

Family Group Sheet

Husband: John Wheeler

Born: Abt. 1700
Married: Abt. 1730
Died: Unknown

in: Virginia
in: Virginia
in: Buckingham, VA



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Cary, Henry, Captains State : VA
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Location : Virginia
Year : 1624

Marriage Notes

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CHILDREN

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| M | Died: 1823 | in: Madison County, KY | |
| | Married: Abt. 1768 | in: Virginia | |
| | Spouse: Hannah | | |

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Individual: Wheeler, Benjamin

County/State: Madison Co., KY

Page #: 237

Year: 1810

Age ranges in household: 01001-0010102

Family Group Sheet

Census Index: U.S. Selected Counties, 1820

Wheeler, Benjamin State : KY
 County : Madison Co.
 Year : 1820
 Page # : 168

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|------------|--|---|---|
| 3 M | Name: Archelaus Wheeler, Sr. Born: Abt. 1745 Died: 1831 Married: Abt. 1775 Spouse: Mildred ? | in: Buckingham County, VA in: Adair County, KY in: Virginia | -- 8 1820 Census -- 10 1820 Census -- 12 1820 Census -- 14 1820 Census -- 16 1820 Census -- 18 1820 Census -- 20 1820 Census -- 22 1820 Census -- 24 1820 Census -- 26 1820 Census -- 28 1820 Census -- 30 1820 Census -- 32 1820 Census -- 34 1820 Census -- 36 1820 Census -- 38 1820 Census -- 40 1820 Census -- 42 1820 Census -- 44 1820 Census -- 46 1820 Census -- 48 1820 Census -- 50 1820 Census -- 52 1820 Census -- 54 1820 Census -- 56 1820 Census -- 58 1820 Census -- 60 1820 Census -- 62 1820 Census -- 64 1820 Census -- 66 1820 Census -- 68 1820 Census -- 70 1820 Census -- 72 1820 Census -- 74 1820 Census -- 76 1820 Census -- 78 1820 Census -- 80 1820 Census -- 82 1820 Census -- 84 1820 Census -- 86 1820 Census -- 88 1820 Census -- 90 1820 Census -- 92 1820 Census -- 94 1820 Census -- 96 1820 Census -- 98 1820 Census -- 100 1820 Census |
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Bedford County Order Books give several interesting records of the Wheelers of Bedford County. Archelaus is qualified as Constable and Deputy Sheriff in 1787. (Order Book 9, pages 33 and 36.)

There are numerous other court records in which Archelaus was participant.

Archelaus witnessed a deed dated 13 June 1789 of land purchased by James Wheeler of James Payne for 30 acres on branches of Beaver Dam Creek. The deed was recorded 28 February 1791. This James Wheeler is also believed to be from Buckingham County and possible a nephew, who was the son of Charles Wheeler, Sr. of Buckingham.

Archelaus moved prior to 1800 to Kentucky. A History of Garrard County, Kentucky and Its Churches by Judge Forrest Calico states on page 209 that Archibald Wheeler was living on Paint Lick Creek before 1800.

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In 1792 he is on the tax list of John Adams (Kentucky Historical Society Register, Volumn 23, page 124.)

In 1796 he is said to have removed to Green County on a delinquent tax list by the Sheriff of Madison County, Kentucky. (The Kentucky Researcher, Volumn 3, March 1965, page 5.)

Adair County was fromed from Green County, Kentucky in 1801. Archelaus is found on Census records in that county from 1800-1830.

The will of Archaleus is recorded in Will Book C, page 545 of Adair County. The will, not dated, was proven 3 January 1831, by witnesses John Butler, David Shields and John Smith.

WILL OF ARCHELUS WHEELER:

"I, Archelus Wheeler of Adair County, State Of Kentucky, being of sound mind and memory. I do make this my last will and testament in form following that in this day. I desire that so much of my personal estate be sold as will pay and satisfy all my debts and funeral expenses, that may come against me or may occur at my death.

2ndly: After the payments of my debts and funeral expenses I give to my wife, Mildred Wheeler all of my estate whatsoever kind, have during her natural life.

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5thly: I appoint my wife Mildred Wheeler and my son William Wheeler my executors of my last will and testament hereby revoking all other or former wills and testaments by me heretofore made.

In witness hereof I have set my hand and affixed my seal this ____ day in the year _____."

John Butler, David Shields, John Truth

Kentucky, Adair County

Adair County court begun and held for county aforesaid on Monday the 3rd day of January 1831. The last will and testament of Archelaus Wheeler, deceased, was produced in court proven by the oaths of David Shields & John Butler subscribing witness thereto & ordered to be recorded, and on the motion of Mildred Wheeler (widow and relict of said Archelaus Wheeler) and William Wheeler the executors therein named, the executors thereof is granted they having executed & acknowledged bond in the penal sum of two hundred and forty dollars with Samuel Wheeler and Jacob Bur___ their security conditioned as the law directs; and taken the oath required by law.

Teste: Geo. A. Caldwell, District Clerk

Individual: Wheeler, Archibald

County/State: Adair Co., KY

Page #: 15

Year: 1810

Age ranges in household: 00101-1230100

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The deed must have been filed at a later time in Prince Edward County in 1795.

John Butler witnessed the will of Archelaus

Without proof it seems to this researcher that Mildred Wheeler may have been a Butler.

John Butler was also from Buckingham, VA and came to Kentucky in the same Adair County.

A tombstone in Adair County was erected later showing the middle name of Archelaus Butler Wheeler, Jr. and grandson John Butler Wheeler.

Census Index: U.S. Selected Counties, 1810

Butler, John State : KY

County : Adair Co.

Year : 1810

Page # : 4

Age ranges in household : 01010-2210001

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|---|----------------------|--------------|
| 4 | Name: Samuel Wheeler | |
| M | Born: Unknown | in: Virginia |
| | Died: Unknown | |

Notes

A Samuel Wheeler appears in Cumberland court records early with others from Buckingham, Virginia.

Cumberland County Order Books 1762 -1764 page 171.

Family Group Sheet

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|-----------------|--|
| Husband: | John Wheeler |
| Born: | Abt. 1700 |
| in: | Virginia |
| Source: | Estimate from Virginia Land Patent, 1745 |
| Died: | Unknown |
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| Born: | Unknown |
| in: | Virginia |
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| Born: | Abt. 1735 |
| in: | [UNKNOWN] |
| Source: | Wheeler Cousins by Jodia Whitten |
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Bedford County Order Books give several interesting records of the Wheelers of Bedford County. Archelaus is qualified as Constable and Deputy Sheriff in 1787. (Order Book 9, pages 33 and 36.)

There are numerous other court records in which Archelaus was participant.

Archelaus witnessed a deed dated 13 June 1789 of land purchased by James Wheeler of James Payne for 30 acres on branches of Beaver Dam Creek. The deed was recorded 28 February 1791. This James Wheeler is also believed to be from Buckingham County and possible a nephew, who was the son of Charles Wheeler, Sr. of Buckingham.

Archelaus moved prior to 1800 to Kentucky. A History of Garrard County, Kentucky and Its Churches by Judge Forrest Calico states on page 209 that Archibald Wheeler was living on Paint Lick Creek before 1800.

In 1792 he is on the tax list of John Adams (Kentucky Historical Society Register, Volumn 23, page 124.)

In 1796 he is said to have removed to Green County on a delinquent tax list by the Sheriff of Madison County, Kentucky. (The Kentucky Researcher, Volumn 3, March 1965, page 5.)

Adair County was formed from Green County, Kentucky in 1801. Archelaus is found on Census records in that county from 1800-1830.

Family Group Sheet

The will of Archaleus is recorded in Will Book C, page 545 of Adair County. The will, not dated, was proven 3 January 1831, by witnesses John Butler, David Shields and John Smith.

WILL OF ARCHELUS WHEELER:

"I, Archelus Wheeler of Adair County, State Of Kentucky, being of sound mind and memory. I do make this my last will and testament in form following that in this day. I desire that so much of my personal estate be sold as will pay and satisfy all my debts and funeral expenses, that may come against me or may occur at my death.

2ndly: After the payments of my debts and funeral expenses I give to my wife, Mildred Wheeler all of my estate whatsoever kind, have during her natural life.

3rdly: I desire that after the death of my wife Mildred that my land shall be sold to the highest bidder and the money arising from the sale of my land be divided as follows: To my son William Wheeler I give one-half, and the other half to be equally divided between my three sons as follows: Archelus Wheeler, Allen Wheeler and Samuel Wheeler.

4thly: I Desire that the remaining part of my personal estate which was left after paying my debts and funeral expenses shall be sold and the money arising to be equally divided between my three daughters (or they may divide the property as they choose) (viz): Nancy Dabney, Mildred Wade, and Polly Grimes. The balance of my children having received from me a full portion heretofore.

5thly: I appoint my wife Mildred Wheeler and my son William Wheeler my executors of my last will and testament hereby revoking all other or former wills and testaments by me heretofore made.

In witness hereof I have set my hand and affixed my seal this ____ day in the year _____."

John Butler, David Shields, John Truth

Kentucky, Adair County

Adair County court begun and held for county aforesaid on Monday the 3rd day of January 1831. The last will and testament of Archelaus Wheeler, deceased, was produced in court proven by the oaths of David Shields & John Butler subscribing witness thereto & ordered to be recorded, and on the motion of Mildred Wheeler (widow and relict of said Archelaus Wheeler) and William Wheeler the executors therein named, the executors thereof is granted they having executed & acknowledged bond in the penal sum of two hundred and forty dollars with Samuel Wheeler and Jacob Bur___ their security conditioned as the law directs; and taken the oath required by law.

Teste: Geo. A. Caldwell, District Clerk

Individual: Wheeler, Archibald

County/State: Adair Co., KY

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Age ranges in household: 00101-1230100

Individual: Wheeler, Arch, Sr.

County/State: Adair Co., KY

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Year: 1820

In the Photo Album is a copy of Taxpayer records of the Wheelers in Buckingham County, -- Charles Wheeler Sr, and Charles Wheeler, Jr. and James Wheeler. In Bedford County you will find Archelaus (who sold land to David Coupland in Buckingham County) and Benjamin Wheeler who was also from Buckingham County.

Tax year for Bedford is 1782 as well as Buckingham Counties. Number in first column is Poll tax for individuals; second column is for slaves.

Also a copy of tax record showing David Coupland, taxpayer in Buckingham County, who purchased the land of Archelaus in Buckingham.

The deed must have been filed at a later time in Prince Edward County in 1795.

Family Group Sheet

John Butler witnessed the will of Archelaus

Without proof it seems to this researcher that Mildred Wheeler may have been a Butler.
John Butler was also from Buckingham, VA and came to Kentucky in the same Adair County.

A tombstone in Adair County was erected later showing the middle name of Archelaus Butler Wheeler, Jr. and grandson John Butler Wheeler.

Census Index: U.S. Selected Counties, 1810

Butler, John State : KY

County : Adair Co.

Year : 1810

Page # : 4

Age ranges in household : 01010-2210001

Marriage Notes

Family Group Sheet

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| Child: | Samuel Wheeler |
| Born: | Unknown |
| in: | Virginia |
| Died: | Unknown |
| Relationship with Father: | John Wheeler - Natural |
| Relationship with Mother: | Unknown - Natural |

Notes

A Samuel Wheeler appears in Cumberland court records early with others from Buckingham, Virginia.

Cumberland County Order Books 1762 -1764 page 171.

Marriage Notes