

[Page 4] **FAMILY RECORD**

DEATHS [left column; long handwritten dashes are between these entries. Nothing appears in the right column.]

Joseph A. Poythress died April 14th

1853 aged 64

[Bpn note: This entry is the only one giving a middle initial for Joseph, father of Francis A. Poythress. The old handwriting of this entry is different from any other in this Bible.]

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Mary Poythress died Sept 29

1854 aged 56

[Bpn note: wife of Joseph; maiden name King; mother of Francis A. Poythress]

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Francis A. Poythress died

Oct 2nd 1859 age 23

[Bpn note: This death date fits correctly with his listing in the Mortality Schedule of the 1860 Census, which was taken as of June 1, 1860, recording all the deaths of the preceding 12 months.]

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Lieut E.S. Ware

was killed June 25th

1862, at the battle

near Richmond

[Bpn note: this is Eugene Ware, brother of Caroline E. Ware, whose first husband was Francis A. Poythress]

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Lieut J.T. Gay died from

wounds received in the battle

around Petersburg. Was wound-

ed on the 25th of March

died on the 28th of April

1865

[Bpn note: John T. Gay was the second husband of Caroline E. Ware, whose first husband was Francis A Poythress]