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## Judge Walker Reid

**R**EID, JUDGE WALKER, Lawyer and Judge, was born about 1785, and settled at Washington, Mason County, Kentucky, early in the present century. In 1800, he was elected to the Kentucky Legislature; was re-elected in 1813 and 1817; became Circuit Judge, by appointment, in 1832; went out of office on the introduction of the new Constitution, in 1851; for some time refused to be a candidate for election to the judgeship, but finally made the race, and was elected for six years, by a very flattering majority, to a great extent without reference to political lines. He died of cholera, June 21, 1852, while attending court at Alexandria, Campbell County. His three daughters married lawyers; two of his sons were lawyers, and his son, Walker Reid, lost his life as a captain while fighting for the independency of Texas.

