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Dear Mr. Downs:

I have been unable to secure reliable data in regard to Doctor John Buckley, born in Virginia, and was a soldier in the War of 1812. He moved to Kentucky where he reared his family and I think was located near Lawrenceburg, which was the home of his son, Jacob Creth Buckley.

Doctor John Buckley was the grandfather of Louisa Jane Buckley, who married John Reineke, and was the mother of Mary Gertrude Reineke, who married Wilford Collins Simons.

There are many Buckleys in Virginia and I paid \$50 or \$75 to someone without securing any results.

Doctor John Buckley died while visiting in Lawrence at the home of a son born to his second wife and he is buried in Oak Hill cemetery, where his grave has been marked by the "Daughters of 1812".

It is possible that you have some data regarding the Buckley family and I shall be glad to have you secure further data for me. I think he served in Captain or Colonel Ellison's company.

Respectrully yours,

W. C. Simons

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