

## **Shelby County, Names Recorded in the Diary of Lucius S. Keaton, 1864–1865**

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Central Indiana teenager Lucius S. Keaton was three days shy of his fourteenth birthday the day he started his diary, complete with lists of family members, community folk, school classmates, and a paginated index. The following abstractions of names were taken from this journal. The William Henry Smith Memorial Library holds a photocopy of Lucius's diary (collection number SC 2115), available for review in the library's reading room. The whereabouts of the original diary and its present owner are unknown.

Family designations listed below are as related to Lucius. The spelling of the family name has been standardized here for ease of reference.

### **The Keaton Family, Immediate and Extended**

Cracraft, M. L. (husband of Jane Keaton)

Dunn, J. R. (brother-in-law, married to Mary Keaton)

Gibbs, John William (nephew)

Harlan, Geo. M. (cousin)

Keaton, Ambrose R. (uncle)

Keaton, Asbury H. (brother)

Keaton, Ellen (cousin)

Keaton, Elva May (sister)

Keaton, James M. (cousin, son of Thomas Keaton)

Keaton, James Madison (cousin, son of John Keaton)

Keaton, Jane (cousin)

Keaton, Jno./John A. (uncle)

Keaton, Jos./Joseph (uncle)

Keaton, Keziah (mother)

Keaton, Larinda A. (sister)  
Keaton, Mary A. (half-sister)  
Keaton, Oliver Y. (half-brother)  
Keaton, Rebecca A. (half-sister; married name Gibbs)  
Keaton, Samantha Alice (sister)  
Keaton, Seidona/Scidona (half-sister)  
Keaton, Susan (cousin)  
Keaton, Thomas (grandfather)  
Keaton, Thomas R. (half-brother)  
Keaton, Thomas V. (uncle)  
Keaton, Thos. J., Sr. (uncle)  
Keaton, William D. (brother)  
Keaton, William S. (cousin)  
Keaton, William T. (father)  
Mcduffey, Martitia (cousin)  
Selby, Eliza Jane (aunt)  
Selby, Jennie (aunt)  
Selby, Wm./William T. (uncle)  
Stallard, Rev. J. H. (cousin)  
Tyner, Martha E. (wife of James M. Keaton, son of Thomas Keaton)

### **Community Members**

Anderson, James (assistant superintendent, Sabbath school at Asbury Chapel)  
Ball, Mrs.  
Bothenburg, Rev. Mr. (M. P. church)  
Bucks, Thomas  
Brown, Marshal S.  
Burton, Jas.  
Carlton/Carrolton, Mr. (reverend of M. P. church)  
Curry, Mrs.  
Daily, Rev. Dr. (M. E. church)

Dumont, Col.  
Eaten, Jackson  
Eaton, Jno.  
Gates, Dayton (Sabbath school teacher, Asbury Chapel)  
Gooding, Judge  
Handy, Mary  
Hargrove, Rev. Alexander M.  
Hargrove, Dr. Wm. S. (school teacher, 1864)  
Holding, Jno.  
Johnson, Jonathan (treasurer, Sabbath school at Asbury Chapel)  
Johnson, Jno.  
Johnson, Sam M.  
Kingly, Ellis  
Lynch, Rev. T. H. (M. E. church)  
Mcgauhey, Dr. David (physician)  
McGrew, Mrs.  
Mcmillan, “Old Grandmother”  
McSharpe, Rev. J. (M. E. church)  
Morrison, Cordon  
Morrison, Hugh (librarian, Sabbath school at Asbury Chapel)  
Paterson, Dr. (physician)  
Rigdon, Rev. Dr. (reverend of M. P. church)  
Roice, Wesly.  
Smith, J. Alexander  
Spurrier, George  
Thayer, Mr.  
Tracy, Isaac (school teacher)  
Tucker, Alfred/Alferd  
Tyner, Alpheus (superintendent, Sabbath school at Asbury Chapel)  
Tyner, Jos. (secretary, Sabbath school at Asbury Chapel)  
VanScoite, James

Wright, Rev. E. (M. E. church)

Woodyard, W. W.

**School Classmates**

Anderson, Alonzo/Lonzo

Anderson, Ros./Rosco C.

Anderson, Thirla

Awl, Susan

Bentley/Bentely, Jno. H.

Bentley, Chars.

Bently, Ben. F.

Bunday, Ben. F.

Chandler, Elizea/Eliza J.

Chandler, Jos./Josepheus

Chandler, Morgan

Curry, Uriah

Denglinger, Adalaska

DePugh, Lilly

Hargrove, Alven

Hargrove, Arnelia

Hargrove, Charles

Hargrove, Florida

Hargrove, Jas. F.

Hargrove, Leonadus

Hargrove, Mary E.

Hargrove, Sarah J.

Hargrove, The.

Keaton, Albert R.

Keaton, Asbury H.

Keaton, Jno. T.

Keaton, Jos. L.

Keaton, Larinda A.  
Keaton, S. Alice/Semantha Alice  
Keaton, Walter A.  
Keaton, Wm. D.  
Keaton, Zelda  
Mcgrew, Elisibeth  
Morrison, Ada  
Morrison, Austin B.  
Morrison, Lela/Lilly A. J.  
Morrison, Marion B.  
Patten, Jno. L.  
Paten, Julia-etta/Juliaetta  
Patten, Seth Charley/S. Chars.  
Reed, James S.  
Smith, Cary  
Smith, Ella  
Smith, James Cary  
Smith, Jno. W.  
Smith, Mary-etta/Mariaetta  
Smith, Sarah E.  
Smith, Viola F.  
Smith, Wm. H.  
Weaver, Idea  
Wolfe, Henrie-etta/Henriaette  
Wolfe, Ida M.  
Wolfe, Jacob/Jac. G.  
Wolfe, Jno. W.  
Wolfe, Lydia M.

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