First Negro settlers — Wm. Foree [c. 1958]
How many were slaves — did they recall ancestry
How much land — price?
How did they live — what was it called?
Colored Church — revivals?
Barbecues — talent for cooking — crowds?
What kind of cooks?
How account for deterioration — jobs in cotton?
How far back does cemetery go — who pays for care?
Ghost of former self
A lot of life went out of settlement

Pleasant Ridge Cemetery
Gleip — John’s Lily Green — grandhomestead
Father, people came from Missouri — 1863 —
Mother, people came in 1848 from Virginia
deeds back to 1852 - Wm Hores & Charles Shepard - future of cheap land - uncertainties of the times -

Thomas Green - enlisted Pr. de Clave -
grandfather & Sears on mother side
Chas. Shepard & son John walked for to Pr. de Clave & enlisted

Grandfather in Col Clark's regiment
Both Chas. (grandfather) died at Vickburg - John at Cairo all died of disease

Civil Greens - Thomas Green - father of Wm Lewis -
infantry - lived to be 96 - lived -

Thomas Greens - uncle by marriage
This Richmond - Civil War soldier -
came to live after Civil War
Missouri

William Ross - about 1861 -
mother, Nancy & children -
Gines - average sized farms - breeders

Premium horses - some to Madison

run rest + cattening

Sam Craig - draw barbecue

pork + beef over cook - several different places

cold - pleasant relation

several taught school - served on board - nothing - Pleasant Ridge Church - both white + colored attended older folks - days visit - walk to each others - Henry Richmond taught school

Mrs. Harriet Green - Aunt Harriet - wid wife - called up, kept some still living among who got them starts for her

younger generation started - went to school - taught - degree - in W. of Kansas taught - Mrs. Sara

used to bring back not any more

Calvary Church 1870 to 1920 - about

taught Sunday school for years for to-plus H-S.
Thomas Green - $700 saved up for whole family together - ran away.

Tom Richmond

Tom Grieves all slaves.

Tanner

Grant - lived in Missouri, father used to drive for him - leaning to read - go without to get books - education from

Samuel Gadlin - Tennessee (decided went thru that record)

Dick Lewis - vet of World War.

Harry Grieve