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DIVISION OF GEOGRAPHIC NAMES

Adopted name *Emory River

Thing named and location a river that rises in eastern
Morgan Co. and flows into Clinch River in Roane
Co., Tenn. (Not Emory River.)

APPROVED

June 4, 1936

Names	Authorities
Emory's River	1804 - The American Gazetteer by Jedidiah Morse
Emory's River	1822 - Tennessee, from Complete Historical, Chronological and Geographical Amer. Atlas (Corey & Lea
" "	1823 - American Atlas by H. S. Tanner
" "	1832 - Map of Tennessee by Matthew Rhea
" "	1833 - New Map of Tenn., from Tanner's Univ. Atlas
" "	1835 - 3rd Geol. Report of State of Tenn., G. Troost, State Geologist
Emerys River	1837 - Tourists Pocket Map of Tenn., by S. Augustus

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Recommendation of Executive Committee

Submitted by U.S. Geological Survey

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Emery's River	1860 - Colton's Tennessee, by J.H. Colton
Emory's River	
(Emery Iron Works)	1860 - Tenn. State Gazetteer by Jno. L. Mitchell, p.64
Emery River	1865 - Mountain region of N.C. & Tenn., U.S.C. & G.S.
" "	1869 - Geol. of Tennessee by James M. Safford
Emory River	1874 - Resources of Tenn. 1st & 2nd reports of Bur. of Agriculture, State of Tenn., p. 599
Emery River	1887 - History of Tenn., pub. by The Goodspeed Pub. Co., pp. 44-45
Emory River	1893 - U.S.G.S. Kingston quad.
" "	1896 - U.S.G.S. Wartburg quad.
" "	1901-1903 - 13th Ann. Report Mining Dept. of Tenn. (p.122)
" "	1906 - Revised and corrected map of City of Harriman by Harriman Land Co.
" "	1908 - Tenn., by Tenn. R.R.Comm. and Comm. of Agri.
" "	1911 - Rural Free Del. Roan County, P.O. Dept.
" "	1913 - The Red Iron Ores of Eastern Tenn., Bull. 16 State of Tenn. Geol. Survey, p.81
" "	1913 - State of Tenn., Geol. Survey Bull. 1, Index of Geological reports on Tennessee
Emery River	1922 - Tennessee by Rand McNally
Emory River	1922 - Private Acts of Tenn. Chap.180, p.476 "Morgan Co. authorized to issue bonds for Emory R. bridge"

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~~1923--"Penn. the Volunteer State" by J. J. Moore
and A. P. Foster, Vol. 1, p. 830~~

Emory River	1923 - "Tennessee, the Volunteer State", by J.T.Moore and A.P.Foster, Vol.I, p.830
" "	1925 - "Street Map" of Harriman in Census
Emory River	1925 - Water Resources of Tenn., Bull. 34, Tenn. Div. of Geol. p.76 - in cooperation with U.S.G.S.
Emory River	1926 - District Map of Morgan County by Tenn. Dept. of Public Health
Emory River	1926 - Geol. Map of Tenn. Revised by Wilbur A. Nelson, State Geol.
" "	1927 - Tennessee by C.& S. Hammond
Emory River	1930 - Pitner's map of Roane and Loudon counties
" "	1934 - Tenn. Valley by Tennessee Valley Authority
Emory River	1896 - Decision, U.S. Geog. Bd. (restated 1916)
<u>Local Usage</u>	
Emory River	P.M. Harriman, 6/12/16
" "	Clerk, County Court, Kingston, 6/9/16
" "	P.M. Oakdale, 6/8/16
" "	"Unable to verify (Emory) by any local usage at all" - T.P. Pendleton, Chattanooga Office, U.S.G.S., 11/20/35
" "	P.M. Oakdale, 12/20/35
" "	P.M. Harriman, 12/23/35
" "	Clerk of County Court, Morgan County, 12/28/35

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Local Usage

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"Best known as Emory. Not spelled in any other way. Deed Record Book A, which is the first Deed book of Roane County, has an entry dated March 23, 1802, which shows a transfer of land on Emmerys River. Deed Book C has an entry, dated July 27, 1809, which has the name spelled Emerys River" - Clerk of Roane County Court, 12/31/35

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Origin of Name.

A map in the Brit. Colonial Off., London, of which there is photostat in Library of Congress, entitled: "A Map of the Southern Indian District of North America, compiled under the direction of John Stuart, Esq.", supposed to be map transmitted to the Earl of Dartmouth, Feb. 10, 1776, shows the present Clinch River as "Enemy River."

The name Enemy's River is also used for present Clinch River on Pl. 7, Bull. 73, Bur. Amer. Eth., which is a reproduction of John Stuart's "Map of the Cherokee Country."

The Journal of Gov. John Sevier for Aug. 28 and 29, 1799 (Tenn. Hist. Mag., vol. 5, 1919, p. 264) contains mention of "Little Emmery" and "Bigg emmery."