PIONEERS AND RESIDENTS OF WEST CENTRAL ALABAMA PRIOR TO THE CIVIL WAR
Eli SWARINGEN was born in 1790 in South Carolina and was married to Charlotte ___, born in 1791 in South Carolina. They had no children listed, but lived in household #211 during the 1850 census of Marengo County, Alabama, with Franklin Tolbert, born in 1834 in Alabama. Next door (household #212) was Ruel Swearingen, born in 1801 in South Carolina, and Lucy A. Swearingen, born in 1802 in South Carolina.

William TABOR was born on 4 Jan. 1761 in Orange County, North Carolina and died on 4 June 1844 in Winston County, Mississippi. On 5 July 1781 in Rutherford County, North Carolina, he married Susannah Tubbs, born on 11 Oct. 1761, daughter of George Tubbs and Mary ___, and died on 31 Jan. 1852 in Winston County, Mississippi. A William Tabor who may have been a son of the above was on the 1830 census for Bibb County, age 50 to 60 years, with wife, age 30 to 40 years, and no children. In another place on that census, yet another William Tabor, age 70 to 80 years, with wife 60 to 70 years, and one female 20 to 30 years, one female under 5 years in the household. This was the William Tabor and Susannah Tubbs Tabor who later appeared in Winston County, Mississippi. From the pension record of William Tabor, Mississippi Agency Roll Certificate #6406, we find the list of eleven children of William and Susannah:

John - b 18 Apr. 1783.
Kerenhappy - b 23 Apr. 1795.
Nathan - b 3 Aug. 1797.
Nancy - b 8 Jan. 1800.
Malindy - b 23 Apr. 1803.
Elijah - b 26 Oct. 1805.
Susannah.
Mary.
Elizabeth.
Thomas L.

John F. TAGGART was born in 1808 in South Carolina and received a land patent in Pickens County on 12 Sept. 1828. He was married to Rebekah ___, born in 1813 in South Carolina. In household #646 during the 1850 census of Fayette County, Alabama, 16th Division, John and Rebekah lived with eleven children:

Elizabeth - b1831, AL.
Mary - b1833, IL.
Oliver - b1835, AL.
William - b1837, AL.
Moses - b1839, AL.
Hariet - b1841, AL.
David - b1843, AL.
Evilene - b1845, AL.
Andrew - b1846, AL.
Patrick - b1848, AL.
Casper - b1850, AL.

David M. TANNEHILL was born in 1825 in Alabama, probably the son of David Tannehill. He was married to Nancy ___, born in 1825 in