

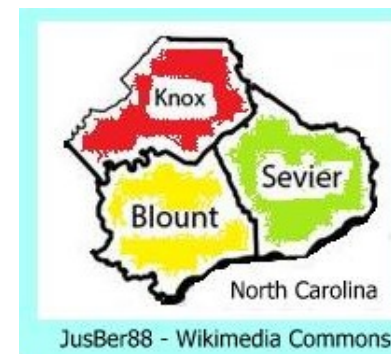
MAYFIELDS in Early Knox, Blount, & Sevier County Tennessee Censuses

Red text = Mayfields, including their spouses, whom I suspect were directly related to Brady Mayfield from the 1830 Knox Co., TN census.

Italics text = Mayfields I suspect were not directly related to Brady Mayfield.

NMH = No Mayfield household in this census

→ See my commentary interspersed among the tables.



Census Year	Knox Co., TN	Blount Co., TN	Sevier Co., TN
1800	Lost Census	Lost Census	Lost Census
1806 Petitioner's List [Compiled Census]	~ <i>Randol Mayfield</i> ~ <i>Micajah Mayfield</i>		
1810	Lost Census	Lost Census	Lost Census
1820	Lost Census	Lost Census	Lost Census
1830	~ Brady Mayfield	NMH	NMH
1840	NMH	~ Nancy Mayfield	NMH
1850	NMH	~ James & Mary Mayfield , District 11 ~ William Mayfield [b. abt 1826, TN] in Arthur & Sarah Kennedy household, District 11 ~ <i>William Mayfield</i> [b. abt 1832, TN] in David Chandler household, District 9	~ <i>Charles Mayfield</i> [b. abt 1822, SC], in Jacob [b. abt 1790, PA] and Mary Houser [b. abt 1787, NC] household with George Houser [b. abt 1834, TN], Eastern Subdivision 12.

→ **1806 Tax List:** For research information on the brothers Randol[ph] and Micajah Mayfield see Phil Norfleet's web page entitled "Randolph Mayfield (ca. 1760 - after 1822) of Casey County KY at: [http://mayfield02.tripod.com/randolph_mayfield_\(ca__1760%20-%20aft%201822\).htm](http://mayfield02.tripod.com/randolph_mayfield_(ca__1760%20-%20aft%201822).htm)

I think the 1830 Knox Co., TN Brady Mayfield was likely the same Brady Mayfield who appeared in the 1810 Pendleton District, SC census. But, I wonder, was he possibly a close relative of Randolph and Micajah, who preceded Brady to Knox Co.?

→ **1830 Knox Co., TN Census:**

Brady Mayfield household [males: 1 (50-60), 1 (5-10), 1 (under 5); females: 1 (40-50), 1 (20-30), 2 (15-20), 1 (10-15)]

→ **1840 Blount Co., TN Census:**

Nancy Mayfield household [males: 1 (15-19), 1 (10-14), 1 (5-9), 1 (under 5); females 1 (60-69), 1 (50-59), 2 (20-29)]

I think Nancy Mayfield may have been Brady Mayfield's widow. At this time, Brady Mayfield does not appear in the census and there are no other Mayfield households in Blount Co., and none in Knox and Sevier counties. In 1840, Brady's wife would have been about 56-60 years old--if she was the same person in Brady's household in the 1830 census.

It seems that one of the two older females in this household may have been someone other than either Brady's wife or one of his children. In 1840, two of Brady's likely daughters, **Nancy** and **Mathursa/Mathinsa**, had not married. Also, there was one daughter who appeared under age 10 in the 1810 Pendleton District census, whose identity is not now known. Also, one wonders who the two young male children in this household are: 1 (5-9), 1 (under 5). Could they have been grandchildren of Nancy and Brady? Or?

→ **1850 Blount Co., TN Census:**

I think it is likely that **James Mayfield** was a son of Brady Mayfield and an older brother of another like Brady son, namely, **William Carson Mayfield**. James married **Mary Hood** in 1847 in Knox Co., TN.

William Carson Mayfield appears to be the William [b. abt 1826] in this census who was living with the Kennedy family. I *have not found that those Kennedys had any Mayfield connections.*

Who was William Mayfield [b. abt 1832] in this census who was living with the Chandler family? I don't know. I have not

found that those Chandlers had any Mayfield connections.

Who was the William Mayfield who married Margaret Courtney on January 4 in 1854? Was it one of these two 1850 Blount Co., William Mayfields? Actually, I think it is likely that **William Carson Mayfield** married Margaret . I say that particularly because the bondsman of that marriage was George Cheatham.

Earlier, in 1825, Brady Mayfield had served as a bondsman for the marriage of his likely daughter, **Malinda Mayfield**, to George Cheatham in Knox Co., TN. Also, in 1851 George Cheatham married **Mathursa/Mathinsa Mayfield** in Knox Co. I think she also was a daughter of Brady Mayfield. George’s previous wife, **Malinda Mayfield**, had died in 1849.

→ 1850 Sevier Co., TN Census:

The identity of Charles Mayfield [b. 1822, SC] is unknown. The Houser family with which he was living in 1850 does not seem to have had a previous Mayfield connection.

Census Year	Knox Co., TN	Blount Co., TN	Sevier Co., TN
1860	<u>NMH</u>	~ James & Mary Mayfield with child: Sarah Mayfield [b. abt 1843, TN], District 11	<u>NMH</u>
1870	~ William & Sarah Mayfield , with children: Robert B., Mary L. J., Lucinda J., James H. , District 15 ~ <i>JM [b. abt 1834, VA] & Eller J. [b. abt 1842, VA]</i> <i>Mayfield, with children: Mary C., Nannie E., Emma J., Jame C., Piery., Ward 6, Knoxville</i>	<u>NMH</u>	<u>NMH</u>

→ 1860 Censuses:

William Carson Mayfield does not appear in the 1860 censuses of any of these three TN counties: Knox, Blount, Sevier. Where was he in 1860? It is known that on September 12, 1861 he married **Sarah Ann Cruze** in Knox Co., TN. That was exactly five months after Confederate troops bombed Union troops at Fort Sumter in SC and the beginning of the Civil War [April 12, 1861]. I could find no William Mayfield in the 1860 census which seems to fit William Carson Mayfield.

→ 1860 Blount Co., TN Census:

James & Mary Mayfield continue to reside in Blount Co. But, here's the peculiar thing. **Sarah Mayfield**, a 17 year old female is now living in their household. I assume Sarah was a relative of James, but not his daughter, or at least not a daughter of James' wife Mary. I say that because Sarah was born about four years before James and Mary married. Also, Sarah does not appear in their household during the 1850 Blount Co. census. I do not know the identity of Sarah, but suspect she was related in some way to Brady Mayfield—as she was a Mayfield staying the household with James.

→ 1870 Knox Co., TN Census:

William Carson Mayfield & Sarah appear here with their four oldest children. *Being from VA, the J. M. Mayfield family was likely not closely related to Brady Mayfield, who likely was born in SC in the 1770's, then lived there before coming to TN.*

→ 1870 Blount Co., TN Census:

What happened to **James & Mary Mayfield**? They don't appear in this 1870 census, but do re-appear in the 1880 Blount Co., census—and in the same 11th District they had been in. Perhaps the census-taker just overlooked them in 1870?

Census Year	Knox Co., TN	Blount Co., TN	Sevier Co., TN
1880	~ William & Sarah A. Mayfield , with children: Robert B., Mary, Lucinda, James H., Nancy, John, William A., Josephine, District 21	~ James & Mary Mayfield , District 11	<u>NMH</u>
1891 Male Voters, TN Enumeration Age 21 males and older	R. Mayfield [b. abt 1862], 24 th District, West Knoxville James Mayfield [b. abt 1869], 13 th District ?? <i>R. Mayfield</i> [b. abt 1831], 18 th District <i>William Mayfield</i> [b. abt 1861], 1st/5th Districts, African- American	<u>NMH</u>	<u>NMH</u>

→ 1880 Knox Co., TN Census:

William Carson Mayfield & Sarah appear in this census with all but their youngest child, **Sarah**, born in August that year.

→ 1880 Blount Co., TN Census:

James & Mary Mayfield continue to reside in District 11 in Blount Co., but no one else is in their household.

→ 1891 TN Male Voters:

William Carson Mayfield [b. abt 1826] and his likely brother **James Mayfield** [b. abt 1822], have likely died by now. R. Mayfield and James Mayfield in this enumeration, are likely **Robert Brady Mayfield** and **James Harvey Mayfield**, who were sons of William Carson and Sarah Mayfield.

I suspect that R. Mayfield [b. abt 1831] and William Mayfield [b. abt 1861] in this enumeration were not directly connected to the Brady Mayfield line.

Census Year	Knox Co., TN	Blount Co., TN	Sevier Co., TN
1900	<p>~Sarah Mayfield [widow], with John, Sarah E., and grandchildren: Edward C. Rochester, Virgil Rochester, District 13</p> <p>~Robert B. & Magnolia Mayfield, with children: Charlie S., Lee R., John, James G., Oneda, District 13</p> <p>~James & Mary Mayfield, with children: Samuel, Clifford, Osker, District 14</p> <p>~Will & Lottie Mayfield, District 14</p> <p>~Malinda J. Mayfield, District 13, servant in a Cruze household</p> <p>~Reuben [b. abt 1820, TN] & Sarah [b. abt 1830, TN] Mayfield, and James Campbell [b. abt 1886, TN], District 2</p> <p>~Percy B. Mayfield [b. 1878, TN] and Charles S. Mayfield [b. 1881 TN], Ward 10, Knoxville, students at Univ. of TN</p> <p>~Susan Mayfield [b. 1861, NC], Ward 8, Knoxville: African American</p> <p>~Jessie Mayfield [b. 1888, NC], Ward 8, Knoxville: African American</p>	NMH	<p><i>Elizabeth Mayfield [b. abt 1840, NC] [widowed], parents b. NC, District 9</i></p>

→ **1900 Knox Co., TN Census:**

Sarah Mayfield, William Carson's widow, is living with her children, **John** [b. 1872] and **Sarah E.** [b. 1880] and her grandchildren, **Edward Campbell Rochester** [b. abt 1891] and **Virgil Ireland Rochester** [b. abt 1894], sons of Sarah's daughter **Lucinda Mayfield** and **William Rochester**. William Rochester is said to have died in 1895.

In this 1900 Knox Co. census, the two Rochester children seem to be enumerated twice. It seems that they are also enumerated with their mother **Lucinda** as "inmates"/patients?/clients? at some type of mission home in Ward 1 of Knoxville, as follows:

Lucy Rochester; 36; widow; mother of two children, both living; b. TN.

Eddie Rochester; 10; single, b. TN

Ira Rochester; 8; single, b. TN

Virgil Ireland Rochester is said to have died by 1907, his mother **Lucinda** by 1910. **Edward Campbell Rochester** is said to have died in 1948.

Also in this 1900 Knox Co. census are the following children of widow Sarah Mayfield:

Robert Brady Mayfield and wife **Magnolia [Davis]**, with their children;

James Harvey Mayfield and wife **Mary [Maranville]**, with their children;

William Anthony Mayfield and wife **Lottie [Owens]**; and

Malinda Josephine Mayfield.

I suspect that Reuben & Sarah Mayfield and James Campbell, Percy B. Mayfield, Charles S. Mayfield, Susan Mayfield, and Jessie Mayfield were not directly connected to the Brady Mayfield line.

→ **1900 Blount Co., TN Census:**

Mary [Hood], wife of **James Mayfield** [b. abt 1822], appeared in an 1890 Knox Co., TN directory as a widow. I do not know when/where Mary died. She does not appear in the 1900 census for Blount Co., Knox Co., or Sevier Co., nor in any other U.S. census that year that I could find.

→ **1900 Sevier Co., TN Census:**

I suspect that Elizabeth Mayfield, widow, in this census was not directly connected to the Brady Mayfield line.

Census Year	Knox Co., TN	Blount Co., TN	Sevier Co., TN
1910	<p>~William A. [laundry washer] & Lottie Mayfield, with children: Bertha, Leonard, Mary, District 3</p> <p>~Charlie Mayfield [bar oiler, railroad yards] and Oneda Mayfield, boarders with Jake B. [b. 1890, TN] [railroad car inspector] & Clemice [Clementine Cunningham] [b. abt 1890, TN] Simpson and Clementine's uncle, Moses Cunningham [b. abt 1863, TN] [farming], Ward 10, Knoxville..</p> <p>~<i>James [b. abt 1887, SC] & Bessie [b. abt 1891, TN] Mayfield, with children: Thomas, Clarence, Ward 8, Knoxville, African American</i></p> <p>~<i>Pleasant [b. abt 1888, TN] & Alice [b. abt 1881, TN] Mayfield with child: Elmia Carter, Knoxville</i></p>	<p>~Sarah A. Mayfield, living in Wesley A. & Mary J. Sands household, District 4</p>	<u>NMH</u>
1920	<p>~J. H. [car inspector–railroad likely] & Mary Mayfield, with children: Sammey, Oscar, Beecher, Lucile, Connie</p> <p>~William [A.] [laundry washer] & Lottie Mayfield, with children: Bertha, Leonard, Mae, and Ernest Owens [b. abt 1897, TN] nephew, Ward 25, Knoxville</p> <p>~Cecil [b. abt 1900, TN] [railroad car inspector] & Mattie Mayfield [b. abt 1902, TN], boarders in house of Mattie's parents, Henry W. [b. abt 1874, TN] & Nina B. [b. abt 1875, TN] Murphy, along with many others, Ward 20, Knoxville</p> <p>~<i>Charles Mayfield [b. abt 1888, TN], "inmate"/patient? with many others at Eastern State Hospital, no occupation, District 8</i></p> <p>~<i>Sowin Mayfield, [b. abt 1908, TN], Ward 7, Knoxville, African American</i></p>	<u>NMH</u>	<u>NMH</u>

→ 1910 Knox Co., TN Census:

In this census are widow Sarah Mayfield's son **William Anthony Mayfield**, his wife **Lottie [Owens]**, and children of theirs. Also in this census are **Charles Mayfield** and **Oneda Mayfield**, children of widow Sarah Mayfield's now deceased son Robert Brady Mayfield and his wife Magnolia [Davis]. Robert Brady Mayfield died in 1907. I could not find Magnolia in this census. The Moses Cunningham in this 1910 household married Robert Brady's widow Magnolia on 24 December 1910.

I suspect that James & Bessie Mayfield and children and also Pleasant & Alice Mayfield and child in this census, were not directly related to the Brady Mayfield line.

→ **1910 Blount Co., TN Census:**

Widow **Sarah Mayfield** was living with her daughter **Mary L. J. Mayfield** & her husband **Wesley J. Sands**. Sarah died in 1917.

→ **1920 Knox Co., TN Census:**

In this 1900 Knox Co. census are the following children of now deceased Sarah Mayfield:

James Harvey Mayfield and wife **Mary [Maranville]**, with some of their children;

William Anthony Mayfield and wife **Lottie [Owens]**, with some of their children and also a nephew of Lottie.

Also in this census are **Cecil Garland Mayfield** and wife **Mattie [Murphy]**. Cecil was a son of James Harvey and Mary Mayfield.

*I don't know the identity of Charles Mayfield at Eastern State Hospital in this census, who is listed as having no occupation. I suspect that he and Sowin Mayfield were not directly connected to the Brady Mayfield line. The **Charles Sylvester Mayfield** [b. 1887], who was a son of Robert Brady and Magnolia Mayfield appears in the 1920 Cincinnati City, Hamilton, OH census with his wife **Jessie [Hickey]** and children. His occupation, as listed there, appears to involve repairing the tanks of railroad steam engines.*

