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14 Nov. 1985

Mrs. Joe A. Brooks  
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Dear Mrs. Brooks,

I got your name out of the 1984 Chester Co., SC Membership Surname Book. I am also tracing a Boyd family. My James Boyd was born in Chester, SC 5 Oct 1782. James married c1805 Margaret Lewis daughter of William Lewis. They both moved to Mississippi with their son Smith Leroy Boyd c1860. They are buried at the Old Lebanon Church, French Camp (now Ackerman), Choctaw Co., MS.

James and Margaret had thirteen children according to info. taken from a song book owned by James Downing, husband of Rachel E. Boyd.

Lucinda A. Boyd, b. 1805 SC; Married a Mr. Bradford

Mary A. Boyd, b. 1808 SC; married John Strait

Margaret D. Boyd, b. 1810 SC;

William L. Boyd, b. 1812 SC

Robert C. Boyd, b. 1814 SC

John A. Boyd, b. 1816 SC

James Davis Boyd, b. 1818 SC

Sarah Amelia Boyd, b. 1820 SC

Rachel Elizabeth Boyd, b. 1821 SC; married James Alexander Downing

Samuel William Boyd, b. 1824 SC; married #1 Mary A. Bryan; #2 Jincy Selena Meek.

Joseph L. Boyd, b. 1828 SC

Smith Leroy Boyd, b. 1830 SC; d. 1901 Choctaw Co., Ms; married Isabel Taliaferro Pilcher.

Adeline Boyd, b. 1833 SC; married Richard Fair.

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Lucius A. Boyd, b. 1802 SC; married a Mr. Bradford

Marv A. Boyd, b. 1806 SC; married John Strait

Margaret D. Boyd, b. 1810 SC

William I. Boyd, b. 1816 SC

Robert G. Boyd, b. 1811 SC

John A. Boyd, b. 1818 SC

James Lewis Boyd, b. 1818 SC

Rachel Amelia Boyd, b. 1820 SC

Rachel Elizabeth Boyd, b. 1821 SC; married James Alexander Downing

Samuel William Boyd, b. 1824 SC; married #1 Mary A. Bryan; #2 Nancy  
Rebena Beck

Joseph I. Boyd, b. 1826 SC

Smith Leroy Boyd, b. 1830 SC; b. 1807 Choctaw Co., MS; married Issa  
Tatiana P. Phipps

Adeline Boyd, b. 1832 SC; married Richard Fair

Smith Leroy Boyd was my grandfather's grandfather. He apparently

enlisted in the Civil War from SC. Sometime after the war he came to MS with his parents. Some of the family had already moved there. My information from 1860 to present is pretty good. However, when I look in SC for my Boyds I only get confused. Are any of these names familiar to you? I'll appreciate any help you could give me.

There is a new Boyd newsletter "Boyds and their Branches" being published by Patsy Boyd Robinson, 208 Jefferson Street, Richland, Ms 39218. The cost is \$5.00 a year. It is really a good newsletter and well worth subscribing to.

Sincerely,

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