

POLLY (WHITLOCK) EDWARDS - WILSON CO. TN

Thomas E. Partlow's *Wilson County, Tennessee, Chancery Court Records 1842-1892*, shows the following entry:

Bill of complaint of Polly Edwards against Erastus L. Smith, administrator of Thomas Whitlock, and Warren Edwards, the husband of the said Polly Edwards. The Edwards are citizens of Gibson County, Tennessee. Said Smith is a resident of Wilson County. Thomas Whitlock, father of Polly Edwards, died some years ago. The said Polly is seeking to prevent her share of the estate from going to the creditors of her husband. 26 June 1853 (Chancery Court 1850-1854, Pp. 426-428)

Our records show that Polly Whitlock married Warren Edwards in Wilson Co., Tennessee November 13, 1821. The above chancery record shows us that her father was Thomas Whitlock. The only Thomas Whitlock who "died some years ago" in Wilson Co. was Thomas Whitlock (1757-1848) who was married to Susannah Webb. I would estimate Polly was born about 1802 which would place her in the WHITLOCK33 family between Nancy Whitlock b.1800 who married James Godphrey and Susan Whitlock b.1805 who married Warren Davenport.

Our thanks to Chuck Rockett for this item. Always interesting after all these years to find a missing family link. If anyone has information on the Edwards family of Gibson Co., Tn, I would be interested to add the names of Polly and Warren's children to the WHITLOCK33 chart.

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