# Kiser Family Genealogy Notes Rockbridge Co., Virginia

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#### Rockbridge Co., Marriages {2539}

8 Aug 1805 Wallace, William Kysor, Caty #11 daughter of Valentine Kyser Daniel Blain, Presbyterian bond dated 3 Aug 1805 filed in Book 1, p. 97 13 Aug 1805 English, John Cizar, Rachel daughter of John Cizer minister Daniel Blain 20 Aug 1807 Linn, George Kizer, Eva #12 daughter of Valentine Kizer minister - Daniel Blain, Presbyterian bond dated 19 Aug 1807 filed in Book 1, p. 105 30 Mar 1809 Hymes, John Kisor, Mary #14 daughter of Valentine Kisor minister - Daniel Blain, Presbyterian filed in Book 1, p. 123 14 Nov 1811 Kizzer, Christian Horn, Polly Bond daughter of Henry Horn

(Note: There is no other Kizer marriage between 1778 and 1850.) MBA

# Rockbridge Co., Minister's Returns (1782-1846)

#### "Daniel Blain's return 1808-9"

March 30th John Hymes & Mary Kyser

#### "D. Blain 1802"

Augt. 19 Jacob Cups to Elizabeth Linn

#### Rockbridge Co., Land Tax Lists

#### 1795 Samuel Key's List

(Note: Valentine Kizer is not listed.) MBA

#### 1795 William S. Bailey's List

(Note: Jacob Linn is not listed.) MBA

#### 1796 William S. Bailey's List

Kizer, Valuntine (from Jo. Snodgrass) 315 acres #1 (fron Jo. Keldwell) 141 acres
Jefferson, Thos. (of Albemarle) 157 acres

#### 1796 Samuel Key's List

Linn, Jacob (from David Rogers) 184.5 acres father of #12/1

#### 1797 James Steele's List

Kizer, Valentine 315 + 141 acres #1

#### 1797 James McClung's List

Linn, Jacob 184.5 acres father of #12/1

(Note: Jacob Linn continues to be listed until his death in 1818. I did not record his entries any further.) MBA

#### 1798 Joseph Paxton's List

Kizer, Valentine 315 + 141 acres #1

#### 1799 Joseph Caruthers' List

Kizer, Valentine 315 + 141 acres #1 (from William Simmerman & Henry Keesler) 142 acres

#### 1800 John Alexander's List

Kizer, Valentine 315 + 141 + 142 acres #1

#### 1801 William Bradley's List

Kizer, Vallentine 315 + 141 + 142 acres #1

#### 1802 William Bradley's List

Kizer,	Valentine	315 + 141 + 142 acres	#1
1803	William Bradley's List		
Kizer,	Vallentine	315 + 141 + 142 acres	#1
1804	William Bradley's List		
Kizer,	Vallentine	315 + 141 + 142 acres	#1
1805	William Bradley's List		
Kizer,	Vallentine	315 + 141 + 142 acres	#1
1806	William Bradley's List		
	Vallentine son, Thomas ("President of the U. S."	315 + 141 + 142 acres ') 157 acres	#1
1806	James McClung's List		
Linn, Kizer,	Jacob Vallentine	184 acres 315 + 141 + 142 acres	father of #12/1 #1
1807	William Bradley's List		
Kizer,	Vallentine	315 + 141 + 142 acres	#1
(Note: The 1808 tax list is missing.) MBA			
1809	William Bradley's List		
	Vallentine	315 + 141 acres	#1
	s, John ce, William (from Vallentn. Kizer)	5.5 acres 14 <u>5</u> acres	#14/1 #11/1
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1810	William Bradley's List		
	Vallentine	315 + 141 acres	#1
	s, John ce, William ("Cooper")	5.5 acres 145 acres	#14/1 #11/1
	( coops )	- 10 10000	
1811	William Bradley's List		
	ce, William ("Cooper")	145 acres	#11/1
`	om Jno. Himes) as, James, dec'd, heirs (from Vallent	5.5 acres n. Kizer) 128.5 acres	
Douglas, John (from Vallent. Kizer) 49.75 acres			
	pson, John & James (from Valltn. Ki No Himes or Kizer is listed.) MBA	zer) 288.25 acres	
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#### 1812 William Bradley's List

Wallace, William ("Cooper")

#11/1

145 acres "on a branch of Buffalo Creek adjoining land with Samuel Whiteman"

5.5 acres "on a branch of Whistle Creek adjoining land with Andrew Walkup"

Douglas, James, dec'd, heirs

128.5 acres "on the [branch of Buffalo Creek] adjoining their own land" Douglas, Jame

49.75 acres "on the n. fork of James River adjoining his own land"

Thompson, John & James (from Valltn. Kizer) 288.25 acres

288.25 acres "on a branch of the north fork of James River adjoining the land of James Douglass's heirs"

(Note: No Kizer is listed.) MBA

#### 1813 William Bradley's List

Wallace, William ("Cooper")

#11/1

5.5 acres "on a branch of Cedar Creek adjoining Henry Whistler"

Link, George (from Wm. Wallace)

145 acres "on the waters of the north fork of James River adjoining John Chandler"

#### 1814 William Bradley's List

Wallace, William ("Cooper")

#11/1

5.5 acres "on a branch of Cedar Creek adjoining Henry Whistler"

14 miles SW of courthouse, Jno. Parsons in possession

Link, George

145 acres "on the waters of the north fork of James River adjoining John Chandler" 4 miles SW of courthouse

Douglas, James, heirs

128.5 acres "on [a branch of Buffalo Creek] adjoining his own land"

7 miles S of courthouse

Douglas, John

49.75 acres "on the north fork of James River" 8 miles SW of courthouse

Thompson, John & James

288.25 acres "on a branch of the north fork of James River adjoining James Douglass heirs" 8 miles S of courthouse

#### 1814 James McClung's List

Lynn, Jacob, Sr.

father of #12/1

184 acres "on Timber Bridge adj. Jno. Davidson" 5 miles E of courthouse

#### 1815 William Bradley's List

Wallace, William ("Cooper")

#11/1

5.5 acres, 14 miles SW of courthouse, Jno. Parsons in possession Jefferson, Thomas, Esgr.

157 acres "The Natural Bridge Tract" 16 miles SW of courthouse

1816	William Bradley's List	
	lace, William	#11/1
	5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	
1817	William Bradley's List	
Wal	lace, William	#11/1
	5.5 acres, John Parsons in possession	
1818	William Bradley's List	
Wal	lace, William	#11/1
	5.5 acres, John Parsons in possession	
1819	Hugh Irvine Jr.'s List	
	lace, William	#11/1
	5.5 acres, John Parsons in possession	
1820	Hugh Irvine's List	
	lace, William	#11/1
	5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	
1821		
	lace, William	#11/1
	5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	
1822	William C. Lewis's List	
	lace, William	#11/1
	5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	
1823	William C. Lewis's List	
Wal	lace, William	#11/1
	5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	
1824	William C. Lewis's List	
	lace, William	#11/1
	5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	
1825	William C. Lewis's List	
	lace, William	#11/1
4	5.5 acres. Ino. Parsons in possession	

Wallace, William 5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	#11/1
Wallace, William C. Lewis's List Wallace, William 5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	#11/1
Wallace, William 5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	#11/1
Wallace, William 5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	#11/1
1830 William C. Lewis's List  Wallace, William 5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	#11/1
Wallace, William 5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	#11/1
Wallace, William 5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	#11/1
1833 William C. Lewis's List Wallace, William 5.5 acres, Jno. Parsons in possession	#11/1
1834 William C. Lewis's List  Wallace, William  5.5 acres, Adam Barger in possession	#11/1
1835 William C. Lewis's List  Wallace, William  5.5 acres, Adam Barger in possession	#11/1
1836 William C. Lewis's List Wallace, William	#11/1

#### 1837 William C. Lewis's List

Wallace, William #11/1

5.5 acres, Thos. Cross in possession

#### 1838 William C. Lewis's List

Wallace, William #11/1

5.5 acres, Thos. Cross in possession

#### 1839 Samuel Walkup's List

Wallace, W. #11/1

5.25 acres, T. Cross in possession

#### 1840 Samuel Walkup's List

Wallace, William #11/1

5 acres, Thomas Cross in possession

#### 1841 Samuel Walkup's List

Wallace, William #11/1

5 acres, 80 poles, Cedar Creek, Thomas Cross in possession

#### 1842 Samuel Walkup's List

Wallace, William #11/1

5 acres, 80 poles, Cedar Creek, adjoining Peter Ackerly, 14 miles SW of courthouse, Thomas Cross in possession, residence Botetourt Co.

#### 1843 Samuel Walkup's List

Wilson, Thomas G.

5 acres, 80 poles, Cedar Creek, adjoining Peter Ackerly, 14 miles SW of courthouse, conveyed to Thos. G. Wilson by T. Cross

(Note: No William Wallace was listed.) MBA 4 Jun 1998

#### 1844 Samuel Walkup's List

Wilson, Thomas G.

5 acres, 80 poles, Cedar Creek

# Rockbridge Co., Personal Property Tax Lists

1796	Samuel Key's List	
13 Apr 10 Ma	Linn, Jacob (2 horses) Linn, Adam (3 horses)	father of #12/1
	Windell Hawkins' List	
(Note:	There was no Kizer listed.) MBA 4 Jun 1998	
1797	James Steele's List	
18 Apr	Kizer, Val'n (1 slave, 6 horses)	#1
1798	Joseph Paxton's List	
20 Ma	r Kizer, Valentine (1 slave, 4 horses)	#1
1799	Joseph Caruthers' List	
12 Apr	Kizer, Voluntine	#1
1800	John Alexander's List	
30 Ma	r Kizer, Volintine (6 horses)	#1
1801	William Bradley's List	
20 Ma (Note:	y Kizer, Vallentine (7 horses)  There was no Himes listed.) MBA 4 Jun 1998	#1
1802	James McClung's List	
8 Apr 29 Ma	Lynn, Jacob (5 horses) y Hyms, Andrew S. R. [Senior?]	father of #12/1
	William Bradley's List	
13 Ma (Note:	y Kizer, Vallentine (7 horses)  There was no Himes or Linn on William Bradley's List.) MBA 4 July	#1 un 1998
1803	James McClung's List	
19 Apr (Note:	Linn, Jacob (2 white tithes, 6 horses) There was no Himes on James McClung's List.) MBA 4 Jun 1998	father of #12/1
	William Bradley's List	
8 Apr (Note:	Kizer, Vallentine (7 horses) There was no Himes on William Bradley's List.) MBA 4 Jun 1998	#1

#### 1804 James McClung's List

3 Apr Linn, Jacob, Sr. (2 white tithes, 7 horses) father of #12/1

3 Apr Linn, Jacob, Jr.

(Note: There was no Himes on James McClung's List.) MBA 4 Jun 1998

#### William Bradley's List

11 Apr Kizer, Vallentine (3 slaves, 8 horses) #1 (Note: There was no Himes on William Bradley's List.) MBA 4 Jun 1998

#### 1805 James McClung's List

17 Apr Linn, Jacob (2 white tithes, 6 horses) father of #12/1

(Note: There was no Himes on James McClung's List.) MBA 4 Jun 1998

#### William Bradley's List

27 May Himes, John #14/1 31 May Kizer, Vallentn. (2 slaves, 8 horses) #1

#### 1806 James McClung's List

1 Apr Linn, Jacob, Jr. (1 horse)

19 May Linn, Jacob (3 white tithes, 7 horses) father of #12/1

#### William Bradley's List

14 May Himes, John #14/1 27 May Kizer, Vallentn. (3 slaves, 6 horses) #1

# 1807 James McClung's List

6 Apr Linn, Jacob, Sr. (2 white tithes, 9 horses) father of #12/1

6 Apr Linn, Jacob, Jr. (1 horse)

#### William Bradley's List

22 May Himes, John #14/1 5 Jun Kizer, Vallentine (3 slaves, 7 horses) #1

(Note: There were several William Wallaces on William Bradley's list. I couldn't distinguish which one was Valentine Kizer's son-in-law.) MBA 4 Jun 1998

#### 1808 list missing

# 1809 James McClung's List

6 Mar Linn, Jacob, Jr. (3 horses)

15 Mar Kisor, Christopher (W. C.) [what does W. C. mean?]

18 Apr Linn, Jacob, Sr. (2 white tithes, 9 horses) father of #12/1

#### William Bradley's List

1 Apr	Hymes, John (1 horse)	#14/1
1 Apr	Kizer, Vallentn. (2 slaves, 7 horses)	#1

## 1810 James McClung's List

19 Mar Linn, Henry

19 Mar Linn, Jacob, Jr. (1 horse)

19 Mar Linn, Jacob, Sr. (2 white tithes, 1 slave, 7 horses) father of #12/1

# William Bradley's List

6 Mar Kizer, Vallentine (2 white tithes, 1 slave, 8 horses) #1 14 Apr Himes, John (2 horse) #14/1

#### 1811 William Bradley's List

(Note: No Himes or Kizer is on William Bradley's list. The first entry is dated 1 Mar 1811.) MBA 1 Jul 1998

#### Rockbridge Co., Deed Index, Grantors (1778-1848)

1 Apr 1794	Wallace, William & wife to William Taylor	Book C, p. 24
Sep 1807	Kyzer, Valentine & wife to William Wallace	Book F, p. 206
6 Jun 1808	Wallace, William to Thomas Plunket	Book F, p. 318
3 Sep 1810	Kizer, Valentine & wife to John Thompson	Book G, p. 147
3 Sep 1810	Kizer, Valentine & wife to James Douglass	Book G, p. 148
3 Sep 1810	Kizer, Valentine & wife to John Douglass	Book G, p. 150
4 Feb 1811	Himes, John & wife to William Wallace	Book G, p. 234
2 Oct 1830	Wallace, William & wife to Cyrus Hyde	Book R, p. 55
21 Sep 1833	Wallace, William to Saml. A. Wallace	Book S, p. 125

(Note: There is no other Kizer found, nor any George or Jacob Linn. No other William Wallace is listed.) MBA

# Rockbridge Co., Deed Index, Grantees (1778-1848)

1 Sep 1795	Linn, Jacob from David Rodgers & wife	Book C, p. ?
5 Apr 1796	Kizer, Valentine from Joseph Snodgrass	Book C, p. 258 *
5 Apr 1796	Kizer, Valentine from Joseph Caldwell	Book C., p. 267 *
4 Sep 1798	Kizer, Valentine from Henry Kesler & wife	Book D, p. 18 *
4 Sep 1798	Kizer, Valentine from William Simmerman	Book D, p. 18 *
2 Jun 1806	Himes, John from John Flint & wife	Book E, p. 519 579
10 May 1820	Wallace, William from Andrew Cochran (Deed of Trust)	Book M, p. 188
24 Oct 1831	Kizer, John P. from John F. Gold (Deed of Trust)	Book R, p. 248

(Note: There is no other Kizer and no George Linn.) MBA

# Rockbridge Co., Deed Book C, pp. 258-260 {2542}

Grantors: Joseph Snodgrass & wife Martha of Rockbridge Co.

Grantee: Valentine Kizer [#1] of Rockingham Co.

Date: 2 Apr 1796

Consideration: 800 pounds

Description: 3 tracts of land adjoining each other, 260 + 38 + 17 acres "along north branch of the

James River"

# Rockbridge Co., Deed Book C, pp. 267-268 {2543}

Grantor: Joseph Caldwell of Rockbridge Co. Grantee: Valentine Kizer [#1] of Rockingham Co.

Date: 5 Apr 1796, recorded 5 Apr 1796

Consideration: 280 pounds

<sup>\* =</sup> abstracted, see below

Description: 2 tracts of land adjoining each other, 124 + 17 acres on the "North river"

# Rockbridge Co., Deed Book D, pp. 18-20

Grantors: William Simmerman of Rockbridge Co. & Henry Kesler & wife Barbra of Rocking-

ham Co.

Grantee: Valentine Kiser [#1] of Rockbridge Co.

Date: 7 May 1798, recorded 4 Sep 1798

Consideration: 400 pounds

Description: 142 acres lying in the forks of the James River

Witnesses: John Bowyer, Davd. Shields, William Hillis, Saml. McConkey, & Jno. Shields

#### Rockbridge Co., General Index to Wills (1778-1848)

Will	Book 16, p. 411
Will	Book 4, p. 321 *
Appraisal	Book 1, p. 263 *
Will	Book 1, p. 507 *
Appraisal	Book 1, p. 508
License	Book 3, p. 531
Sale	Book 5, p. 31
Settlement	Book 5, p. 33
Indenture	Book 6, p. 371
Bond	Book 18, p. 666
Appraisal	Book 18, p. 815
Sale	Book 18, p. 816
Settlement	Book 19, p. 87
	Will Appraisal Will Appraisal License Sale Settlement Indenture Bond Appraisal Sale

(Note: There is no Kizer in the index.) MBA

# Rockbridge Co., Will Book 1, pp. 263-266, Inventory & Appraisement of Estate of Samuel Wallace

Samuel Wallace, deceased dated 20 May 1796

# Rockbridge Co., Will Book 1, pp. 507-508, Will of William Wallace

William Wallace, of Augusta Co., VA, deceased

dated 18 May 1795, proved 5 Jan 1796

sister Margaret's son William Reburn

sister Marther

nephew William Brawford, son of Samuel Brawford of Rockbridge Co.

sister Francies

sister Marry Barnet

nephew James Brawford

Samuel Brawford

brother Samuel Wallas, 200 acres of land adjoining land he now lives on

executor - brother Samuel Wallas

witnesses - Caleb Sisson, Samuel Braford, Hugh Barclay

Samuel Wallace refused to undertake burden of executor, transferred to Samuel Braford

Rockbridge Co., Will Book 4 (1813-1819), pp. 321-322, Will of Jacob Lyn {2541}

<sup>\* =</sup> abstracted, see below

dated 17 Apr 1816, proved 5 Jan 1818
wife Phena ("Fanny")
plantation "whereon I live" to son Peter Lyn
sons Peter, Jacob, George, Henry
Henry Cups & David Cups, sons of my daughter Betsey Cups, deceased
daughters Susanna, Teena Wymor

". . . but out of George's part is to be deducted 50 pounds, as he has heretofore recieved more than his share"

Peter appointed executor witnesses Edw. Graham, John Elliott, Patrick Gibson

## Rockbridge Co., Chancery Order Book (1831-1846)

Wilson, T. G. & wife vs. W. Smith's heirs - 437, 438, 478 (Nothing of interest is found here regarding land of William Wallace.) MBA 9 Jul 1998

No William Wallace, Thomas Cross, John Parsons, or Adam Barger is in the index.)

# Rockbridge Co., Minute Book (1840-1843)

## p. 370 (1842 October term)

Thomas Cross & Elizabeth his wife to Thomas G. Wilson, 6.25 acres of land

# A History of Rockbridge County, Virginia, by Oren F. Morton (Baltimore: Regional Publishing Company, 1980

#### p. 175

"The Hanover Presbytery met at Timer Ridge in 1784 and licensed John Blair, pastor of the first organized Presbyterian church in Richhmond. Two years later was held the first session of the Lexington Presbytery. Daniel Blair [was pastor] from 1802 to 1814."

#### p. 277

William A. "Bigfoot" Wallace son of Andrew Wallace, grandson of Col. Samuel Wallace of the Revolutionary period b. 12 Apr 1816, one mile south of Lexington fought in Texas Revolution d. 8 Jan 1899, TX never married

Historical Significance of Rockbridge County, Virginia, by James W. McClung (Staunton, VA: McClure Company, Inc., 1939)

#### pp. 56-58 Timber Ridge Presbyterian Church

on Lee Highway, eight miles north of Lexington built in 1756 Rev. Daniel Blain, 1802-1814