

### 1870 United State Census

47	48	Thomasson Sarah	45	7	B
		Maria Martha	22	7	B
		— Infant	$\frac{2}{12}$	7	B
		— George	3	11	B

Sarah Thomasson born about 1825 and residing in Madison, Morgan County, Georgia

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### Questions for Case Study 4:

1. What can be learned about the parents of Sarah Thomasson?

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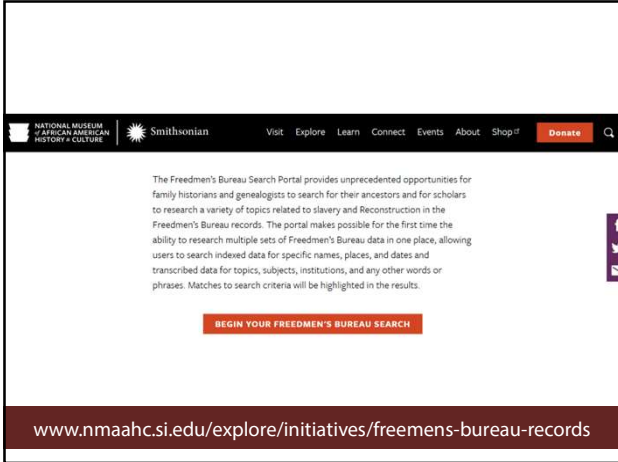
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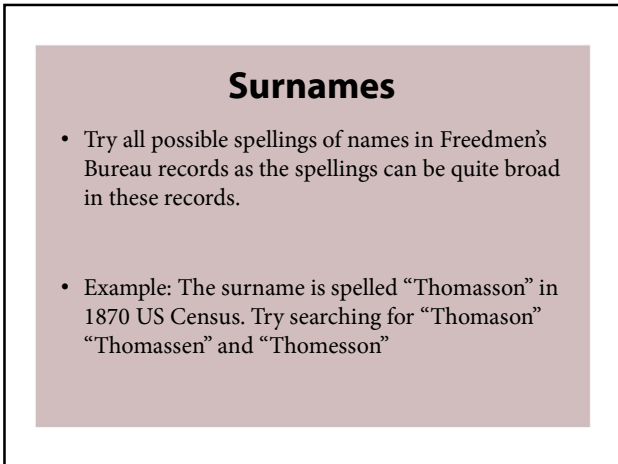
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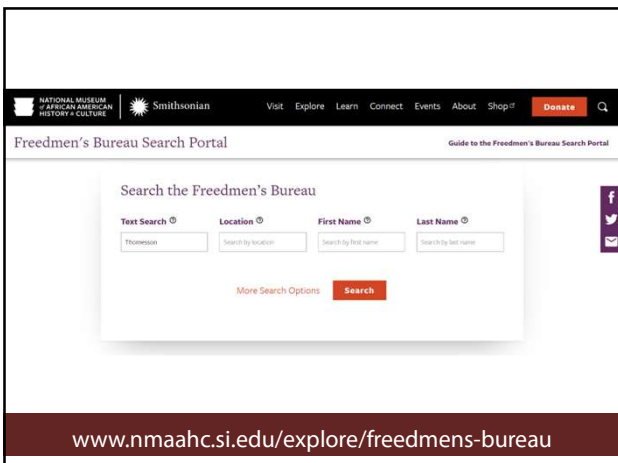
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Last Name

Start Date

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April 4  
Thomson Sarah (Mrs)

Medison Va Jan 11 1866

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*or more precise*

*to find her mother whom she has not seen for fifteen (15) years, her mother name is Carter & she formerly belonged to Sgt. Child of Nelson Va.*

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**Note on Freedmen's Bureau Records**

Even though Sarah Thomasson was residing in Madison, Georgia her petition was filed through the North Carolina Field Office as her mother Patsy was last seen in North Carolina

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**Answers to Case Study 4:**

1. What can be learned about the parents of Sarah Thomasson?

- Sarah Thomasson was the daughter of Patsy who was enslaved by the Ellis family of North Carolina and died prior to the end of the Civil War

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