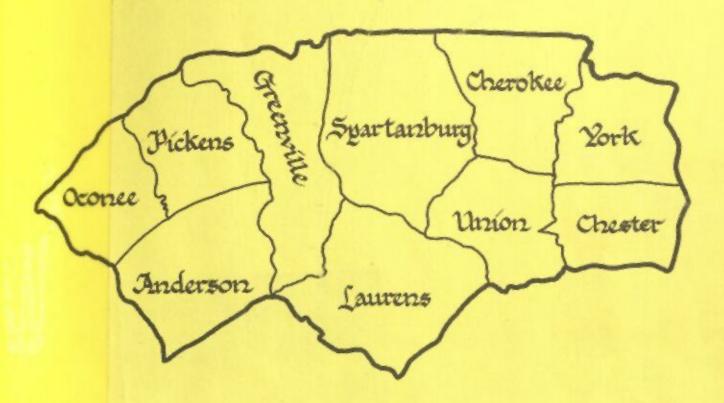
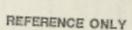
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### PRESIDENT'S PAGE

Dear Members,

This Quarterly contains the usual potpouri of historical and genalogical materials on the Piedmont. However, this issue contains something fairly new to our publication—articles written by members who trace our families as they left the Piedmont region and moved west to build a nation from rugged frontier land. Mrs. Bobbie Duncan McDowell's articles on the Crook family are concluded and Mrs. LaVerne Keeler Kilgore has contributed an article on the Adair family, as well as pedigree charts which elucidate its contents. The Editor wishes to give a special "Thank you" to these ladies as well as to all who contribute materials to the Quarterly. Not only does it make his task easier but it makes this more of a publication by the Society rather than for it. (Among our contributors on a regular basis are Lorene Barnett, W. E. Burns, and Bob Cartee.)

Mr. Bob Cartee has agreed to serve as acquisitions director. Please send him any materials on books and other materials for sale at the Society's address. He has also volunteered to help catalogue our library collection.

During August, some of our newspapers will be at the South Caroliniana Library being microfilmed. Mr. Allen Stokes has assured us that the newspapers will be microfilmed according to Library of Congress specifications. We appreciate his help and cooperation with this project.

Also during the fall, I plan to make a trip to Mississippi, Alabama, and Louisiana to do research. I want to ask readers in these states to send me information as to what libraries, historical site, etc. which you think would be of interest. Since I have only visited this area once—a school related trip to Jacksonville, Miss., I am only vaguely familiar with this area and would greatly appreciate any help you can provide.

Joseph R. Gainey, President



Shiloh Methodist Church, near Inman, in Spartanburg County, SC was organized around 1785. Biship Asbury was said to have preached to this congregation. This church was disbanded in 1915 but the cemetery, which is one of the oldest in the county, is still in use. Once a year, a reunion is held here to honor one of the mother churches of Methodism in the Piedmont.



George Ellis Cannon of Spartanburg County (2 May 1827 - 9 April 1909), a Confederate veteran from Sptbg. County, was held prisoner at Point Lookout Md. He is remembered as being eccentric. He even refused to sleep on a bed. He prefered a sheep-skin. However, he was active in the church. He was a trustee of Bethel Methodist and an early member of Carlisle Wesleyan. Pictured with him is his wife, Nancy Ann Tuck (27 Nov. 1828 - 18 Jan. 1908).



This picture of Laura Nettie Cook (9 Jan. 1884 - 13 Jan. 1941) was taken about the time of her marriage in 1904 to John Earl Berry. Her dress typifies that of young girls of the time. Unfortunately, this picture falls to show her pretty red hair which friends and acquaintances remark on until this very day. Laura lived her entire life in Spartanburg County.



This is the tombstone of Elizabeth Seay, the second wife of Williamson Seay. She is buried beside her son from her first marriage at New Prospect Baptist Church, Spartanburg County.

Pictures contributed by the Editor

GRANDPA CROOK WAS A PREACHER
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John A(rnold) Crook, eldest child of Jonathan and Lucy Arnold Crook, was born 1 Feb. 1815, Spartanburg District, South Carolina. He married about 1838 in Henderson County, Tennessee, to Letticia E. Burton, daughter of Charles and Margaret (Peggy) Spillman. Charles Burton's family had moved from Virginia to Spartanburg District, South Carolina and he and some of his brothers had moved to Kentucky. Peggy Spillman's father and grandfather Spillman had both served in the American Revolution in Virginia and her father, Thomas Spillman moved to Kentucky by 1790. Charles and Peggy Spillman Burton were married in Warren County, Kentucky in 1810 and their daughter, Lettie, was born 1 May 1821 in Simpson County (Drake's Creek formerly Warren County). The Burtons had moved to Henderson County, Tennessee by 1830. Lettie Burton Crook was a member of the Jack Creek Baptist Church where her parents were also members. She died 12 Sept. 1852 and was buried in the Hurt Cemetery, leaving seven children: Martha, James F., Margaret Jane, Lucy Frances, Nancy C., Mary E., and Sally.

John A. Crook married second to Elizabeth P. Thomas, parents unknown. She was born about 1827 in Tennessee and died between 1874 and 1880 in Tippah County, Mississippi. She is believed to be buried in the old Pisgah Cemetery near the extinct village of Ruckersville, in an unmarked grave. Pisgah, the site of an extinct Methodist Episcopal Church, is located near John A. Crook's Tippah County home on the Ripley-Pocahontas (Tennessee) stage road. Elizabeth was a school teacher and from Tippah County deeds and other records she must have had a "subscription" school.

Called to preach while a member of the Jack Creek Baptist Church, Henderson County, Tennessee about 1855, John A. Crook served as pastor at Providence, Pleasant Hill, and Ruckersville after moving to Tippah County. He also preached in Pontotoc County, Mississippi when he visited his daughter, Lucy Frances. Because of a "Brush Arbor" meeting he held there the Longview Baptist Church was founded. In 1872, J.A. Crook was listed as pastor of Bethel, Clear Creek, Union Mills, and Ruckersville Baptist churches in Tippah County. In 1874, he is shown as pastor at Bethel, Pleasant Hill, and Pleasant Grove. He once held a revival at Pleasant Hill at which forty-one people were converted.

John A. Crook moved to Tippah County, Mississippi about 1861 or 1862. The Providence Baptist Church records state: "Since April 1864 Elder John Crook has preached. . . On the first Sabbath of each month. In the fall of 1864 the church called Elder Crook as pastor. . . We have had no regular conference since the first Sat. in Sept. 1862. . . distressed and troubled state of our country in consequences of the war has prevented us from meeting up to the Sat. before the first sabbath in Aug. 1865.

The 1870 Tippah County Agriculture census shows J.A. Crook

with 60 acres of improved land, 140 acres of uniproved land, 2 horses, 3 cows, 2 working oxen, 4 other animals, 10 sheep, 10 swine, 100 bushels of wheat, 400 bushels of corn, 10 bales of cotton, 40 pounds of wool, 10 pounds of sweet potatoes, and 50 pounds of butter.

Tippah County marriage records show that Rev. John A. Crook performed numerous weddings and Baptist Association Minutes show his pastorates. His name also appears in various other legal and miscellaneous records which reflect his standing in the community. He was only human though and was known to "loose his cool at times, especially when the team of horses he used to the buggy gave him trouble.

Land records show that he bought and sold several parcels of land while living in Tippah County.

He and his second wife had at least four children: Phineas T., Letitia, John Hubbard, and Gideon L. By, 1880, Elizabeth was dead and the family was widely scattered. All the children were married, except Gideon who was in the home of Elminia Hopper, while John A. was living with his sister, Emily Tapp.

Soon after 1880, he moved to Martindale, Texas where his three youngest children were living. He died there in the home of his daughter, 'Tita and her husband, Joseph S. Porch on 18 Oct. 1888. From his obituary we learn that John A. Crook was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Martindale. The early records of the Jack Creek lodge are not available but we do know that he was a member of Jonesborough, No. 250, Jonesborough, Tippah County (MS) in 1875 (THE NORTHEAST MISSISSIPPI HISTORICAL AND GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY QUARTERLY, VOL. III, No. 4, June 1983, p. 163).

### The Children

Martha, the eldest daughter, married a Dodds, evidently in Henderson County, Tennessee before 1860 as she does not show with the family in that census. B.(?) C. Dodds with his wife, Martha, was on the 1860 Henderson County census and a J.C. Dodds and wife Martha show up on the 1870 Tippah County census. They were next door to Pinkney Tapp in the Ruckersville area. There is a child, Luther E. Dodds 1868-1869, buried at Providence, Tippah County. The marker states "son of J.C. and M.C. Dodds." I believe this is Martha Crook Dodds' child. This family does not show in the 1880 census of Tippah County. Martha was born about 1840 and was dead before the settlement of the T.S. Burton estate 1889-1891 in which her children were named. Those names could fit the initials of the children of J.C. and Martha Dodds in the 1870 census. The children were: Lottie Fulwell; Joseph Dodds; Jennie McDonald, and Cuney McAdams.

James F. Crook, the second child, was born in 1842 and came with his father and family to Tippah County about 1861. Proof of this was found in the estate settlement of Harrison Stephens in which John A. Crook collected \$10.00 due his "deceased son, James F." (Tippah Probate Pk. No. 442, 1869). James returned to Henderson County to enlist in the Civil War with friends and relatives. He enlisted on 30 Aug. 1861, Trenton, Tennessee. He was a member of Company I, 27th Regiment, Tennessee Infantry and died in the

battle at "Culp's Farm 27 June-3 July 1864 at Kenesaw Mountain, Georgia." His uncle, Captain Robert M. Burton, of the 51st Tennessee attended to burying James in what is now the Confederate Cemetery, Marietta, GA. Information about James' death is from Wiley M. Crook's book.

Margaret Jane (my great-grandmother) was born in 1843, in Henderson County, Tennessee and was probably named for her grandmother, Peggy Spillman Burton. Her family will br discussed later.

Lucy Frances Crook was born 23 July 1846 in Henderson County Tennessee. She married Henry Thompson on 21 Nov. 1861. The Thompsons moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi where their children grew up and many descendants still live. Aunt Lucy was killed in a cyclone on 13 Mar. 1913 at Saltillo where she was visiting her daughter, Lula Dillard. In a letter to Margaret Mathis, Lula states: "I know not hardly how to tell you the cause of Ma's death -- On the thirteenth of March a terrible cyclone passed through our settlement and blowed (sic.) several houses down. There was not a shelter of any kind left at our home. Ma was blown at least fifty yards. We know not how much further she would have gone but there was a small tree on the edge of the bluff which stopped her ----Our furniture was all in splinters and --- . A part of another reads: " -- if we can find anything to lay her out in, so they went back to where the house was and the trunks had all blown open and the things all scattered in the tree tops and everywhere. So they couldn't find anything but when they got back up there the good neighbors had done laid her out just as nice as she could be. It was so kind in them. Yes, they brought her back to Bethel to bury. She died on Thursday, they started Friday morning -- had [to] come around by Tupelo for the water was all over them bottoms, so they got her back to her home Friday night. We children all met them there .---- Saturday we laid her to rest --- Lucy's children were: Martha; Lula Letita Thompson Dillard; John William; Mary Etta Thompson Brandon; Louellla; Hybernia Thompson Pound; Henry L., Jr.; Sallie Aileene Thompson Huey; Charles C.; Lucy Frances Thompson Faulkner; Luther Silas; Marshall F. Most of them reared families in the present day Pontotoc and Lee counties in Mississippi.

Nancy ("Nan") married Francis Marion Rainer on 20 July 1864 in Tippah County, Mississippi. Nan was born on 1 Apr. 1848 in Jacks Creek, Tennessee and died 28 Nov. 1879 in Tippah County, MS. She is believed to be buried in Pisgah Cemetery. The birth and death dates come from the Rainer family Bible which Velma M. Duncan obtained from Henry T. Rainer, 4306 Knight Arnold Road, Memphis, TN in 1971. He was a child of the third wife of Francis M. Rainer. Nan's children were: (From census records and the T.S. Burton estate 1891) Joel/Jodie A.; F. Etta Rainer Maclin; Mary A. (Mamie or Nan) Rainer Dawkins Maclin; Benjamin Franklin; Joel Pearl.

Mary E. Crook was born on 30 Sept. 1849 Jacks Creek, Tennessee and married Daniel Strickland Finger, son of John M. Finger and Serena Arnold on 23 Dec. 1866 in Tippah County, Mississippi. She died in Benton County, Mississippi on 18 Feb. 1882 and is buried at Black Jack Cemetery. After her death, D.S. Finger married second and later moved to Texas. Mary's children are also listed in the T.S. Burton estate. They were: Gilbert/Gilbus; T.M.; Maude Finger Johnsey, Memphis, Texas; James Arthur; Claudy Leland;

and Nancy. In an undated letter written by 'Tita Crook Porch to Margaret Jane Crook Mathis, she says: "Sister Mollie's (Mary) children and sister Nan's and sister Martha's-I know not of their where abouts but God knows so I commit them all to Him in prayer and faith believing He will save every one of them."

Sally Ann Crook was born in Henderson County, Tennessee on 16 June 1851. She married 9 Dec. 1880 at Pochontas, Tennessee, to John Zara Norris, son of Felix Norris and Sarah/Mary Ann Morgan. The Norris family came from South Carolina to Tippah County, that is now in Benton County, and were living in Memphis, Tennessee at the time of the marriage. Sallie was living with her half-sister 'Titia and her husband Joseph S. Proch. Sally was the second wife of John Z. Norris and following his death she married his brother, Jimmy Norris. He died soon after their marriage and Sallie made her home with her daughter, Valera Norris Gates and died 18 Jan. 1936 at Rolling Fork, Mississippi. Sally and John Z. Norris had two children: Valera and John Z. Jr.

Phineas T(homas) Crook was born about 1854 perhaps in Henderson County. He seems to have been the first child of John A. Crook's second wife. He is shown on the 1860 and 1870 census records with the family and he signed as a witness when John A. sold or deeded some land in the early 1870s. These meager records are all we have on him. (Frances Porch Bigelow, Memphis, TN, supplied his given name of Phineas.) I believe he died by 1874 and that he is perhaps buried at Pisgah.

Letitia ("'Tetia") Eveline Crook was born 27 Feb. 1856 in Tennessee (Franklin according to Frances Porch Bigelow as of 4 Aug. 1981 interview). John A. Crook shows up on both the 1850 and 1860 Henderson County, Tennessee census records and the 1855 Jack Creek Baptist Church records. There is and was no community named Franklin in Henderson according to Lewis P. Jones of Jacks Creek, my contact and authority on Henderson County. If John A. Crook moved out of Henderson County, it was only for a short time. 'Titia was evidently named for Letticia Burton, first wife of John A. Crook, a not unusual practice. She attended the Stonewall College, formerly Ripley Pemale Institute at Ripley, Mississippi and taught school for at least one year in Tippah County in 1874 at Gray Mountain. Many tales have been told about her lively spirits and of her infatuation with the notorious Allen Luker at Falkner. She was a beautiful young woman and must have had many admirers. She married Dr. Joseph S. Porch on 3 March 1875. Her daughter says they were married at the Methodist Church at Falkner. In 1880, they were at Pocahontas, Tennessee where they had a store. By the mid 1880s, they were in Martindale, Texas probably moving there about the same time as John Hubbard Crook. In Martindale, 'Titia had a millinery shop and John A. Crook died at her home in Martindale in 1888. Later the Porch family lived in Eureka Springs, Arkansas where Dr. Porch had a drug store. They must have been there by the early 1900s and continued to live there until 'Titia's death in 1925. Her address at death was number 30 Eureka Street. She was buried in the Odd Felllows Cemetery there. Her children were scattered from Memphis to Texas. It was Aunt 'Titia's old letters to Grandma Mathis which gave us so many clues for this family research; letters which my grandmother had saved! 'Titia's

children were: Joseph (Joe); Homer; John; Frances Porch Bigelow; Nellie Porch West.

John Hubbard Crook, named for a merchant in Jacks Creek, was born in 1858. He grew up in Tippah County on the family farm near Ruckersville, Mississippi. He accompanied his father on his preaching rounds, joining the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church with him in 1874 when John A. served as pastor there. Pleasant Hill Missionary Baptist Church is not to be confused with the Pine Hill (Pleasant Hill) Primitive Baptist Church in Tippah County. In 1878, John Hubbard Crook married Sopphronia Embery, daughter of neighbors -- Jasper and Amelia Embrey. Both of Sophronia's parents were deceased by December of 1879 (Tippah Probate Pkt. No. 501) when John H. and Sophronia were living near Denmark, Tennessee. The probate records give their address as Madison County, Tennessee but the 1880 census shows them in adjoining Haywood County. They moved soon afterwards to Martindale, Texas where they lived out their lives. In Martindale, he operated a store and cotton buying business. He and his wife and others of the family are buried in the little cemetery on the bank of the San Marcos River there. Numerous descendants live in the Martindale-San Marcos area at present

Gideon L. Crook, the youngest child of John A. Crook was born in Henderson County just prior to the family's move to Mississippi where he grew up. After his mother's death, he lived for a time with his father's sister, Elminia Hopper. He probably went with his father to Martindale to live with 'Titia and John Hubbard. He died in Martindale in 1883 and is buried in the Crook plot in the Martindale Cemetery. Frances Porch Bigelow says that he was studying for the ministry when he died.

### Margaret Jane Crook Mathis

Margaret Jane Crook, third child of John A. Crook and his first wife Letticia E. Burton, was born on 12 Sept. 1843 near Jacks Creek in Henderson County, Tennessee. She was probably named for her grandmother Margaret "Peggy" Spillman Burton as Margaret was a name handed down in that family for several generations. She came to Tippah County, Mississippi with her family and sometime before 1870 went to live with her aunt Elminia Hopper. At age 27, she married on 1 Jan. 1871 to Thomas Mathis, a widower with several children. There is a story told that Margaret Jane lacked a proper dowry, but I doubt that this troubled a man who needed a wife to care for his family. Grandma Mathis is reported to have been reluctant to talk much about her family background even when asked, and this seeming indifference leaves us with little knowledge of her life except for the things her children and grandchildren could tell us.

Turner Mathis was the son of Israel and Margaret Mathis who came to Mississippi from Newberry County, South Carolina about 1851. His first wife was Sarah Ray, daughter of Reuben Ray and Martha Jeans also of Laurens and Newberry counties, South Carolina.

Turner and Margaret Crook Mathis had seven children: Benjamin Hardy; John Hubert; Mark Lowrey; Letticia; Cora; Clara; Homer Parl. Hardy, Hubert, Cora and Clara all died young with no issue. Mark married Ida Tomilson and reared a family in Tippah County. Homer married Kate Drewry and lived in Tippah County. Letticia (Lettie), my grandmother, married Porter Sammons McMillin, son of Joseph Jefferson McMillin and Catherine Wright Byrd. They lived on a little farm north of Falkner, Mississippi and reared three daughters: Velma, my mother; Rivers, and Estelle. Their only son died at about nine years of age; Pearl Crook McMillin.

Turner Mathis died in 1905 and Margaret lived until 8 Aug. 1928. She is buried at Providence Baptist Church Cemetery, Tippah

County beside Turner.

For more personal details on Margaret Jane Crook, her descendants, and the Mathis family see THE MATHIS FAMILY AND RELATED LINES 1430-1983 compiled by Bobbie D. McDowell 1983.

EDITOR'S NOTE: For a review of Mrs. McDowell's book and how to obtain it see page 97 of the April 1984 issue (Volume II, Number 2).

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ARNOLD NOTES
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John Arnold, parents unknown, appears to have moved from Virginia to Spartanburg District, South Carolina by 1810 and to have died there by 1813 (will). His wife, Nancy, and the children are named in the will.

Family tradition gives his wife as Nancy Mitchum. Mitchum is used as a given neame in the family for several generations. No Mitchum family shows on the 1790 Virginia census, nor do we

have any other proof.

In Spartanburg District, South Carolina one Benjamin Arnold/Arenol/Arrendale died in 1812 (probate 6 Apr. 1812) (Page 72-77 THE ARNOLD FAMILY ASSOCIATION OF THE SOUTH, VOL. 11, No. 2, Nov. 1971). His heirs were the widow Mary; Children: Thomas, Charles, Willis, Wiley, Joel, John, Absolum, Susanna, wife of Samuel Elders and Polly, wife of Zebedee Stanton. Note the use of given names which are used in our John's family. However, John the son of Benjamin was still living in 1828 when he deeded some land to his brother, Wiley. Therefore, our John was not the son of Benjamin but could have been related in some way. This is suggested by the fact that Cerena Arnold Finger of Tippah County, Mississippi was thought to be related to Lucy B. Arnold Crook and that Cerena's father may have been named Absolum Arnold (another family tradition).

The birthplaces of John and Nancy Arnold's children, given on census records of 1850 and later, support the theory that they did not move into South Carolina until 1805-1810.

By the early 1820s Nancy, widow of John Arnold, and some of

their children were in Madison County, Alabama and by the 1830s and 1840s most of them had moved on into Henderson County, Tennessee and Tippah County, Mississippi. By 1850, they had scattered into other counties and states.

Nancy Mitchum Arnold married secondly to Thomas Haislip on 30 June 1818 in Madison County, Alabama (Marriage Book 2, p. 101). She lived with him in Franklin County, Tennessee where he was tried, but not convicted (doesn't say what he was tried for). After differences with Haislip, she returned to Alabama.

Madison County, Alabama court records state that "about 1816 Nancy, the widow of John Arnold, William and the minor children moved to Madison County." In Feb. 1824, Nancy Arnold Haislip was again living in Alabama with her son William.

The children named in John's will and the Madison County,

Alabama court records were:

(1) William Arnold born perhaps 1785-1790 in Virginia; married before 1810 South Carolina and died 15 Aug. 1830 in Henderson County, Tennessee. His wife was Nancy Merideth born in South Carolina and died 1856 in Smith County, Texas where she went with some of her children.

(2) Frances (Fanny) Arnold, born 2 Feb. 1788 in Virginia and died Oct. 1862 in Smith County, Texas. She married Richard Shackelford, (Jr.), son of Rev. Richard Shackelford, Sr. and Mary Ann Roberts of Spartanburg and Laurens counties, South Carolina.

(3) James Arnold born on 25 Dec. about 1798, married Jane Melton from South Carolina and died in Henderson County, Tennessee

on 22 Sept. 1872.

- (4) Willis Arnold born 15 Dec. 1794, according to his gravestone, (perhaps 1792) in Virginia; married Charlotte Farrow, daughter of William and Rhoda Waters Farrow, of Spartanburg County, South Carolina, and died 16 Feb. 1867 in Henderson County, Tennessee. They are buried in Unity Baptist Church Cemetery and had no children.
- (5) Lucy B. Arnold (1794-1869) married Jonathan Crook, son of James and Mary Williams Crook. [EDITORS NOTE: For information on this couple, see "Jonathan Crook Porgotten Frontiersman" on pages 66-78 of the April 1984 (Volume II, Number 2) of this Quarterly.]

(6) Mary (Polly) Arnold (ca.1801-1888) married Jeremiah Crook, son of James and Mary Williams Crook. They went to Hender-

son County, Tennessee where they remained.

(7) Nancy Arnold born about 1804 in Virginia; married on 20 Sept. 1817 to Samuel A. Allen in Madison County, Alabama and moved to Henderson County, Tennessee.

(8) Sarah Arnold who is said to have married John C. Autrey.

(9) George Mitchum Arnold born about 1807 in South Carolina and whose wife was named Sarah (perhaps a Hament?). He was in Henderson County, Tennessee in 1850.

William Arnold had children born in South Carolina, Alabama, and Tennessee and following his death, his wife and some of the

younger children went to Texas.

Fanny Arnold Shackelford's children were also born in South Carolina, Alabama, and Tennessee. Some of her children came to Tippah County, Mississippi and to Tishomingo County, Mississippi,

where some descendants live today.

MRS. McDOWELL'S NOTE: Some of the Arnold material was obtained from Gertrude Crook Dean, of Midway, Georgia.

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BURTON FAMILY NOTES

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John Burton and his brother, Thomas of Cobbs, settled in Virginia in what became Henrico County. They were likely born in England and came to America as young men. Their parentage has not been proven. The data in Worth S. Ray's TENNESSEE COUSINS about the parents of Thomas could not possibly be correct. John's wife may have been Rachel Hutchins/Howchins. He patented "Longfield Plantation" Henrico County 22 Mar. 1665. He died by I Apr. 1690 (will proven). His children were: Mary; Rachel; Ann; John Jr.; Robert, Benjamin and William.

Robert Burton (1660-1723/24), son of John of Longfield, married Mary Nowell, daughter of John Nowell, merchant of Charles City County, Virginia, and his wife, Lydia Perkins. Their children were: Robert; Nowell; Hutchins; Benjamin and John.

Hutchins Burton, son of Robert, was born on 9 Apr. 1694 and married Susannah Allen, daughter of Samuel Allen of New Kent County, on 31 Mar. 1719. Hutchins died in 1763 in Henrico County. They had eleven children, one of whom was Charles. (Burton-Price Bible Record, National Genealogical Society Quarterly, June 1959)

Charles Burton, son of Hutchins and Susannah Allen Burton, was born on 4 May 1734 in Henrico County, Virginia. He lived in Pittsylvania and Mecklanburg counties in Virginia and in Spartanburg County, South Carolina. Although he patented over 4,000 acres in Kentucky, he probably never lived there. Several of his children went to Kentucky. Charles died in Spartanburg County, South Carolina about 1800. His wife, Mary (Hunt by tradition), died there in 1807 leaving a will which named their children. They were: Sally who married John Wier in Virginia; William; Nathan/Nathaniel; Samuel; Cuthbert; Charles Jr.; David; Drury who married Mary "Polly" Bright in Kentucky, a daughter of Tobias Bright and Rachel Gooden also from Spartanburg County; Mary who married James Bright, brother of Polly; Nancy; John Anderson; (Susannah) who married Robert George.

Charles Burton, Jr., son of Charles and Mary, was born about 1771 in Mecklenburg County, Virginia. The Burtons were in Pittsylvania County, Virginia by 1773 and in Spartanburg County, South Carolina by 1788. Charles Jr. was in Warren County, Kentucky by 1809 and married there on 4 May 1810 to Margaret "Peggy" Spillman, daughter of Thomas Spillman and Mary Massey from Culpepper County, Virginia. Their children were: Maria born about 1811 in Warren

County, Kentucky; Nancy married Thomason; Thomas S. born 1819 in Kentucky and died in 1885 in Wise County, Texas; Sarah (S.A.S.) married John D. Cross in Henderson County, Tennessee about 1840; Letticia E. born about 1821 in Simpson County, Kentucky, married about 1838 to John A. Crook in Henderson County, Tennessee; William Carroll born in 1823 in Simpson County, Kentucky and married about 1845 in Henderson County, Tennessee; Louisa J. Crow (another Spartanburg County, South Carolina surname) died in 1863 in Texas; Charles C. Burton born 1824-1830 in Tennessee and died about 1890 in Texas; James M. Burton born 8 Jan. 1826 in Tennessee and died in 1913 in Wise County, Texas, married Martha Ann Hobson Reed; Robert M. Burton born in 1832 in Tennessee and died in Texas in 1907.

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# VETERANS LISTED BY OLD RICHMOND RECORDS REVOLUTIONARY WAR BURIED IN PICKENS CEMETERY

Source: South Carolina Society Colonial Dames XVII Century, Colonel John Robins Chapter, bulletin of the dedication service of the historical marker honoring soldiers of the American Revolution buried in the Old Pickens Cemetery, Easley, SC. November 1, 1980

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| A. | Anderson, Jas.   | VA   | Wife<br>Agnes Craig |
| В. | Barr, Saml.      | SC   | Mary                |
| c. | Boggs, Aaron     | SC   | Elizabeth M.        |
| D. | Dickson, Jas.    | sc   |                     |
| D. | Dickson, Michael | sc   |                     |
| -  | Farmer, McDuff   |  |                     |
| E. | Hamilton, John   | sc   |                     |
| F. | Hendson, Robt.   | sc   |                     |
| G. | Hughes, Micalob  | NC   |                     |
| H. | McMahon, Peter   | sc   |                     |
| I. | Mauldin, Laban   | GA-SC  |                     |
| I. | Mauldin, Rucker  | GA-SC  |                     |
| K. | Oliver, Alexs.   | sc   |                     |
| L. | Pickens, Robt.   | sc   |                     |
| M. | Smith, Benj.     | sc   | Ruth                |
| N. | Smith, Hamp.     | sc   |                     |
| 0. | Smith, Job       | GA-SC  |                     |
| P. | Smith, Jas.      | sc   |                     |
| Q. | Smith, Joshua    | sc   |                     |
| R. | Smith, Meade     | sc   |                     |
| s. | Smith, Michael   | sc   |                     |
| T. | Waddle, W. M.    | VA   |                     |
| U. | Watson, James    | sc   |                     |
|    | Wilson, Charles  | sc   |                     |
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|    | Wilson, William  | SC   |                     |
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(The letters preceding the names were copied faithfully from the original list.)

# SOME OF THE FOREFATHERS OF ANDERSON COUNTY (continued from Vol. II, No. 2, p. 58)

There is a apot of some interest half way between Belton and Williamston, three miles from Calhoun, and three from Cooley's Bridge. It is the intersection of the Calhoun, Anderson, Williamston and Belton roads; the old muster ground. There elections were held. About 1855 Berry Lewis ran a store there. It also boasted a tailor shop, run by Mr. Jesse Smith, afterwards one of Anderson's best known merchant tailors, or men's clothiers. A whipping post stood at the place for correction of both black and white. Big Creek was the church and burial ground for the community.

Muster grounds were at various convenient places in the early days, because every man between the ages of eighteen and forty-five belonged by law to the militia, and were compelled to undergo some military training. That also accounts for the frequency of military titles among the earlier people.

Stephen McCully, an Irishman, came in the early times and settled first at Whitehall, where he manufactured shoes for the surrounding territory. Later he became one of Anderson's leading merchants, a public spirited man, and a wealthy one for his time. He donated the ground on which Johnson Female University was built.

In 1829 there was born in the Calhoun settlement a baby boy who was destined to play a part in the history of the little town which had been started in the woods the year before he was born. He was George W. Fant, eldest son of William Fant. In his childhood his parents moved to Garvin township, near Pendleton, where he grew up. At about twenty years of age he located in Anderson and worked on the Gazette when Todd and Russell were its publishers. In 1856 Mr. Fant was appointed postmaster, which position he held until 1880. He married Miss Myra Williamston, and T.J. Webb married her sister Elizabeth. Dr. Webb was postmaster and also book seller, and his business passed first into the hands of his son, T.J. Webb, and from him to his brother-in-law, G.W. Fant. The book store of Fant and Son is still Anderson's chief source of literature; other book stores have come and gone in the years that have elapsed since Mr. Fant first began to sell books to the Anderson people, but that one remains, still in the hands of the same family. That and Tolly's furniture establishment are the two oldest business houses in the place. Mr. George W. Fant was the father of Anderson's Mayor, Foster Fant. His other children were the late Rufus Fant, Theo Fant, the late Ben Fant, Walter Fant, of Texas; Neb Fant, of Walhalla; Mrs. Belle Fant Acker and Mrs. Lillie Fant Grant, of Oklahoma.

John Brown, of the Neal's Creek section, had two sons who became foremost citizens of the county; they were Daniel and Samuel Brown. The name of Daniel Brown is found often in connection with most of the early Anderson enterprises. He located in the town, and took at once a leading position. He built the first brick house in the town. It was later destroyed by fire, and his books and accounts were saved by the courage and coolheadedness of a young son. The first discussion of the proposed Johnson Female Seminary was in his house. It was he who was instrumental in securing the serv-

ices of the fine teachers, Mrs. Daniel and the Misses Payne.
Before 1860, McDuffie was a rather short street. It started at
Earle street and ran to Mr. Daniel Brown's home place, Sunnyside,
which was a suburban residence standing on many acres, and blocked
the street about where the Boys' High School and other buildings
in that vicinity stand. Mr. Brown opened the street through his
property on the Shockley Ferry Road, which was about at the Fulwer

Watson place. The street had been named for Governor McDuffie, who was a great favorite in Anderson, but there was a movement started then to change the name to Brown Street. It, however, was not carried out, and while Mr. Brown deserves to be remembered and honored, still it is rather fortunate that the street retains its name, and one which attracts favorable attention. Some years ago the Episcopal Church held its diocesan convention in Anderson, and the Reverend John Johnson, rector of St. Philip's in Charleston, and distinguished for his services in the Charleston Harbor during the war, was entertained in a home on McDuffie Street. He was struck with the name, and remarked that he believed that to be the only street in the state which honored Governor George McDuffie by being called for him.

In 1876, when the State redeemed itself from radical rule, Mr. Brown was too feeble to leave his home, but a crowd of his old friends came for him in a carriage, and bore him to the polls to cast his last vote for Hampton and reform. He lived until after the election, and news was brought to him of Hampton's election. He made no immediate reply, but feebly smiled, and in a few minutes said: "I will sleep now, " and turning away fell into the sleep that knows no waking.

He had five sons in the Confederate army. His eldest, J.J. Brown, was killed with his colonel, John V. Moore, in one of the first battles around Richmond. His youngest son, Nardin Brown, member of Company C, under Captain Prue Benson, was killed at Second Manassas, and lived long enough after he was wounded to send his mother a message. He asked one of his comrades to tell her that he was doing his duty, and he died happy.

Mr. Brown's second wife was Eleanor St. Clair (Waller) Nardin, a widow when he married her, and mother of Anderson's dearly loved Dr. Waller H. Nardin, Sr.

Mr. Samuel Brown, brother to Mr. Daniel Brown, did not live in the town. For a time he resided a little distance out, where the McCown home is now on the Belton road. It was there that his son, Joseph Newton, was born. Later Mr. Brown moved to Townville and he became identified with that community, though his son, J.N. Brown, was to become Anderson's wealthiest citizen. Mr. Samuel Brown married Helena Vandiver, daughter of Reverend Sanford Vandiver, the first pastor of the Anderson Baptist Church. Young Newton Brown attended school under Wesley Leverette. In 1855 the young man decided to go to Laurens to live. He engaged in merchanmdising in that place for two years, then entered the law office of Colonel J.H. Irby and began to study law. He was admitted to the bar in 1858, and bacame a partner of Colonel Irby. The partnership was dissolved by the death of Colonel Irby in 1860. Then the four years of war intervened, and after the war he

married Miss Lizzie Bruce, of Townville, and they made Anderson their home. Colonel Brown has stood very high in the legal profession and in the financial affairs of Anderson for many years. He accumilated the largest property that any one has ever made in the town.

He has been prominent in the Baptist Church all of his life, and has left a greater part of his property to be used for missionary work after the death of his only child, Miss Varina D. Brown.

The Anderson Library received a generous donation at his hands; he gave the lot upon which it was built, and the sum of ten thousand dollars to be invested, and the income used in the upkeep of the library and the purchase of books.

Another of the early settlers in the county was Captain James Thomson. He was one of the commissioners who laid off the town. Captain Thomson's home was on Beaver Creek, near Rocky River. He was the grandfather of Dr. M.A. Thomson.

Among the pioneers was Edward Vandiver, who came from Maryland just after the Revolutionary War. He was born in that State in 1748, and served in the Revolutionary War. He was once a soldier under Captain Andrew Thomas; also he served under Captain Amandus Leslie, and his colonels were Winnie and Easterland. He fought in the battle of Eutaw Spring, and drew a pension from South Carolina. In 1782 he was serving under Colonel Brestling at Four Hole Bridge. He died at his home near Neal's Creek Church in 1837, and is buried in that church yard. Edward Vandiver was the father of twenty children, all boys but two. He was twice married, first to Helena Turley, and second to Catherine Poole. He had seven sons who were Baptist preachers, the most distinguished of whom was Sanford Vandiver.

Another pioneer of the county was David Sadler, also a Revolutionary soldier. He died in 1848 and is buried in Roberts church yard, having been a faithful member of that church. His wife was Miss Eliza Bratton, of York County.

Other families which made their appearance in Anderson with the first tide of emigration are those of Breazeale, Gambrill, Kay, Major, Erskine, Shirley, Long, Roseman, Wellborn, John Goodwyn, to whom public lands had been granted, and who signs his name in a copper plate hand; Field Farrar, also one to whom public land had been granted (he was sheriff of Ninety-Six district in 1780); Henry Stevens, professor of music; Louis D. Martin, another land grantee in 1789; Thomas Jones, and Betty, his wife, sell land on First creek, a branch of Rocky river. The grant had been made in 1785 to Betty Wilkison, probably some enterprising woman, who had taken up land and was doing something for herself until she fell under the spell of Thomas Jones, and marrying him, lost land as well as liberty and name. Anderson Lee has a grant of land on Hen Coop creek; James Shirley on Rocky River; William Wheeler on the south side of Saluda River, dated October 3rd, 1785. In December, 1798, John Mauldin has a grant of land on "Government Creek," a branch of "Great Rocky Creek." Among early settlers on Six and Twenty Creek appear the names of

Jonathan Clark, David Clark, Bolin Clark, George Forbes, John Mc-Makin, Hugh McVay, and James Long. In various other parts of the district appear the names of James Highshaw, William Duncan,

Emerial Felton, John Fields, Colonel Richard Lewis, William Walker, Benjamin Dickson, John McAlister, Edward Morgan, Solomon Geer and Thomas Harrison. Most of these men take out brands for their cattle. Duncan Cameron and Mary, his wife, sell land granted them on One Mile creek. John Caruthers, Martha Lemon and Robert Lemon, her son, William Holleman, Justice of the Peace John Miles, James Moreland, on Rocky River; Harry Pearson on Six and Twenty; Joseph Woodall, Joshua Hill, William Hammond, James Martin, Samuel Taylor, "Jon" Winn, Robert Tate has a grant on Seneca river in 1784 (he spells it "Senekaw"); John Hugner, John Postelle, William Lowery, Isaac Titworth, James Crowder, David Brag, Samuel Caldwell, James Hamilton, and Benjamin Farmer.

In 1791 the records begin to be made in Pendleton county, Washington district, not Ninety-Six, as formerly. These good people in place of making oath on the Holy Bible, made their oaths on "The Holy Evangelists," no Hebrew scripture for them to swear by. Some of the business men of the days preceding the War Between

the States were John P. Benson and Joel J. Cunningham, Baylis F. and Thomas S. Crayton, Elias Earle, Alexander Evans and John C. Griffin, Fleetwood Rice and John R. Towers, Alexander B. and Joel J. Towers, Daniel Brown, Stephen McCully, Jesse R. Smith, Asbury M. Holland, J.N. Pendleton, Enoch B. Benson and Son, John S. Lawton, John C. and Henry C. Cherry, John and Thomas J. Sloan, John Hastie and Co. These were all of the village in the year 1849.

This list was furnished, along with a list of all of the merchants of the county, by an Anderson lawyer of the time to a New York business man who wrote asking him for confidential information about the merchants. He was a shrewd man, and his opinion and comments on the business men of his time are worth reading, as they tell the reader what kind of people formed the county. The lawyer is very frank and very full in his information, tells the ages of the men, whether married or single, number of children and approximates the value of each man's property. Often he says, "Is good for more than he will promise, " tells whether he buys and sells for cash or credit, whether his credit is good. Sometimes he says some man has married a rich widow, and can use her property, which he will to his advantage. Of one he says he is extravagant, hasn't much sense, but is full of high notions -- "If he is worth any property I don't know it." Of one he says: "He hasn't much sense, but he knows it; is cautious and will not venture much." Of another he says: "He hasn't much education, but is a fine business man, and 'a perfect shaver as you ever saw.' He owns town lots worth \$5,000, has land in the vicinity worth \$-000, has \$2,000 or \$3,000 in stocks, and bank, and about 40 slaves; he merchandises and farms, buys and sells on credit, owes money at home, but pays prompptly. His father is a rich man, very old, and when he died will come in for a good share. If he should visit North those who sell him much will earn all the profit they make."

Seven or eight or ten thousand dollars was wealth, and forty negroes a great number; most of them owned two or three slaves. Only one man is quoted as having a hundred, and lands worth \$20,000, and a capital of \$100,000.

He winds up his account by writing: "Above you have a pretty full

account of all the merchants of any importance in the district. It may strike you that my account of our merchants is rather a eulogy, I could not, however, say less and tell the truth. I feel certain that I am under the mark oftener than over it."

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### GRINDALL

Source: The Piedmont Headlight August 5, 1898

Mr. Franklin Blam is teaching a singing school at Elbethel.
A.S. Mayfield visited his mother at Pacolet Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. J.G. Hames, Sr., visited her son, R.B. Hames, of Union, Saturday.

M.E. McWhirter, of Jonesville, visited his parents Saturday and Sunday.

Calvin Nance, of Gaffney, and Nora Mayfield, of Pacolet, are visiting Rufus Nance of Asbury.

There was a Sunday school picnic at Asbury Saturday. Those who attended report a nice time.

Mrs. Ladie Littlejohn, of Ravenna, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Bettie Warmoth, at this place.

Misses Mittie and Elma Kirby and Jeanette Worthey spent Saturday night with Mrs. G.W. Nance.

Messrs. W.L.J. McAbee, W.E. Kirby, J.L. Kirby, George Weeks, and J.G. Hames went to Union Saturday.

Mr. Elias Horn, and family went to Gilliard Sunday to attend the burial of their cousin, Mrs. [B.T.] West, who was murdered Friday. Reports that reach us are to the effect that the deed was done by her husband. Jealousy is said to have been the cause of this terrible deed.

### SIMPSONVILLE NEWS

Source: The Piedmont Headlight August 5, 1898

T.L. Henderson has recently purchased the handsome Cox property on Laurens street, and will occupy the same next year.

Misses Lillie Bruce and Georgie Doster, two of Greenville's charming daughters, were the guests of the Misses Abercrombie last week.

Revival services are being held at the Clear Spring church this week, and much interest is being manifested. Pastor Miller is doing all the preaching.

The trustees of the Clifton school have been very fortunate in securingthe services of Miss Laura Abercrombie, one of our brightest and most popular young ladies.

A party of young people from here are going to Paris Mountain on a pleasure trip next Wednesday. Messrs. R.M. League and E.M. Henderson will be in charge.

The Woodruff oil mill company has been fortunate in securing our townsmen, Messrs. Hunt and Cox as president and superintendent, respectively. Mr. Cox moves to Woodruff shortly.

Mr. W.T. Thomason, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of our community, met with an accident yesterday which, his physician says, will terminate fatally. While doing some work on his stove flue he lost his footing and fell violently to the ground, breaking his right arm in three places. The arm was amputated this morning.

Perry W. Moore, one of our talented young men, has been very fortunate in securing the office of 1st lieutenant in the new Greenville volunteers, under command of Maj. W.A. Hunt. Mr. Hunt is a B.S. graduate of Clemson, and was Captain of Co.B when he left school. This new company leaves today for Columbia, as we are informed.

### LOCKHART

Source: The Piedmont Headlight August 5, 1898

Mr. R.B. Spear is on an extended visit to Ala. and other important places.

Mr. Q.H. Williams, outside overseer, is on a few days' visit to friends and relatives at Cross Keys.

Mr. G.W. Grant had the misfortune to lose an infant by death recently. Its remains were taken to Seneca.

Mr. G.W. Grant, bookkeeper for Lockhart store, has resigned his position and accepted one as general salesman in the store of G.W. Pigniliat, of Seneca.

We are glad that The Headlight has resumed the Revolutionary sketches. They are extremely interesting.

The first crop of corn-field beans have put in their appearance on the market at the popular price of 10 cents a gallon.

Rev. Mr. Smythe has accepted a call to supply the Presbyterian church at this place during the vacation of the seminary.

There is now quite an overflow of hands in the weave-room. To use the language of the second hand J.C. Finley, "We've got weavers to kill."

### DEATH OF MRS. MAMIE G. GAMBRELL

Source: The Piedmont Headlight from the Greenville News
August 5, 1898

The Hon. J.A. McCullough received a telegram yesterday conveying the sad news of the death of his cousin, Mrs. Mamie G. Gambrell, wife of W.G. Gambrell, at her home in Greenwood. Mrs. Gambrell was Miss McCullough before marriage; she was a neice of John W. and C.S. McCullough, of Darlington. She had many friends in this city who will learn with suprise and regret of her death.

OUR BRAVE ADAIRS
by
LaVerne Keeler Kilgore
6144 Whitman Avenue
Ft. Worth, Texas 76133

Editor's Note: Mrs. Kilgore has recently submitted this information on her D.A.R. application, which was approved. Since then, she has received some information which leads her to question some on the links in this line. Her information shows that John Adair (son of Joseph, Jr.) had a son William (born 1792/1799). Her ancestor William Adair wed in 1823 to Susannah Davis Rooker of York County, SC. They had the following children: John Rooker, William Dorsey, James M., Elizabeth (Ann?), Benjamin Joseph (her g-g-grandfather), Mary M., Juliette, and Saphronia Caroline. Other lines claim that John Adair's son William (b. ca. 1792) married Posthemia Bosman and had John Thomas and Elizabeth Adair. Both Williams were born at about the same time and place in SC. In later years, both moved to the same area in Georgia--Morgan and Henry counties--where they died. Mrs. Kilgore would appreciate any help that can be offered on this problem.

In 1730 Thomas Adair, his wife, and three of their sons immigrated to America. They settled in Chester County, Pennsylvania, near Philadelphia. These sons were James, Joseph, and William. (If Thomas had other children left behind, we do not know.) The family came from County Antrim, Northern Ireland, where all had been born. Thomas was born in 1680 the son of Alexander Adair and the grandson of Rev. Patrick Adair. Patrick had married his cousin Jean Adair, the daughter of Sir Robert Adair, also of County Antrim. This family line was descended from the Adairs of Galloway which is a branch of the Anglo-Norman family of the Fitz Geralds of Ireland. [References 3,4]

James Adair was born about 1700. He had acquired from the British Crown a grant of land near Waxaw Colony in what is now the lower part of Laurens County, South Carolina. The whole Thomas Adair family moved about 1750 to develop that tract of land called the Adair Grant. [3,4] James, however, did not remain too long with the others. He moved on west to North Carolina where he lived with and wrote about the Cherokee Indians. It is said many Indian children could have carried the surname "Adair"--some did. There is/was a town in the area called Adair(s)ville which bore his name and which he helped to populate. James was a prolific author (as well). His favorite subject was the Cherokees and their customs. He died in North Carolina.

William Adair was born in 1710. He was married to Mary Moore (born 1720). William and Mary moved to South Carolina with the others. Later, about 1778, they moved their family to Kentucky. One of their sons, General John Adair, became the eighth governor of Kentucky. William and Mary spent their later years in Mercer County, Kentucky, and were buried at Whitehall in that county. [3,

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Joseph Adair (born 1711) was 19 when the family came to America. He had probably been trained as a cooper (barrel maker), or received that training after he was here. In 1732 he married Sarah Laferty (born 1715) of Pennsylvania. Joseph and Sarah had at least six children-probably seven. The oldest of these, Joseph, Jr., was born in 1733. He and all the others were born in Chester County. They were James (1734-1818), Benjamin (1736-1823), Leah (married Joseph Ramage), Mary (married John Owen), and Sarah. There may have been another daughter who married Robert Long. In his later years, Joseph Sr. married Susannah Long of South Carolina. They had one son who died young. [1]

Joseph, Sr. served his country as a soldier in the Revolutionary War from about 1779-1783. At this time he was in his seventies. He served as Commissary of Company D in Col. Casey's Regt. The following is a copy of a bill paid by Joseph to William Adair out of State of South Carolina funds:

Sterling h 96-5-8
Received satisfaction

The State of South Carolina, in account with William Adair.. Sept 19th 1781

Recceipt of William Adair, 1070cwt. of Flour; 51 bu of Wheat; 5 bu of Corn for the use of widows and distressed families in Col. Casey's Regiment.

per Joseph Adair, D Company [1,6]

Sworn by Colonel Casey

Since the Continental Congress had no power to tax or raise funds, each state was responsible for recruiting and paying its own soldiers for military service as well as its own citizens for supplies they furnished for the military and civil populations in need. The northern part of Laurens County was a Tory stronghold. In 1780 these Tories burned the court house at Laurens and the private residences of many of the prominent Adairs. [1]

The area the Adairs settled was on Duncan's Creek. Nearby was the Duncan Creek Church, a stone structure built in 1767, which still stands. It was in this church that Joseph, Sr. served as a Presbyterian elder for forty years. (The Adairs have provided many Presbyterian ministers through the decades.) Joseph died in 1801 at the age of 91 and lies buried in the Duncan Creek cemetery. His will which he made and filed in the Laurens County court house reads:

I give and bequeath to my wife, Susannah, all Cattle, Hogs, and Pewter; \$160. Continental Dollars, all grain, farming tools, beds and bedsteads.

I give my sons James and Joseph Jr., the remainder of the Continental money, Imported bedsteads, and Arm Chairs. I give to my son Benjamin, half of my Cooper tools; also twenty pounds old currency.

I give to my daughters, Leah Ramage, Sarah Adair, and Mary Owens, each twenty pounds old currency.

[Signed] Joseph Adair, Sr.

Joseph Adair, Jr. was 17 when the family moved to South Carolina. Here he completed his education which was begun in Pennsylvania. As a successful farmer and businessman, he improved his
lands and became the owner of a number of slaves. In 1758, he was
married to Sarah Dillard (born 1736) of Amherst, Virginia. Sarah's
parents were James and Lucy (Wise) Dillard; her grandparents James
Stephen and Louise (Page) Dillard; her great-grandfather was George
Dillard. George Dillard was born in Weltshire, England and came
to Virginia in 1660. He fought the Indians with the Colonial Militia of Virginia at Jamestown. For this service he received a
grant of 250 acres of land. [1,5]

Joseph, Jr. and Sarah had eight children: John, James, Robert, Elisha, Elizabeth, Jane, Casey, and Charity. All were born in Laurens County, South Carolina. Later the sons and their families moved to other southern states: John to Georgia, James and Robert to Tennessee, and Elisha to Perry County, Alabama, then later on to Texas. [1,3,5]

Joseph, Jr. also answered the call to serve in the Revolution-

ary War. He "was with Colonel Lacy at Hauk's defeat."

Joseph, Jr. died on 17 October 1812, at the age of 79. He also is buried in the Duncan Creek Cemetery. His will, which is on file at the Laurens County courthouse, states:

I will to my son, John Adair, wife Jane Jones, One parcel of land.

To my son, James Adair, wife Elenor, One tract of land.

To Robert Adair, my son, money and silver breeches buttons.

To Elisha Adair, my son, one tract of land.

To Joseph Alexander Adair, my grand son, silver coat buttons.

To Elizabeth Adair Hughston, my daughter, One Negro girl.

To Jane Adair Holland, my daughter, one Negro girl.

To Casey Adair McCrary, my daughter, one Negro woman.

To Charity Adair Little, my daughter, One Negro Woman.
[Signed] Joseph Adair, Jr. [1]

on of Joseph Ir and Carab Adair

John Adair was the eldest son of Joseph, Jr. and Sarah Adair. He was born in 1759 in his parent's farmhouse. He received a common school education. He learned agriculture and the trade of saddle making. [1]

John was a third generation patriot. Like his father, Joseph, Jr., and his grandfather, Joseph, Sr., before him, he served in the Revolutionary War. Atb age 20 in 1779 he joined the Continental Army and was on active duty to the end of the war in 1783. He was involved in a number of battles and was captured near Charlotte, North Carolina. General Smallwood secured the release of John and seven fellow prisoners through an exchange. A copy of General Smallwood's letter is given below:

General Smallwood to Lord Cornwallis: Camp, October 24, 1780.

Sir:

The prisoners taken in the neighborhood of Charlotte, whose name[s] you will observe below, I understand are very solic-

itous to obtain an exchange. Perhaps your Lordship would have no objection to admit of a partial exchange of those persons for a like number in our possession, whose situation and circumstances may not be altogether dissimular. If this proposition should meet with your approbation, you will be so obliging as to signify it, that the exchange may take place. Respects, etc., etc., W. Smallwood

Prisoners named: John Adair, Richard Thomas, William Rankin, Andrew Baxter, John McKay, William Wiley, William Wallace, and Alexander Brown.

This letter was sent to: The right Honorable Lord Cornwallis, Commander of the British Forces, Southern Department [1,5]

The following is a copy of a stub receipt which was written by the State of South Carolina to show payment had been made for services rendered:

The State of South Carolina, In account with John Adair:

His account of military duty as private, since the reduction of Charleston.

Sterling & 8-11-5

Received satisfaction June 14th 1783.

The State of South Carolina.

In Account with John Adair, Esq. His account for sundries for military use amounts to Sterling L 298-14-4 in the Revolutionary War. [6]

In 1783, John Adair married Jane "Jennie" Jones. Their twelve children were: Joseph Alexander-1784, John Fisher-1785, Hiram-1788, Jones Benjamin-1798, Elizabeth-1791, William-1792/9, Mary L.-1796, Farmer-1792, Susan-1800, Sallie-1806, James T.-1790, Joel Hayden-1808, and James-1806(?).

In 1808, John and Jane moved their children to Morgan County, Georgia, where John died in 1812. Jane lived until 1850 when she

died in Perry County, Alabama. [1,3,4,5]

The sixth child of John and Jane was William who was born 1792/9 in Laurens County, South Carolina. He moved to Morgan County with the others. Some time later, he moved to Locust Grove in nearby Henry County, Georgia, where he established a large farm. In 1823 he was married to Susannah Davis Rooker who was born in 1800 in York County, South Carolina. They became the parents of eight children, all of whom were born at Locust Grove. These children were: John Rooker-1824, William Dorsey-1828, James M.-1831, Elizabeth Ann-1834, Benjamin Joseph-1837, Mary M.-1840, Juliette-[date not given by Mrs. Kilgore], and Saphronia Caroline-1839/42. We do not know the daate of William's death, but Susannah died in 1886 at Locust Grove. [3,4]

William and Susanna named their fifth child Benjamin Joseph. He was born in 1837, and about 1854 he married Nancy E(lla) Harris. The children of this marriage were: Emma Jane-1855, Saphronia Ella-1856, William John-1860 (died in infancy), and Jeffie Lee (Benjamin Joseph)-1862. Benjamin Joseph was true to family tradition. When the Civil War came to the nation, he enlisted as a private. He enlisted on April 1, 1862, and fought with Company F, 53rd Regiment Georgia Infantry. Less than a year later, while fighting at Fredricksburg, Virginia, he became ill with a fever. On February 21, 1863, he was admitted to Chimbarzo Hospital in Richmaond, Virginia. There he died of pneumonia on 23 February 1863. [8] He was 26 years old. Back home was a young wife and three little children. Nancy applied for a widow's pension to the State of Georgia on April 9, 1891. The pension was granted. She received one hundred dollars -- twenty-eight years after Benjamin's death. [7,9]

Saphronia Ella Adair was born 31 October 1856 in Henry County, Georgia, the daughter of Benjamin J. and Nancy Harris Adair. She became the wife of Joseph Washington Shirey on 9 October 1874, in Henry County. She and Joe lived for a while at Rome, Floyd County, Georgia, where at least two of their children were born: Nancy Susan in 1875 and Thomas Jefferson in 1877. Their sons Newman Evander-1880 and William Benjamin-1882 were also born in Georgia. Then they moved to Marshall County, Alabama, where these children were born: Minnie Aurora-1892, Bessie Liller-1889, Lela Eppsie-1980, Joseph Green-1894, and Ella Jane ("Jennie")-1886. Joe Shirey became a successful farmer and owned a rather large tract of land. Some of this land had stands of timber. Some time after 1891, Nancy Harris Adair left Georgia and came to live with her two daughters, Emma Jane Colvin and Nancy Susan Shirey. The Shirey family was quite active in the Macedonia Baptist Church at McVille [Marshall County, Alabama]. Joe (died 1922) and Ella (died 1936) are buried in that cemetery. Nancy Adair is buried in the Concord Cemetery in the Colvin plot with Emma and her husband Thomas Mosley Colvin. [7]

Nancy Susan Shirey became the bride of Willis Harrison Grigsby Chambers on 4 March 1892. They were married in the home of her parents -- Joe and Ella Adair Shirey. In 1893 the couple moved to Brown County, Texas. To them nine children were born: Walter Raleigh, Lola, Lillie Pearl, Ina Lizette, Allie (Jane), Opal Eugenia, Annie Velarie, Joseph Weldon Bailey, and O.B.

As their forebearers had done, all three sons of Nancy Susan Shirey Chambers (plus numerous sons-in-law, grandsons, and grandsons-in-law) answered the call to duty--Walter Raleigh served in World War I; Weldon and O.B. Chambers served in World War II. [7] It is ancestors such as these that make us PROUD!!

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From Harry D. Adair:

"Our clan came from Troy. Later settled in Florence, Italy for a long time. Known as Gherrardinis (Geraldines in English) and came with William the Conqueror (King William the first) to England in 1066. Here they were Fitzgeralds. We have much of

this (proven), but it is spotty. They later "exited" to Scotland and Ireland because of political pressure, and this was the core of the family."

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ADAIR CHARTS
submitted by
LaVerne Keeler Kilgore
6144 Whitman Avenue
Fort Worth, Texas 76133

On the seven pages that follow appear pedigree charts which summarize and supplement the information which appears in "Our Brave Adairs." Mrs. Kilgore requests that any additions or corrections be sent to her at the address above. . 1732
Sarah Laferty
1 Joseph, Jr.
2 James
3 Benjamin
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5 Sarah
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1 Joseph 1796
2 Isaac 1800
3 Thomas R. 1797
4 Washington1823
5 John
6 Elisha, Jr. 1818

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2 Jean
3 John F
4 Archibald
5 Blisha Hanna 1 775 ton

> d. 00 Laurens Co SC

Thomas Holland
1 Thomas 1805
2 Jane (Blakley)1805
3.Sarah (Leak) & (Carlisl
4 Deliah(Adair)
5 Elizabeth (Potter) 1791
6 Aseneth (Copeland) 795
7 Casey (Bryan)
8 Rachael (Pitts) y)1805 & (Carlish

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"Casey"

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m. 1790
Thomas McGrary
1 Charity 1795 SG

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David Little
1 David, Jr. 1798
2 Elizabeth (Copeland) 1
3 Joseph 1801
4 James 1803 twins
5 Jane 1803
6 John 1806
7 Nancy(Fairbourne)
8 Thomas 1807 807

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2 Eleanor (Ramage)
3 Robt. James, Jr.
4 Susannah (Castles
5 Nancy (Langston)
6 Martha (Gamble)
7 Hannah (Meadows)
8 (Beavers)

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6 Margaret (Fitsgerald)
7 William
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Sarah Dean

1 Jefferson Hayden

2 Emily T. 1831

3 Hamilton Weyman 18

4 Augustus D. 1835

5 Green H. 1838

6 Amanda J. 1840

7 Walter D. 1842

8 Martha S. 1844

9 Sarah A. 1846 18

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JOHN 8 and JANE (JENNIE)
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b. 1785 Laurens Co SC
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2 Frances 1828
3 H.T.
4 George W.

1 Woods 2 Mary A. Shields (Shelton) 1 Vergil J.1835 2 Frances 1837 3 Martha S. 1839 4 Leanidus B. 1840 5 Joseph V. 1844 6 James W. 1848

no known children

1808
Blizabeth H. McGord
1 James McGord 1812
2 John F 1814
3 William 1815
4 Joseph 1815
5 Robert 1819
6 Nancy (Mitchell)

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Mary R. Slavin Oct J.George W. 1823 Q. Ezekial 1831 J. Elizabeth 1836 4 John P. 1838 5 Mary J. 1840 6 Lynda 1842 7 James W. 1845 24 181

Elizabeth
b. 1795 Laurens Co SC
d. aft 1850
m. 28 Jan 1815
Niles Garret
1 William Farmer
2 Wesley Marion 18 1817 m. 1 1792/9 Laurens Co 1823 Locust Grove SC

Susannah Davis Rooker
1 John Rooker 1824
2 William Dorsey 1828
3 James M. 1831
4 Elizabeth (Burk) 1834
5 Benjamin Joseph 1837
6 Mary M. 1840
7 Juliette (Sandifer)
8 Saphronia 1842

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John Apperson
1 James M. 1820
2 George W. 1826
3 Sarah J. 1827
4 Elizabeth(Martin)
1834

Jasper 1832 Mary Adair(Duncen) 1835 William J. 1836 Frances 1839 Samuel D. 1841

Farmer
b.1 May 1792
d.27 Jul 1845
m. 1818
Nancy Apperson
1 Martha Susan 1821
2 Mary Jane 1822
3 William Crawford
4 Thomas M. 1827
5 John 1830
6 James A. 1832
7 Richard 1835
8 Melvin 1836
9 Joseph G. 1842 1824

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BENJAMIN b. 1837 d. 28 2 Children of

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William T. 1878
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Flor E. 1881
Benjamin I. 1885
Samuel G. 1885
John A. 1887
Jessie L. 1889
Nancy E. 1890
Joseph P. 1892
Franklin T. 1895
Albert H. 1896
Robert Grady 1899

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John)

b. 1860 d. infancy

Nancy Susan 1875 Thomas J, 1877 Newman E. 1880 William B. 1882 Bessie L. 1889 Minnie A. 1892 Joseph G. 1894 Lela E. 1900 E. 19 (Jennie) 1886

> Jeffy b. Joseph E. 1885 Jefferson 1888 William 1890 Raleigh Thomas Toby W. 1895 Lee ennie 9 (B.J. 01 1862 Ga 1946 Tex Brown or Ben)

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Information: Harry Correspondence with Family Dwight Adair, Austin, Tex. knowledge; Marriage Allene Colvin, License, Albertville, Henry County, Ala.; and

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I Irene (Henderson) 1855

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M.F.A. "Fannie" (Mayo)

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James W. 1872 died young

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nn Rocker
16 Oct 1824 Henry Co
4 Jan 1896
6 Nov 1851
Sarah F. Paul
1Gornella (Arnold)
2 Elizabeth 1856
3 William J., Dr. 14
4 Agnes E. 1860
5 John Paul 1864
6 Robert E., Dr., 17
7 Thomas M. 1869
8 Ida M. 1869/70

Mary M

Benjamin b. 1837 He d 22 Feb 1

in Joseph Henry Co. Ga b 1863 Richmond

Julie b. d.

Robert Sandifer

Saphronia Caroline b. Oct 1839/42 d. m. never married

Nancy E. Harris
1 Emma Jane (Colvin)
2 Saphronia Ella (Shirey)
3 William John died young
4 Jeffy Lee (Benjamin Joseph)

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### ARLEDGE-HIGGINS FAMILY BIBLE RECORD

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This Bible record was copied in 1974. At that time, the Bible was in the possession of Grace Arledge Berry of Spartanburg. Mrs. Berry is now in a nursing home.

John Butler Higgins was born March the 2nd 1868 Walbur? Yates Higgins was born Jany 14, 1871 Eliza Ann Higgins was born July 8, 1872 Harriet Jennie Higgins was born Dec. 22, 1876 Horace Arledge married Magnolia Ramsey Wilson April 14, 1951 second wife J.S. Higgins Israel Arledge Etelka Williams died Aug. 11, 1914 Grady Williams only child of Elelka born Sept. 1911 Israel Arledge Jan. 15, 1884 Etelka Arledge Nov. 23, 1885 Harriett Arledge Nov. 22, 1889 Glenn Arledge Aug. 27, 1893 Elsworth Nun Arledge was born May 1, 1896 Jennie Grace Arledge was born Feb. 2, 1900 Butler Patterson was born Aug. 21, 1903 Annie Dorcas Arledge was born June 22, 1908 Edith O'Dell was born Sept. 7, 1891

Theodocia Leah Higgins was born March 11, 1866

Married: Horace Volney Arledge to Edith O'Dell Feb. 28, 1912 Howard Williams to Elilka Arledge Nov. 22, 1910 Israel Clement Arledge to Cora Outz Nov. 28, 1912 H.P. Arledge to Theodocia Higgins Nov. 2, 1882

### OLIVET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHYARD

The following inscriptions were copied October 3, 1981 by T.J. Caldwell and J.E. Hart, Jr., from tombstones found in the Olivet Presbyterian Churchyard, in York County, at McConnells, SC.

MATTIE JANE ALLEN / Died / Aug. 26, 1890 / Age 28 yrs. / MAGGIE MAY / Born / Aug. 4, & Died / Sept. 18, 1890

ALICE INMAN / wife of / J.F. ASHE / Jan. 14, 1867 / Sept. 26, 1937

BILLY ASHE, Jr. / Aug. 3, 1922 / July 18, 1923

ELIZABETH CATHERINE / ASHE / January 28, 1892 / June 20, 1957

ETHEL MARION ASHE / Sept. 23, 1886 / April 3, 1906

INA INMAN ASHE / July 29, 1883 / Jan. 1, 1970

IONE SARA ASHE / Jan. 19, 1890 / July 16, 1972

J. FRANK ASHE / Oct. 11, 1860 / May 22, 1935

JAMES C. ASHE / Born / Nov. 2, 1854 / Died / Aug. 13, 1896

ASHE / JOE BROWN / Mar. 23, 1911 / May 30, 1975 / LAURA FOWLER / Dec. 2, 1921

JOHN J. ASHE / Born / March 6, 1824 / Died / February 14, 1878 / / SARAH JANE RAINEY / wife of / JOHN J. ASHE / Born / June 26, 1827 / Died / December 4, 1892

L. BANKS ASHE / Jan. 23, 1871 / Feb. 22, 1941

(?ASHE?) / LILLIS F.

LOUISA A. ASHE / Oct. 3, 1823 / March 29, 1912 / / MARY M. ASHE / March 12, 1823 / Nov. 10, 1910

MACIE KIRKPATRICK / wife of W.E. ASHE / Aug. 30, 1893 / Mar. 23, 1963

MAMIE THERRELL / wife of / L. BANKS ASHE / Nov. 16, 1889 / Aug. 7, 1976

MARY BANKHEAD ASHE / May 12, 1861 / May 19, 1927

MARY HOPE ASHE / June 1, 1888 / March 31, 1904

Father / W. NEWTON ASHE / Mar. 2, 1819 / July 20, 1905 / Mother / SARAH V. ASHE / Oct. 2, 1832 / Dec. 16, 1917

WILLIAM MARION ASHE / March 29, 1863 / Aug. 9, 1901

WM. CALVIN ASHE / Jan. 14, 1918 / July 12, 1954

WM. E. ASHE / July 1, 1888 / Apr. 3, 1939

Infant son of / S.V. & N.A. AYCOCK / Jan. 19, 1914 / Jan. 19, 1914

AGNES ASHE / AYCOCK / Jan. 7, 1874 / Oct. 17, 1973

EMMA AYCOCK / Mar. 4, 1842 / Oct. 2, 1911

JAMES AYCOCK / Aug. 21, 1829 / Mar. 28, 1905

LULA ASHE / wife of / WILLIAM A. AYCOCK / Apr. 21, 1868 / Oct. 13, 1917

NANCY AYCOCK / Jan. 28, 1857 / Sept. 20, 1940

NANCY ANN SANDERS / wife of / SAMUEL VICTOR AYCOCK / July 11, 1870 / Feb. 13, 1914

PERRY WILLIAMS / AYCOCK / Oct. 25, 1986 / Oct. 3, 1974

SAMUEL VICTOR AYCOCK / July 6, 1869 / Oct. 21, 1939

WILLIAM A. AYCOCK / Feb. 28, 1864 / Feb. 28, 1945

BAILEY / CARRIE OPHILIA / Nov. 18, 1863 / Sept. 28, 1924 / WILLIAM McGEOWN / Feb. 22, 1874 / Feb. 12, 1933 / Children of WILLIAM McGEOWN / and MARY ELIZABETH BAILEY

ROBERT RUSSELL BAILEY / Mar. 30, 1881 / Jan. 11, 1966 / son of / WILLIAM McGEOWN and / MARY ELIZABETH BAILEY

BILLY / son of / W.W. & SUS CRAWFORD / BANKHEAD / June 30, 1930 / Nov. 11, 1930

E. BRICE BANKHEAD, Sr. / Oct. 19, 1898

EDWARD BRICE, Jr. / son of / E.B. & L.C. BANKHEAD / Feb. 24, 1926 / Sept. 18, 1943

LOIS VIOLA BANKHEAD / Mar. 4, 1984

LUCILE CRAWFORD / wife of / E. BRICE BANKHEAD, Sr. / Oct. 28, 1900 / Feb. 27, 1981

BANKHEAD / WILLIAM WALTER / Nov. 30, 1905 / SUE CRAWFORD / July 5, 1903

CHESTLEY B. BIDDIX / May 31, 1910 / June 26, 1970

GENEVA BOND BIDDIX / June 18, 1911 / Aug. 14, 1963

VANCE LAVONE BIDDIX / Jan. 2, 1949 / Sept. 23, 1974

BRADY / THOMAS J. / June 8, 1902 / Feb. 7, 1973 / MARGARET P. / Dec. 14., 1903

J.C. BRAKEFIELD / Jan. 8, 1885 / Mar. 10, 1947

J.T. BRAKEFIELD / May 6, 1907 / Dec. 25, 1945

BRAKEFIELD / R. Emmitt / Sept. 21, 1892 / Feb. 9, 1967 / MAUDE T. / Sept. 25, 1904 / July 30, 1969

JOHN E. BRANDON / Oct. 18, 1852 / May 14, 1933

MATTIE BURRIS / wife of / JOHN E. BRANDON / July 1, 1858 / June 7, 1939

ALVA L. BURRIS / Sept. 28, 1887 / Mar. 21, 1940

BURRIS / JOHN PRATT / Oct. 12, 1892 / Dec. 21, 1975 / BELLE HALL / Nov. 27, 1894 / June 25, 1972

JOHN T. BURRIS / Jan. 17, 1854 / Sept. 28, 1924 / EMMA HARDIN / His wife / Feb. 6, 1855 / Feb. 10, 1902

LEILA DAISY / BURRIS / Aug. 29, 1880 / Sept. 23, 1900

MABEL ALCORA / BURRIS / Dec. 15, 1879 / Apr. 6, 1963

MARGARET / A. / wife of / Z.D. BURRIS / Born / Oct. 1, 1829 / Died / Dec. 25, 1890

MARY M. / daughter of / JNO. T. BURRIS / Born / Nov. 23, 1887 / Died / Jan. 30, 1902

MATTIE E. BAILY / wife of / P. MOORE BURRIS / Born / Aug. 27, 1852 / Died / Oct. 31, 1895 / / Our boy / TOMAS A. BURRIS / Born / Oct. 5, 1882 / Died / Feb. 10, 1895

PHILANDER MOORE / BURRIS / July 7, 1853 / June 20, 1918

ROBERT W. BURRIS / Oct. 26, 1847 / Nov. 11, 1915 / MARY H. MOORE / wife / Mar. 30, 1846 / Jan. 18, 1922

BURRIS / THOMAS ELLIE / Dec. 17, 1883 / Apr. 17, 1967 / MAE LOVE / Apr. 9, 1886 / Nov. 28, 1965

HENRY DAVID CANADY / 1860-1938

NANCY HANCOCK CANADY / May 24, 1866 / Nov. 4, 1906

SARAH LAFAWN CANADY

DONNIE LEE CHRISCOE / Mar. 4, 1961 / Apr. 10, 1973

LILLIAN S. CLAIBORNE / Oct. 31, 1912 / June 30, 1968

MARGIE SUNIE CLARK / CLAIBORNE / Dec. 2, 1892 / June 14, 1981

WINSTON G. CLAIBORNE / Sept. 20, 1880 / Nov. 3, 1957

WINSTON IRVING / CLAIBORNE, Sr. / May 6, 1908 / Nov. 13, 1979

ROBERT LOVE CLINTON / Nov. 12, 1896-Nov. 7, 1922

SAMUEL C. CLINTON / Feb. 2, 1891 / Aug. 17, 1964

SARAH E. MENDENHALL / wife of / S.C. CLINTON / Aug. 7, 1895 / July 14, 1935

CLONTZ / FRED LAXTON / Oct. 1, 1894 / Feb. 10, 1977 / WINNIE BOLICK / May 31, 1897 / Nov. 17, 1974

RACHEL LYNN / infant dau. of / BOB & VADA COKER / Oct. 5, 1975

NELLIE MENDENHALL / wife of / SAMUEL P. COOKE / Apr. 26, 1897 / Mar. 20, 1973

SAMUEL P. COOKE / Feb. 20, 1895 / Oct. 20, 1934

DANIEL G. / CRAWFORD / Born / Feb. 18, 1859 / Died / Feb. 21, 1896 / / KATE / JOHNSTON / Born / Aug. 30, 1865 / Married to / DANIEL G. / CRAWFORD / Aug. 30, 1887 / Died / June 1, 1893

EDWARD A. CRAWFORD / Feb. 7, 1855 / Apr. 21, 1931 / EMMA HARDY CRAWFORD / Oct. 6, 1864 / Nov. 29, 1925

EDWARD N. / CRAWFORD / Dec. 2, 1831 / Sept. 27, 1885 / / ELLEN ASHE / wife of / EDWARD N. CRAWFORD / Feb. 28, 1829 / April 12, 1909

GILES P. CRAWFORD / 1888-1945

KATHLEEN CRAWFORD / Mar. 12, 1884 / Sept. 4, 1962

MARY ELLEN CRAWFORD / daughter of / EDWARD N. & ELEANOR A. CRAWFORD / Feb. 13, 1857 / Mar. 25, 1927

SAMUEL ASHE CRAWFORD / April 13, 1853-April 3, 1919 / His wife / IDA ROBINSON / March 6, 1867-April 30, 1932

WM. PLUMMER / CRAWFORD / June 4, 1869 / Feb. 5, 1905 / Capt. Co. F / 2nd S.C. Regt. / Spanish American War / later 1st Lieut. / in Philippine Service

JOHN LINDSAY / DAVISON / Apr. 14, 1902 / Feb. 9, 1958

JOHN T. DAVISON / Oct. 29, 1865-June 26, 1942 / His wife / ELLA LINDSAY / Feb. 7, 1871-June 1, 1945

ELLA C. DOSTER / 1874-1936

ROBERT B. DOSTER / 1875-1956

ANNIE MAY / dau. of / G.R. & S.R. ESTERS / Died July 11, 1902 / aged 2 ms. 10 ds.

GEORGE R. ESTES / Sept. 7, 1866 / Aug. 9, 1934 / REBECCA H. ESTES / July 31, 1873 / Oct. 22, 1961

I. BOYCE FALLS / Nov. 9, 1850 / Dec. 26, 1934

MARGARET ASHE / wife of / I. BOYCE FALLS / Mar. 26, 1852 / Jan. 5, 1944

MARY INEZ / daughter of / W.E. & S.B. FEEMSTER / April 30, 1905 / July 24, 1958

SUSAN REBECCA / BAILEY / wife of / W.E. FEEMSTER / Nov. 4, 1877 / Dec. 20, 1933

WILLIAM ENSLEY / FEEMSTER / Mar. 8, 1868 / Dec. 26, 1948

Infant / son of / J.M. & C.A. FOSTER / May 15, 1948

ANNIE CATHERINE AYCOCK / wife of / JOHN M. FOSTER / July 25, 1910 / May 10, 1969

G.W. FOSTER / Born Feb. 28, 1857 / Died June 1, 1908

JENNIE MAYE FOSTER / May 3, 1888 / July 13, 1960

JOHN MARTIN FOSTER / Oct. 27, 1897 / Feb. 23, 1979

MARION WILLIAMS / FOSTER / Dec. 9, 1885 / July 12, 1958

MARY MARGARET MARTIN / wife of G.W. FOSTER / Feb. 11, 1859 / July 6, 1953

ROBERT L. FOSTER / July 21, 1895 / Aug. 26, 1951

WALTER L. GARNER / Mar. 26, 1895 / July 29, 1975

HUGH C. GOURLEY / South Carolina / Spanish American War / Dec. 25, 1874-Jan. 2, 1969

HOWELL DAVID GREENE / South Carolina / World War II / Feb. 14, 1926-April 26, 1952

Mother / BELLE MICKLE GWIN / July 26, 1893 / June 5, 1974

Our darling / CHARLES GRAHAM / son of / R.H. & BELLE GWIN / Oct. 4, 1921 / Nov. 9, 1924

Daughter / MABEL GWIN / daughter of / R.H. & BELLE GWIN / Dec. 22, 1909 / May 29, 1933

Father / ROBERT H. GWIN / Sept. 6, 1877 / Sept. 16, 1934

HAFNER / JESSE W. / Mar. 10, 1908 / / LORENA C. / Feb. 19, 1916 / Jan. 20, 1978

MARCUS HAFNER / Born / Jan. 11, 1825 / Died / Feb. 12, 1896 / / MARY WYLIE / wife of / MARCUS HAFNER / Born / Nov. 26, 1832 / Died / Feb. 25, 1896

HAFNER / WILLIAM C. / Oct. 7, 1905 / Nov. 8, 1973 / LOIS B. / Dec. 21, 1915

RONALD LEROY HAMMACK / Sept. 9, 1954 / Oct. 25, 1973

Infants of / Mr. & Mrs. / J.T. HARPER / May 10, 1911

J.T. HARPER / Jan. 1, 1880 / June 28, 1924

M.W. HARPER / Born / Feb. 20, 1848 / Died / May 15, 1913 / / EMILY W. / wife of / M.W. HARPER / Born / Feb. 18, 1850 / Died / Jan. 29, 1910

EDNA E. FEEMSTER / wife of / ROBERT W. HARSHAW / Dec. 10, 1903 / Aug. 10, 1979

FANNIE BURRIS / wife of / JAMES E. HARSHAW / Apr. 23, 1871 / Jan. 17, 1964

JAMES E. HARSHAW / Nov. 18, 1869 / Aug. 3, 1937

PAUL LESTER HARSHAW / Apr. 9, 1892 / Oct. 23, 1961

ROBERT WALKER HARSHAW, Jr. son of / R.W. & EDNA F. HARSHAW / July 1, 1929 / Dec. 11, 1978

CAROLINE BARRIS / HAWLEY / Sept. 6, 1888 / July 12, 1967

MILO CHARLES HAWLEY / July 4, 1890 / Feb. 22, 1976

ERNEST HAYES / Jan. 3, 1895 / Jan. 5, 1967

NANCY GARMON / wife of / NORMAN HAYES / Dec. 5, 1872 / Mar. 2, 1954

A. HETHERINGTON / 1850-1926 / His wife / ELIZABETH GOURLEY / 1847-1934

ANNIE ELIZA FOSTER / JONES / Jan. 28, 1883 / Oct. 12, 1939

JANE FRANCIS / MILLER / wife of / R.F. LEE / Feb. 21, 1846 / July 6, 1917

MARION DAVIS LEVER / South Carolina / World War I / April 11, 1893-Jan. 11, 1969 LINDSAY / Father / AHDREW F. / 1835-1897 / Mother / LOUISA J.P. / 1843-1926

EDWARD CRAWFORD LINDSAY / Mar. 31, 1882 / Aug. 27, 1957

JAMES M. LINDSAY / Born / August 6, 1828 / Died / Dec. 31, 1893 / EUDORA LOVE / wife of / JAMES M. LINDSAY / Born Oct. 11, 1837 / Died June 6, 1894

JAMES M. LINDSAY / July 22, 1879 / Dec. 20, 1954

JOHN F. LINDSAY / Dec. 12, 1876 / Jan. 7, 1958

JOHN McCLEAVE / son of / J.F. & SUE M. LINDSAY / Aug. 7, 1918 / Oct. 26, 1930

M.C. LINDSAY / Born / March 14, 1842 / Died / Nov. 1, 1892 / / J. E. LINDSAY / Born / Apr. 21, 1875 / Died / Nov. 7, 1893

M.I. LINDSAY / Born / Dec. 11, 1840 / Died / Dec. 14, 1904

Sacred / to the memory of / P.W. LINDSAY / Born Mar. 17, 1830 / Died / Feb. 26, 1892

POLINA A. LINDSAY / November 14, 1844 / August 14, 1927

R. FRANKLIN / LINDSAY / Born / Apr. 20, 1834 / Died / July 8, 1900 / DEMARIS A. / wife of / R. FRANKLIN / LINDSAY / BORN / Oct. 24, 1844 / Died / Sept. 19, 1914

ROBERT M. LINDSAY / Jan. 13, 1874 / Aug. 30, 1940

SUE McCLEAVE / LINDSAY / June 26, 1882 / Aug. 27, 1968

WILLIAM CAMPBELL LINDSAY / Sept. 22, 1884 / July 21, 1963

Infant / dau. of / JOHN M. & LILLIAN A. LOVE / Sept. 19, 1983

Infant / son of / WILLIAM A. & ALICE H. LOVE / June 21, 1925

Infant / son of / WILLIAM A. & ALICE H. LOVE / May 14, 1939

BRUCE BEATY LOVE / June 15, 1911 / Aug. 16, 1945

F. P. L(OVE).

H.G. L(OVE).

JAMES F. LOVE / South Carolina / Major 306 Inf. 77 Inf. Div. / World War II / Aug. 22, 1908-May 29, 1971

JOHN M. LOVE / Apr. 22, 1875 / May 1, 1945

JULIA FOSTER LOVE / July 15, 1890 / Oct. 31, 1973

LILLIAN ANDERSON / wife of / JOHN M. LOVE / Oct. 5, 1878 / Oct. 5, 1941

M.K. L(OVE)

MARY ALICE HARDEE / wife of WILLIAM A. LOVE / July 13, 1906 / July 15, 1968

O.M. L(OVE)

SERAPHINA MOORE / wife of / A.F. LOVE / Oct. 18, 1814 / May 1, 1893

SUSAN McCLEAVE / wife of / W.B. LOVE / Dec. 9, 1845 / Sept. 22, 1899

WALTER BROWN LOVE, Sr. / Mar. 19, 1889 / Nov. 25, 1972

"Bud" / WALTER BROWN LOVE, III / Aug. 15, 1958 / July 29, 1971

W.B. LOVE / Jan. 16, 1849 / Apr. 10, 1906

WILLIAM A. LOVE / Aug. 11, 1901 / Oct. 31, 1961

WILLIAM POTTER / son of / WILLIAM A. & ALICE H. LOVE / July 5, 1934 / April 7, 1936

McCLEAVE / Infant / 1892

ANNIE ROBINSON / wife of / ROBERT L. McCLEAVE / Nov. 6, 1875 / Dec. 19, 1942

ELLEN CRAWFORD McCLEAVE / March 12, 1888 / Oct. 12, 1962

HUGH BURRIS McCLEAVE / June 18, 1894 / Nov. 8, 1957

MARGARET B. McCLEAVE / Sept. 16, 1855 / June 21, 1931

MARTHA BURRIS / McCLEAVE / July 11, 1821 / Dec. 20, 1900

MARTHA C. McCLEAVE / Feb. 17, 1887 / Nov. 10, 1925

ROBERT LOVE / McCLEAVE, Sr. / Sept. 3, 1879 / Jan. 26, 1963

W. BERRY McCLEAVE / Sept. 11, 1889 / June 6, 1923

WILLIAM L. McCLEAVE / July 3, 1850 / Mar. 13, 1922

McCONNELL / JOHN D. Born Jan. 25, 1833 / 1st Lieut. Co. E, 5th Regt. S.C.V. 1861-65 / Died May 22, 1919 / SARAH A. JAGGERS / Born Dec. 30, 1841 / Married Oct. 26, 1865 / Died March 28, 1913

JOHN DANIEL McCONNELL / May 15, 1907 / Feb. 24, 1972

REUBEN WALLACE / McCONNELL / May 28, 1873 / Oct. 10, 1960

KIMBERLY ANNETTE / McCUMBEE / Aug. 26, 1975 / Oct. 28, 1975

ELLA MAE CAMPBELL / wife of / THOMAS C. McKNIGHT / Oct. 2, 1883 / Jan. 11, 1958

MARGARET E. / daughter of / T.C. & M.E. McKNIGHT / Sept. 20, 1921 / July 1, 1928

ORA MAE McKNIGHT / Oct. 10, 1905 / July 29, 1964

T. CALHOON McKNIGHT / July 28, 1878 / Nov. 19, 1954

SARAH JANE / wife of / GEORGE C. MARTIN / Mar. 11, 1832 / Apr. 3, 1915

PINKIE ANNADA MATTHEWS / & infant daughter RUTH / Oct. 26, 1898 / May 3, 1920

ANNIE FERGUSON / MENDENHALL / Aug. 29, 1898 / Dec. 6, 1974

EDWARD B. MENDENHALL / Nov. 18, 1858 / June 28, 1968

PAUL R. MENDENHALL / Feb. 20, 1894 / July 16, 1933

SALLIE ROBINSON / wife of / EDWARD B. MENDENHALL / June 21, 1869 / May 1, 1942

WILLIAM L. MENDENHALL / Jan. 28, 1902 / Feb. 3, 1950

OSCAR MOSLEY / South Carolina / World War I / Aug. 17, 1892-July 7, 1972

ROSA MOSLEY / Jan. 19, 1900 / Sept. 10, 1975

TERRY LEE PATRICK / Aug. 7, 1955 / June 21, 1961

PORCHER / CHARLES E. / 1882-1925 / LILLIAN C. / 1874-1965

MARY ELIZABETH / RAINEY / Born / Dec. 25, 1829 / Died / May 18, 1900

EDWARD J. ROBERTS / South Carolina / Korea / Feb. 7, 1929-July 14, 1965

ETTA O. ROBERTS / Dec. 17, 1899 / May 8, 1969

HOWARD EUGENE / son of Mr. & Mrs. / T. ELBERT ROBERTS / Oct. 11, 1929 / Dec. 28, 1935

THOMAS E. ROBERTS / Jan. 12, 1897

WILLIAM L. ROBERTS / Sept. 1, 1892 / Sept. 27, 1968

Infant son of / Mr. & Mrs. / BUD RUMFELT

FRANCES BRUNNER / wife of / M.A. RUMFELT / Apr. 27, 1873 / Feb. 10, 1947

M.A. RUMFELT / Sept. 16, 1872 / June 25, 1948

MARION J. RUMFELT / South Carolina / April 19, 1934-July 11, 1968

CALLIE / wife of / R.P. SANDSING / Feb. 18, 1851 / June 12, 1890

R.P.M. SANDSING / Co. K / 5 S.C. Inf. / C.S.A.

ANDREW W. SHERER / Feb. 25, 1866 / May 6, 1930

FRANCES DAVIDSON / wife of / A.W. SHERER / June 22, 1868 / April 30, 1948

PARKS / McCAW / SHERER / South Carolina / Pvt Icl / 3 Pioneer Inf / March 27, 1933 / June 8, 1896

JOHN R. SHILLINGLAW / Jan. 22, 1922 / June 9, 1975

Infant / JOHN RICHARD / SIMPSON / May 13, 1956 / May 15, 1956

RUTH GIVENS / wife of / LEROY VANDERBILT / Aug. 9, 1892 / Sept. 27, 1964

VERELL / HUGH BENJAMIN / Born 1873 / Died Oct. 26, 1947 / His wife / ISABELLE BAILEY / Feb. 16, 1871 / Aug. 2, 1957

Infant daughter of / LAWRENCE K. & OLGA K. / WELLS / Oct. 3, 1976

J. RENWICK WILLIAMS / Co. K / 17 S.C. Inf. / C.S.A.

ELIZABETH B. / GASTON / wife of / H.A. WILSON / Jan. 5, 1857 / Jan. 22, 1922

HENRY L. WILSON / Oct. 12, 1880 / June 14, 1949

JAMES R. WILSON / Nov. 12, 1892 / Oct. 8, 1956 / EMILY HARPER WILSON / Dec. 30, 1981

JAMES SCOTT WILSON / infant son of / JEFFERSON HENRY & / CAROL ELLIE BURRIS / WILSON / Feb. 18, 1979

WILSON / JOHN J. / Aug. 29, 1887 / Sept. 29, 1965 / LYDIA H. / Sept 13, 1903 / Nov. 14, 1965

WILLIAM A. WILSON / Apr. 28, 1884 / Oct. 21, 1951

Morticians' markers: Mark H. HOYT, d. Sept. 24, 1981, 24Y 2M 20D William C. LINDSAY 1884-1963

Baby boy McCUMBEE 1981

Walter L. SLACK, d. Apr. 16, 1979, 46Y 11M 3

# SPARTANBURG COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS MINUTES (continued from Vol. II, No. 2, p. 75)

| Vs } c<br>Jesse Rakestraw }   | following De<br>igment for fifty four  | /the Court/gave the<br>cree - Let the Plaintiff<br>Dollars & nineteen<br>November 1799.   |
|---|--|---|
| John DeYoung )  | count<br>The Defendant   | came into Court and   |
| for a<br>execution till 25th De<br>Test<br>J.A. Whyte                                   | six pounds 13/9 with   | costs of suit, stay   |
| Let the Deft. &C.   |  |   |
| Nathaniel McElwrath ) Vs ) John D'Young ) of suit - Ordered that agreeable to the above | Note lost  The defe and confessed judgm /two/dollars and th t the plaintiff have                   | endant came into Court<br>ment for the sum of forty<br>mirty five cents & costs<br>leave to take Judgment                                   |
| suit this 3rd day of<br>Test-<br>Solomon Hill   | fessed judg<br>words "I acknowledge<br>writ or process and<br>e sum of nine pounds<br>October 1802 | ant in this case con-<br>gment in the following<br>a the service of this<br>confess judgment on this<br>& four pence & Costs of<br>Wm. Hill |
| Ordered that the agreeable to the abov  | plaintiff have leave<br>e confession.  | to take sudgment  |
| Vs )  | in the fol-<br>edge the service of t<br>and confess Judgment                                       | ant confessed judgment<br>lowing words "I acknowl-<br>this writ or process,<br>for the sum of six<br>costs of suit the 2nd                  |
| Oct.r. 1802 -<br>Test-  |  | his   |
| Isaac Tinsley   |  | James x Brice<br>mark   |
| Ordered that the plai   | ntiff have leave to  | take Judgment agreeable   |

Court then adjourned untill To morrow 10 O'Clock

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ment
John Hendrix & others )
                      Trespass to try Titles
Ebenezer Moss & others )
                         On motion of Mr. Gist Atty. of
                       Pltff. Ordered that a rule of survey
                       issue to/George Harbord/for the plain-
tiff & James Smith for Defendant and that they make a return of
their proceedings to the next Court.
Tho.s. Cox Assinee of )
James Cook ----- ) Debt
Vs ) Mr. Sam.I. Farrow appearing in behalf of the plaintiff and Mr.
                              Benj.a. Saxon in behalf of the
                         Defendant, A Jury was chg.d. with the
trial of this case, to wit,
   Wm. Cockrell forem. 7 Wm. Edwards
                                            Witness
  John Groging 8 Henry Wooddy
Benj.a. Howard 9 Wm. McGowen
                                            Wm. Ausborn
                                           Note Read
   Benj.a. Stone 10 Isaac Anderson
                                           Foster
 Joshua Edwards 11 Hugh Stephenson Mrs. Harmoning
6 Wm. Robertson 12 Jason Moore
                                            Mr. Martin
                                            Mr. Hancock
    Who returned the following Verdict "We find for the defend-
                                    Wm. Cockrill foreman
    Ordered that the Verdict be recorded
Lod Dulan )
               Trespass to
John Tucker & } Try Tytles On motion of Mr. Saxon for a rule
Thos. Cave ) Ordered that James Kilgore on the part of the plaintiff & James Smith
               on the part of the Defendant, be appointed to
               survey the land in dispute & return a plat of
their survey to the next Court to be held for the District of
Spartanburgh on the fourth Monday of March next.
Robertson & Long ) Assm.t.
  Vs ) The defendant confesses Judgment
Henry Earnest -- ) in the following words I confess Judgment
                 in this case for one hundred and twenty
                  Dollars with Interest on the same from 1st
December 1799 with stay of Execution three months this 26th Oct.r.
1801
         Henry Earnest
Test
Joseph Gist
Ordered that the plaintiff have leave to take Judgment agreeable
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Tuesday the 27th of Oct.r. 1801 Court met according to adjourn-

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Wm. Adcock ) Trespass to try
Vs ) Titles
Jonathan Low ) On motion of Mr. Thompson Attorney for
plaintiff and with the consent of Mr. Farrow Atty.
for defendant Ordered that a rule of survey issue
in this case to Cap.t. James Smith in behalf of
each party - And that he make a return of a plat thereof to next
Court-
Court then adjourned untill To morrow Ten O'Clock
Wednesday the 28th Oct/o/ 1801 Court met according to adjourn-
ment
Shands Golightly, Joel Smith, James Bennett, being called as Petit
& Common plea Jurors. & failing to appear ordered that Sci Fa
issue for them to show cause why they failed in their attendance
- They afterwards appeared - and the Court fined them one dollar.
Wm. Cockrill failing to attend when called as a common Plea Juror
- Ordered that he be fined the sum of half a Dollar
Wm. Robertson being objected to as one of the Common plea Jury,
Rich'd. Willis one of the Original pannell was therefore/drawn &/
qualifyed to serve in his/place/
Justice Reynolds ) False
Vs ) Imp- Mr. Farrow/Atty/appearing in behalf of
Alexander McKie } the Plaintiff & The Defendant by Mr.
Nott his Atty., whereupon the following
Jury was charged with the trail of this
case, to wit,
1 Wm. Cockrill foreman 7 Wm. Edwards Wit. Sworn
2 John Groging 8 Henry Woody Jas. Johnson
3 Benj.a. Howard 9 Wm. McGowen Alex.r. Alex.r.
  Benj.a. Stone 10 Isaac Anderson Mr. Cannon
5 Joshua Edwards 11 Hugh Stephenson Wm. Henderson
6 Richard Willis 12 Jason Moore Sen.r. G. Reynolds
                            Warrant of Com.
  Who returned the following Verdict read
"We find for the Defendant." Do. delivery Do. Order
  Wm. Cockrill foreman
Ordered by the Court that the Verdict be recorded.
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James Oats )
Vs ) Assumsit
John Hariss son of )
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to the above confession

Court

Wm. Harriess & John ) The defendant confessed Judgment in James --- ) the following words "We confess Judgment for eighty one Dollars eighteen cents & costs of suit - Oct.r. 26th 1891

Test John James
J.W. Farrow John Harriss

Ordered that the plaintiff have leave to take Judgment agreeable to the above confession

James Ottes ) Assm.t.

Vs ) The defendant confessed Judgment in the

John James ) following words "I confess Judgment for twenty
six dollars & forty five cents

Test
J.W. Farrow
John James

Ordered that the/Plaintiff/have leave to take Judgment agreeable to the above confession

Daniel McKie } Trespass
Vs ) to try On motion of Mr. Sam.l. Farrow/
Henry Brockman ) to try Titles Counsel/for Pltff. Ordered that
a rule of survey issue to James
Smith in behalf on the part of the Pltff. and on
the part & behalf of the defendant - and that
they make do make a true return of their proceedings to the next

Ingram Vaughn )

Vs ) Debt The plaintiff living without the Edward McDaniel )

Limits of this State - Ordered that the Plaintiff give Security for the cost of

this motion, and Mr. John/Vaughn/came into open Court, and acknowledged himself security for the cost of the above suit-

John Foster (Chink) being called as a Petit & Common plea Juror and failing to appear, ordered that he be noted for his default, And ordered that he be fined one dollar

Dan.l. White )
Vs ) Slander
Jesse Rakestraw ) B

By consent of the parties and assent of the Court the trial of this cause is refered to the arbitrament of John

King, Wm. Poole (Taylor) Joroyal Barnett & Anthony Foster Gen.l. Arbitrators, their award made & returned to next Court to be final between the parties.

To be continued.

### QUERIES

ENLOE EDGERTON/EGERTON GIBBS
Marty Morris #193053, Aramco PO Box 10501, Dhahran, Saudi Arabia
(Use International Air Mail Postage will reimburse & pay postage)
Seeking info. on Abraham Enloe b. ca. 1770 d. ca. 1840, m. ca.
1795 in Rutherford Co., NC to Sarah Edgerton (Egerton?) b. ca.
1772 in SC, d. ca. 1860. Only one known child: Aasoph Enloe d. ca.
ca. 1833.

### KENNED'

Marty Morris (see above)

Seeking info. on Robert Kennedy and Ann Kennedy who lived in York Co., SC ca. 1790. Only one known child: Sarah Ann b. ca. 1790.

### ENLOE KENNEDY Marty Morris (see above)

Aasoph Enloe married Sarah Ann Kennedy. Need marriage date. Children: 1. Sarah Ann Enloe b. May 5, 1825 d. November 16, 1875 in Wedowee, Alabama; married John Newton Gibbs b. September 10, 1828 in NC d. September 10, 1904 in Edwardsville, Alabama. Need their marriage date and location. John and Sarah Gibbs, along with his father, Bryant Gibbs, moved to Alabama in 1848. John became a farmer and traveling minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for many years. 2. Lum Enloe - No information available. Any leads on these families will be greatly appreciated.

## Nancy Shealy Berkhan, 2301 S. Hale Ave., Tampa, FL 33629

Am seeking the location of the grave of Mary James Gros Willis b. 1840 Charleston, SC d. between 1896-1900 in Spartanburg, SC (my husband's great-grandmother). The only thing we know is that there is supposed to have been a railroad nearby. [Editor's Note: Mrs. Willis does not appear on the WPA transcript of Oakwood.]

### WHITE

Mrs. James Dean Smith, 2736 Henry Street, Augusta, GA 30909

Would like to correspond with anyone interested in Daniel White died 7 Jan. 1848 in Spartanburg Co. Will reimburse postage.

### WHITE JONES JACKSON Charles Floyd White, 4216 Dorris Road, Irving, Texas 75038

Enoch Floyd's Spartanburg Co. will signed Feb. 1793 names wife Margaret Jane and eight children including David Floyd. Was David's first wife Mary Jones and was John P. Floyd (b. ca. 1799, one of their sons? John m. Martha (Patsy) Jackson (b. ca. 1799 S C), moved to Gibson Co., TN ca. 1821. In Jan. 1840, they moved to Tate Co., MS.

GARRETT WOODS Keith Garrett, PO Box 1387, Dallas, TX 75221

Seeking information on Benjamin Franklin Garrett, b. 1820, and his wife, Sarah "Sallie" Woods, b. August 1820 in the Greenville area. They were listed in the SC 1850 census as residing in the Laurens Co. area. Their children were: Eliza A., b. 1841; Rapley, b. 1842; John, b. 1844; and James A., b. 1847. They had more children after the 1850 census: Manning, b. 1851; Mary Elizabeth, b. 1852 in Georgia; Nathan, b. 1855 in Georgia; George Washington, b. 1857; and Sarah Jane, b. 1859. I would appreciate any information especially the identities of both parents of Sarah Woods Garrett and B. Franklin Garrett.

(See below for additional information on this line.)

GARRETT WOODS/WOODS HILAND Betty Garrett Horn, 4805 N. Locust St., North Little Rock, AR 72116

Would like information on the benjamin Franklin Garrett family. I would like to find his parents and siblings. Benjamin Franklin Garrett was born ca. 1817/1818 in NC/SC. He married Sarah (Sally) Wood/Woods (born Aug. 1820 died March 14, 1911). I first found them on the 1850 Laurens District, SC census. Benjamin Franklin Garrett might have died 6 July 1899 and was buried in the Ben Hiland cemetery (location unkown), SC--this I have not been able to prove. Benjamin Franklin and Sarah (Sally) Garrett had ten children: Eliza A., b. 1841 in SC; Rapley (Ralph) b. 1842 SC; John b. Feb. 1844 SC; James A. b. Feb. 1850 SC; Manning b. 1851 S C; Mary Elizabeth b. 1853 in Georgia; Nathan b. May 18, 1857 in Ga.; Sarah Jane b. 1859 in Ga.; William Morgan b. 19 May 1862 in Ga. My grandfather was George Washington Garrett. He first married Leticia "Lou" Wallin and then Tennessee Armantha Brannon. [EDITOR'S NOTE: The Hiland cemetery does not appear in either of the volumes of the Laurens Co. cemetery books which have appeared to date. However, there is a Holland cemetery in Vol. 2 which has 14 stones which are said to be unreadable. This is at least a possibility. It is also possible that Hiland is correct and the cemetery has either not been surveyed yet or has been destroyed. I

Betty Garrett Horn, 4805 N. Locust St., North Little Rock, AR 72116

I would like to locate the parents of James Woods born 1788 in Va. He married Rachel Hawkins, born 1797 in SC. James may have had brothers named John (born 1787), Robert (born 1789), William (born 1780). This I have not been able to prove. I found them on the 1850 SC census - Laurens County - page 333 - household \$2032. James and Rachel (Hawkins) Woods had at least four children: Susan (born 1829), Nathan Richmond (born 22 Sept. 1831), Elizabeth (born 1833), and William James (born 4 October 1839. William James or James William is my great-grandfather. He married Elma Jane Freeman on 2 Jan. 1866 in Anderson Co., SC. They had nine children. I have information on this family and would be glad to share.

Gayle S. Morris, 1605 Ruland Dr., Farmerville, LA 71241

Am searching for the ascendants of Marbury (Malbrey, Maberry, Mabry) Morris who, along with wife Sarah, was buying and selling property in Augusta, Richmond County, Georgia during the years 1794-1801.

McWHORTER WILSON HAROLDSTON
Mrs. Joyce Warren Thompson, Box 62, Wolfe City, TX 75496

Seeking parents of Sarah Caroline McWhorter. She was born in Pickens Co., SC Dec. 10, 1827. She married John Wilson Feb. 3, 1848 at Hickoryland, Pickens Co., SC. She had one child born in Pickens Co., John Haroldston born Feb. 4, 1852.

BAILEY BRAZEAL BREAZEALE CLEMENTS GRIFFIN
Mary Emily Smith Witt, 4517 Fairfax, Dallas, TX 75205

Will exchange information on Henry Breazeale (Brazeal), Joel Breazeale (Brazeal), William Griffin, Reuben Clements, Benjamin Clements, William Bailey. c. 1750-1820. Have some wills, land records. Need marrieage and other records.

JENKINS JENKINSON PRESSLEY PHILLIPS EDWARDS DANNER AUGHTRY
HUMPHRIES
Mrs. Raymond Harrison Bostick, 6914 Scotsdale Drive, San Antonio,
Texas 78209

Seeking the parents of Elizabeth "Elisha" Jenkins or Jenkinson. She was born probably between 1754 and 1774. "Elisha" married Charles Pressley who was born between 1755 and 1774. Charles was born in the Goshen Hill area of Ninety-Six District (now Union Co.), South Carolina. "Elisha" was probably born in South Carolina. She may be the daughter of William Jenkins. A William Jenkins was due \$20.00 when Charles Presley's estate was settled in 1822. In 1822 Charles Pressley died in Union District, South Carolina. Charles and "Elisha" Pressley were the parents of the following children: 1. Elizabeth b. 13 Jan. 1737; d. ca. 1829 in the Cook's Bridge area of Union Co., SC; married Joseph Phillips who was born 4 May 1790 and died 13 July 1859, Benton (Calhoun Co.) Alabama. 2. Catherine born 1797 and married Capt. Edward Edwards. 3. Lewis born 1799 and married secondly to Prussia Danner ca. 1835. 4. Mary Ann born ca. 1800-1810. 5. William born ca. 1800-1810. 6. Sarah Jane born 18 Nov. 1800 and died 28 Oct. 1869 Benton (Calhoun Co.) Alabama; married Joseph Phillips. (Joseph had been previously married to Sarah Jane's older sister Elizabeth.) 7. Adam born 31 Dec. 1810 died 27 Apr. 1880; married Nancy Simpson Aughtry who was born 24 Feb. 1816 and died 14 Jan. 1893. 8. Levi born ca. 1810-1820. 9. a daughter not listed in the will. Louisa born 13 Jan. 1818 and died 1 Dec. 1899. She married John Thomas Humphries who was born 20 Jan. 1821 and died 3 Oct. 1869. Will gladly pay postage and copy work on any information of the above families.

COOPER BALDERSTON HIBBS CLARK HUNT HUNTER PEARSON TOWNSEND WORLEY

Mrs. Raymond Harrison Bostick, 6914 Scotsdale Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78209

William Cooper of low Edington (or Ellington) in ye County of York in England was baptized on 16 Aug. 1649. He married Thomazine in 1672. Their children were: Elizabeth, born 13 April 1673; Henry, born 17 Jan. 1674; Jonathan, born 11 Jan. 1676; Hannah, born 28 Jan. 1678; Anne, born 18 April 1681; Abraham and Sarah (twins), born 24 Aug. 1684; and Joseph, born 5 Jan. 1686/7. They arrived in Pennsylvania in 1699. (Quakers) Jonathan Cooper was born 11 Nov. 1676, High Ellington, County of York, England. He married Sarah Hibbs in 1714. They resided in Bucks Co., Penn., and their children were: Hannah, born 10 Feb. 1715; Jeremiah, born 30 Nov. 1716; Hannah, born 3 Mar. 1719; Jonathan, born 1 July 1721; Phoebe, born 29 Nov. 1723; Jacob, born 29 Mar. 1727; and William, born on either 1 Jan. 1730 or 1 Mar. 1730. This William is probably the William Cooper on page 21 of Vol. 3, Index to Lancaster Tax Records-1750. Hannah married in 1739 to John Balderston and they moved to Delaware. Hannah died in 1792. William Cooper, Sr. (born on either Jan. or Mar. 1, 1730, Bucks Co., Penn.) married Lydia (Lidy) Clark. By 1771, they were in Ninety-Six District (now Union County), South Carolina. Lydia died after 5 Oct. 1808. It is said that some of their children were born in Lancaster Co., Penn. Their children were: Jacob, born ca. 1755, married (1) Mary, (2) Rachel; William, Jr., born 24 Apr. 1756, married Mary Hunter (or Hunt); Stacy, born ca. 1758, married (1) Tabitha Pearson (2) Elizabeth Townsend; Nathan, born ca. 1760, married (1) Sarah (2) Keziah; Samuel, born ca. 1762, wed Elizabeth Worley; Jeremiah, born ca. 1763 (bachelor); Jonathan, born ca. 1765; Sarah, born ca. 1767, married Peter Phillips ca. 1783 (Peter died 12 Oct. 1820 and Sarah died 29 Dec. 1842 in Union Co., SC where both are buried); David, born ca. 1769; Joseph, born

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died in Union Co., SC in 1822).

ca. 1771; and Hanah, born ca. 1773, married John Lee (John Lee

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