

**Individual Narrative of Joseph⁸ Woodward Duryee Jr [322]
Son of Cornelia⁷ Leverich [155] and Joseph Woodward Duryee
Husband of Mildred J. Nunnally**

Joseph Woodward Duryee was born on 4 May 1827 at Huntsville, Madison County, Alabama.¹

Joseph W. Duryee, age 23, was recorded in the 1850 U.S. Census of Manhattan, New York County, New York. He was unmarried and in the lumber business with relatives Jacob and Isaac Duryee, living in the household of Abraham and Sarah Duryee, and their father Jacob.²

Joseph Woodward Duryee married Mildred J Nunnally on 20 January 1852 at Madison County, Alabama.³

Mildred J. Nunnally was born 26 December 1828 in Alabama. Her parents have not been identified.^{4,5}

Jospeh W. Duryee, age 33 druggist, was recorded in the 1860 U. S. Census of Huntsville, Madison County, Alabama. His household included his wife Mildred, age 31, and their children Jospeh W. Duryee (III), age 8, and Mary, age 1.⁶

Joseph W. Duryee clerked in J. L. Cooper's Drug store that also sold staple and fancy goods, boots, shoes, hats, caps, etc.⁷

On 26 April 1861, at the onset of the Civil War, Joseph W. Duryee enlisted in the Confederate Army, Company I, 4th Alabama Regiment, commanded by Captain (soon to be Major) Edward D. Tracey. Jospeh was promoted to 1st Sergt. 1 June 1861. His enlistment papers described him as 6' tall, fair complexion, blue eyes, and auburn hair. He was detailed as a regimental medical dispenser. Jospeh participated in the battle of 1st Manassas. In a letter dated 1861 signed by Jospeh and addressed to his brothers and sisters in the north, he severs all further connections with them because of the outbreak of war between the States. He was discharged in April 1862 in Yorktown, Virginia and paid an allowance to facilitate his trip home to Alabama.^{8,9,10}

Joseph Woodward Duryee died on 22 January 1866 at Selma, Dallas County, Alabama, at age 38.¹¹

Mildred J. (Nunnally) Duryee married for a second time James A. Austin 25 December 1871 in Madison County, Alabama.¹²

Mildren J. (Nunnally-Duryee) Austin died 11 March 1886 Huntsville, Madison County, Alabama. She was buried in the Maple Hill Cemetery in Huntsville.^{13,14}

Jospeh Woodward Duryee Jr. and Mildred J. Nunnally had three children, all of whom survived to adulthood.¹⁵

- i. Jospeh Woodward Duryee III was born about 1852 probably in Huntsville, Madison County, Alabama. He was not married. Jospeh died in 1870 at the age of 18 in Huntsville. His burial place has not been identified.^{16,17}
- ii. Mazie (Mary) Ella Duryee was born 6 July 1859, probably in Huntsville, Madison County, Alabama. Mazie married first George Tye Burkett 9 November 1882 in Lawrence County, Alabama. Mazie married second John W. Lowrance 11 May 1897 in Madison County, Tennessee. Mazie died 14 February 1937 in Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee. She was buried at the East Side Cemetery in Martin, Weakley County, Tennessee.^{18,19,20}

- iii. Mildred Duryee was born 6 July 1861 probably in Huntsville, Madison County, Alabama. She was not married. Mildred died 20 February 1927 in Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee. She was buried at the Maple Hill Cemetery in Huntsville.^{21,22}

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