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# First List of Tithables of Pittsylvania Co., Virginia 1767

<http://files.usgwarchives.net/va/pittsylvania/census/tith.txt>

Samuel Pruett  
Henry Prewit  
Joseph Prewit  
Ricahrd Prewet  
Byrd Prewet

### Comments



**Bill Pruiett** Aug 21, 13

Ron, thanks for posting this link. I posted a document a couple of years ago (see link below) that listed all the Prew-its by Virginia county who appeared in the 1788-1791 tax lists. Four of the five Prew-its on your first list of Tithables for Pittsylvania Co. seem to also appear in my document. Samuel, Joseph and Richard are still in Pittsylvania Co. Bird seems to have moved to Campbell Co. and Henry is missing. I would like to update my earlier document by adding the Family Group letter after as many names as I can. If anyone would like to provide that information in this thread, I'll update the document and re-post. Thanks.

<http://groups.ancestry.com/group/60509555/files/127211197>

By the way, the Joseph Prewit appearing on the 1767 list is not the Family Group F Joseph Pruett appearing in the later tax lists. He's most likely the "Banister" Joseph Pruett. I don't know his family group affiliation.



**John W. Pruett-VA DF13** Aug 23, 13

I went through Ron's list of those who posted oaths in 1777 and found more names.

Oaths of Allegiance in 1777 for Pittsylvania County

Uriah Pruitt (Refusing)

Bird Pruitt

Levey Pruitt

Zack.h Pruitt

Phillip Pruitt

Samuel Pruitt

Elisha Pruitt

Joseph Pruett

Richard Prewitt

John Prewett



**Ron G Prewitt** Aug 30, 13

I wish I knew when Elisha Prewitt moved to Madison Co., KY



**John W. Pruett-VA DF13** Aug 31, 13

Ron, I looked at the Madison Co records from 1785, when it was formed, to 1850 in Richard A. Prewitt's KY book. The KY county records up until 1850 are listed in a WORD file on our site. I did see an Elijah Prewitt, Sr. but no Elisha. The spellings in the records were unusual and one time it was listed as Elljah.

I found it interesting that John Prewitt of Madison, who was married to Mary Ford, had eight sons and five were killed by the Indians.



**A. Pruett** Sep 3, 13

To Ron G. Prewitt about Elisha Prewitt in Madison Co. Ky: many counties were being divided about 1798, 1799 in Kentucky. John Prewitt came to Garrard/Madison KY. 5 of his 8 sons were killed by the Indians. Source: Forrest Callico "History of Garrard Co, p. 196: They lived on Nina Ridge off Paint Lick Creek near the line between the two counties. Their father John Prewitt is buried in the Coy Cemetery, 2 miles north of Kirksville, Garrard Co on Back Creek with no Marker. He is buried next to his daughter Elizabeth (Prewitt) Cotton, wife of William Cotton whose grave is marked. Source: Richard A. Prewitt Kentucky Prewitts, p. 121. If you can find a copy of Forest Callico's book online by pdf or on [Amazon.com](#), good luck. I am related to the Prewitt/Cotton line in Indiana and other children were named Elisha but I have not followed their lines. Linda Sharp, maternal Pruett descendant. If nothing else works, try following the line of William Cotton to see if his wife's 5 brothers were mentioned.



**Ron G Prewitt** Sep 5, 13

Thanks every one.



**Ron G Prewitt**

Wrote this on Aug 17, 13

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