

25 Murphys in Casey County, Kentucky, in the 1850 Census

The 1850 census collected the following information:

01. name
02. address
03. age
04. sex
05. color (white, black or mulatto) for each person
06. whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane or idiotic
07. value of real estate owned (required of all free persons)
08. profession, occupation or trade of each male over 15 years of age
09. place (state, territory or country) of birth
10. whether married within the year
11. whether attended school within the year
12. whether unable to read and write (for persons over 20)
13. whether a pauper or convict

The original enumeration sheets should be reviewed for data not listed in the tables below.

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(Households by age; all Caucasians born in Kentucky except as footnoted)

Last..... First. Precinct.... ±Birthdate..... Sex..... Relationship... HH#

Murphey,... George Yates¹... District 1... about 1811. Male..... **Head**..... 020
 Murphey,... Hulda East... District 1... about 1811. Female..... **Wife**..... 020
 Murphey,... William..... District 1... about 1834. Male..... Son..... 020
 Murphey,... Sophia..... District 1... about 1836. Female..... Daughter. ... 020
 Murphey,... John W. District 1... about 1839. Male..... Son..... 020
 Murphey,... Sally..... District 1... about 1841. Female..... Daughter. ... 020
 Murphey,... Nancy. District 1... about 1848. Female..... Daughter. ... 020

Murphy,... Joel²..... District 1... about 1807. Male..... **Head**..... 022
 Murphy,... Sally J. Wood... District 1... about 1811. Female..... **Wife**..... 022
 Murphy,... Martha J. District 1... about 1832. Female..... Daughter. ... 022
 Murphy,... Robert P. District 1... about 1834. Male..... Son..... 022
 Murphy,... Mary F..... District 1... about 1836. Female..... Daughter. ... 022
 Murphy,... George Riffe... District 1... about 1839. Male..... Son..... 022
 Murphy,... David M..... District 1... about 1841. Male..... Son..... 022
 Murphy,... Nancy E. District 1... about 1843. Female..... Daughter. ... 022
 Murphy,... Joel A.C.. District 1... about 1847. Male..... Son..... 022

Murphey,... Ralph Elkins³... District 2... about 1810. Male..... **Head**..... 309
 Murphey,... "Fanny" S..... District 2... about 1810. Female..... **Wife**..... 309
 Murphey,... James J..... District 2... about 1833. Male..... Son..... 309
 Murphey,... Hardin T..... District 2... about 1835. Male..... Son..... 309
 Murphey,... Fletcher..... District 2... about 1838. Male..... Son..... 309
 Murphey,... Sylvester..... District 2... about 1843. Male..... Son..... 309
 Murphey,... William..... District 2... about 1844. Male..... Son..... 309
 Murphey,... Shanklin. District 2... about 1845. Male..... Son..... 309
 Murphey,... Rosann. District 2... about 1848. Female..... Daughter. ... 309

¹ George Yates Murphy was born in 1811 in Adair County, the son of John Murphy and Sally Murphy, unidentified. He is the ancestor for most modern Walnut Hill Murphys.

² Joel Murphy was the son of Richard Murphy and Jane York Murphy. Descendants by the name of Murphy are no longer in Casey County, although Joel and Sally are the great-great-grandparents of this writer, Jerry L. Foster.

³ Ralph Elkins Murphy was born in Virginia. He is the ancestor for many modern north Casey County Murphys. His wife, Frances "Fanny" Spragens, was born in Casey County, the daughter of James L. Spragens and Rosana Pennell Spragens. James and Rosana are the great-great-grandparents of this writer's wife, Vivian Cochran Foster.