

TARRANT COUNTY TXGENWEB

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Civil War Veterans of Northeast Tarrant County

James Y. Farmer

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James Y. Farmer was born about 1846 in Tennessee. In 1850 he was living with his widowed mother, Eliza Farmer, and siblings in Putnam County, Tennessee. By 1860 they were living in Jackson County, Tennessee.

Farmer married Mary M. Jacquess, probably in Jackson County. In 1880 the family was still in Jackson County, including a son named William M. Farmer.

In 1910, James Y. Farmer and another Confederate veteran, Joseph A. Leverett, were living at Bransford with Farmer's son, William M. Farmer, on the Smithfield-White's Chapel Road. Joseph A. Leverett was William M. Farmer's uncle. Both Farmer and Leverett told the 1910 census taker that they were Confederate veterans.

James Y. Farmer's death does not appear in the Texas vital statistics files, and he has no readable headstone standing in northeast Tarrant County.