

WHITE SETTLEMENT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

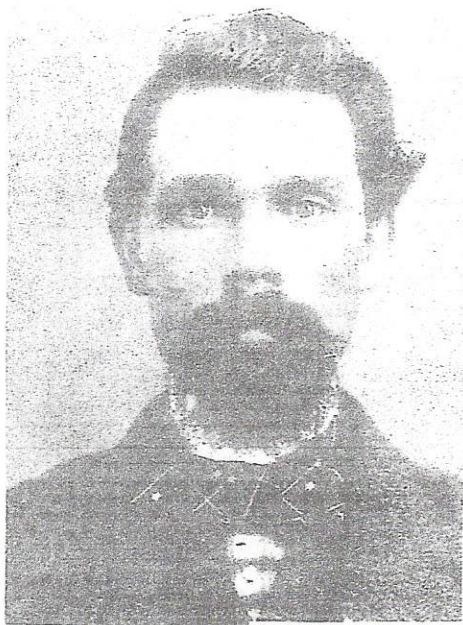
MEETING & PROGRAM

**SAT., SEPT. 17TH, 1:30 P.M. IN THE WS SENIOR CENTER
SOUTH BALLROOM**

PRESENTS

HENRY JACK THOMPSON & THE THOMPSON FAMILY CEMETERY

BY TOM WESTERMAN, GREAT-GRANDSON

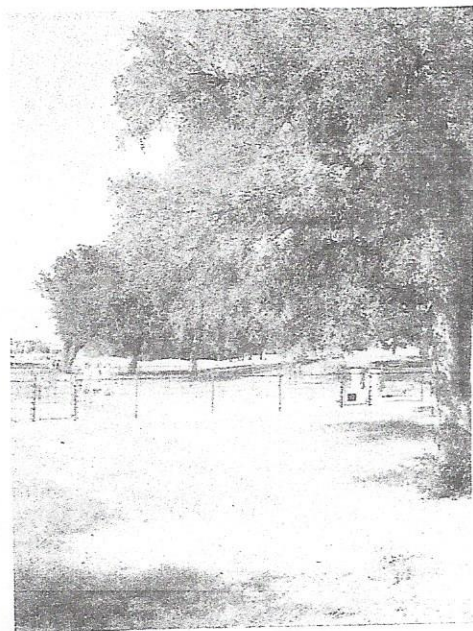


Henry Jack Thompson came to Texas in 1859 settling in Veal Station then moved to Fort Richardson. He received a Commission as Captain of the Texas Rangers in 1861, married Jeanette Bowen Ham in Jack County and served with Union forces during the Civil War.

Henry Jack Thompson

August 5, 1832 ~ August 26, 1883

The Thompson Family moved to White Settlement in 1873 acquiring 2,000 acres extending from the Trinity West Fork to Weatherford Road including Westover Hills and Ridgela. His home place became the site of Shady Oaks Country Club after the house burned down in 1947. His was the first known internment in Thompson Family Cemetery in 1883.



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Thompson Family Cemetery

.55 acres ~ 14 Burials ~ 1883-1945