

## From Ancestors of Levi Preston Cox

### Note

A certificate was granted to Samuel Cox I whose wife was Hannah Wierman Cox to become a member of Cane Creek Quaker Meeting. This certificate was granted on Aug. 20, 1757. Therefore it is safe to date his arrival in Cane Creek North Carolina near Aug. 20, 1757. This Samuel and his sons, Herman and Samuel were dismissed from the Quaker Meeting June 1, 1771 because they had joined the "Regulators". (Ref. Southern Quakers and slavery by Stephen B. Weeks) also (Thompson's school History refers to the battle of Alamance which was fought on May 16, 1771 near Alamac river between the "Regulators and Gov. Tryon's militia.) This organization was formed to resist the exorbitant taxes and unreasonable lawyer's fees and the like. Samuel Cox I afterwards returned to Pennsylvania, where he died in 1796. Letters of Administration on his father's estate were granted to Herman Cox at York County, Pa. in 1796. This indicates that Herman Cox returned to Pa. with his father.

Samuel Cox II, son of Samuel Cox I and his wife Hannah Wierman Cox. was in Kentucky at an early date. The following land entries indicates dates when he was in Kentucky. A list of land entries is given next in this book.

In book 7. page 16, is a copy of a patent to Samuel Cox. It is in the land office at Frankfort. Kentucky. It is dated April 25. 1797. It W&S a military grant to Samuel Cox from the state of Kentucky for 100 acres on Naked Creek. 50 acres was patented to Nathan Cox on Feb. 23, 1819. This is in book

H. page 847. A patent was made to Nathan Cox on March 20, 1816 for 150 acres in Knox County. This is recorded in Book H.

page 450. The first deed in the recorder's book has to do with 5.500 acres deeded to the Baptist Seminary, for which Samuel Cox was a trustee.

Samuel Cox patented 10 Acres in Knox County, on the Cumberland River in book 17, page 451. Samuel Cox Sr. 100 A. Book I. page 429. dated 12- 1, 1813 ; Samuel Cox Sr. 50 A. book W. page 447 dated 3- 29- 1828 in Knox County; Samuel Cox Sr. 50 A. in book C. page 198. dated 9- 17- 1833 ; Samuel Cox. Sr. 200 A. Book W. page 190 dated 7- 2- 1836 in Whitley, County, Ky.

Nathan Cox was granted several grants of land during the years 1814 - 1837.