parents' surnames. Also, men who resided in British territories sometimes listed themselves simply as British citizens without noting their origin in Canada, Australia, Ireland, Jamaica, etc. Illiterate men were unable to spell their names and birth location, so researchers should be quite flexible in searching for the spelling of names of illiterate men.

NOTE: This database, although providing information on only 3.75% of all men registered, represents approximately 10% of all counties nationwide. Researchers will find complete coverage of Alaska, Delaware, Idaho and Nevada and a good representation from Alabama, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Hawaii, Illinois, Kansas, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Mississippi, Nebraska, New York, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah and Vermont.

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Wesley Rainwater	Martin Elizabeth	16 Jan 1841	Washington	View Full Record
J. T. Rainwater	Rebecca Smith	07 Apr 1857	Washington	View Full Record

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J. H. Bryant	Sisan C. Rainwater	03 Oct 1886	Clay	View Full Record
F. M. Dawes	Sarah A. Rainwater	22 Mar 1885	Clay	View Full Record
* O. M. Roberts	Moletia Rainwater	18 Jan 1883	Fayette	View Full Record
Joseph M. Naal	Susanah J. Rainwater	18 Sep 1884	Fayette	View Full Record
J. H. Wimberly	Mary C. Rainwater	19 Jul 1888	Fayette	View Full Record
J. M. Lucas	Nettie J. Rainwater	26 Aug 1896	Fayette	View Full Record
M. G. Barnes	M. V. Rainwater	20 Jan 1898	Fayette	View Full Record
W. M. Roberts	M. J. Rainwater	27 Jan 1898	Fayette	View Full Record
* James A. Trimm	Mary M. Rainwater	05 Apr 1874	Lamar	View Full Record
L. P. Newman	H. E. Rainwater	01 Mar 1877	Lamar	View Full Record

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✖	John W. Rainwater	Sarah A. Neale	22 Jul 1869	Fayette	View Full Record
✖	Sr Miles Rainwater	Sarah E. Edwards	11 Jan 1888	Fayette	View Full Record
✖	Wiley Rainwater	L. J. Collins	04 Aug 1892	Fayette	View Full Record
	Daniel W. Rainwater	Yilma E. Atkins	25 May 1896	Fayette	View Full Record
	John H. Rainwater	W. B. Adkins	09 Dec 1896	Fayette	View Full Record
✖	William Rainwater	Jennie A. Sizemore	11 Jan 1877	Lamar	View Full Record
✖	M. Rainwater	Fannie Allen	08 Jan 1888	Lamar	View Full Record
✖	Charles M. Rainwater	Mary D. Stevens	21 Feb 1875	Lawrence	View Full Record
✖	William Rainwater	Elizabeth Lucas	15 Nov 1823	Marengo	View Full Record
✖	Green Rainwater	Hetty Haytt	04 Mar 1839	Washington	View Full Record

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* Walter A. Guin	Mary M. Rainwater	16 Oct 1884	Lamar	View Full Record
* S. H. Duckworth	Martha E. Rainwater	16 Nov 1884	Lamar	View Full Record
* S. R. Smith	Alice Rainwater	11 Nov 1888	Lamar	View Full Record
James Yarbrough	Mary Rainwater	25 Nov 1839	Lauderdale	View Full Record
James Hawkins	Rainwater Elizabeth	20 Feb 1839	Lawrence	View Full Record
John Y. Cooper	Martha E. Rainwater	07 Jun 1857	Lawrence	View Full Record
Jonathan Crow	Mary C. Rainwater	29 Jan 1861	Lawrence	View Full Record
George W. McKenzie	Caroline Rainwater	23 Jul 1848	Montgomery	View Full Record
Robert Boulton	Lucinda Rainwater	26 Jun 1832	Washington	View Full Record
George M. Smith	Lavena Rainwater	01 Jul 1835	Washington	View Full Record

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J. G. Peckering	Martha Rainwater	28 Dec 1845	Washington	View Full Record
Harmon A Bailey	E. J. Rainwater	05 Aug 1858	Washington	View Full Record
T. M. McKenzie	Julia Rainwater	27 Mar 1863	Washington	View Full Record
J. J. Richardson	Arbella Rainwater	29 Aug 1866	Washington	View Full Record
S. J. Collins	Mary Rainwater	27 Oct 1869	Washington	View Full Record
S. J. Collins	Mary Rainwater	27 Oct 1869	Washington	View Full Record
E. L. Williams	Maranda Rainwater	11 Jul 1870	Washington	View Full Record

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