

**Obit of Eleanor Clayton Flynt** published in the newspaper “**The Democrat**” in **Huntsville, Alabama on Saturday Morning December 21, 1839**; courtesy of the Huntsville Madison County Public Library.

“Departed this life, on the 29th of November last, in the 52nd year of her age, Mrs. Eleanor Flynt, consort of Richard Flynt. She was born and raised in the State of North Carolina, Stokes county – was married September 29th, 1807, and emigrated to the State of Tennessee, Giles county, with her husband, where she lived about seven years, and then removed to Lincoln county, in said State, and there lived about seventeen years, and thence to Mount Comfort, Hardeman county, in the Western District, where she resided about seven years, and died--leaving a disconsolate husband and nine children, with a numerous circle of friends and acquaintances, to mourn her loss. She lived well respected, and died lamented.....The Raleigh, N.C Standard will please copy the above.”

**Obit of Richard Flynt** published in the newspaper “**The Democrat**” in **Huntsville, Alabama Wednesday August 28, 1844** ; courtesy of the Huntsville Madison County Public Library

” [Died] of congestive fever, at his residence in Hardeman County, Tenn. on Saturday, the 27th of July last, Richard Flynt, Esqr., aged sixty-five years. The deceased was born in the State of Virginia and raised in the State of North Carolina, Stokes County – was married September 29, 1807, and emigrated to Giles County, Tenn. with his family, where he lived about seven years and then removed to Lincoln county, in said State, and there lived about seventeen years, and thence to Mount Comfort, Hardeman county, in the Western District, where he resided twelve years and died, leaving eight children to mourn his irreparable loss, together with that of an affectionate mother [Eleanor] who died some five years previous to his death.....Esqr. Flynt took up arms in the defense of his county and served a tour under Gen. Jackson in the late Creek War. He was possessed of an amiable trait of character, which endeared him not only to his family, but to all who knew him. He was a benevolent man, a good citizen, a kind and tender father, and an indulgent master: in a word, he was beloved and respected by all who knew him. A stronger evidence of that fact, could not be given than was evinced by the throng that surrounded his dying couch... The Raleigh, N.C Standard will please copy the above.”

*Becky Merritt Jan 4.2014 from the Huntsville Madison County, Alabama Public Library has a newspaper “The Democrat” which printed the obits of Richard and Eleanor Flynt in 1839 and 1844 respectively I purchased copies & added to my tree on ancestry.com*