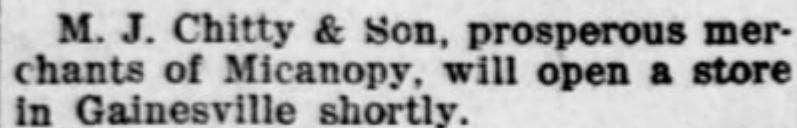


Martin Jacob Chitty, Sergeant, Co. H, 7th FL Infantry, CSA

- 1833 Jan 15: Martin Jacob Chitty was born to parents Robert and Nancy Chitty in South Carolina.
- 1850 Oct 10: The US Federal Census enumerated in Barnwell County, SC listed Martin Chitty at eighteen years old. His father, Robert, was listed as a sixty year old planter and the head of the household.
- 1860 Jul 23: The US Federal Census enumerated in Marion County, FL listed Martin Chitty at twenty seven years old. He was listed as a planter and had two children aged four and two that lived with him.
- 1861 Sep 12: Married Mary V Hale in Madison County, FL.
- 1862 Mar 20: Enlisted in the Confederate Army at Camp Lee, FL. He was mustered into Co. H, 7th FL Infantry as a private.
- 1863 Jan 9: Promoted to 1st Corporal.
- Feb 20: Promoted to 5th Sergeant.
- 1864 Nov 30: The 7th FL Infantry fought at the Battle of Franklin. They were part of Finley's Brigade commanded by Col. Robert Bullock. This brigade was part of Gen. William Bate's division in Cheatham's corps. As Bate's men advanced towards the entrenched Federal position in Franklin, Bullock's men were on the left edge of the Confederate line and severely exposed to enemy fire. Sgt. Martin Chitty was wounded in action at the Battle of Franklin.
- 1865 May 18: Martin Chitty signed an oath of allegiance in Augusta, GA.
- 1869 Dec 23: Married Fanny E Mathews in Marion County, FL.
- 1875 Martin's wife Fanny died.
- 1877 Nov 13: Martin married Mary E Richardson in Marion County, FL.
- 1880 Jun 7: The US Federal Census enumerated in Marion County, FL listed M.J. Chitty at forty seven years old. He was employed as a farmer and lived with his

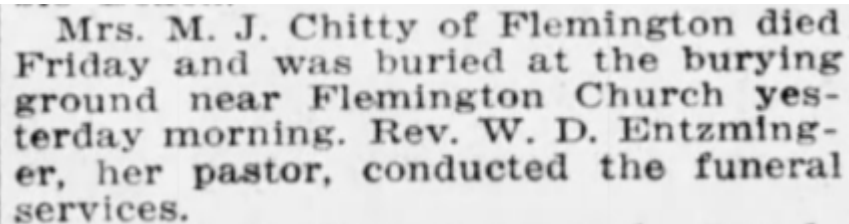
wife Mary. She was listed at twenty seven years old with chronic inflammation. They had a seven year old son and an older tenant that lived with them.

- 1885 Jun 1: The FL State Census taken in Marion County, FL listed M.J. Chitty at fifty two years old. He worked as a farmer and lived with his wife, one son, and two boarders.
- 1900 Jun 14: The US Federal Census enumerated in Marion County, FL listed Martin Chitty at sixty seven years old. He was employed as a farmer and lived with his wife and a niece named Ella Richardson.
- 1902 Feb 19: News of Martin Chitty's business expansion made the papers in Ocala, FL.



M. J. Chitty & Son, prosperous merchants of Micanopy, will open a store in Gainesville shortly.

- 1910 Apr 27: The US Federal Census enumerated in Marion County, FL listed Martin Chitty at seventy seven years old. He was still farming and living with his second wife, Mary Elizabeth Chitty.
- 1915 sep 17: Martin's second wife, Mary Elizabeth, died.



Mrs. M. J. Chitty of Flemington died Friday and was buried at the burying ground near Flemington Church yesterday morning. Rev. W. D. Entzming-er, her pastor, conducted the funeral services.

- 1920 Jan 30: The US Federal Census enumerated in Marion County, FL listed Martin Chitty at eighty seven years old. He was retired and lived in the household of his nephew, Frank Chitty.
- 1922 Dec 26: Martin Jacob Chitty passed away. He was eighty nine years old. He was buried in the Flemington Baptist Church Cemetery in Flemington, Marion County, FL.

¹ The Ocala Evening Star, Ocala, FL, Wednesday, February 19, 1902, pg. 3.

² The Tampa Tribune, Tampa, FL, Monday, September 20, 1915, pg. 4.



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³ <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/23604308/martin-jacob-chitty>