



Lyman Draper lists Private Benoni Banning with the other Washington County VA patriots named in Samuel Newell's letter to Virginia Governor David Campbell, as a casualty wounded at BKM in Campbell's Corps. The 1909 battlefield monument plaque shows the same.

Lewis Summers' *Annals of Southwest Virginia* shows him spelled Benning with first name both Benoni and Bennoni. Summers shows Benning wounded three times. On 15Apr1783 Washington Co VA court extended his county pension along with support for four other Kings Mountain casualties: Fisher, Fowler, Moore, and Skeggs. Summers lists marriages of two Banning daughters. Angelica Banning married Jonathan Byrd in 1798. Elizabeth Banning was married to William Fullwood by Rev. Nicholas Reagan in 1797. Oral family history relates that Fullwood treated Banning's wounds on the battlefield saving his life. The Banning's sold 78 acres of land in Washington Co. VA in 1799 and moved to Burke Co., NC where tax records show that he owned 275 acres,

Benoni Banning was born 26Jun1744 in Talbot County MD to *James Banning* and *Angelica Frazier*. He married **Ann T. Clark**, daughter of **Abraham Clark** and **Elizabeth Williams** in Dorchester County, MD on 08Jan1769. He died 25Feb1827 in McDowell County, NC. Children of **Benoni Banning** and **Ann T. Clark** are:

- i. **Clark Banning**, b. 25 Dec 1769, Talbot Co, MD d. date unknown, Green Co, IL.

- ii. **Elizabeth Banning**, b. 18 Mar 1772, Talbot Co, MD, d. 27 Oct 1851, Burke Co, NC
- iii. **Angelica Banning**, b. 26Apr1775, Talbot Co MD^o, d. 05Oct1863, McDowell Co NC
- iv. **Sarah Banning**, b. 02 May 1778, Talbot Co, MD, d. 1840, Carter Co, TN
- v. **Frazier Banning**, b. 01 Jan 1781, Washington Co, Va, d. 06 Aug 1844, Shelby Co, IL
- vi. **James Banning**, b. 31 Mar 1783, Washington Co, VA, d. 1860, Henderson Co, NC.
- vii. **Alexander Banning**, b. 25 Oct 1785, Washington Co, VA, d. 1848, Shelby Co, IL
- viii. **Jeremiah Banning**, b. 26 Aug 1788, Washington Co, VA, d. May 1861, Shelby Co, IL.
- ix. **Henry Banning**, b. 19 Mar 1791, Washington Co, VA, d. 1869.
- x. **Philadelphia Banning**, b. 04 Feb 1794, Washington Co, VA, d. 1874.



Old Ebenezer Cemetery, Old Fort NC