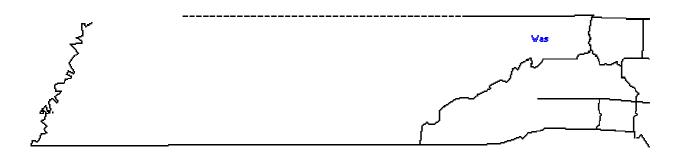
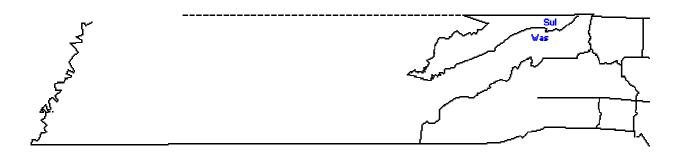
Washington County created by North Carolina. Previously Washington District, created in 1776.



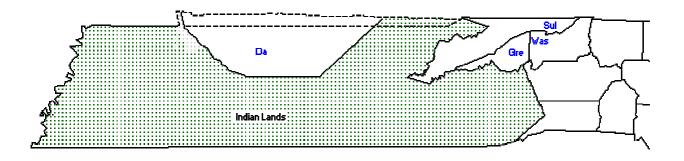
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Sullivan from Washington.

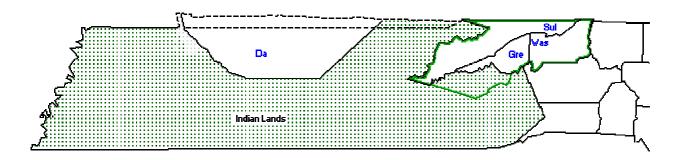


1783

Davidson from Washington. Greene from Washington. Western part of Virginia boundary surveyed 1779-80.

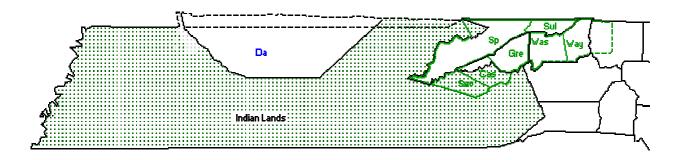


Three eastern counties, Washington, Sullivan and Greene, form provisional state of Franklin in move to secede from North Carolina.



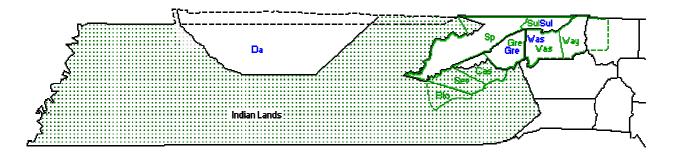
1785

State of Franklin creates Caswell, Sevier from Greene; Spencer from Sullivan, Greene; and Wayne from Washington, Wilkes.
All seven eastern counties functioned as counties of the State of Franklin.

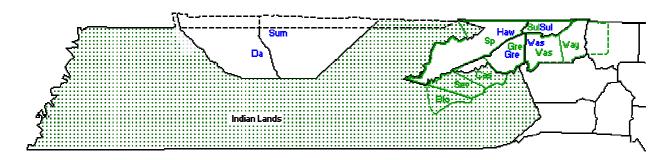


1786

Blount created by State of Franklin. North Carolina reconstitutes its governments for Washington, Sullivan and Greene, which function in parallel with Franklin's in those counties.

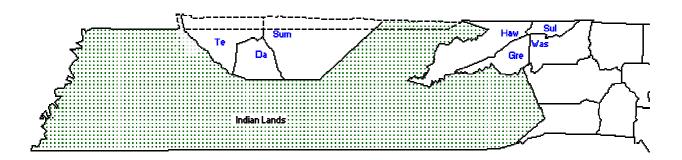


Hawkins from Sullivan (functioned in parallel with Franklin's Spencer). Sumner from Davidson. North Carolina county governments gain supremacy over Franklin governments.



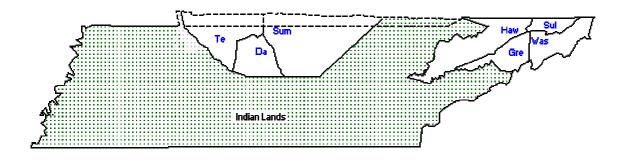
1788

Tennessee from Davidson. State of Franklin and its counties cease to function.

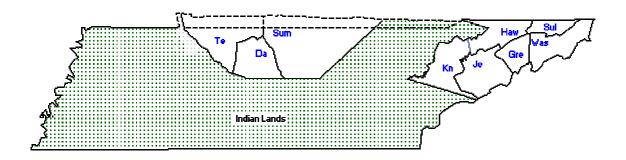


1790

North Carolina cedes western region, organized as Territory South of the Ohio River.

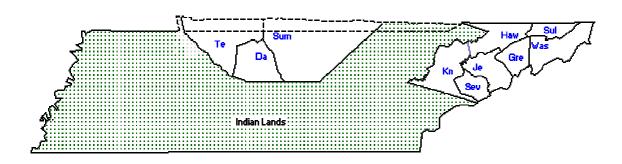


Jefferson from Greene, Hawkins(?). Knox from Greene, Hawkins.



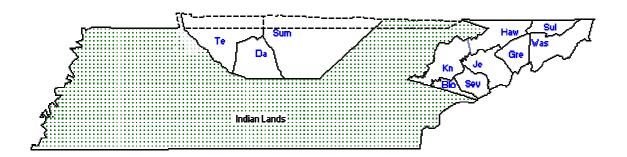
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Sevier from Jefferson.

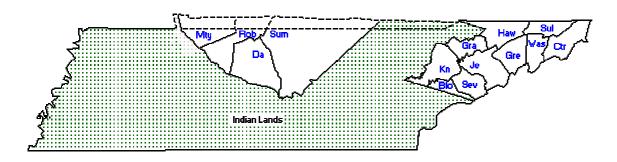


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Blount from Knox.

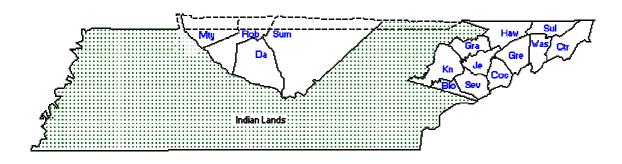


Tennessee admitted as state. Grainger from Hawkins, Knox. Carter from Washington. Tennessee divided into Montgomery, Robertson.



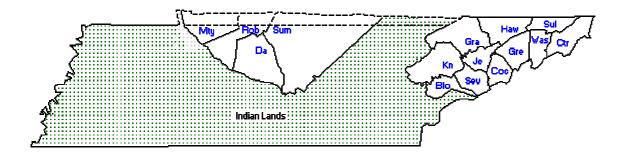
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Cocke from Jefferson.

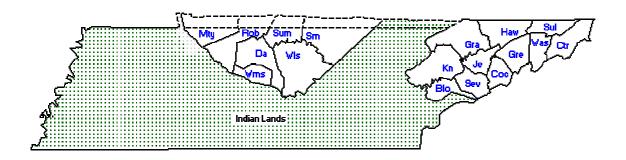


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Indian cessions by First Treaty of Tellico.

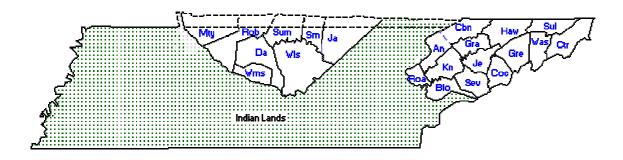


Smith from Sumner. Wilson from Sumner. Williamson from Davidson.



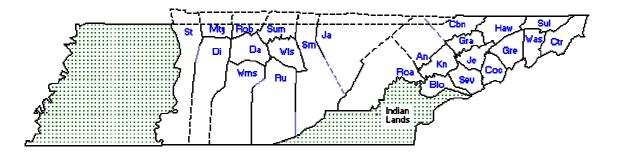
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Anderson from Knox. Roane from Knox. Claiborne from Grainger, Hawkins. Jackson from Smith.

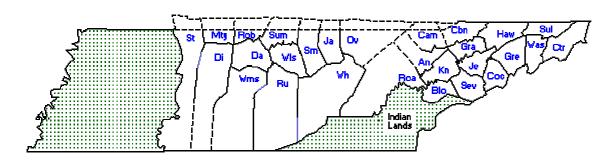


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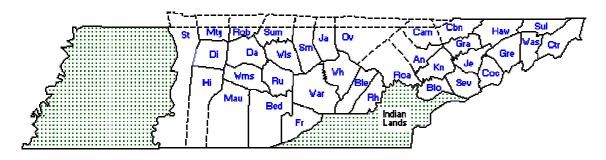
Dickson from Montgomery, Robertson. Stewart from Montgomery. Rutherford from Davidson. Anderson, Roane gained from non-county area (Indian Lands). (date?)



Campbell from Anderson, Claiborne. Overton from Jackson. White from Jackson, Smith. Sevier gained from Blount (c. 1800-1810)

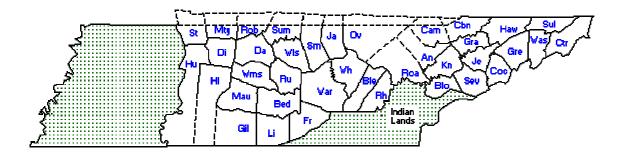


Bledsoe from Roane. Franklin from Bedford, Warren. Hickman from Dickson. Maury from Williamson. Rhea from Roane. Warren from White. Bedford from Rutherford. 1807

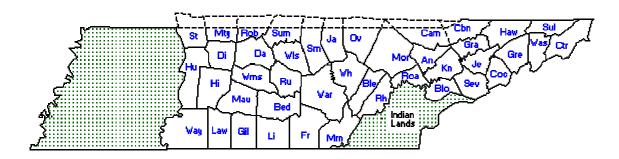


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Giles from Maury. Humphreys from Stewart. Lincoln from Bedford.

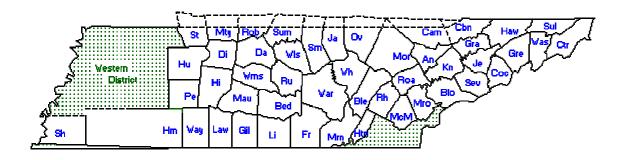


Marion from Indian Lands. Morgan from Roane. Lawrence from Hickman, Maury. Wayne from Hickman.



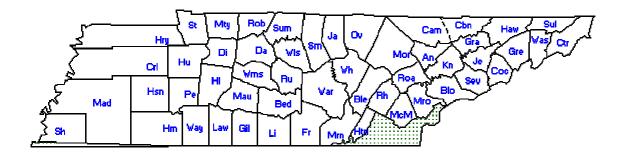
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Hamilton from Rhea. McMinn from Indian Lands. Monroe from Roane. Shelby, Hardin from Western District. Perry from Hickman. (date?)



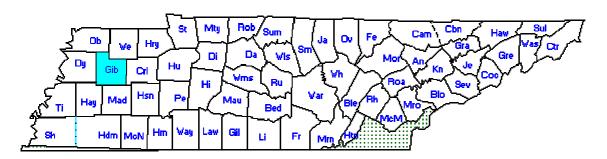
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Carroll, Henderson, Henry, Madison from Western District.



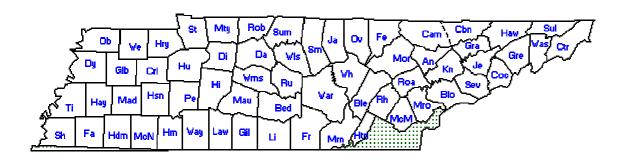
Dyer from Carroll.
Gibson from Carroll, Madison.
Hardeman from Madison, Hardin.
Haywood, Tipton from Madison,
Obion from Henry. McNairy from Hardin.
Weakley from Henry, Carroll.
Fentress from Morgan, Overton.

1823

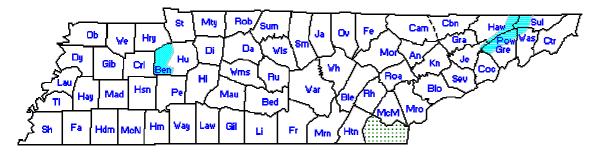


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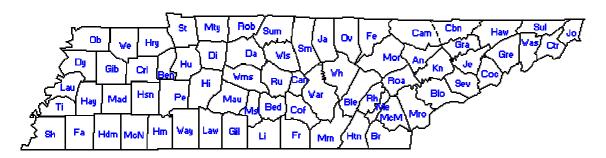
Fayette from Shelby, Hardeman. Gibson organized.



Benton from Humphreys; unorg. Lauderdale from 1835 Dyer, Tipton. Powell authorized, never organized. Boundary changes 1830-1840: Haywood gained from Dyer. Weakley exchanged with Gibson, gained from Carroll. Blount gained from Monroe. Humphreys gained from Dickson, Hickman, Stewart.

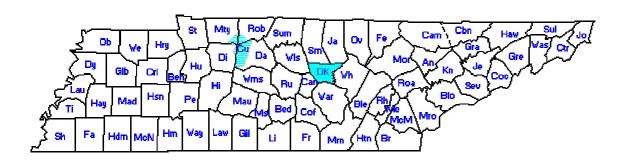


Bradley from Indian Lands. Cannon from Warren, Wilson. Coffee from Franklin, Warren, Bedford. Johnson from Carter. Marshall from Bedford, Lincoln, Maury. Meigs from Hamilton, Rhea. Benton organized. 1836



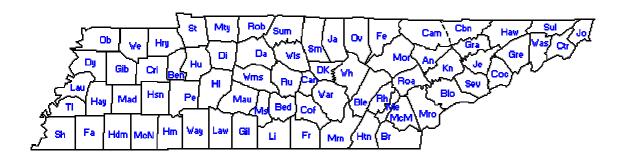
1837

De Kalb from Cannon, Warren, White; unorg. Cumberland authorized, never organized.

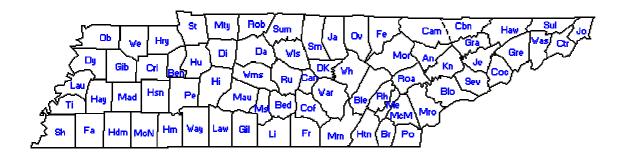


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De Kalb organized.

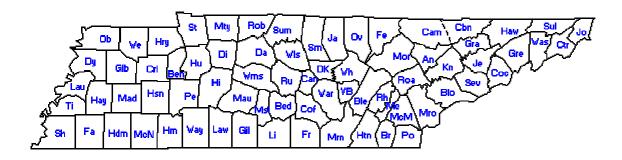


Polk from Bradley, McMinn.



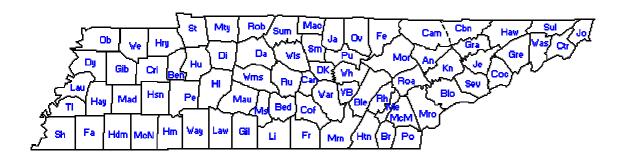
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Van Buren from Warren, White.

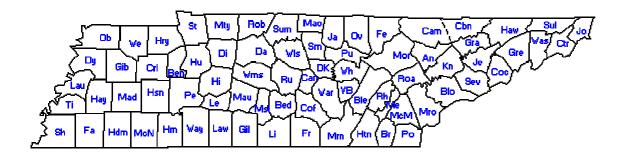


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Macon from Smith, Sumner. Putnam from White, Jackson, Overton, De Kalb.

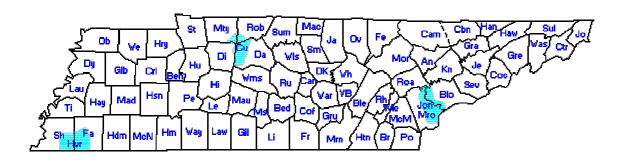


Lewis from Hickman, Maury, Wayne, Lawrence.



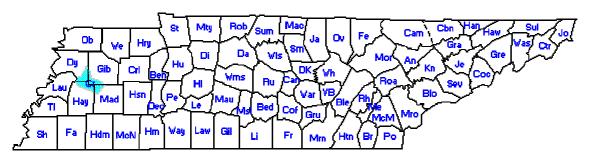
1844

Grundy from Coffee, Warren. Hancock from Claiborne, Hawkins. Putnam abolished. Cumberland, Hanover, Jones authorized, never organized.

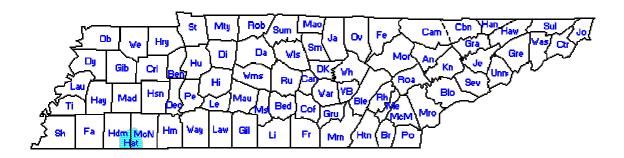


1845

Crockett from Lauderdale, Dyer, Madison, Gibson, Haywood; not organized at this time. Decatur from Perry. Perry gained from Wayne. Wayne gained from Hardin. Rutherford gained from Williamson.

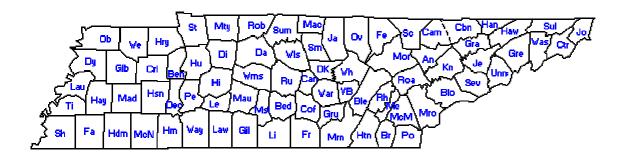


Hatchie authorized, never organized. Cocke name changed to Union (??).



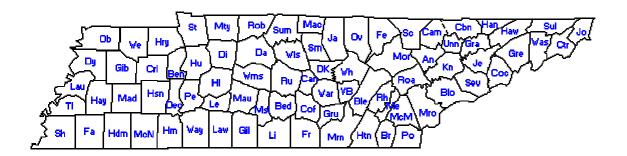
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Scott from Fentress, Morgan, Anderson.

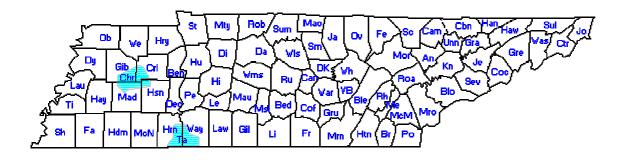


1850

Union name changed back to Cocke (??-date?). Union(new) from Anderson, Campbell, Claiborne, Grainger, Knox.

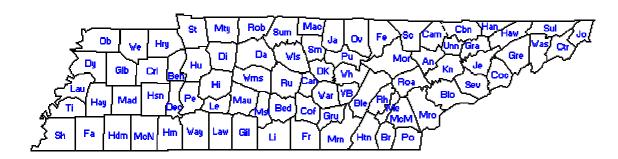


Christian, Taylor authorized, never organized.



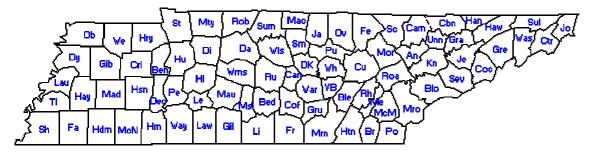
1854

Putnam re-established from White, Jackson Overton, De Kalb. De Kalb gained from Smith. White exchanged with De Kalb.(c. 1850-1860)

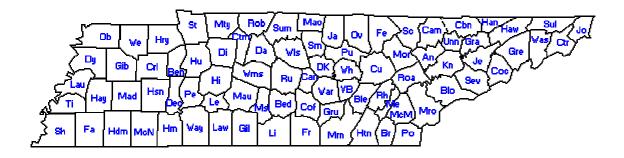


1055

Cumberland from Bledsoe, Morgan, Roane. Boundary changes 1850-1860: Scott gained from Morgan, Anderson. Campbell gained from Scott. Decatur gained from Hardin. Wayne gained from Perry. Lewis gained from Wayne, Lawrence. Maury gained from Lewis.

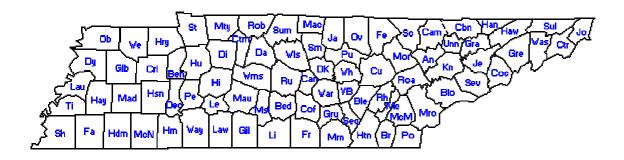


Cheatham from Davidson, Dickson, Montgomery.



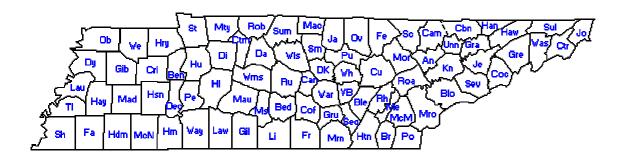
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Sequatchie from Grundy, Bredsoe, Marion.

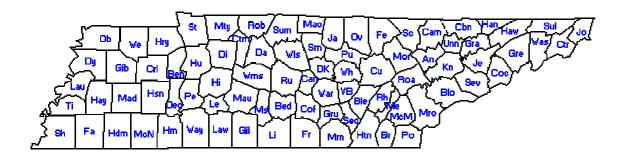


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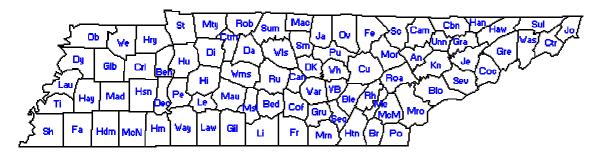
Lewis abolished. (date?).



Lewis re-established (date?).

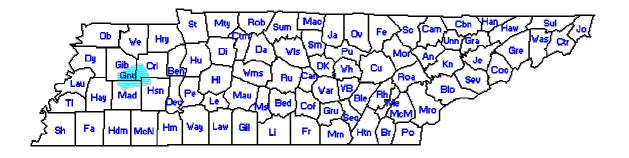


Boundary changes 1860-1870: 1868
Claiborne-Campbell defined. Union g. fr. Claiborne.
Sequatchie g. fr. Bledsoe. Grundy g. fr. Marion.
Rutherford ex. w. Williamson. Davidson, Williamson,
Montgomery g. fr. Cheatham. Hickman, Dickson g. fr.
Williamson. Cheatham ex. w. Dickson. Obion g. fr.
Weakley. Shelby g. fr. Tipton. Decatur g. fr. Wayne.

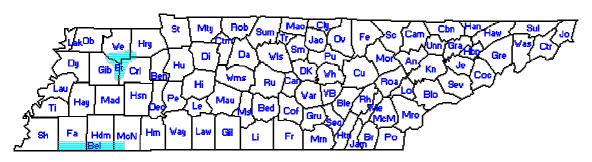


1069

Grant authorized, never organized.



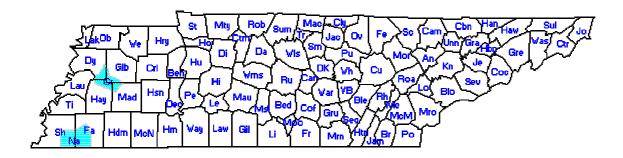
Clay from Jackson, Overton. Hamblen from Grainger, Hawkins. Lake from Obion. Loudon from Blount, Monroe, Roane, McMinn. Trousdale from Macon, Smith, Wilson. James from Hamilton, Bradley. Bell, Ethridge authorized, never organized.



1870

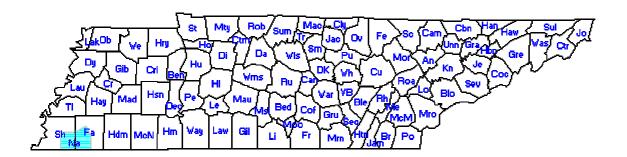
1871

Houston from Dickson, Stewart. Moore from Bedford, Franklin. Nashoba authorized, never organized. Crockett reauthorized; pending.

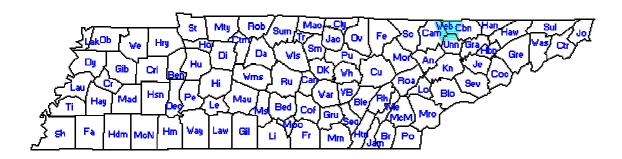


1872

Crockett effective.

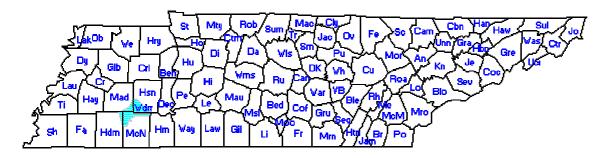


Webster authorized, never organized.



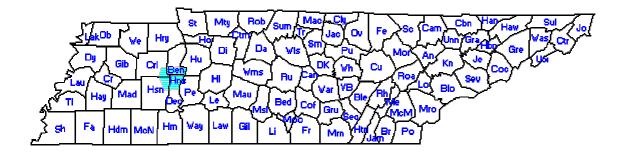
Unicoi from Carter, Washington. Wisdom authorized, never organized. Boundary changes 1870-1880: Hawkins gained from Hancock. Campbell gained from Giles. Carroll gained from Henderson.

1875

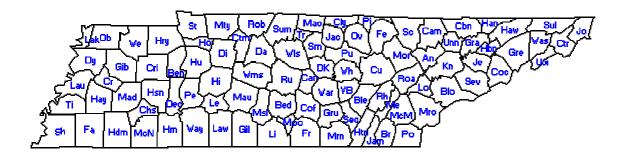


1877

Hanes authorized, never organized.

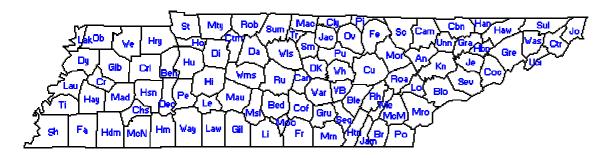


Chester from Hardeman, Madison, Henderson, McNairy. Pickett from Fentress, Overton. Scott gained from Fentress.



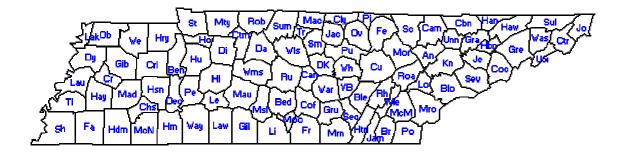
1885

Boundary changes 1880-1890: Meigs gained from Roane. Greene gained from Washington, Unicoi. Lake gained from Dyer. Madison gained from Henderson. Tipton gained from Fayette.

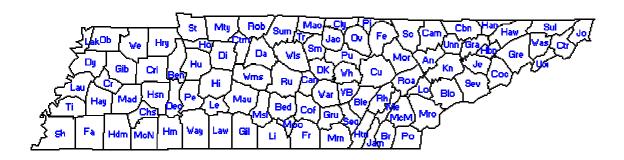


1095

Boundary changes 1890-1900:
Davidson gained from Wilson.
Maury gained from Williamson.
Benton gained from Decatur, exchanged with Henry.
Tipton gained from Shelby.

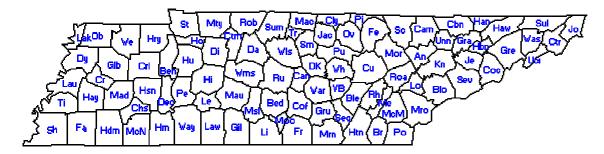


Sevier gained from Blount. Morgan gained from Anderson.



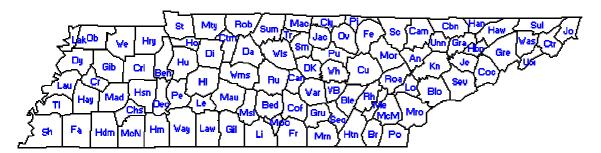
1920

James merged into Hamilton. Boundary changes 1900-1930: Morgan gained from Scott Clay gained from Overton. Williamson gained from Marshall. Lawrence gained from Giles



Boundary changes 1930-1960: Washington gained from Sullivan. Grainger gained from Union. White gained from Van Buren. Giles gained from Lawrence. Humphreys gained from Perry. Shelby gained from Tipton.

1960



Boundary changes 1960-1985: Monroe exchanged with Loudon. Loudon, Monroe gained from McMinn. Sumner gained from Macon. Haywood gained from Tipton.

