

WARREN CO, KY: 548 Sq. mi. "This co
was est. in 1796 from part of Logan co. +
named for gen. Jos. Warren, the Mass.
physician, who was killed in the Battle
of Bunker Hill in 1775." (Book, p. 309);

ALMA (WARREN CO, KY) = pu. est. 5/13/1850

Gen. H. Lewis, disc 5/3/62 (POR);

ALVATON (Warren Co.): PO named for Mrs. Alva (Dickerson) Larmon, wife of John Larmon of Larmons Mill. (Acc. to Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); po est. 6/18/1883, Sam'l. J. Witherspoon... (NA); ("(Ae)l/və/tən") Off of the old Scottsville Rd. (US231)... Now: gro. fire sta., sch. (Steve Ray, interview, 8/31/1978); (Same pron. acc. to Irene Sumpter, 9/1/1978); ("(Ae)l/və/tən") DK origin of the name. (Harry Jackson, interview, 8/31/1978); same pron. (Irene Sumpter, 9/1/1978);

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ALVATON (Warren Co.): The vil. may have had several names in the beginning. c. 1880, C.J. Larmon started a gen'l. store at this site.. (Miss Ladd, WPA ^{4/1941}); "This hamlet of po lies at the jct. of us 231 + my. 872, 5 (acc) mi. se of B-gr. The po was est. on 6/18/1880 & sam'l. I. with her postm, PM, and named for Alva Dickerson Larmon, wife of John Larmon of nearby Larmon's Mill." (Book, p. 6);

ANNA (Warren Co.): po est. 6/22/1898, Allen
T. Young, declined; 8/26/1898, Geo. Knight...
(NA); Disc 1965

- ✓ ANVIL ROCK (Warren Co., Ky): "so named because it resembles a blacksmith's anvil. It is about 50-feet high, 20 feet wide, 2-feet thick, with a projection of spur like the horn of an anvil. It stands upon level bottom land, entirely isolated. What placed it there remains a mystery." (WPA notes)

BAYSFORK. (Warren Co.): po est. 5/15/1890,
as Bays Fork, Warner L. Willoughby; ch. to
Bay Fork, 1/11/1895, Euclid Pearson; actually
by then it was spelled one word as Bayfork,
which is the present spelling...Disc. eff.
8/13/1904 (mail to Motley); Re-est. 5/19/1904
Fletcher B. Buchanan...Disc. 6/16/1915 (mail
to Alvaton) (NA); First called Flat Foot.
Settlement and stream named for William Bay,
who arr. Ky. 1776. The stream is a branch of
the Big Barren R. (check on this....) (M.
Ladd, WPA, 4/1941);

BAYSFORK (Warren Co.): Orig. called Flatfoot by early settlers. Acc. to legend, a Mr. Martin gave 2 acres of land for a local chu. Early residents couldnt agree on a name until Martin came by barefooted, leaving his "track in the dusty road." DK why n.ch. (Grubbs, THE 4 KEYS TO KY, "Orig. of Hist'c. P.N." n.d., Pp. 228-9);

BENLEO (Warren Co.): Named for Bennie and Lee the children of the 1st postmaster, Mr. Hunt. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); ("B(eh)n/lee/(oh)") Betw. Anna and Richardsville. A wide spot on the road to ~~Green~~ Green Castle... (Stev Ray, interview, 8/31/1978); ("B(eh)n/lee/(oh)") Irene Sumpter, interview, 9/1/1978);

BENLEO (Warren Co.): po est. 7/19/1907,
Mary E. Phillips....(NA); Disc 1941

BLUE LEVEL (Warren Co.): The name for this place is at least 100 yrs. old. First it identified a race track. Probably named for the level land in an otherwise extremely hilly section. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); po est. as Bluelevel, 3/25/1898, Jas. R. Dethridge...Disc. eff. 6/30/1905 (mail to Rockfield) (NA); ("Blū L(eh)v/ə1") Go down US68 from Memphis Junction and turn right to go to B.L., a small commu. on the White Stone Quarry Rd....(Steve Ray, interview, 8/31/78);

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co.): Robt. Moore built cabin at Big Spring. Attracted by the spring. In 1797 he offered to the new count 2 acres of his land for its seat. On this land, Fountain Park (hence the nickname "Park City") was located, the site for the public bldgs. The town was est. around the bowling green, 1/2/1798 on Robt. Moore's motion. At March term of cy. ct. (1798), the B.G. name was selected, sometimes spelled Bolingreen. "owing to the natural formation of the land and its beauty".... "Soon after he built his house, Robt. Moore constructed a bowling alley nearby and in

some of the old records we find mention of Robert Moore's 'Ball Alley'...." Robt. & Geo. Moore expanded their holdings by 12 acres to Reservoir Hill....Many persons decided by 1805 that B.G. should be extended ~~ed~~ to the river to allow commercial access via the river. In 11/1805, Robt. moved for extension to the river. In a new town c the river, 2 acres were set aside for publ. bldgs. John McNeil (sic) succeeded on 11/5 1805 in est. Jeffersonville. Led to controversy over the location of the cy. seat. McNeil wanted it in Jeff...In the fall of

1807 on Robt's motion, the ct. ordered the
ct. hse. built on his new town extension.
But by 1808, opinion seemed to favor McN.
In 1808, the Leg. authorized the appoint-
ment of commissioners to determine the
permanent location of the seat. McN. ran a
ferry at Jeff. Commissioners met 5/2/1808
and reported on 6/6/1808 in favor of Jeff.
....But the ct. stayed in B.G. The 2/1809
term of ct. met there. B.G. was inc. as
such in 1810.... ("Warren Co. and B.G."
by Mrs. W.C. Sumpter, ms, in Ky. Libr.
Warren Co. Vert. Files, examined by me,
9/1/1978);

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co., Ky) - "The
2nd cl. city and seat of Warren Co., is
on us 31 W, 68, and 231, just W. of I 65,
and 88 mi. SW of downtown Louisv.
The town was est. in 1798 as Bolin Green
on 2 acres donated the yr. before by
Rob't. Moore for the seat of the newly
created Co. The ps of Bowl. Green was
est. on 4/1/1802 & Rob't's bro. George
as PM + the town (was) inc. with this
name in 1810. It was most likely named
for Bowling Green, the seat of Caroline

co., Va. which in turn had been named
for the nearby estate of Col John
Hoopes as a condition for his dona-
tion of the site for the public bldg.
The estate boasted a large lawn
where the game of bowls was played
by country gentlemen. The derivation
seems plausible because many pion-
warren co. fam's. had come from
this section of Va. Some local
historians, however, think the
name referred to Rob't. Moore's

"bell alley" near his home, which is mentioned in old records as a source of local health for years. This industrial, commercial, and cultural capital of S.C. Ky. has been called 'The Park city' for its downtown Fountain Square Park in which a fountain was erected in 1881." (Book 1 p. 32);

Bowling Green

From John B. Rodes "Early Hist. of B.G." ms c.1927 "....At the March term 1798...the name of the city was bestowed and it was ordered to be called 'Bolin Green.' Upon the old records it is sometimes spelled 'Bolin-green.'...When Robert Moore built his cabin near Big Spring...and when the co. ct. began to meet at his house, he constructed in some nearby place upon the green-sward (sic) a bowling alley, and in the old records, I find an occasional reference to the 'ball alley of Robert Moore.' He thus catered to the love of pioneer for sport, and the first game ever played where B.G. now stands was

with the thunder of the balls of a bowling alley." Rodes discounts completely the statement of Mr. Bowling in a letter to John E. Younglove who claimed that his father, James Bowling gave his name to the town. Rodes had searched all records and could not find the name in use before the town was named. He thus had "not the slightest doubt that B.G. was named from the bowling alley of Robert Moore...." (n.p.)

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co.): Pop. c. 44,000
(as of 2/1974). Manu. city: auto parts,
underwear, synthetic cords for tires, cigars
....; Est. 3/6/1798 and named for a square
in NYC in which Geo. III's statue had been
toppled and melted into bullets by the rebs.
Robt. Moore was the 1st prop. of B.G. He laid
it off and donated land for public square,
public spring, cem. A town called Newtown was
est. nr. the site of colored sch. But by 1807
B.G. was est. as such and Newtown was no more
~~.... A Mr. Gaines of B.G. named~~ (Sallie Carr
Drake, HIST. OF B.G. ms, 1903, Ky. Libr.
Warren Co. Hist. Vert. Files, examined 8/31/
1978);

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co.): There's a vil. called Bowling Green in Holmes Co., Miss. c. 10 mi. ne of Lexington. Acc. to trad., it's one of the oldest trading ctrs. in the co. but there's no record of its date of founding. It's said to have been an Indian camp grounds before white settlement. Acc. to trad., it was named for 2 pioneers, Mr. Bowling who est. a brick kiln there and Mr. Green who operated a tanyard. Other settlers followed soon after...The vil. was called Bowling Green. It's said that Ky's B.G. was named for this place. (From info. furnished by J.U. Sheehy, long time local businessman

and Jeff D. Weeks, clerk of the circ. ct. who
was ne there....(Jas. T. Buck, "Bowling
Green among Earliest Landmarks of Holmes Co
in LEXINGTON ADVERTISER (Miss), 12/1937, in
Warren Co., Ky. Vert. Files, Ky. Libr., WKU
examined by me, 9/1/1978)

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co.): Perhaps named for a Bowling family who 1st settled there; or for Bowling Green, NY which was named for the pop. English sport in colonial times, 'Bowling on the Green.' Inc. 1812. ("Bowling Green, Ky. Her Natural and Commercial Attractions" by Miss Emma Wheat Sullivan, TAYLOR-TROTWOOD MAG. Nashville, Tenn. 9/1909); From Warren Co. Order Book A, P. 64, 3/6/1798, "ordered that 30 acres or more not exceeding 40 acres of lar be vested in the trustees...for the purpose of laying off a town...which..shall be called.. Bolin Green." (sic)

BOWLING GREEN. (Warren Co.): Acc. to a hist. of B.G. and W. Co. written by Judge John B. Rodes sometime before 1934 and published in the 10/30/1934 souvenir ed. of the Park City Daily News, the city was est. 1/2/1798 and named 3/6/1798 Bolin Green tho' in old records is was sometimes spelled Bowlinggreen. ...And he said he had no doubt that it was named for Robt. Moore's bowling alley. He specifically rejected the claim of a Mo. resident named Bowling that the city was named by his father, Jas. Bowling. The claim was ~~repeated~~ in a clipping from a Missouri newsp and in a letter from Bowling to the late

given

Jas. E. Younglove. (from an article in
the col. "Park Row Paragraphs, in the PCDN
2/17/1955);

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co., Ky): "est. & designated co. seat in 1798. Geo. & Robt. Moore arr. in W. Co. in the early 1790s and built a log house nr. a spring close to what is now the intersection of State & Main Streets. Several yrs. later, the Moores donated two acres of land to the co. govt. for the erection of public bldgs. During the 1st decades of the 19th cent., B.G. grew around the public sq., westward along Main St. and along the town's principal n-s streets beside the public sq.--College & State Sts...." (brochure of the Upper E. Main St. Hist'c. Dist. Walking Tour, c1986)

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co., Ky): The 1st po was est. in the home of Geo. Moore, co-founder of the town. He owned the town's 1st house in 1790. It became a tavern for travelers. Was at the Big Spring at the back of the Main St. side of Fountain Sq. The tavern was also a stage stop. Vil. grew to a city with the coming of the rr. (Wm. M. Temple, "Former Resident Digs Out Hist. of Local Postoffices and Postmasters" PARK CITY D.N. 1/9/1949)

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co.): "Founded 1796 by Robt. Moore who built cabin at the Big Spring located here. This spring water was nucleus around which the town grew. Moore, his bro. George, and Jas. Stewart posted bond of 1000 Engl. pounds to est. town in 1797...Named 'Bolin Green,' 1798, traditionally because of bowling grounds located on site." (Highway marker, acc. to GUIDE, No. 997, Pp. 183-4); Became the Confed. state cap. of Ky. at the Russellville Conv. 11/20/1861..(acc. to highway marker at the Ky. Bldg.; WKU, acc. to GUIDE, No. 67, P. 10);

BOWLING-GREEN (Warren Co.): Caroline Co., Va.
est. 1727..Sometime betw. 1793 and 1803 the
seat was moved to B.G. mostly thru the
efforts of Col. John Hoomes who owned an est
on the so. edge of the present town limits
which was called Bowling Green-now known as
Old Mansion. He gave the land for ct. hse.
In 1778 he built a tavern nr. the mansion
and called it New Hope. Settlement developed
around it and became B.G. The mansion was
built by Maj. Thos. Hoomes sometime after
1667 when he secured a crown grant to the
land. In the 18th cent. the mansion ~~(was)~~

large lawn was a bowling green and it was surrounded by a race track....("Bowling Green: A Town Erected with 'New Hope'" THE FREE LANCE-STAR: TOWN AND COUNTRY, 7/16 1966, P. A-3, examined by me in Warren Co. Vert. Files, Ky. Libr., WKU, 9/1/1978);

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co., Ky.) "Operators of a tavern near the 'big spring' in Warren County, Robert and George Moore, laid off a town around their tavern in 1798. The pioneer philanthropists designated two acres for the courthouse and jail site. Tradition has it that the Moore brothers and neighboring woodsmen bowled every evening on a green by the tavern, and therefore the first village in Warren County earned the name of Bowling Green. (LCJ, 8/31/1941)

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co., Ky.)

"....It was founded in 1790 by Robert Moore, and in 1799, George Moore, a brother, dedicated for public use an area of 20x120 feet around the spring which was one of the reasons for (~~establishing~~) the establishment of the community. This public area was largely used for 'bowling on the green' and when it came time to give the town an official name a short time thereafter, Bowling Green naturally suggested itself."
(RR South, L&N MAG., 6/1949, P. 19)

BOWLING GREEN (Warren County, Ky.) Founded c. 1780. Named for "the habit of playing bowls here on the level, green lawns, particularly on the front lawn of one of ~~the~~ its oldest settlers. The expression 'Let's go down to the Bowling Green' eventually gave the city its name." (Quimby, SCRATCH ANKLE, P. 62, from the local Chamber of Commerce) (F71c); Probab: named for Bowling Green in Caroline Co., Va. which, in turn, was probably named for the green where the game was played; this was at Mt. Airy, Va., the home of the Taylors in the Northern Neck, some 15 mi. from Caroline's co. seat. (Malcolm H. Crump of B.G., ky. in letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922);

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co.): Named for the co. seat of Caroline Co., Va. which, in turn, was named for the estate of Major Homes (sic) who gave the land for the ct. hse. and other public bldgs. on condition the town be named for his estate. His estate, since then called "Old Mansion" is still located s. of the town's limits and was built c. 1650. Many Warren Co. Ky. families came from Caroline Co., Va. and brought the name with them. (from undated clipping from "Park Row Paragraphs" col. in PCDN founded in Warren Co. Vert. Files, Ky. Libr. WKU, examined by me, 9/1/1978);

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co., Ky): "This 2nd class city and seat of W. Co. is on US31W, 68, and 231, just w. of I65, and 88 miles sw of downtown Lou. The town was est. in 1798 as Bolin Green on 2 acres donated the year before by Robt. Moore for the seat of the newly created co. The po of Bowling Green was est. on 4/1/1802 with Robert's bro., Geo. as pm. and the town was inc. with this name in 1810. It was most likely named for B.G., the seat of Caroline Co., V which in turn had been named for the nearby estate of Col. John Hoomes as a condition for his donation of the site for the public

ouildings. The estate boasted a large lawn where the game of bowls was played by country gentlemen. This derivation seems plausible because many pioneer Warren Co. families had come from this section of Va. Some local historians, however, think the name referred to Robert Moore's 'ball alley' near his home, which is mentioned in old records as a source of local recreation. For yrs. this ind., commercial, & cult. capital of sc Ky. has been called 'The Park City' for its downtown Fountain Square Park in which a fountain was erected in 1881." (Book, P. 32)

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co.): Acc. to J.E. Younglove in "Younglove Scrapbook #3," in the Warren Co. Vert. Files, Ky. Room, WKU, in a letter, Jas. Lewis Bowling of Lodi, Mo. wrote that his father was ne Orange Co., Va. in 1775 and moved to Ky. in 1791, married Jennie Milligan in Warren Co. and lived at or nr. the city of B.G. until 1816 when he moved to St. Chas., Mo. James was born in St. Chas. Co., Mo. 6/18/1817...He claimed that his acct. of the naming of B.G., Ky. was a family trad. and he could give no more info. about it.

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co.): Robt. Moore built cabin at site of Big Spring, 1794. The 1st cy. ct. was org. at his home, 4/1797. He gave land for the cy. seat. John McNeal (sic) est. town of Jeffersonville 11/5/1805, a contender for cy. seat. Ky. Leg. 1808 authorized the re-est. of cy. seat. They met 5/2/1808 at B.G. and suggested Jeff. (at site of what later became known as Shakerag). 9/6/1808, the commissioners ordered the ct. hse. moved to Jeff. But for reasons unknown, in 2/1809, the ct. was back in B.G. In 1809, McNeal sold his Jeff. holdings and moved to B.G. ("Hist'l. Sketch of W. Co." by Jesse J. Dunbar, pp. 11-12)

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co.): In 1797, 2 acres of what's now Fountain Park were donated to the cy. for public bldgs. and ct. hse and jail built here. c. 1805, many felt that the ct. hse. should be relocated closer to the Barren R. for adv. of river travel. 11/1805 B.G. was extended to the river and 2 acres were donated for public bldgs. in what was called the New Town on land that later became the site of the old State St. Sch. Bldg. By then, John McNeel (sic) est. the town of Jeffersonville on the Barren R. at the e. edge of town. Led to controversy on location of cy. seat. Three sites competed for the ct

hse: Jeff., Old Town, and New Town. McNeal
got the Ky. Leg. in 1808 to appoint comm'n.
to select permanent seat. Comm'n. chose J.
But for unknown reasons, B.G. remained the
co. seat....("Park Row Paragraphs col."
entitled "Controversy--Part of Heritage"
PARK CITY DAILY NEWS, 8/7/1958 by Ray Gaine

BOWLING GREEN (Warren Co.): Commercial, mercantile, and cultural center of S.C. Ky. Industrial plants: automotive, Firestone Tire, Chevrolet Corvette plant....(1979); p.o. est. 4/1/1802, Geo. Moore....(NA);

BOYCE (Warren): Named for noted Baptist preacher of the Baptist College of Louisville, Ky. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); po est. 3/20/1900, Wm. B. Lightfoot... (NA); ("Bois") (Harry L. Jackson, 8/31/1978); disc

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BRIGGSVILLE (WARREN CO, KY) = PO. est.

8/17/1840, Wm M. P. Mason, 12/16/40,
Olive H. P. Scanland ; disc 1/1/42.
(POR);

BRISTOW (Warren Co.): po est. as Bristow
Sta. 6/22/1860, Zachariah G. Taylor...n.ch.
to Bristow, 12/13/1880, Jas. A. Roberts (the
last pm of B.S.)....(NA); ("Br(ih)s/t(oh)")
Mainly on US31W. Had a hi.sch. Still has an
ele. sch....The old Dr. Palmour farm...Trail-
er ct...Firestone Textiles Industry has a
plant at jct. of US31W/68, just outside of
Bristow. Nearby foodstore, rest., churches...
dpo. (Steven Ray, interview, 8/31/1978);

BRISTOW (Warren Co., Ky.)

Named for Gen. Bristow of the US Army by John Ewing who had donated 2 acres of land to the L&N RR on which to locate its depot. For this he was "given the privilege of naming the station and called it Bristow." (RR South, L&N MAG., 12/1949, P. 17). Named for the Hon. Ben Bristow, Sec. of War under Pres. Grant. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922);

T. W. Steel

BRISTOW (Warren Co, Ky): "now identifying the homes and businesses along US 31W/68, just ne of its jct. & Moor-
man Rd. and $2\frac{1}{2}$ (air) mi. nr of B. Gr., this name was first applied to the L&N
RR Sta. and now epo $\frac{1}{4}$ mi. S. John
Ewing, who donated 2 acres for the
depot, is said to have named the sta.,
probably for Francis M. Bristow who
then represented that dist. in the US
cong. The po, est. as Bristow Sta on 6/2
/1860, c Zachariah G. Taylor, P.M., be-
came simply Bristow in 1880." (Book
8.36);

BRISTOW (Warren Co.): Benj. Helm Bristow (1832-1896), ne Elkton, Ky. son of Francis M. Bristow, atty. and US Congressman from that district 1854-5, 1859-61. An anti-slavery unionist. Benj. Helm in 1858 was a Hopkinsv. lawyer till 1861 when he joined the Union Army. (DAB, P. 55); Founded and named by John Ewing who also named Ewing's Ford and who donated land at the site of Bristow for the L&N RR's right-of-way. (PCDN, 12/3/1944);

BROWNING (Warren Co.): Named for the Browning family that had come from Culpeper Co., Va. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); po est. 4/26/1902, Melvin E. Porter; Disc. eff. 8/15/1906 (mail to Rockfield) (NA); ("Br(ow)n(ih)g") Commu. in SW Warren Co. was named for 2 bros., Quinton and Dan'l. B. Browning who were early W. Co. settlers" who built their homes on adjoining farms." They were the sons of ~~John Strauver (ch. sp.)~~ and Gillian (Covington) Browning of Logan Co. In 1839, Dan'l. bought 300 acres on Gasper R. from Jos. Covington. In c.1848, he sold 120 acres of

Geo. Strother

this land to his bro. on which he built a
log home...In 1856 he sold the 120 acres &
home to Edmund Duncan and moved to Mo. ~~Edm~~
Daniel was ne 1812...His grandson, ~~(xx)~~ Daniel
Perkins Browning left a ms. on the family i
1909... (Irene Sumpter, AN ALBUM OF EARLY
WARREN CO. LANDMARKS, P. (8-9));

BROWNING (Warren Co, Ky) = "This hamlet & epb on Ky 1083, 7 (air) mi. W. of Bowl-green, was named for Quinton and David B. Browning, the sons of Geo. Strother Browning of Logan Co, who settled early on adjoining farms in the vic. The po, in op'n. from 1902 to 1906, had only 1 pm (Melvin E Porter)." (Book - pp 37-8);

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CASSADAY (Warren Co.); po est. 7/28/1886, Jos.
H. Cassaday...Disc. 4/29/1916 (mail to Bowling
Green) (NA);

CAVE HILL (WARREN CO, KY): PO. est.

in BUTLER CO. in 1879. Into Warren Co,

9/22/85, Wm W. Ezell, 2/15/04, Burlie

Ellis --- 1/14/20, Eldon G. Shaver, DISC

9/30/26 (m to sunny land) (POR);

CLAYPOOL (Warren Co.): ("Klā/pūl") Stephen Claypool, Sr., a pioneer settler in the co. He was ne 1788 in Anderson, Greenbrier Co., Va. and to Ky. 1799. Son of John & Rebecca Osborne Claypool. The settlement of Claypool was named for his family. In 1807, he marrie Sarah Whitten...They had a large family of 18 children. He was a successful farmer with many slaves. He had a blacksmith shop and a grist mill on his farm.. He built flatboats to ship tobacco to N.O. on the Barren RiverHe died 3/13/1862 and was buried in the family cem. on his property....(Irene Sumpte
AN ALBUM OF EARLY WARREN CO. LANDMARKS, P.40

CLAYPOOL (Warren Co.): Named for a large family in that vic. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); po est. 1/29/1856, John S. Saunders; 12/5/1857, Burrel P. Claypool; Disc. 11/17/1860; Re-est. 5/30/1862, Henry W. Motley ...9/14/1905, Lane Claypool; 3/26/1909, Roy Claypool....(NA); ("Klā/pū1") Named for the Claypool family, very early settlers, since pre-county days. Their descendants are all over the county now. (Harry L. Jackson, interview, 8/31/1978); Disc 1957

Claypool (Warren Co., Ky): "This
xrd. settlement \bar{c} Ep0 is at the jct. of
Ky. 234 + 961., less than $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. W. of
Bays Pt. of Barren R. + $9\frac{1}{2}$ (air) mi.
ESE of Bowl. green. The po was est.
on 1/29/1856 \bar{c} John S. Saunders, pn
and named for the fam. of Warren
Co. pion Stephen Claypool (1788-
1862). His son, Col. Elijah Claypool,
served for years in the Ky. militia
+ represented the co. in the state leg.
(1849-50)." (Book, p. 60);

CLAYPOOL (Warren Co.): Named for pioneer Warren Co. family. Stephen Claypool, Va.-born pioneer and Indian fighter, to Ky. early. His son, Elijah Claypool, ne Warren Co. 1808 on Barren River. Was a longtime colonel in the Ky. Militia and in 1849-50 session represented Warren Co. in the Ky. Leg.(....) (Perrin, Vol. 2-Warren Co..P. 159);

DARBY (WARREN CO, KY) = PO. est. 5/27
1887, Bedford N. Lewis -- 9/17/89,
Albert S. Lewis; Disc. 10/15/08 (m. to
Girkin), Re-est. 7/11/13, Sarah E. Lewis.
Disc. 2/18/14 (m. to Bristow) (POR);
(F-77)

DARK SINK (Warren Co., Ky): on Joe Rich farm. 90 ft deep. underground passages for some distance. Big Sink = ^{acres} $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. long & 100 ft. deep. 12 underground stream rises 50-60 inches when it rains. (P.H. of W. Co. 1951);

DRAKE'S POND (Warren Co, Ky): Discovered
ed by & named for J. C. Drake, a long
hunter, in 1775 in vic of B. Gr. also
Drake's Lick. (Collins II, p. 418);

DRAKE (Warren Co.): po est. 3/28/1892, John W. Goodrum (?)...(NA); Whites Chapel or Drake PO is on Drakes Creek. ("W(ah) (eye)ts Ch(ae)p əl". (Steve Ray, interview, 8/31/1978); ("Drāx Kreek") was named for the Long Hunter, Jos. Drake. The Drake community was named for the creek and the church (which is nearer Boyce). The Drake po is now at the Whites Chapel (sic) and that was named for the White family. ("W(eye)ts Ch(ae)p/əl")... Old Drake is not at the site of Whites Chapel but on Middle Fork Creek which runs into Drakes Creek less than a mi. away. Roland Madison built the Madisons Mill at the site of Old Drake. At

that site: 2 blacksmith shops, sch., store, several homes. When the store burned, they moved it from there (c.1940) to the Whites Chapel site; relocated the po, and called it Drake. The W.C. chu. site has always been known as Whites Chapel, both the store and the church until the po was moved there then the name was changed to Drake. DK about the White family except that they were an early family in the county. The name was applied to that vic., c. middle of the 19th cent. but not a pioneer settlement. Both names are used locally today. The store &

po is called Drake and the church is called Whites Chapel. (Harry Jackson, interview, 8/31/1978); Drakes ck. from N30°

50' / W 86° 24' 40" n. to join Barnes R. at

N 36° 35' 50" / W 86° 22' 04" . (B 9N, 2/59);

DRAKE (Warren Co., Ky.)

p.o. for the White Chapel community. Much info. on Drake but nothing on name sources (see Richards notes in Simpson Co. folder...)
The Drake P.O. (1972) was located in Kitchen's Gro. and across the road from Whites Chapel. Mr. Kitchen, age mid 20s, is the pm. The commu. is commonly called Whites Chapel though the po is known as Drake. No one seems to know who Drake was or how the po got its name. (Frances & Mary Ellen Richards, interview, 5/17/1972);

^ PR. N. F. HILLMAN

DRIPPING SPRINGS (Warren Co.): On the Louis. Rd. nr. the Edmonson Co. line. Named early for small local springs. (Anon. ms. "P.N. of W. Co. 1951" P. 1, Ky. Libr. WKU, xeroxed by me, 9/23/1980); The P.O. "is only marked by the old stone spring house which is still standing." PO disc. c.1860. Store & hotel here was moved to Rocky Hill Sta. where "a new p.o. was est." (Ibid., * P. 4); Edm. Co.

1844-59;

DYES FORD (WARREN CO, KY) = "P" name:
for Abram Dye, there before 1800. Family
still there by mid 20 cent. nr-Plano.
(Steve Ray, 8/31/78);

ELK SPRING (WARREN CO, KY): PO-est.

5/30/1860, Thos. W. Ewing, 5/3/62

Jonathan Osborn --- 11/16/64, Ibid.

Disc 5/7/68, Re-est. 7/31/68, Frances

S. EWING, 2(23/7), Thos. Hendrick,

Disc 7/10/72 (POR);

ELM WELL (WARREN CO, KY) = P.O. es
8/31/1847, Isaac Smith, O.P.C. 1/5/
1848 (P.O.R.);

~~ELM WELL~~

FAR VIEW (WARREN CO, KY) = PO. EST. 1/24
1842, ROBT. W. LUCAS, DISC 1/5/46 (POOR)

FURAYCE (WARREN CO, KY): Po-est.

6/30/1891, John W. Morris, 5/28/92, John E
Owens, Disc. 8/1/1893 (p. to Memphis
Jct) (POR); (F-71)

FREELAND (Warren Co, Ky): Po. est. 2/3/1908, Aubrey R. Stewart, Disc 1/3/09 (Mt. Riverside) (POR);

FRENCH (Warren Co, NY) = PO. est. 2/19/
1901, LaPhaatt (sic) m french. n. ch. to
Frenchville 1/6/02, ibid. 4/27/03, G.M.
Simon, disc 7/3/03 (P. to Nick, Edm.
Co.) (POR);

GALLOWAYS MILL (WARREN CO, KY) = PO

est. 7/30/1879, John Q. Taylor, 6/28/81,
Abram M. Galloway, 8/1/82, James G.
Adams, 12/17/99, Lizzie A. McFadden Disc
9/30/05 (m. to Rockfield) (POR);

GASPER MILLS (WARREN CO, KY) = PO.

est: 8/22/54, Thompson L. Burnam,

1/9/1855, Henry Potter, Disc 2/1/56 (Por

gasper RIVER mills → Galloway's mill (at

m. of gasper ck.) before 1850;

GIRKIN (Warren Co.): po est. 3/13/1888,
Alexander S. Spalding..Disc. 10/31/1913 (mail
to Bristow) (NA); ("Gher/kən") (Steve Ray,
8/31/1978);

GLENMORE (WARREN CO, KY) = PO. EST.

12/2/1893, W. SCOTT MERCUREAU, 10/29/95,

FRANK G. FOX --- DISC. 1955 (POR);

(F590)

GRAHAM'S LANDING (Warren Co.): On Barren R. Named for Alex Graham, owner of local store and landing. Nearby Graham's Spring was well known spot for barbecues and picnics. Flour mill which was operated for yrs. by the father of O.S. Ray of Bowl. Green. Graham's Landing was also called Phalan for years. (Anon. ms. "P.N. of W. Co. 1951" Ky. Libr. WKU, xeroxed by me, 9/23/1980, P. 1);

GRAHAM (WARREN CO, KY); PO-est. 4/27/
1860, John D. Mannen, Disc 12/20/60. Re-
est 5/16/62, Caleb Garrison, 12/9/62,
Thos. L. Elrod, Disc 7/31/63. Re-est.
1/20/64, Thos. E. Elrod, Disc 8/26/65;
PO est. as Limbenhour (?) 9/19/1882
Robt. D. Stone, nch to Phalen 10/23/82
Ibid. 1 4/12/95, Edward T. Stone, Disc
1/20/97 (m. to Bn'staw) (POR);

GREEN CASTLE (Warren Co.): ("Ghreen K(ae)s/
ə1") Past Richardsville to/ Butler Co. A
dam on the Green R. there. Browns Lock
 ("Brownz L(ah)K") DK the latter as a commu.
name. Never a sch. there. (Steve Ray, inter-
view, 8/31/1978); "Browns Lock and mill onc
did a flourishing business at Green Castle.
(pron. the same) The locks and dam were
built about 1845 by Jas. Ford and Thomas
Stephens, Sr. The mill was built much later
but before 1860 by Wm. Brown. Mr. Brown and
his wife lived in a beautiful colonial home
which after their deaths was bought by Wm.
Bolton, an Englishman...(Acc. to Mr. Charles

in Va. (act. to Perrin)

Davenport): "For a long time, it was the only mill north and west of the Lou. & Nash RR and many people from Butler and Edmonson Co's. came there to do their milling, making Green Castle a bustling little community. John Whetzel was the lock keeper for many years. The 1st house and store built at Green Castle was built by Robert Alexander, succeeded by Thos. Roup....Thos. Thacker also ran a store there at one time" Wm. Brown's dates ne 7/13/1795, died 8/21/1874. Brown's Lock was named for him. (Irene Sumpter, 9/1/1978 reading from her book AN ALBUM OF EARLY WARREN CO. LAND-

MARKS, P. 17); inc. as Greencastle,
no. 312/1869 (ACTS. 1869, vol. 2 p. 251)

GREEN CASTLE (Warren Co.): Named in early 19th cent. by Capt. Wm. Brown of Pa. Probably from Greencastle, Pa. Check if he came from there.. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); Once called Browns Lock at the confl. of Swan Cr. & the Barren R. c1870-75 the most thriving town in the co. next to B.G. Then had $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. stores, saloon, many homes. Timber shipping pt.: hoop poles & staves. Billy Brown, a Vermonter, arr with big plans--the idea that cotton could be grown in that area and started a cotton mill that was never completed. He did build a large flour mill. Great promoter. By 1925, only 1 store & 1 home.... ("Kentucky's Ghost City" in LOU. POST. 1/29/1925, from Park City D.N.);

GREEN CASTLE (sic) (Warren Co.): Brown's Lock & Mill. Locks and dam were built c.1845 by James Ford and Thos. Stephens, Sr. The mill was built betw. 1845-60 by Wm. Brown....The mill attracted users from Butler and Edmonson Co's. The commu. grew up around it and its prosperity depended on it. 1st house & store store were built by Rob't. Alexander....(P.17) Brown's dates: 7/13/1795 to 8/21/1874). The Lock was named for him. (Pp. 17-8). (Irene Moss Sumpter AN ALBUM OF EARLY WARREN LAND-MARKS, c1976);

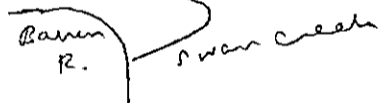
GREENCASTLE (Warren Co.): Act to est. & inc. town by this name and in this spelling, app. by the G.A. 3/12/1869. Beginning on "Big Barren River" at the mouth of Swan Creek... (ACTS 1869, V. 2, Pp. 251-2);

GREENCASTLE (Warren Co.): po est. as Swan Creek, 4/15/1850, John P. Smith..10/24/1854, Sam'l. S. Johnson; ch. to Green Castle, 3/25. 1856, Ibid. ...Disc. 10/18/1868; Re-est. 11/2/68, Simon P. Morgan...(NA); In its Swan Creek P.O. days, it had a mill and old Mt. Zion Chu. Locks and dam built c.1845 by Jas. Ford and Thos. Stephens, Sr. Wm. Brown built the mill before 1860. The mill was used by people from Butler, Edmonson and the section of Warren Co. 1st home & store were built by Robt. Alexander. Also had other stores, hotel, saloon on Swan Creek, sch. MD(Chas. Davenport, letter to edit. of the PARK CITY DAILY NEWS, date=?);

GREENCASTLE (Warren Co., Ky): "almost nothing remains of a once prosperous Barren R. port and mill town at the M. of Swan ck (now Taylor Br.), $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. S. of the present Ky 283 and $5\frac{1}{2}$ (air) mi. N. of B. Gr. The town dev'd. around the lock and dam built about 1845 by Jas. Ford and Thos. Stephens, Sr. and later acquired by Capt. Wm Brown. The po est. as Swan creek on 4/15/1850 c John P. Smith, pm. became Green Castle (sic) in 1856.

allegedly named at Brown's
suggestion for the town in Pa. For
a time the com. was called Brown's
Lock but was inc. as Greencastle
in 1869. The po has since closed."
(Book, p. 125);

GREENCASTLE (Warren Co.): On the 1877 map of Warren Co., this name identifies a community at the confluence of Swan Creek and Barren R. Swan Creek was the present Taylor Branch and extends n-s, due w of Richardsville.



GREENHILL (Warren Co.): po est. as Green Hil
7/27/1868, Stephen Claypool...ch. to Green-
hill (one word), 12/8/1894, Robert E. Porter
...Disc. eff. 10/14/1903 (papers to Motley)
(NA);

GUY (Warren Co.): Small commu. of scattered homes c. 15 mi. from B.G. The po served some 30 families (c.1951) PO est. 1910 at the store of Wm. Guy Thomas and Hugh A. Thomas. Twelve local personal names were sent to the POD and Guy was selected... (PARK CITY DAILY NEWS, 7/15/1951); PO est. 5/2/1912, Hugh A. Thomas... (NA); (Pron. "Gh(eye)") DK origin of the name. (Jane Morningstar, interview, 9/1/1978); DISC 1953

(F 283)

HADLEY (Warren Co.): po est. 2/14/1860, Wm. Brown... (NA); (Pron. "H(ae)d/lee") dk origin of the name. (Jane Morningstar, interview, 9/1 1978); same pron. On US231 to/ Butler Co. Had a sch. There's now a commu.ctr. on Hadley Hill and a store in Hadley... Had been a a thriving river town yrs. ago. DK origin of the name. (Steve Ray, interview, 8/31/1978); APO

HALSEL (WARREN CO, KY) = po. est. 2/15,
1886, Robt. G. Miller --- Disc 1/30/97 (m. to
Richardsville) (POR);

HARDCASTLE (WARREN CO., KY): po. est.

4/29/1890, Wm. H. Myers, 10/17/91, Hattie
Lock --- 6/23/10, Vallie Pearson; Disc.

1/31/14 (m to Bowls. Green) (POR); (F568)

HAYS (WARREN CO, KY) = PO. est. 8/10/85,
Edward G. Ferguson (sic), 3/26/889,
Doctor C. Sum, 4/21/93, Edward G.
Ferguson (sic), 3/19/95, Geo. C. German,
11/5/97, Robt. J. Hays, Disc 7/15/1914,
(e. to Smith's Grove) (POR);

HAYS FORD (WARREN Co, KY) = Po. est

12/20/1872, Wm P. Hays, 4/21/73, Gas.

M. Gorman, Disc. 9/22/75 (POR);

HONAKER'S FERRY (Warren Co, Ky) =

PO. est. 11/8/1869, Jas. W. Mulligan, 11/9

1870, John Stevens, Disc 6/26/71 (POR)

HYORO (WARREN CO, KY) = po. est. as
DOUGHTY'S CREEK 1/29/1856, Leonard
Totty, Disc. 7/29/62. Re-est. 12/5/77, Wm
A. Washer, 8/6/78, Geo. T. Taylor, Disc
9/16/78, po. re-est. as HYORO 9/24/90,
Mattie E. Hays, 1/30/01, Geo. E. Tabor, Disc
eff. 7/15/04 (P-to Smiths Grove) (POR);

IDA (WARREN CO, KY) = po. est. 7/13/
1888, Robt. J. Lyon, disc 2/12/89 (no
papers sent) (POR);

INGLESIDE (WARREN CO, KY) 2 PO. EST.

8/31/1852, Lemuel Q. SAUNDERS, 6/21/

1855, Robt. W. Thomas, Disc 10/18/59

(P.O.R);

IRON BRIDGE (WARREN CO, KY) = PO-EST

7/10/1890, John C. Howell, --- DISC 8/31/

1903 (P. to Oakland) (POR); (F568)

KEPLER (Warren Co., Ky): Po. est. 4/18/
1894, Victor Moulder, 7/2/95, Jake V.
Moulder, 2/21/00, Daisy Underhill.
Disc. 2/29/04 (P to Smith's Grove) (Pur).
(F4.57)

KETTLE CREEK (Warren Co., Ky): Not shown on published maps and not listed in Field. Could this be another name for the Gasper River? "My aunt Zula was a little old woman about 55 yrs. ago, with a husband and nine younguns that she had to wash and iron for. Her husband was a pretty good fellow in some ways, but he sure didnt worry 'about Aunt Zula's wash water. Hadley, Ky., was one of these little old Ky. villages that got its drinking water from springs down under the hill; but it was pretty much of a job to pack water to wash clothes for that house full of kids and a husband. So Aunt Zula

got the oldest one of her boys to hitch up the old gray mule to a sled they had, and take her big wash kettle down to the creek. Somehow the idea caught on with the other women, and pretty soon every woman in Hadley had moved the old wash kettle down by the creek. They all got along so much better by doing the wash by the creek that they brought their dinners and stayed all day-- makin' a regular picnic out of wash day. They began callin' the creek Kettle Creek, and it still goes by that name." (Ingle Tolen, Summer 1956. "Edith Mason...came up with this story ~~about~~ her Aunt Zula Scott o:
that

Hadley, Warren Co., Ky., had told her back
in 1926." in Herbert Halpert, "Place Name
Stories of Ky. Waterways and Ponds" KFR,
Vol. VII (3), July-Sept. 1961, Pp. 85-101,
87-8)

LONG (Warren Co.): po est. 7/18/1900, Walter R. Scott...Disc. 1/31/1919 (mail to Richardsville) (NA); DK anything about it. (Steve Ray interview, 8/31/1978); Never heard of it. (Harry L. Jackson, interview, 8/31/1978);

LOST RIVER (Warren Co.): ("L[^](ah)st R(ih)v/
er") Area on US31W on the Nashv. Rd. There's
a cave there and a spring that's closed off.
Near there, off Cave Mill Rd., is the skatin
rink & bowling alley & a nearby state police
barracks. (Steven Ray, interview, 8/31/78);
("L[^](aw)st R(ih)v/er") "The river comes up
out of the ground and runs for about a mile
and then goes into the cave there. Always
been known as Lost River. The son of Abram
Skaggs used to run the mill at Lost River.
The mill used to sit in the middle of where
US31W is now. The old road used to have to
run around the mill to get around it. (sic)

And there was a hole drilled through there and the mill wheel was down below, you know, and so forth. And it turned, and the mill was up over the cave. That was way back in the middle of the last century." 3 mi. s. of B.G. Acc. to local legend, this was the hideout of the James Gang after the Russellville bank robbery Jackson disputes this.... Nothing left of the old commu. Still called locally Lost River. Some stores in the area. Sch. dances used to be held in the cave and it was a pop. picnic area.... (Harry Jackson, interview, 8/31/1978);

LOST RIVER (Warren Co.): Lost River is an enigma to geologists and others. Emerges from the ground "at the base of a steep hill, runs thru a shaded valley for 350 ft. and disappears in Lost River Cave. It is perhaps the shortest and deepest river in the U.S." No one has ever determined its depth. The cave's entrance is said to be the widest in the world, 250 feet....(MCLEAN CO. NEWS, 11/5/70)

LOST RIVER (Warren Co.): c. 2 mi. s. of Bowl. Green. A small stream in the vic. of the road to Franklin "which boils out of the ground and runs in a ravine for about three hundred yards and disappears in a cave under a bluff of more than a hundred feet high. The river comes up out of the ground at Dishman's Mill then forms Jennings Creek and empties into Barren River. This creek is about three miles long...." (Rambling Dick, "Warren County Scenes Natural and Historic" LCJ, 4/20/1924);

LOST RIVER (Warren Co.): Named for "a stream, 20 ft. wide and 6 ft. deep which comes gushing from a curtain of unknown depth and runs in a canyon some 80 ft. deep and then disappears in a cave of unknown extent, after supplying water for a grist mill, carding machine, etc. without roof other than the walls of the overhanging cave." (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922);

LOST RIVER (Warrane Co.): The Lost River head about 200 ft. from the mouth of the Old Cave Mill and flows underground for a distance and then "reappears again, and flows thru the cave" before joining Jennings Creek. The mill was built just above the cave by a Mr. Rowe, c. 1870s. A grist mill. Before him, a mill had operated in the cave itself. ("Cave Mill and its Associations" from Potter's THE GREEN AND THE GOLD, 3/1904, Pp. 1-3, as ms. in Ky. Kibr., WKU, examined by me, 9/23/1980)

LOST RIVER CAVE (Warren Co., Ky): It's said that the James bros. gang, c1868, used this as a hideout after a bank robbery. Named for a stream that heads 350 ft. above the mouth of a chamber and "falls into a water-fall at its entrance, then disappears entirely. The level is now used as a dance floor and nite club. Indian relics and skeletons have been found there." (in "Caves in Ky."-notes WPA Ky. P.N., c1941)

Lumi (Warren Co, KY) = PO. est. 10/29/1898;
Jesse L. Hickman, order rescinded
3/22/1900 (POR);

MAALSON'S MILL (WARREN CO., NY): PO

est. 6/12/1866, JOSEPHUS COOK; disc. 8/23/

1867 (POR); at Old Drake, F191;

MARTINSVILLE (Warren Co.): po est. 4/6/1820
Henry H. Vaughn..Disc. 6/1824; re-est. some-
time betw. 1824 & 1830..Disc. 1836 and re-
est. 2/18/1837, Hugh W. Johnston; Disc. 9/9/
1850 (NA); Two mi. s of Threeforks and 12 m
e of B.G. was the town of Martinsville on th
✓ Barren R. M'ville was 1st settled by Hudson
Martin, pioneer. Land was 1st entered by a M
Wickliffe. Martin acquired the land and laid
off the town in 1820....(ms. hist. of Smiths
Grove Country by Dr. Nathan Perry Allen, dat
-?in vert. files, Warren Co. Smiths Grove, K
Ky. Libr. WKU, examined by me, 8/31/1978);

MARTINSVILLE (Warren Co.): One of the few
platted cities in Ky. that has completely
disappeared even from memory. Once had some
300 homes and c. 1000 pop. A river shipping
pt. and flatboat landing. Founded spring of
1785 on the n. bank of the Barren R., c. 20
mi. e. of Bowl. Green. 1st settled by and
named for Hut Martin, Va.-born pioneer, to
Ky. 1777 and settled at Boonesb. Friend of
Boone..By 1790 a town of some 300 residents
...flatboat building. By 1800 had 600 pop.
And was largest town in W. Co. Nothing what
ever remains... (Victor Moulder, unkn. news.
clipping, in Filson Club, c.1933, copy sent
to Ky. Libr., WKU, 3/1940 by Otto Rothert,
a.v.).

MARTINSVILLE (Warren Co.): On Barren R., 2 mi. s. of Three Forks. Settled by pioneer Hudson Martin. 12 mi. s of Smith's Grove. Land was "first entered" by a Mr. Wickliffe. Martin bought it from him and laid out the town in 1820. (Hist. of Smith's Grove Country, ms. by Dr. N.P. Allen, copied from a scrapbook of newsp. clippings owned by Mrs. Geo. W. McIntir of Bowl. Green, Ky. She was daughter of Dr. Allen. On file at Ky. Libr., vert. files,-- Warren Co., xeroxed by me, 9/23/1980, Pp. 1,5)

MARTINSVILLE (Warren Co.): Was a vil. in 1840 acc. to a gazetteer published that yr. The Martinsville Bap. Chu. may be all that's left now. Founded by Dr. H. Martin, MD, grand father of the late Mrs. Jos. N. McCormick of B.G. An unsuccessful contender for Warren Co seat. Before Barren Co. was est. (Jennie B. Cole "Some Name Places (sic) of Warren Co., Ky." ms. in Ky. Libr. WKU);

Martinville (Warren Co, Ky): "This extinct com. c. 2 ps in upn. from 1820 to 1830, lay 1 mi. n. of the Barren R., $1\frac{1}{2}$ mi. s. of the jct. of Ky. 101 and 1402, and $10\frac{1}{2}$ (air) mi. e. of B. gr. It was laid off as a town in 1820 by its 1st settler, the Rich. physician Hudson Martin, who most likely named it for himself." (Book, p. 189);

MATLOCK (Warren Co, Ky): "this hamlet \bar{c} EPO lies at the jct of I 65 and Ky 240, 7 (air) mi. s. of B. gr. It may have been named for Rile Matlock, an early settler. The PO was est. on 5/6/1892 \bar{c} Chas. A Matlock, P.M., and closed in 1904." (Book - p. 191);

MATLOCK (Warren Co.): po est. 5/6/1892, Chas. A. Matlock...Disc. eff. 11/15/1904 (mail to Woodburn) (NA); ("M(ae)t/1(ah)k") May have been named for Rial (sic) Matlock, an early settler. The commu. is nr. Woodburn. Now: store. Still locally called this. I65 goes right by it and cuts it off. Rial came here, c.1810. He was a farmer. Store was started there and called Matlock. There was also a sch. there at one time. (Harry Jackson, interview, 8/31/1978);

MEMPHIS JUNCTION (Warren Co.): Where the L&N RR branches for Memphis, Tenn. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); po est. 2/13/1868, John A. Morris...Disc. 4/30/1909 (mail to Bowling Green) (NA); Was the switching pt. for the L&N branch line to Memphis. c 4 mi. s. of B.G. There was a big coaling tipple and water tank to service thru trains. (Chas. Castner, interview, 3/21/1972); The pt. where the Memphis Line of the L&N swung off from the main line. No town there. A switching pt. and at one time (in the steam era) a coaling sta. there....Today it's still an important pt. tho

no one is there. A stretch of double track
runs s. from B.G. to M.J.....(Ibid.);

MEMPHIS JCT. (Warren Co., Ky):

"This is now a suburb just S. of the
Green R. Parkway, $\frac{1}{4}$ mi. W. of US 31W
+ less than 1 (air) mi. S. of B-9 R.

This small com. grew up around
the Jct. where the Ltv RR's Memphis
line switched off from the main
line to Nashville. The Memphis
Jct. P.O. was in op'n from 1868 to
1909." (Book p. 194);

MEMPHIS JUNCTION (Warren Co.): ("M(eh)m/phas
Dj(un)q/shan") On US68. At one time a rr
jct. The tracks are still there. Southern
States has a feed grain coop. there, off US68
..Some homes. Off of US68 in the area there
are a no. of new subdivisions. The area is
growing. (Steven Ray, interview, 8/31/1978);
Nothing there now. New subdivisions in the
vic. (Harry L. Jackson, interview, 8/31/78);

MONA (Warren Co, Ky): Po-est. 4/9/2003,
Jas. M. Speck, Disc 2/15/08 (m to Sand
Hill) (POR);

MOSS (Warren Co.): Named for Circuit Judge McKenzie Moss of Warren Co. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); po est. 8/29/1902, Sam'l. D. Hall; 12/9/1913, Beatrice Ayers; Disc. 6/1/1915 (mail to Alvaton) (NA); ("M(ah)s" (Irene Sumpter, 9/1/1978);

MOTLEY (Warren Co., Ky): "This hamlet c̄ epo. just n. of Ky 1288 and 7 (air) mi. ese of B-G., was inhabited by motleys, descendants of Matthew Page Motley who built his home there in 1853. One of Matthew's sons, John K. Motley, est. the po on 5/15/1890. It closed in 1905." (BOOK, p. 204);

MOTLEY (Warren Co.): Named for the family of the owner of the store and adjacent land. (Acc. to Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); po est. 5/15/1890, John K. Motley...disc. eff. 3/31/1905 (mail to Bowl. Green) (NA); ("M(ah)-/lee") Matthew Page Motley, son of Matthew (who died 1845) and Phoebe Norris Motley, married Sarah Jane Knowles in 1853 and had 3 children, incl. J(ohn) K. Motley. The commu. is c. 10 mi. e. of B.G., off the Cemetery Rd. Soon after their marriage, Matthew Page built a fine home on the site. J.K. inherited the home. Matthew gave each of his sons a home,

not far from each other, and the settlemen
became known as Motley....Matthew Page had
a bro., Washington Motley, who ran a grist
mill on Bays Fork. The mill was later run
by the Claypool family and was known in
recent years as Britts Mill for a Mr. Brit
a Claypool son-in-law....(Irene Sumpter,
AN ALBUM OF EARLY WARREN COUNTY LANDMARKS,
P. 156);

NATHANIEL (WARREN CO, KY): PO. & ST.

2/1/1883, Nathaniel J. Grayson, Disc. 7/12

1883 (P. to Claypool) (POR);

OAKLAND (Warren Co.): cf Dr. Albert Petersen, Dept. of Geog., WKU whose students in 1977-8 did a survey or study of this commu., acc. to Jane Morningstar, interview, 9/1/1978);.... ("Ohk/land") A little settlement on the rr. At one time a very prominent town, had a bank & hisch. New ele. sch. (1977+) DK how it got its name. Now: 2 stores, active po...(Steve Ray interview, 8/31/1978); Named for the many oak trees there by Wm. Radford, town's 1st store-keeper. (Anon ms. "P.N. of W. Co. 1951" KY.Lib: WKU, xeroxed by me, 9/23/1980, P. 1); Founded in 1859-60. When L&N built to it....(Ibid., P. 2);

OAKLAND (Warren Co., Ky) = "This 6th
cl. city & PO + RR Sta. is $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. NW of
an I 65 interchange + $8\frac{1}{2}$ (air) mi.
ENE of B. or. in Radford, the 1st
storekeeper, is said to have named
the Ltn RR Sta. there in 1859 for the
many large oak trees in the vic. He
est. the local PO as Oakland Station
on 4/13/1860 and became its 1st P.M.
The name was shortened to Oak
land in 1887." (BOOK-P. 217);

OAKLAND (Warren Co.): Probably named for the large oak trees that once stood nearby. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky., in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); RR town est. 19th cent. pop.=c.150 (c.1975). Mayor Wm. P. Mansfield... (PARK CITY DAILY NEWS, 11/10/1975, P. 1:2-6); po est. as Oakland Sta., 4/13/1860, Wm. Radford... 3/14/1871, Chas. S. Martin; ch. to Oakland, 3/3/1887, Ibid.: ... (NA); Named by Wm. Radford, 1st storekeeper for the many oaktrees there at that time. ("Some P.N. of Warren Co., Ky." by Jennie B. Cole, ms, in the Ky. Libr., Warren Co. Vert. Files, examined by me, 9/1/1978);

PETROS (Warren Co.): ("Peet/r(oh)s") (Steven Ray, 8/31/1978); ("Pee/tr(ah)s") (Irene Sumpter); Thos. McDavitt gave the land for the rr right-of-way. A flagstop only; where it stopped was Petros, but there was really nothing there. Now: store, on US68. Still locally called Petros. (Ibid., interview, 9/1, 1978); Acc. to an old resident of the commu. "there was an old road bed over which rock was hauled and they called it Petros because it was hard as a rock....Thos. Lee Truitt and ..John Lockhardt (sic) ran a store at Petros. In 1905 they moved and built another store about 1/2 mi. up the road--also called Petros.... (Irene Sumpter, letter to me, 9/17/1978);

PLANO (Warren Co.): po est. 3/28/1892, Chas. H. Kelley...Disc. 6/30/1914 (mail to Bowling Green) (NA); ("Plān/(oh)") (Steve Ray, Harry Jackson, & Irene Sumpter, 8/31/1978 and 9/1/1978); DK origin of the name. Is it related to Plano, Tex? An old commū. (Harry Jackson, interview, 8/31/1978); Plano was moved from its orig. site closer to town at a place called Plano Store. The orig. store went out of business. So some man built another store c. 1 mi. down the road, to/ B.G. and called it Plano. (Ibid.);

PLEASANTVILLE (WARREN CO, KY) =
PO. est. 5/13/56, Jas. H. Perkins, Disc
1/2/1861 (POR);

PLUM SPRINGS (Warren Co.): Inc. as a 6th cl. city 1/28/1966. On the ne outskirts of Bowl. Green; ("Pl(uh)m Spr(ih)nz") Off US31W. A prosperous 6th class city. An industrial park there with bottling plants, Southern States... Bowling Green Express nr. there. Nice subdivisions in the vic. including Tanglewood Estates of wealthy homes. Has a grocery. (Steve Ray, interview, 8/31/1978); Inc. 1965. City was named for its location on the Plum Springs Rd. Centered at the Graham St.-Plum Springs Rd. jct. The city hadnt been named by 6/24/1965. (PCDN, 6/24/65); Acc. to Ibid., 1/27/66, the city was officially inc. as the 6th cl. city of Plum Springs on 1/27/66;

POLKVILLE (Warren Co., Ky): "This
X vols. hamlet & epo lies at the jct of
Ky. 1182 and 1297, 7 (air) mi. e of B.
gn. The po was est. on 7/29/1846 &
Nathan Howard, pm, and probably
named for Gen. H. Polk, Mem Pres. of the
U.S. It closed in 1903." (Book, p. 239);

POLKVILLE (Warren Co.): po est. 7/29/1846,
Nathan Howard; Disc. 5/23/1849; Re-est. 12/31/
1853, Sarah H. Manners (?)...Disc. 3/17/1865;
Re-est. 6/27/1879, John P. Hendrick... Disc.
eff. 9/15/1903 (papers to Oakland) (NA);
("P(oh)k/vəl") Carter Gro. The Elrods have
been a prominent local family, owning most of
the land there at one time....Out 1402 to Ky.
1297 (the old B.G.-Glasgow Rd) past the Bethel
Chu. & the Forks to vacant bldg. of an old
Chu. of Christ and Berea 1st Xian Chu. founded
c.1847...Had a sch...2 gro. and a garage...
Just a xrds. (SteveRay, interview, 8/31/78);

POTEET (Warren Co., Ky) c. Pa. est. 3/26/
1900, Mary J. Poteet, disc 7/31/~~02~~ (P.
to Darby) (POR);

RICHARDSVILLE (Warren Co.): ("R(ih)ch/ərdz/
v(ih)l." Had a hi.sch. Off Ky. 185. Very nr.
the locks at Green Castle....Now: 2 gro., a
garage, several churches, homes. (Steve Ray,
interview, 8/31/1978); same pron. Named for
Thos. Richards who built his home in the
Riverside neighborhood, nearby....He later
moved to the town which by then bore his
name....Acc. to Borrone's article in the
PCDN, (~~he-married-Sarah-Whitten~~) in 1875,
"Squire Greenville E. Speck, a member of the
State Leg., got a po on the hill. He thought
about naming the new town Speckville but
felt that might not sound just right, We'll

name it, said Squire Speck, after the wagon maker, We'll call it Richardsville." Thos. Richards was ne 1812 in England and died in Richardsville and buried in Green River Union Cem.... (Irene Sumpter reading from her book, AN ALBUM OF EARLY WARREN CO. LANDMARKS, P. 183 , 9/1/1978);

RICHARDSVILLE (Warren Co.): Named for Tom Richards, blacksmith from England, who came to Greencastle c.1846. PO est. 1875 and his name was offered to POD by Squire Granville E. Speck, a State Legislator then, who had secured the po. Acc. to Mrs. Nora Ferguson, area historian. (Bert Borrone, Daily News Sports Editor in his col. "It Says Here..." PARK CITY DAILY NEWS, date unknown...); po est. 7/10/1872, Granville E. Speck...(NA); Thos. Richards died 1896. (Ray Glenn, "Green River Union Mtg. Hse. Est. Over 140 Yrs. Ago" PARK CITY DAILY NEWS, 8/16/1959); Thos. Richards came to Greencastle area from Engl. in 1849. R'ville was named for him. He was a wagon maker (PCA 11/4/1917)

Nora Young Ferguson, HIST. OF OLD GREEN RIVER
UNION MEETING HOUSE (at Richardsville, Warren
Co., Ky.) c1960 (* / 284.5 / F3815h - UK Spec. Coll.
(nothing therein on Richardsv.)

RICHARDSVILLE (Warren Co, Ky):

"This hamlet & po extends about $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. along Ky 263 from a pt. $5\frac{1}{2}$ (air) mi. n. of B-gr. The po was est. on 7/10, 1872 by Granville E Speck, the 1st pm, who named it for Thos. Richard (1812-96), an English-born wagon maker who settled in the area in the late 1840s." (Book, p. 251);

RICHARDSVILLE (Warren Co., Ky): Now: gro. store, apo, vol. fire dept., closed rest., farm implement supply store, school (3 story consol.) The sch. was built in 1946. Herbert Duckett is the pm (1987-8) (Lex. HERALD-LEAD 3/13/1988, Pp. A1,12);

RICH POND (Warren Co.): po est. Rich Pond Grove, 3/14/1860, Chas. A. Skiles...8/17/1875
Harvey Heckman; ch. to Rich Pond, 4/17/1882,
Ibid.(NA); ("R(ih)ch/P(ah)nd") (Bill
Fletcher of Bowling Green, Ky. interview,
9/1/1978); Inc. 2/7/1871 (ACTS, 1871, Vol. 1,
P. 109); Town founded on part of C.A. Skiles'
farm. L&N depot located there c.1859 ot '60.
And the vil. grew up around it, of 12-15 fami
lies by c.1878. Feb. 1871 the town was
chartered. 5/1871, Skiles had the town plat-
ted. (Wright & McElroy, attys., in a brief
for C.A. Skiles & Co. defendents, in a suit

by the trustees of Rich Pond, n.d. but believed to have been c.1878.) Po-disc 1943

RIVERSIDE (Warren Co.): po est. 7/26/1888,
John A. Simmons... (NA); ("R(ih)v/er/s(ah)
(eye)d") Active po. A Xian chu. and cem. c. 1
mi. from the Butler Co. line, on the river.
(Ray, Steven, interview, 8/31/1978); As far
as the oldtimers of the commu. know, the po
has always been at its present location. DK
why it was called Riverside but presume it
was so called for its prox. to the river. The
po is now located in a gro. store. Never had
another name. (Postmaster, letter to me, 11/1
1980);

RIVERSIDE (Warren Co, Ky): "This hamlet and PO, as far as anyone knows, have always been over 1 mi. S. of the Green R. on the present Ky 263, $10\frac{1}{2}$ (air) mi. NW of B. gr. No one knows why it was thus called Riverside; it never had another name. The PO was est. on 7/26/1888 by John A. Simmons." (Book, p. 252);

RIVERSIDE (Warren Co.): Ernest Glenn, re-
tired, now lives nr. Hendersonville, NC and
St. Pete, Fla. Raised at Richardsville, Ky.
Said he never knew of Riverside being on the
river. DK why so named. He is son of the
late Peyton W. Glenn. (Interview with Glenn
at Ky. Libr., WKU, 9/23/1980); F597

ROCKFIELD (Warren Co., Ky): "This hamlet & P.O. stretches along Ky 242 from US 68/Ky 80 S. past the LTV R. tracks $5\frac{1}{2}$ (air) mi. S. of B.G.R. The com. grew up around the LTV sta. and P.O. est. in 1866 and named for the rock-sown fields in the vic' (Book, p. 254);

ROCKFIELD (Warren Co.): po est. 2/13/1866, Wm. C. Perry....(NA); ("R(ah)k/feeld") On US68 to/ Russelv. A new ele. sch. Nearby are 2 groceries. (Steven Ray, interview, 8/31/1978); A lot of rocks in a field gave it its name. (Irene Sumpter, interview, 9/1/1978); Named for the rocky fields in the vic. Vil. est. by the building of rr sta. (check...) (M. Ladd, WPA, 4/1941);

ROCKLAND (Warren Co) = this spot at
the site of my 626 and 1435; 8 (air) mi.
NW of B. gr. was est. on 1/29/1875 by
Commodore P. Burchfield, PM, and
named for a large bluff $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. SE, where
the Gasper R. flows into the Barren R.
The bluff has since become known as Sally
Rock, honoring Sally Beck who, betw.
1900 to 1915, would stand on the rock
and call to the pilots of passing river
boats. The settlement about that spot
for yrs. was known simply as the
mouth of Gasper and is now essenti-
ally a name of h. no number com. of had less

ROCKLAND (Warren Co.): On 4/18/1892, Nannie A. Beck became pm of the Rockland po... 1/27/1899, Nancy A. Beck (sic) was pm till the po closed 11/15/1916 (NA); A Cohron po was est. 3/19/1900, Frank W. Cohron; Disc. 1/31/1918 (mail to Bowling Green). (NA); po est. 1/29/187 Commodore P. Burchfield, Disc 12/29/76 Re-est. 7/14/90, Calvin E Stahl, 4/18/92, Nannie A Beck -- 1/27/99, Nancy A Beck. Disc 11/15/16 (m. to Bowl. Green) (POR);

SAND HILL (WARREN CO, KY) = PO-est
8/23/1857, John W. Flora, 4/27/92,
Martha J. Flora, 1/7/99, John W. Flora
8/28/12, Henry N. Flora; Disc. 1/21/19
(m. to Anna) (POR); (F70)

SHAKERAG ← JEFFERSONVILLE (P)

[114-519]. Is this now a part of Bowl
green?

SIX MILE GROVE (Warren Co., Ky): "is not familiar to me. I think it would refer to a landmark grove six miles from the mouth of Barren River....Thirty miles of the Barren were navigable to B.G. 'Six Mile' is not the name of a lock. The landings usually had family names." (Bell Muth, Reference Librarian, Bowling Green, Ky., Public Library letter to me, 5/7/1987)

(THE) SIX MILE GROVE (on the n. side of
(Big) Barren River. Was mentioned in the
First Surveyors Book, Warren Co., 1796-1815..
(in Ky. Libr., WKU)

SWAGG'S MILL (WARREN CO, KY) = P.O. es.

4/13/54, Jas. S. Matlock, Disc. 7/12/55
(POR);

SMITHS GROVE (Warren Co.): Named for the Smith family, the original owners of the land. (Malcolm H. Crump of Bowling Green, Ky. in a letter to Wm. G. Steel, 4/20/1922); po est. as Smith's Grove, 9/24/1829, Benj. Ford; Disc 7/10/1834; A po called Cool Spring was est. 11/11/1836, Jas. B. Carter...9/4/1838, Wm. Wright; ch. to Smith Grove (sic), 1/30/44, ibid....By c. the time of the C.W. it was being spelled Smith's Grove again and by the 1890s as Smiths Grove....(NA); INC 3/21/71

(ACTS. 1871, vol. 2 p. 282);

SMITH'S GROVE (Warren Co.): Inc. 3/21/1871.
Named for the grove at the foot of the small knob w. of the present town. A Mr. Rollins had early settled at this grove and it was called Rollin's Grove. DK when but before the county was est. (Hist. of Smith's Grove Country, ms. by Dr. N.P. Allen, copied from a scrapbook of newsp. clippings owned by Mrs. Geo. W. McIntire, Bowl. Green, Ky. She was d. of Dr. Allen. On file at Ky. Libr. vert. files-- Warren Co. xeroxed by me, 9/1980, P. 1);

SMITH'S GROVE (Warren Co.): Named for the 1st owner of the land on which the vil. was founded. (Anon. ms. "P.N. of Warren Co, 1951" Ky. Libr. WKU, xeroxed by me, 9/23/1980, P. 1.); The town grew up around po & store est. 1859 when L&N was completed to this pt. The po was 1st located on the Glasgow-B.G. Rd. It was then moved nearer the depot and the town grew quickly from that... ("Smiths Grove in Quick Growth at Site on Railroad" PCDN, 10/30 1934, P. 40:1) On the L&N's main line betw. Lou. & Nashv. The sta. closed in 1959;

SMITHS GROVE (Warren Co.): Pop. of 700(1964)
On Ky. 101, 1 mi. n. of US68 and 3 mi. s of
US31W. N. Warren H.S. cf Hist. of the commu.
cf by Mrs. Robt. Pelly and Mrs. Eulas Hatcher.
Controversy over which Smith it was named for
Area was known as Smiths Grove Country (c.
100 sq. miles acc. to Dr. Nathan Perry Allen)
c. 1800. Farming commu... (Tom Duncan, "Smiths
Grove" in col. "Small Town, Ky." LCJ, 9/20/
1964); 14 mi. ne of B.G. in one of the most
fertile agri. areas of the co. RR depot was
torn down in 1960. Home of US Sen. Geo. Wright
.... (Judy Jones, "Hist'l. Bldgs. Attract
Interest" PARK CITY DAILY NEWS, 7/6/1975, Pp.
26, 30);

SMITH GROVE (sic) (Warren Co.): ("Sm(ih)th
Gr(oh)v") Once a very prominent commu. of
older families and quite prosperous. Had a
bank, hi.sch. Some very prominent families
have lived there....DK about Cool Spring.
DK about the origin of the name. Now: rest.,
po, several stores, motel, park....(Steven
Ray, interview, 8/31/1978);

SMITHS GROVE (Warren Co., Ky): "This
6th class by C. P. O. is on Ky 101 + the LTN
RR, just N. of I 65 and 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ (air) mi. E.
of B. Gr. The P. O. was est. on 9/24/1829 by
Benj. Ford, P. M., and named for a grove
at the foot of the small knob W. of the
present town and for the orig. land-
owner. The P. O. was disc. in 1834. A
P. O. est. there as COOL SPRING in 1836
was renamed SMITHS GROVE in 1844.
The town was inc. in 1871." (Book, pp.
274-75);

SMITHSGROVE (Warren Co.): Named for orig. landowner. ("Some P.N. of W. Co., Ky." by Jennie B. Cole, ms in Warren Co. Vert. Files, Ky. Libr., WKU, examined by me, 9/1/1978); Inc. 3/21/1871. L&N RR completed 1859. (~~Two-mi-~~
~~er-of-Three-Forks-and-12-mi-~~~~er-of-B.G.~~); PO and store est. at site in 1859 when the L&I was completed. PO was 1st on the Glasgow-B.G. Rd. Then moved to the vic. of the rr sta. Then town grew. By 1934, it had bank, hosp., chu's, ele. & h.s. In midst of rich agri. country. ("Smith Grove in Quick Growth at Site of RR" PARK CITY DAILY NEWS, 10/30/1934, P. 40:1);

STELLAVILLE, (WARREN Co. KY) = PO.

est. 11/13/1886, Jas. N. Russell, DISC
11/24/88 (no papers sent) (POR);

SUNNY SIDE (Warren Co.): po est. in this spelling, 8/3/1886, Geo. W. Hays; 10/25/1888, Alexander S. Gott...Disc. 3/25/1890 (papers to Bristow); Re-est. as Sunnyside, 4/22/1890, W.J. Hendrick...(NA); ("S(uh)n/ee/s(ah) (eye)d") A wide spot in the road...was a rr sta. Had a po. Now: vacant store bldg. and homes. (Steve Ray, interview, 8/31/1978); Disc

1958

TRÉUMSEH (WARREN CO, KY) = PO.

est. 2/1/1870, Sidney J. Caldwell,

disc 9/28/70 (POR);

TEMPERANCE HILL (WARREN CO, KY):

PO. est. 3/6/1856, Noel Johnson, Disc
10/12/65 (POR);

"next"

THIRD ELK SPRINGS (Warren Co., Ky): is
miscalled. I would hazard a guess that
'third' refers to magisterial district, and
we have Elk Springs Magisterial Dist. but
not referred to as 'Third Elk Spring'.
Either 'Third District' or 'Elk Springs
District.'" (Bell Muth, Reference Librarian,
Bowling Green, Ky., Public Library, letter
to me, 5/7/1987)

THREE FORKS (Warren Co.): po est. in this spelling, 6/23/1879, J.W. Underhill; Disc: 1/30/1882, (papers to Claypool); Re-est. 8/6/84, Thos. J. Elrod...ch. to Threeforks, 11/21/1894 Leslie Richey...Disc. eff. 9/15/1903 (papers to Oakland) (NA); ("Three F(aw)rx") On the Allen Co. line, off Ky. 101, onto Ky. 1402 (Porter Pike) to the end of the road and turn right and there's the commu. It's still mainly farms. Nearby is Martinsville.... At Three Forks now: feed mill, Chu. of Christ, modern Woodmen of World lodge, commu. ctr., little gro. store and jct. 101/1402. Named for its location at the forks of the Barren R., Drake Creek, and another stream..(Steve Ray, 8/31/1978)

✓ THREE FORKS (Warren Co., Ky): hamlet and dpo. Probably named for site at the forks of road rather than a stream. PO in operation from 1879-1903. Town inc. 1880. Acc. to a late 19t cent. map it was originally located c. $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. n. of present site, or just s. of the present Three Forks Chu. Also Three Forks Sch. and Three Forks Rd. (F457e)

THREE FORKS (Warren Co., Ky): "This hamlet is 11 (air) mi. e of B. gr., was probably named for its location at the forks of a road rather than a stream. It was inc. as a town in 1880 and had its own po from 1879 to 1903." (Book, p. 293);

✓ THREE SPRINGS (Warren Co., Ky): settled by Jacob Skiles, 6 mi. s. of Bowling Green. (Horton, IN THE HILLS OF P., 1975, P. 7); Named for three springs "sufficiently large and close enough to be noted. A road and later a park bear the name (until this month when the park was renamed for Judge-Exec. Basil Griffin)." (Bell Muth, Reference Librarian, Bowl. Green Pub. Lib., letter to me, 5/7/1987); Community located on Ky. 884, $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. s. of B.G. city limits and less than $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. w. of I65. The Three Springs Rd. is aka Ky. 884. (F71c)

TOURGER (WARREN CO, KY) = P.O. EST.

1/3/81, Jar A. Holland; Disc. 5/24/1883

(P. to Hadley) (PUR);

WARRENTOWN (WARREN CO, KY) = PD

est. 5/15/1844, Wm Brown; DISC 7/8/56
(POR);

WHITES CHAPEL (DRAKE PO) (Warren Co, Ky):
"This hamlet & PO on Ky 622, $7\frac{1}{2}$ (air
mi. s. of B-gr, was named over a century
ago for the local chh. which honors
a fam. of early settlers. The Drake PO
was est. just above the fork of Drake
Ch. 1 mi. N., on 3/28/1892 & John W.
Goodrum, P.M. shortly before WWI
the PO was moved to its present site
but retained the Drake name. The chh
was named for the long hunter Jos.
Drake." (Book, p-317);

WOLF SINK (Warren Co, Ky) : 8 mi. e of
B. gr. a large deep sink, c. 50 yds. w. + 100
yds. long. Descent ranging to 150 Ft. Tree
growing in it. wolf jumped in to take
in a blind horse that fell in the sink
unable to get out. was shot by a
hunter. (Collins Vol. 2); on T. P. Monin's
farm. circular. 100 ft deep. nearly perpen-
dicular sides. underground passage from
it to an underground lake covering
several acres. Eyeless fish there (P. N. of
W. Co. 1951);

WOODBURN: (Warren Co.): po. est. 1/17/1843,
Jonathan L. Samson...1/21/1859, Thornton J.
Smoot; ch. to Smootville, 6/7/1859, Ibid.;
ch. to New Woodburn, 10/18/1859, Jos. G.
Fletcher...7/8/1862, Jas. M. Wilkerson; ch. to
Woodburn, 6/7/1864, James M. Wilkerson...(NA);
Inc. 2/5/1866. At site of stage coach stop in
the early 1840s. Mason's Inn on the e. side of
the road. Old Woodburn=store, blacksmith, 3-4
homes, MD, c.1840s. L&N RR thru from B.G. to
Nashv. in 1859. RR attracted move from the sit
of Old Woodburn to the tracks. Ewing Robert-
son and Bill Merritt bought land along the

→ (ACTS 1865/6. P. 305);

tracks and sold lots to prospective owners. Robertson donated 2 acres to the rr for a depot and a public sq. Blackburns store. 1st store at what became New Woodburn was built by W.W. Kirby...Laid off 12/4/1865. Had: hotel, MD, flour mill, saloons, bank, 5 churches in area, sch., rail shipping pt. for area farm prod'ts. Pop. never more than 250.(Mrs. H.M. Blackburn's HIST. OF WOODBURN for the News-Mess., before 1935. ms. copy in the Ky. Libr. Vert. Files, Warren Co., exam. by me, 9/1/1978); Once a thriving commercial town. By 1968 had deteriorated: one store &

4 resthomes. Better roads taking people to
trade in larger towns probably caused the
decline... (Margaret Gentry, "In Limbo 20
Yrs., Woodburn May Revive" PARK CITY DAILY
NEWS, 11/3/1968, P. 10);

WOODBURN (Warren Co.): "Acc. to local trad., the name was derived from a fierce fire in the woods during the early period." (M. Ladd, WPA, 4/1941);

WOODBURN (Warren Co.): ("Wood/bern") (Harry Jackson, 8/31/1978); ("Wood/bən"). Old Woodburn or Woodburn's orig. site was on the present routeway of US31W. A stage coach stop called Mason Inn was this side of W'burn....When the rr was built thru, the town was moved to the tracks and this became the present Woodburn. Acc. to one acct., wood was cut here for burning on the trains' but informants disputes this for the commu. had this name before the coming of the rr. Never heard of any families of that name in the area...DK when 1st settled nor why so named and doesnt know anyone who would know. Used

to be a tough town with several saloons. Had 2 big hotels, a bank, 3 churches, flour mill, etc. The name is older than the rr.. The old county farm was out from W'burn on Ky. 240; it's now gone....Now: 1 store, po a few homes, 2 churches, nursing homes.... The bank is gone and the mill burned down and the rr sta. was torn down. Sch. is gone too. Good farming area. Still called Woodburn. Never heard another name for it. cf Evans Duff of Woodburn, or Frank House of the Planters Ins. Co. of B.G.(...) (Bill Fletcher of B.G., Ky., interview, 9/1/78);

WOODBURN (Warren Co, Ky) : "This 6th cl.
city & po is centered on Ky. 240, just
& Ky 31W, 8 (air) mi. SW of B. Gr. on 1/17/
1843 the po of Woodburn was est. at a
stage stop called Marion's Inn on the
present US 63W and allegedly incurred
for an early fire that had destroyed
much of the nearby forest. When in 1854
the L&N RR completed its main line,
1/2 mi. E, and built its depot on land
donated by Ewing Robertson, the po was
transferred there as New Woodburn.

This became simply Woodburn in 1864.
The town was laid off at the depot site
in 1864. See "Book, pp. 723-4

1998. (Anonymous). The Bowling Green and Warren
County, Ky., Immigration Society. 22.5 cm. 54 pp.
illustrations. printed wrappers. Park City Daily
Times Print. Bowling Green, Ky.: 1885. KYU

(This work, the subtitle states, is "a condensed, accurate
and fair description of the resources and development
of the city and county." Intended as an emigrant's ~~g~~
guidebook.)

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