
1842 Shuman was born in Georgia.

1861 August 14: Enlisted in C.S. Army at the court house in Bryan, GA.

1862 July to October: Muster Roll. Present. Remarks “Sick in Camp.”

1864 November 30: Fought in the Battle of Franklin in Bates’ division hitting the U.S. line along the Western Flank.

1865 April: Surrendered at Greensboro, N.C.

1873 Married Frances V. Dyess in Tattnall County, GA.

1880 June 2: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Dog Fennell, Tattnall County, GA showed Henry J., a farmer, and Frances V. living with their children: Henry R., age 11, Pherita F., 9, Isolina I., 5, Lester A., 4 and Ines, E, 3 months.

1894 Sep 11: Appointed Post Master in Shuman, Tattnall County, GA.

1900 June 13: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Dog Fennell, Tattnall County, GA showed Henry J., a farmer, and Frances living with their children. In Daisy, Georgia, He helped form a club “Dorsey Club” whose intent was to support and indorse Governor Hugh M. Dorsey for the U.S. Senate. (Democrat)

1910 April 29: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Tattnall County, GA showed Henry J., a farmer, and Frances living with their children: Lena, age 36, Leonard, 27 and Irmi, 14. Also living with the family is a young black servant named Guss A. Carter, age 15.

1920 January 3: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Daisy, Evans County, GA showed Henry J., a farmer and Frances V., living next door to their son Leonard H. and his family.

1925 August 29: Henry J. Shuman died.