

CHESTER DISTRICT, SC EQUITY INDEX

This index lists only the names of the major parties. Equity Court files frequently, but not always, contain specific family information. Equity bills for partitions and petitions for appointment of guardians, in particular, are of great genealogical value. Any of the equity files listed below can be ordered from the Reference and Research Division, South Carolina Department of Archives and History, P.O. Box 11669, South Carolina 29211-1669. As a first step, one would be well advised first to inquire as to the number of pages in the file of interest.

**CHESTER DISTRICT EQUITY COURT RECORDS
DIRECT AND CROSS INDICES TO EQUITY BILLS 1820-1874**

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Plaintiff(s)	Defendent(s)	Class of Paper	No.	Years
Ferguson, Robert <i>et al</i>	Robert Rives <i>et al</i>	Bill	16	1826-1829
Ford, Middleton <i>et al</i>	Robert Rives <i>et al</i>	Bill	16	1826-1829
Foote, William <i>et al</i>	Mary Moorman <i>et al</i>	Bill	29	1830
Ferguson, James <i>et ux et al</i>	Sally Key	Bill	58	1834-1835
Ferguson, L.D. <i>et al</i>	Sally Key	Bill	""	"
Ferguson, L.E. <i>et al</i>	Sally Key	Bill	""	"
Ferguson, H.E. <i>et al</i>	Sally Key	Bill	""	"
Ferguson, E.W. <i>et al</i>	Sally Key	Bill	""	"
Ferguson, H.M. ^c <i>et al</i>	Sally Key	Bill	""	"
Ferguson, I. L. <i>et al</i>	Sally Key	Bill	""	"
Ferguson, Jane E. <i>et al</i>	Sally Key	Bill	""	"
Ferguson, R.E. <i>et al</i>	Sally Key	Bill	""	"
Franklin, Nancy <i>Admr</i>	Henry Head	Bill	65	1836-1837
Fife,wmB <i>et ux et al</i>	John A. Bradley <i>et al</i>	Bill	76	1836
Floyd, John <i>et al</i>	Mary Terry <i>et al</i>	Bill	85	1836-1837
Floyd, Mary <i>et al</i>	Mary Terry <i>et al</i>	Bill	85	1836-1837
Ferguson, Joseph <i>et al</i>	Henry Carlton <i>et al</i>	Bill	87	1836-1837
Ferguson, James A. <i>et al</i>	wm W Ferguson <i>et al</i>	Bill	94	1837-1839
Fergusin,Ino <i>et al</i>	wm W Ferguson <i>et al</i>	Bill	94	1837-1839
Farr, wmB <i>et al</i>	F. Hopkins <i>et al</i>	Bill	95	1837-1839
Ferguson __ <i>et ux</i>	Hannah Hyatt <i>et al</i>	Bill	214	1849
Ferguson, Jonathon <i>et ux</i>	Hannah Hyatt <i>et al</i>	Bill	214	1849
Ferguson __ <i>et ux</i>	Hannah Hyatt <i>et al</i>	Bill	214	1849
Ferguson, Ira <i>et ux</i>	Mary H. Ferguson <i>et al</i>	Bill	242	1851
Fee, William <i>et ux</i>	John C. Knox	Bill	281	1854
Fee, Agnes	George D. Fee	Bill	288	1854
Fee, William N.	" " "	Bill	288	1854
Forsyth, Alexander	David MCCreight	Bill	350	1859
Findley, Jane	Ex Parte	Petition	23	1820-1829
Ford, Middleton	Ex Parte	Petition	48	1829-1837
Ferguson, Joseph	Ex Parte	Petition	49	1829-1837
Ferguson, Ira <i>et al</i>	Ex Parte	Petition	99	1837-1843
Ferguson, N. <i>et al</i>	Ex Parte	Petition	99	1837-1843

Ferguson, D.L. <i>et al</i>	Ex Parte	Petition	100	1837-1843
Ferguson, E.N.	Ex Parte	Petition	100	1837-1843
Ferguson, M.N.	Ex Parte	Petition	101	1837-1843
Floyd, E.R.	Ex Parte	Petition	102	1837-1843
Ford, E.	Ex Parte	Petition	103	1837-1843
Ferguson, Charlotte A.	Ex Parte	Petition	208	1847-1849
Ferguson, Nancy A	Ex Parte	Petition.	208	1847-1849
Ferguson, Green	Ex Parte	Petition	235	1849-1851
Ferguson, Jane E.	Ex Parte	Petition	236	1849-1851
Ferguson, N.R.	Ex Parte	Petition	236	1849-1851
Fudge, R.H.	Ex Parte	Petition	267	1851-1856
Ferguson, Mary H.	Ex Parte	Petition	268	1851-1854
Ferguson, L.B.	Ex Parte	Petition	324	1855
Fudge, R.H.	Ex Parte	Petition	346	1856
Ferguson, Green	Ex Parte	Petition	347	1856
Fee, William N.	Ex Parte	Petition	368	1857
Feemster, Joseph	Ex Parte	Petition	418	1859
Flanakin, J.H.	G.H. McMaster <i>et al</i>	Bill	373	1860
Ferguson, Nancy J. <i>et al</i>	Mary E. Anderson <i>et al</i>	Bill	397	1863
Fant, Sarah	Mathew Wier	Bill	417	1864
Ferguson, Perry	Joseph b. Magill <i>et al</i>	Bill	433	1868
Feemster, James <i>et ux et al</i>	Nancy Mitchell <i>et al</i>	Bill	443	1868
Ferguson, Jas P.	Ex Parte	Petition	458	1860-1863

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FAMILY GROUPS AND FAMILY CONNECTIONS FROM COUNTY COURT RECORDS

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Contributor's note: The intent and purpose of this contribution is to expose family groups and family connections from the various types of court records from the upstate counties of South Carolina. The county and the type of record will be carefully identified. The wording, sentence structure (or lack thereof),

and punctuation (or lack thereof) of original documents will be followed as closely as possible.

Information within a document that is not essential nor relevant to the genealogical content will be elided, as indicated by successive dots, i.e., Statements or individual words not in the original document will be enclosed by square brackets []. Names and places in boldface type are inserted by the contributor for purposes of highlighting and emphasis.

YORK COUNTY

York County, SC, Probate Court, Case #54, File #2396. Estate of **James Bigger** Dec'd, (1789) **Elizabeth Bigger**, Administrator

Administration Bond

Know all men by these presents that we Elizabeth Bigger **Joseph Stuart Joseph MCXenzie & John Kincaid** of York County & State of South Carolina are firmly bound to **W" Bratton W"** Hill Joseph **Palmer John Drennan Tho· Gilham**--Justices of the County Court of York afs^d in the penal sum of