

KENNARD, WILLIAM EVERETT - Born in Williamson County, Tennessee, July 16, 1815, a son of Anthony Drew and Sallie Moore Kennard. He came to Texas in May, 1830, as is stated in the headright certificate issued to him February 19, 1838 by the Montgomery County Board of Land Commissioners.

On April 18, 1838 William Kennard was issued Bounty Certificate No. 2944 for 320 acres of land for having served in the army from March 1 to May 30, 1836. He was issued Donation Certificate No. 524, August 27, 1838 for 640 acres of land for having been detailed to guard the baggage at the camp opposite Harrisburg, April 21, 1836. He was living in Grimes County December 1, 1848 when he sold the certificate to Charlette Evans for \$45.00. Mr. Kennard was a member of Captain James Gillaspie's Company. Mr. W. P. Zuber stated confirmed the statement that he was left at the Harrisburg Camp.

(Brown's History of Texas, Vol. 2, p. 30)

Mr. Kennard was married to Sarah Ann Mildred Robinson, who was born November 13, 1822 and died in about 1888. She is buried in a marked grave in Oakland Cemetery near Grand View, Texas. Children of this union were John, who was never married; Rachel Virginia, who married Thomas Smith; Dolly, who married William Moore; and William E. Kennard, Jr., who married Lizzie Pierson.

After the death of Mrs. Kennard, Mr. Kennard was married to a Mrs. Watts, of whom the compiler has no information. Mr. Kennard died February 14, 1899 and is buried in an unmarked grave in the San Flit near Cleburne, Johnson County. He was a member of the Texas Veterans

Association.

Children of Mr. Kennard by his second marriage were John D., deceased; Michael, deceased; and Mrs. Kate Patterson, Robert Lee, Texas.

Some of the surviving grandchildren of William E. Kennard are Mrs. Clyd Smith, 420 Rencher Street, Clovis, New Mexico; A. D. Smith, Farwell; T. E. Smith, Los Angeles, California; Gillie McLean, Cleburne, Via Parker, Texas; Jerry, William, Art and Heck Moore of Rio Vista, Texas and Homer Kennard, Clyde Texas.