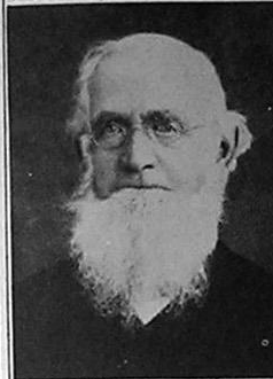


PIONEERS

(Continued from Page 3)
 et. at Mont. for some years, being also an apothecary with a squatter claim on Rancho Corralitos '57 from which he was dispossessed '60. At Sta Bar. in later years.

TAYLOR, Joseph Powell

Memb. Co. A Mormon bat. '47; aged 40 years in Paj. poll list '68.

TAYLOR, Deacon Nelson

B in Trumansburg, Thompkins co., NY, April 12 '11, educated in dist. schools until age 14 when he learned the tanner's trade under his father. With \$6 in his pocket at age 21, he started out on his own to Ohio to accept a job as teacher; took a further course of study at Milan academy, Ohio, then returned to teaching in Mich. and NY; kept a book store for a time, working as book-keeper on the side, clerking in Lima, Ind., when the gold fever turned his face westward. In the fall of '49 he started for SF via Panama, reaching his destination Feb. 21 '50. After a disgusting mining experience, Deacon Taylor settled in Sta Cruz as a farmer for several years, taking charge of Anthony's store when the latter went east, married Miss Frances E. Robbins Oct. 21 '57, candidate for county clerk this year, for county treasurer '59, elected assessor '61 continuing in this office to '71 when he declined to run again for public office. His farm was located adjacent to that of R. H. Sawin until '86 when he sold out and moved to Highland ave. His wife b '18 died '97. He followed her the next year. Their child: Herbert N. (1859-1927) and Frances H. (1861-1941) did not marry. He was related to A. A. Taylor, editor of the Surf.

TESCHEMACHER, F. H.

Clerk and super cargo of Boston trading craft '42-8; owner of SF lots and res. of that place (?) from '46; claimant of Lupyomi rancho, Napa, '52; doing something in Santa Cruz '57. He was afterwards elected mayor of SF, still living there '85.

THOMAS, Elijah

'47, with Co. B Mormon bat.; aged 42 at Corralitos '68; at Leeds, Utah, '82.

WADE, Edward

Several of this name were in the NY vols or Mormon bat. '46-7. This man, lessee of one of Graham's mills '50, died at Zayante in April '51.

TANNER, Albert Mills

'47, with Co. E Mormon bat.; perhaps Anthony Tanner ment. at Corralitos from '61; farmer and peace officer; aged 40 years at Corralitos '68.

THOMPSON, James

'47, no less than three were among the military units of this year. One was living in Sta Cruz '53. Several of a similar name were living in the Pajaro valley in the '60s.

FORUM

Letters are welcomed, but opinions expressed not binding on RPTIDE. Keep them brief as possible, in the interest of fairness, signed. Names will be withheld upon request.

Editor, Riptide:

On behalf of the Bancroft Library of the University of California, I wish to thank you for your generosity in providing us with two copies of *Riptide*, 22:43 dated October 19, 1950, and to congratulate you on an admirable and painstaking compilation.

You will, I believe, be interested to know that both copies are being bound as separates and cataloged under two different headings so that the fullest possible use may be made of them. In addition, we have just completed a card file made up of the name entries for inclusion in our extensive information file; it is fully expected that your labors will bear fruit so far as our many and varied reference problems are concerned.

Please accept again my thanks for a job well done.

Very sincerely yours,
 GEORGE P. HAMMOND
 Director, Bancroft Library.

Editor Riptide:

Thanks for your note regarding date of birth of my grandfather, James King. Noticed that the article in "Riptide" stated that James King died unmarried. As a matter of fact, he was married and had 3 daughters, the youngest of which, Lily King, was born at Saratoga, California, while they were enroute from Missouri to the Santa Cruz mountains where they settled on King's Creek and where they lived until the '70 when the home on Locust street in the village, now City, of Santa Cruz, was built. My mother, the former Lily King, was married in Santa Cruz in 1883 to W. E. James. She was an artist and a charter member of the Santa Cruz Art Society and died December 19, 1936.

I will be pleased to be enrolled with the "Old Timers" Association inasmuch as I was born Sept. 15, 1884 in the old home on Locust street, which home is still in my possession. After 2 years in the army during World War I, I was City Engineer and Supt. of Streets in Santa Cruz for several years and have since been with the California State Division of Highways.

With best regards, I am,

very truly yours
 JAMES K. JAMES

510 S Court Street
 Visalia, California.

Editor, Riptide:

Is it at all possible to purchase (2) two copies of your Riptide issue — Vol. 22 — No. 43 — dated Oct. 19, 1950 in which you made this issue of Santa Cruz Pioneers?

It is very remarkable to me that your research person was able to accumulate as much or many facts as they have. We marvel at that. I am interested particularly in the Elon C. Peck and Mattison family. Neither article is complete — but whoever compiled the data, is to be complimented. I happen to be a granddaughter of E. G. Peck, daughter of Clarence W. Peck. However, this is immaterial. Please advise if I may purchase 2 copies of the above edition.

Sincerely,
 LOIS C. CARLSON
 3022 Revere Ave.,
 Oakland 5, Calif.

BICYCLE OUTING

Accompanied by their den mother and father, Virginia and Kerle Wilson, and Den Chief Jim Hocom, eleven members of den 5 of Cub Scout pack 25 enjoyed an Armistice day bicycle outing and weenie roast at covered bridge grounds of DeLaveaga park. Participants were Reynolds Christiansen, Melville White, Bobby Bliss, Joe Pickerill, Buddy Miles, Charles Lass, Bobby Hildie, Lloyd Timmons, Geri Gatlin, Jackie Wilson and Tisha Lass.