

John Dowling

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Born: 15 Jan 1782 Jeffries Creek, Darlington, South Carolina

Married: 13 Feb 1812 Susan Barnes

Died: 16 Feb 1866 in Brunson, Hampton, South Carolina, United States

Parents: James Dowling & Mary Boutwell

Occupation:
Farming

Family:
Wife:
Susan Barnes

Children:
James
Rennie
William
Hester
John
Julia
Terry
Mary
Oliver
Eliza

JAMES'S THIRD SON, JOHN JABEZ

(See Chart 323 and 101)

After such fine fighting as that done by WILLIAM, JAMES, JOHN, and father ROBERT had caused the capitulation of Cornwallis at Yorktown in 1781 . . . these Dowlings returned to their farms and the rural life that each followed. It was the following January 15th that JAMES'S third child was born there in the Jeffries Creek area of the sovereign state of South Carolina. JAMES and mother Mary Boutwell Dowling named him JOHN JABEZ.

During the second war with the British JOHN JABEZ married, February 13, 1812. Bride Susan Barnes was the daughter of Theophilus Barnes and a Sauls mother. She was twenty-one when she married JOHN JABEZ, having been born March 4, 1786, in Prince William Parish, South Carolina.

As previously mentioned, mother Mary Boutwell Dowling had left Darlington District after the death of husband JAMES. Neither of the sons' ages shown on her 1810 Barnwell District census fit the age of son JOHN JABEZ. So the family tradition which tells of JOHN JABEZ'S arrival in Beaufort District as early as 1807 is probably correct. It was there that his marriage to Susan occurred. And it was there, near today's town of Brunson, South Carolina, that this couple raised the five boys and five girls shown on Chart 323 . . . Great-great-grandchildren still inhabit the area.

JOHN JABEZ was a meticulous person. He believed so much in orderliness that during one period of his life he kept servants on the look-out for any leaves that might fall in the Dowling yard; they were to pick them up instantly and take them back of the barn where they

belonged! Religious services were attended by this patriarch in a silk, broadcloth suit and top-hat. Still . . . there was a spirit of rebelliousness in him; when past sixty, he went off to the Mexican War! (Earlier, he had fought in the War of 1812 as a soldier in Lowe's Company of Colonel Youngblood's Regiment.) JOHN JABEZ and Susan are buried in the Dowling Cemetery near Brunson, South Carolina.

SCHEDULE I.—Free Inhabitants in *Prince William Parish* in the County of *Westchester* State of *North Carolina* enumerated by me, on the *15th* day of *September* 1850. *Thomas Young and Ass't Marshal*

Dwellings numbered in the order of visitation.	Families numbered in the order of visitation.	The Name of every Person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1850, was in this family.	DESCRIPTION.			Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each Male Person over 15 years of age.	Value of Real Estate owned.	Place of Birth. Naming the State, Territory, or County.	Mental within the year. Attended School within the year. Was never in a school.			Whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, pauper, or convict.
			Age.	Sex.	Color, (black, or mulatto.)				10	11	12	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		<i>Claborn Brunden</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>m</i>								
		<i>Martha</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>f</i>								
<i>61</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>Blair Brunden</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>	<i>180</i>	<i>W. Va.</i>			<i>1</i>	
		<i>Cliza</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>f</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>William</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>m</i>								
		<i>Ursula</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>f</i>								
		<i>Robert</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>m</i>								
		<i>James</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>m</i>								
		<i>Wagon</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>m</i>								
<i>61</i>	<i>61</i>	<i>John Harris</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>		<i>S. C.</i>			<i>1</i>	
		<i>John</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>m</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>John</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>m</i>								
		<i>William</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>m</i>								
		<i>Ann Harris</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>f</i>							<i>1</i>	
<i>62</i>	<i>62</i>	<i>John Dowling</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>S. C.</i>			<i>1</i>	
		<i>Susannah</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>f</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>Rebecca</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>f</i>								
		<i>John</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>						
		<i>Robert</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>					<i>1</i>	
		<i>Perry</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>					<i>1</i>	
		<i>Julia</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>f</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>Wagon</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>f</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>Cliza</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>f</i>							<i>1</i>	
<i>63</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>William Dowling</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>		<i>S. C.</i>			<i>1</i>	
		<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>f</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>Victoria</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>f</i>								
<i>64</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>William Seasholtz</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Planter</i>	<i>150</i>	<i>S. C.</i>			<i>1</i>	
		<i>Catharine</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>f</i>								
		<i>Charles</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>m</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>Mark</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>m</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>Sarah</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>f</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>John</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>m</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>Margella</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>f</i>								
		<i>George</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>m</i>								
		<i>Lawrence</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>m</i>								
<i>65</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>Thosophilus Carley</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Planter</i>	<i>750</i>	<i>S. C.</i>	<i>1</i>			
		<i>Wagon</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>f</i>						<i>1</i>		
		<i>Wagon Ann</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>f</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>Alfred</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>m</i>							<i>1</i>	
		<i>Fredrick</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>m</i>								
<i>66</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>Michael Rivers</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Planter</i>	<i>1800</i>	<i>S. C.</i>			<i>1</i>	
		<i>Ann</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>f</i>								

1850 Census
 John Dowling, wife Susan
 Daughter, Hester married by now