

CHESTER DISTRICT, SC EQUITY INDEX

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

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Plaintiff(s)	Defendants	Class		
		of Papers	No.	Years
DeGraffenried, C.	Ex Parte	Petition	17	1820-1829
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Darby, Elizabeth A	Ex Parte	Petition	392	1858
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Dunnovant, Weldon	vs James Dye Sr et al	Bill	358	1860

DeGraffenried, C	vs ThosDe Graffenried Adm et al	Bill	414	1866
Dunnovant, A Q et al	vs G J Patterson Adm et al	Bill	395	1863
Darby, Elizabeth A	Ex Parte	Petition	319	1855
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Dye, Helen M	Ex Parte	Petition	345	1856
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Dickey, William	Ex Parte	Petition	357	1857
Darby, John O	Ex Parte	Petition	391	1858
Darby, Elizabeth A	Ex parte	Petition	392	1858
Darby, May E	Ex Parte	Petition	392	1858
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Dye, Weldon	vs James Dye Sr et al	Bill	358	1860
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Darby, Elizabeth	vs Wm D Simpson et al	Bill	438	1868
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Douglass, Jane	Ex Parte	Petition	493	1864-1868
Douglass, A B	Ex Parte	Petition	494	1866-1868
Douglass, John L	vs Nancy Douglass	Bill	450	1867
Dickey, John	Ex Parte	Petition	500	1860-1868
Dye, Lewis Adm et al	vs Helen M Dye et al	Bill	521	1868-1874
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Estes, W m E Exrs	vs Harriet Donald et al	Bill	212	1849
Estes, Wm E	vs John B Triplett	Bill	213	1849

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English, Sam'l et ux	vs Daniel H Tucker	Bill	302	1855
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Estes, Allen A	vs Anna Estes et al	Bill	324	1857
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To be continued.

1812 PENSION ABSTRACT FOR ELISHA & MARY REEVES

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Source: *South Carolina Pension Abstracts of the Revolutionary War; War of 1812 and Indian Wars, Vol #12.*

War of 1812 - South Carolina Service of Elisha Reeves and Mary Reeves #WO 7970

The files notes that the soldier served as a Captain in Charles Gant's company of South Carolina militia. A Declaration was made in Washington County, Indiana on January 8, 1872 by Mary A. Reeves, age 78, in which she states she is the widow of Elisha Reeves who enlisted in the War of 1812 as a substitute for Thomas Dockers under Capt. Charles Grant of South Carolina in Union County in 1813 or 1814 and was honorably discharged at John's Island, South Carolina. The widow further stated she was married under the name of Mary Meridith to said Elisha Reeves on September 8, 1812 by Chyn McDougal in South Carolina and that her husband died in Lawrence County, Indiana on August 15, 1840.

An affidavit of William Martin in Washington Co., Indiana on Jan. 13, 1872, states he is age 49 and well acquainted with Mary Reeves and her husband in his lifetime, Elisha Reeves, a soldier of the War of 1812, and knows they lived together as husband and wife. He further stated that in the family bible there is a record of the marriage in which appears the following: Elisha Reeves and Mary Meridith married September 8, 1812. He also stated that he was present at the death of Elisha Reeves and that he died on August 15, 1840.

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