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From our President...

As in the days of Caesar Augusta when a decree was issued that a census would be taken of the entire Roman world and everyone was to return to his/her own town to register, and as Joseph and Mary went to Bethlehem so will the Wells family make their way across country to Johnson County, Kentucky on September 1st and 2nd to register as we have for the last eight years in memory of Richard and Susanna Hutchinson Wells. Richard and Susanna Hutchinson Wells traveled from Scott County, Virginia around 1818-1820 to Floyd County, Ky, which in 1843 became Johnson County the 97th county in the State of Kentucky.

Richard and Susanna both are buried on Rt. 3, Daniels Creek, Van Lear, Kentucky. Richard is buried on the property of Ashley Butcher and Susanna on the property of Georgia Richmond Hall. Many of their descendants still reside in Johnson County and the joining counties. However, others moved away, some as far West as California and South as far as Florida. It is believed that Wells Relatives reside in all fifty states and some foreign countries.

I'm sure most of you marked your calendars as I did and are already making plans to be at the 1990 ANNUAL WELLS FAMILY REUNION. The Board Members have already met twice and are scheduled to meet again on July 28th. We need your input on how to make the reunion the best ever. There will be prizes given to the oldest, the youngest, and the member traveling the farthest distance, and the family with the most children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren present. Start now contacting your family members, you may be the winner!!!

There have been some changes in our Saturday evening activities. Due to a conflict in scheduling of the Johnson Central High School, the members taking the grave tours should be on the parking lot of the Central Elementary School adjacent to Johnson Central High School at 4:30 p.m. Refreshments will be provided at 7:30 p.m. at the elementary school and workers will move to the high school at 8:15 p.m. to set up for the Sunday Reunion. Please wear comfortable shoes and clothes if you plan to take the grave tours. The Auxier Cemetary near the Auxier Government Relocation Cemetery will be added to the tour this year. You may want to have some insect repellent handy as chiggers were very bad last year.