

Fulton County Reparations Update

**By DataWorks Team
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Who is DataWorks?

We are a small initiative that collects, clean, and prepares data for mostly civic and non-profit organizations, while continuing to upskill our technical knowledge on various data related platforms

**What is owed by
Fulton County to repair
for the practice of
convict labor?**

In order to answer this question, we are researching the history of convict lease labor in Fulton county and the first step in doing this is building a dataset of convicts in Georgia from the 1860s through the 1970s

What research are we currently working on?

Scraping records from the 'Georgia, U.S., Central Register of Convicts' volumes on Ancestry.com. To explain more about what research we are currently working on, we are going to walkthrough our process

Central Resister Volume 2-12977

Georgia, U.S., Central Register of Convicts, 1817-1976
Central Register of Convicts, 1949-1952; Misdemeanors and Felonies

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2	Butler, J.D.	43902	Div P.P.	Dougherty	1 mo. or 1.	2
3	Stedtler, Ralph V.	43903	D. in P.P.	Dougherty	1 mo. or 1.	3
4	Dison, Elmer	43904	Burglary	Emanuel	12 mo., serve 3 mo., rem - susp.	4
5	Hudson, Dallis	43905	Lottery	Fulton	4 months	5
6	Brown, Willie H.	43906	L. from the House	Dougherty	12 months or 200.	6
7	Burton, Carl	43907	S. L.	Dougherty	12 months or 200.	7
8	Smith, Tommie Lee	43908	Burglary	Bibb	6 months	8
9	Roze, Harold	43909	Burglary	Bibb	6 months → rev. 1 1/2 mo. or 150. Convict months 4 mo. conv. p. serv.	9

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Name	Gender	Age	Birth Year	Birth Place	Received Date	Crime	Race	Conviction County	Death Date
Vernon Thornton	Male	29	1920		1 Apr 1949	S L	White	Chatham	
J D Butler	Male	35	1914		11 Apr 1949	Div P P	White	Dougherty	
Ralph V Stedtler	Male	24	1925		11 Apr 1949	D in P P	White	Dougherty	
Elmer Dison	Male	27	1922		9 Apr 1949	Burglary	White	Emanuel	
Dallis Hudson	Male	19	1930		12 Apr 1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
Willie H Brown	Male	19	1930		12 Apr 1949	L From The House	Black	Dougherty	
Carl Burton	Male	27	1922		6 Apr 1949	S L	Black	Dougherty	
Tommie Lee Smith	Male	19	1930		6 Apr 1949	Burglary	Black	Bibb	
Harold Roze	Male	29	1920		6 Apr 1949	Burglary	Black	Bibb	
James Crawford	Male	18	1931		16 Mar 1949	Misd; L From The H	Black	Bibb	
T B McIntoch	Male	24	1925		31 Mar 1949	S L	Black	Dougherty	
Eddie Lee Nelson	Male	24	1925		31 Mar 1949	S L	Black	Dougherty	

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The screenshot shows a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet titled "Reparation Volumes.xlsx" open in a web browser. The spreadsheet contains a table with the following columns: Name, Gender, Age, Birth Year, Birth Place, Received Date, Crime, Race, Conviction County, and Death Date. The data is sorted by Received Date. The table lists 307 individuals, with the first row being the header and the last row being Mabel Timmie. The Conviction County for all listed individuals is "Fulton".

	Name	Gender	Age	Birth Year	Birth Place	Received Date	Crime	Race	Conviction County	Death Date
6	Dallie Hudson	Male	19	1930		12-Apr-1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
23	Ethel Davis	Female	41	1908		13-Apr-1949	Lottery, VLC	Black	Fulton	
24	Hazel Glover	Female	24	1925		11-Apr-1949	S L	Black	Fulton	
25	Edythe Henderson	Male	27	1922		31-Mar-1949	Fraud Cks	Black	Fulton	
26	Virginia Jackson	Female	23	1926		29-Mar-1949	Intox On P H	Black	Fulton	
27	Charlotte Little	Female	60	1889		11-Apr-1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
28	Pearl Martin	Female	51	1898		12-Apr-1949	VLC	Black	Fulton	
29	Cora Lee Mitchum	Female	45	1904		13-Apr-1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
35	Doris Cox	Female	16	1933		14-Apr-1949	Intox In P P	Black	Fulton	
36	Robert Lee King	Male	19	1930		11-Apr-1949	Burg	Black	Fulton	
53	Arthur Davis	Male	48	1901		12-Apr-1949	Vag	White	Fulton	
83	Mozel Baugh	Female	40	1909		18-Apr-1949	S L	Black	Fulton	
84	Idella Crockett	Female	68	1881		19-Apr-1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
85	Cora McCree	Female	43	1906		18-Apr-1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
99	Thelma Bishop	Female	31	1918		11-Apr-1949	Intox. On P.H.	White	Fulton	
100	Alva Briley	Female	24	1925		22-Apr-1949	Vag.	Black	Fulton	
101	Pat Eller	Female	24	1925		13-Apr-1949	SL	White	Fulton	
102	Captolia Grantley	Female	37	1912		21-Apr-1949	3 Counts Sell Whiskey No Lic.	Black	Fulton	
103	Emily Hall	Female	23	1926		22-Apr-1949	Stabb	Black	Fulton	
104	Mollie Sikes	Female	38	1911		13-Apr-1949	S L	White	Fulton	
105	Salonia Stroud	Female	35	1914		18-Apr-1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
142	Oppie Glover	Female	43	1906		14-Apr-1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
146	William Douglas	Male	20	1929		14-Apr-1949	(4) Intox. On RH.	White	Fulton	
157	Dorothy Burton	Female	17	1932		3-May-1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
158	Marie McMichael	Female	36	1913		4-Apr-1949	Intox On RH	White	Fulton	
159	Lee Parks	Male	30	1919		5-Apr-1949	Escape	White	Fulton	
168	Marie Lipscomb	Female	25	1924		4-May-1949	Intox On P H	Black	Fulton	
190	Dorothy Myers	Male	27	1922		6-May-1949	L After T	White	Fulton	
196	Joe O'Shields	Male	29	1920		10-May-1949	Vag	White	Fulton	
199	J L Bentley	Male				3-May-1949	S L	White	Fulton	
200	Andrew Herbert	Male	53	1896		20-Apr-1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
201	J L Jones	Male	46	1903		10-May-1949	Intox On P H	White	Fulton	
202	Mrs M E Porter	Female	38	1911		2-May-1949	Fraud Cks (2)	White	Fulton	
203	Bernice Aaron	Female	36	1913		4-May-1949	Intox On P H	White	Fulton	
249	Stewart S Montague	Male	31	1918		29-Mar-1949	Fraud Cks (2)	White	Fulton	
253	Jack Short	Male	28	1921		16-May-1949	(3) Forgery, Forgery	White	Fulton	
303	Annie Pearl Connor	Female	28	1921		23-May-1949	Escape, S L	Black	Fulton	
304	Betty Ann Foster	Female	24	1925		23-May-1949	S L	Black	Fulton	
305	Connie Huff	Female	32	1917		9-May-1949	S L	Black	Fulton	
306	Blanche Johnson	Female	24	1925		23-May-1949	Lottery	Black	Fulton	
307	Mabel Timmie	Female	36	1911		30-Sep-1947	Lottery, Lottery	Black	Fulton	

Challenges

- **Data Challenges:**

- **The scrape doesn't include all columns in the book**
- **Duplicates**
- **The translations are not always correct**
- **Gaps in data that are missing or might have to be input manually**

- **Formatting Challenges:**

- **Dates from around turn of century are not transferring correctly**
- **Spaces/gaps in data don't always transfer correctly**