was also settled, long before the County was created, by the following: Hugh Reed, Benjamin Davis, Joseph Fowler, Robert Carson (for whom the stream was named and who was a captain in the Revolutionary war), James Simmons, James Sissom, Milton Fowler, Aaron Byford, Edmund Tennyson, John Rogers, Hiram Rawson, Valentine Simpson, David Sackett, John Cooper, Nathan Petty, John Lowe, Walter Lowe, Jenkin Whiteside, Leander Watson, Bob Williams.

Those settling along Haws Spring Fork, a tributary of Carson's Fork, were: Samuel Pogue, Thomas Parker, Ambrose Petty, Augustine Oliver, William Stacey, John Stroud, William Stroud, John West, Thomas Fowler, Joseph Swope, Milton Fowler, David Tenpenny, Maxwell Carruthers, Benjamin Davis, Ned Alford, Peter Simpson, B. L. McFerrin (grandfather of Benton McFerrin, Mrs. Oscar Hoover, Mrs. Annie Rayburn, and Joe McFerrin, now of Texas), James Goodner, John Davis, Billie Todd, John R. Todd, B. B. Dickens, David Hypp, David Byford.

Those settling along Hollis Creek were: Arcoelus Alexander, David Anglin, John Reed, Robert George, Thomas Barrett, Josiah Hendrickson, Cynthia Kemp, Goodner, Samuel Lawling, Daniel Coggin, John Thomas Trammel, James Wilson, Philip Palmer, Henry Haas, John Hollis, Micajah Hollis, Josephus Finley, Alexander Finley, Daniel Finley, Charles Alexander, Ezekiel Hayes, Daniel Tenpenny, Sr., (great-grandfather of Adam A. Tenpenny,) James P. Todd (first Constable from that district,) Cullen Gaither, Bob Williams, Tobias Tenpenny, Alexander McBroom, Sr., William Basham, Richard Tenpenny, Simmons Hollis, Jim Hollis (for whom the creek was named,) Fountain Owen, Isaac McBroom, Nathan McBroom, Jim Mc-Broom, Henry McBroom, John N. Doak, father of Tuck Doak and Tom Doak, (Confederate soldier), Lydia