

PENTICOST, GEORGE WASHINGTON - Arrived in Texas in January, 1829, as is shown in the headright certificate issued to him by the Fort Bend County Board February 1, 1838 for one-third of a league of land. His father, George S. Penticost, died in Fort Bend County in November, 1841, leaving the following children living in that county: Lucy, Mary, George Washington, James, Donley and William Walter Penticost.

In Service Record No. 64 it is stated that George W. Penticost served in the army from March 18 to June 18, 1836. For this he received Bounty Certificate No. 1000 for 320 acres of land, January 14, 1852. He was a member of Captain Thomas H. McIntire's Company at San Jacinto and on May 25, 1838 he received Donation Certificate No. 206 for 640 acres of land for having participated in the battle. He was a member of Captain W. H. Secrest's company of "Washington Cavalry" from June 19 to September 19, 1836, and for this service he was on July 5, 1841 was issued Bounty Certificate No. 9824 for 320 acres of land.

Mr. Penticost was never married. He was living in Fort Bend County, April 6, 1849. After his death, the date of which is not known to the compiler, he was buried in the Brown Cemetery on Big Creek about fifteen miles south of Richmond, Ft. Bend County.

Susan Penticost, sister of George W. Penticost, was married to Jeff Howard and resides in Richmond.

James Penticost had a son, Sam Penticost, who married a Miss Wheat, both deceased. Two of their children Hill, and his sister, live in Houston.

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Lucy Penticost married a Mr. Pharr.

Mary Penticost married a Mr. Gayle and lives in East Columbia
(83) years old).

William Penticost has two children in Humble. Mrs. Mattie Echols
and Ira Penticost.