THE

CHEROKEE LAND LOTTERY,

CONTAINING

A NUMERICAL LIST OF THE NAMES OF THE FORTUNATE DRAWERS IN SAID LOTTERY,

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AND MAP OF ORIGINAL CHEROKEE COUNTY

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SHOWING THE BOUNDARIES (SHADED) OF THE
ORIGINAL CHEROKEE COUNTY
(CREATED IN 1831)
AND THE PRESENT BOUNDARIES OF THE
COUNTIES SUBSEQUENTLY FORMED FROM
ITS TERRITORY.

THE ORIGINAL CHEROKEE COUNTY

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The present publication consists of a reprint of "The Cherokee Land Lottery," by James F. Smith, which was originally published in 1838, with all the original maps and with the addition of a 105-page Index and Map of the original Cherokee County. As such, it constitutes the best edition we could possibly present of a work which lists the great majority of the early settlers of northwestern Georgia.

The upwards of 20,000 persons listed in this work were fortunate drawers in the last, 1832 or Sixth, Land Lottery for 160 acre grants in the original Cherokee County. The original Cherokee County was first divided into the counties of Cass (renamed Bartow), Cherokee, Cobb, Floyd, Forsyth, Gilmer, Lumpkin, Murray, Paulding and Union, and a small tract left over was added to Campbell County. Later divisions added the counties of Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Dawson, Fannin, Gordon, Milton (now part of Fulton), Pickens, Polk, Towns, Walker and Whitfield, and parts of Douglas and Haralson, to the list of counties formed from the original Cherokee County.

It should be noted that the maps of the Districts and Sections have legends which indicate the names of the original ten counties in which the lots were located, but in the drawing of the Lottery and in the granting of the land they were treated as in the original Cherokee County.

The information given in this work includes the names and residences of the fortunate drawers. In addition, the numbers preceding the names are keyed to the numbered lots in these maps, so that the searcher can easily refer to the exact area of the grant on the maps; the numbered lots on each map lead the searcher to a single name, so that the searcher can match a particular lot with a particular name. In many in-
stances, the basis for qualification is given in abbreviated form after the name (see the "Explanation of Abbreviations" which precedes the work).

Only the 1820, 1827, and 1832 Land and Gold Lotteries gave recognition to veterans of the Revolutionary War. Widows and orphans of the veterans, as well as the veterans themselves, were given two draws rather than one with the exception of the veterans who had been fortunate drawers in the previous Lotteries—they were not excluded as were other previous fortunate drawers, but were given only one draw. Widows, orphans, and wounded or disabled veterans of the War of 1812 and the Indian Wars were also given two draws. (For a description of the Land and Gold Lotteries including listings of qualifications for persons entitled to draw, see "Georgia Surveyor General Department," a pamphlet, available from: Georgia Surveyor General Department, Archives and Records Building, Atlanta, Georgia 30334).

The whole of the work, which was originally un-indexed, has been improved with the addition of a complete Index to all the names listed. The searcher after a particular name is advised to first consult the Index which begins on page 415 and ends on page 520. This index was compiled especially for our publication by the Genealogical Publishing Company, and it appears here for the first time in print.

The work as herewith offered was published in response to the great demand for the work by genealogical researchers, lawyers, librarians, and the general public, and its publication is part of our continuing program of making available basic genealogical reference works which are out of print.

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EXPLANATION OF ABBREVIATIONS.

sol., soldier.
s. i. w., soldier of Indian war.
s. l. w., soldier of late war.
r. s., revolutionary soldier.
sol. 1784–97, soldier between the years 1784 and 1797.
as. s., soldier by substitute.
m. s., militia soldier.
wid’r., widower.
w., widow.
w. r. s., widow of revolutionary soldier.
w. s. i. w., widow of soldier of Indian war.
w. s. l. w., widow of soldier of late war.
w. of sol., widow of soldier.
d. sol. l. w., daughter of soldier of late war.
b. d. l. w., husband died last war.
f. d. l. w., father died last war.
or., orphan.
ors., orphans.
mi., minor.
lun., lunatic.
id., idiot.
h. a., husband absent.
f. a., father absent.
h. of f., head of family.
d. and d., deaf and dumb.
(f.), fractional lots.
Cher., Cherokee.
b. m., by mother.
f. in p., father in penitentiary.
c. r., cross roads.

Note—All names marked * were granted previous to the first day of January, 1838.
166 Rachel Evenson, w. s. i. w., Seal's, Elbert.
167 John McCanless, Burnett's, Habersham.*
168 David Sanders, Latimer's, De Kalb.*
169 Buckner M'Daniel, Oliver's, Decatur.*
171 Thomas A. Billups's ors., 143d, Greene.
172 Gideon Broxon, Cannon's, Wilkinson.*
173 Patience Echols, w., Mason's, Washington.*
174 John H. Landing, Peterson's, Burke.*
175 Armstead Roberts, 702d, Heard.
176 Joseph Ashfield, 374th, Putnam.
177 James Brock, M. Brown's, Habersham.
178 Joseph Dean, 1st, Chatham.*
179 Nathan Hoyt, Athens, Clarke.
180 Edward Hughes, sol., Sanderlin's, Chatham.
181 Gideon Strange, s. 1. w., Dupree's, Washington.
182 John Giddens, 248th, Jackson.
183 Elizabeth Ingram, w., 605th, Taliaferro.
184 Abraham Herren, Gay's, Harris.
185 John Nutt, or., Maguire's, Morgan.
186 Jackson Kenny, 756th, Sumter.
187 John Holly, Mashburn's, Pulaski.
188 Lauchlin M'Currey, Kelly's, Elbert.
189 Travis Thigpen, or., Douglass's, Telfair.
190 George Wilson, Jones's, Habersham.*
191 John Harris, Say's, De Kalb.
192 Nathaniel Baker, 693d, Heard.*
193 Thomas S. Marshall, Newby's, Jones.
194 Abner Rainwater, 106th, Hancock.*
195 Enna Chandler, Stanfield's, Campbell.
196 Baker Wiggins, M'Culler's, Newton.*
197 Benjamin B. Clark, Dyer's, Habersham.
198 Peter P. Butler, Sen., Howell's, Elbert.*
199 Jacob T. Linder, Blackshear's, Laurens.
200 Elizabeth Mimms, or., Whipple's, Wilkinson.
201 William Ward's ors., 245th, Jackson.
202 Mark Turner, Gittens's, Fayette.*
203 Robert B. Houghton, Athens, Clarke.
204 Edward Lumpkin, Athens, Clarke.
205 William Davis, 417th, Walton.*
206 Solomon Segraves, Lawrence's, Pike.*
207 Thomas King, Hammond's, Franklin.
208 Stephen Swain, Swain's, Thomas.
209 William H. J. Chapman, Streetman's, Twiggs.
210 James Huey, Mobley's, De Kalb.
211 Theaford Satterfield, Jones's, Habersham.
212 John M'Dow, Rhodes's, De Kalb.
FIFTH DISTRICT, THIRD SECTION, CHEROKEE.

1 John Holcombe, s. i. w., White's, Franklin.
2 John Silas, Stewart's, Warren.
3 William A. Swift, Hampton's, Newton.
4 William Peddy, s. l. w., 693d, Heard.
5 William Blair, Jr., Phillips's, Monroe.
6 James Butler, 20th, Bryan.
7 Thomas B. Hawes, Show's, Muscogee.
8 Mary M'Clain, w. r. s., Tower's, Gwinnett.
9 Jesse Brown, Young's, Wilkinson.
10 William Faris, 404th, Gwinnett.
11 Portick Gray, Butts's, Monroe.
12 William Combs, Bryan's, Monroe.
13 Rebecca Huskey, w., Campbell's, Wilkes.
14 Nathan S. Dorough, Simmons's, Crawford.
15 Benjamin Tison, Newman's, Thomas.
16 Micajah Simmons, Silman's, Pike.
17 Allen J. Rigsby, Watson's, Marion.
18 William A. Fuller, Moley's, De Kalb.
19 Mary Indson, w., Martin's, Hall.
20 Billington S. Worthy, 2d section, Cherokee.
21 C. Hamilton, w. r. s., Peterson's, Montgomery.
22 William T. Howard, Bragaw's, Oglethorpe.
23 Thomas Higgins, sol., Reid's, Gwinnett.
24 Nancy Morris, w., Hart's, Jones.
25 Ambrose Day, 320th, Baldwin.
26 Drury Towns's two orphans, 140th, Greene.
27 William Russell, 7th Peurifoy's, Henry.
28 Stephen Ford, Bailey's, Laurens.
29 Hezekiah Anderson's ors., 36th, Scriven.
30 William Blankinship, Sewell's, Franklin.
31 Thomas B. Lyons, Hood's, Henry.
32 Isom Harris's ors., Dawson's, Jasper.
33 Garrett Oglesby, Hinton's, Wilkes.
34 John Shaddix, Evans's, Fayette.
35 Samuel Jenkins's ors., Peterson's, Burke.
36 William Head, Sen., Hopsen's, Monroe.
37 Thomas J. Clark, Canning's, Elbert.
38 Joel Holcombe, s. l. w., Martin's, Newton.
39 Thomas Dick, sol., Whipple's, Wilkinson.
40 John Rainwater, 142d, Greene.
41 Elizabeth Gilmore, or., Martin's, Hall.
210 Joseph B. Hunt, Fenn's, Clarke. *
211 Jeremiah S. Tucker, Phillips's, Jasper.
212 Luke Johnson, Collins's, Henry. *
213 William Edge, Whitehead's, Habersham. *
214 Yancey R. M'Vey, Dilmoff's, Pulaski. *
215 George W. Roberts, Folsom's, Lowndes. *
216 Lewis Packer, 555th, Upson. *
217 Thomas J. Johnson, sol., Marsh's, Thomas. *
218 Connaway's three orphans, Hargrove's, Newton. *
219 Charles T. Power, Smith's, Madison. *
220 Robert G. Gilmer, Howard's, Oglethorpe. *
221 Claiborn Osborn, Loveless's, Gwinnett. *
222 David Thompson, Sen., sol., 249th, Walton.
223 Philip Cook, sol., M'Gehee's, Troup. *
224 John C. Hamilton, Candler's, Bibb.
225 Pledge Price, Sparks's, Washington.
226 Isaac Justus, Ellis's, Rabun.
227 Benjamin Hill's ors., M'Clain's, Newton.
228 Elisha Perryman, Jr., sol., Perryman's, Warren.
229 Allen Reaves, Nichols's, Fayette.
230 Augustus W. Tipper, Peurifoy's, Henry.
231 Jacob Swearingen, 516th, Dooly. *
232 Witt R. Smith, 295th, Jasper.
233 Enoch Jackson, Watson's, Marion.
234 Aram Bailey, Burk's, Stewart.
235 Edmund Pryor, or., 69th, Burke.
236 Joseph Byars, Dearing's, Butts.
237 James Dixon, 1st, Chatham.
238 David Boland, Hines's, Coweta.
239 Jane Goolsby, or., Guice's, Oglethorpe.
240 Elias Allison, Sen., sol., 278th, Morgan.
241 James J. Dooly, Bell's, Columbia.
242 Joseph A. Wishard, Hitchcock's, Muscogee. *

243 John Rainwater, 142d, Greene. *

244 Frederic Pope, Martin's, Laurens.
245 James Hubbard, 149th, Greene.
246 Henry Matthews, Parham's, Harris.
247 Samuel Hall, Hill's, Baldwin. *
248 Chappell's three orphans, 454th, Walton.
249 Matthew Warnock, Rhodes's, De Kalb. *
250 James Lindsey, or., Strickland's, Meriwether. *
251 Edward Brown, Groce's, Bibb. *
252 David Carter, Morrison's, Appling. *
253 Elijah Perth, Trout's, Hall. *
254 John T. Thornton, Gay's, Harris. *
255 James Echols, Loven's, Henry. *
256 James Powell, Candler's, Bibb. *
23 Francis M’Waters, M’Culler’s, Newton.*
24 Joshua Rainwater, Burgess’s, Carroll.*
25 Lewis Johnson, Gibson’s, Decatur.
26 Thomas Clark’s ors., Edwards’s, Franklin.*
27 Ann Leslie, w., Sullivan’s, Jones.
28 (fr.) Jeremiah M. Williams, Griffin’s, Fayette.
29 (fr.) Cullen Cowart, 49th, Emanuel.
30 Irby Gilder, Britt’s, Randolph.*
31 William Smith, Waltze’s, Morgan.*
32 Jacob Little, 687th, Sumter.
33 John Gray’s ors., Russell’s, Henry.*
34 Jacob Beck, M’Gehee’s, Troup.*
35 William Pitts, Kellum’s, Elbert.*
36 Mary Smith, w. r. s., Newsom’s, Warren.
37 Silas S. Baker, Dyer’s, Habersham.
38 Benjamin Long, Herndon’s, Hall.*
39 Joseph McBrayer, Mullen’s, Carroll.*
40 James Gilmer, Sen., r. s., Martin’s, Hall.*
41 David C. Rosie, Few’s, Muscogee.
42 Cyrus W. Cotton, Allen’s, Bibb.*
43 Thomas C. Brown, 106th, Hancock.
44 Seaborn J. Weaver, Hines’s, Coweta.*
45 Anderson Barrett, 249th, Walton.*
46 William Stotsberry, or., Valleau’s, Chatham.
47 Nancy Richardson, w., Adams’s, Columbia.
48 John Holder, Reid’s, Gwinnett.*
49 Harman Kirkpatrick, Hargrove’s, Newton.*
50 Livingston Gaines’s ors., 365th, Jasper.
51 William Gibson’s ors., 588th, Upson.
52 Hardy Pace, sol., Harris’s, De Kalb.
53 (fr.) Elizabeth Lane, w., Stanton’s, Newton.
54 (fr.) Mary H. Brown, w., 1st, Chatham.*
55 James Edmondson, M’Craney’s, Lowndes.
56 Job Bird, Morgan’s, Madison.*
57 Jane Jones, w., Young’s, Wilkinson.*
58 John A. Bachelor, or. of Eli, 454th, Walton.
59 John Hare, Pounds’s, Twiggs.*
60 Quiley Taylor, Clinton’s, Campbell.
61 James Brown, Graves’s, Lincoln.*
62 Thomas C. Weekley, Edwards’s, Talbot.*
63 Charles H. Rice Houston, Candler’s, Bibb.
64 John U. Fletcher, Huey’s, Harris.*
65 (fr.) William Mecombs, Mimms’s, Fayette.
66 (fr.) Robert Hamilton, Hamilton’s, Hall.
67 Milley Coleman, 72d, Burke.*
68 Owen F. Jackson, 672d, Harris.
69 Thomas Brice, Daniel’s, Hall.