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ARNOLD, EASLEY, CROW, SHAW, DICKEY, WILSON, CAMPBELL,
CUPIT

Date: June 18, 1994

Dear Mrs. Stevenson,

Enclosed is \$5 to cover the costs of the last copies you made for me, which included: pages 11, 13, 14, 5-1, ?, 1-5, 1-6, and 1-7 from "Shannon Family and Connections" plus Family Group Sheets for Samuel Mobley, Sr., John Robinson, John A. Robinson, John Castles, John C. CROW, Sr., and David BOYD and Dr. John Robinson BOYD (which you developed from my data). Also you included a copy of the Revolutionary War Record in SC page for Samuel Mobley. The information you sent to me prior to this last mailing were the copies of the Andrew BOYD and Agness CUPIT BOYD wills.

Once again Mrs. Stevenson, you gave me great information and leads which I have been searching for. You gave me a lead on the address of Mrs. Eddie Lucretia Crow Peacock, for which I had been searching 7 months. Also, the SHANNON information you gave me has enabled me to determine, with help from Ms. Jo Ellen Castillo, a SHANNON researcher in New Caney, TX, how my Lucretia Jane SHANNON (b. 1836, SC d. 1929, San Angelo, TX, m. Thomas A. ETHERIDGE, b. 1830, NC, d. in prison camp last year of Civil War), ties into the SHANNON family. Lucretia Jane SHANNON was the dau. of Edward Mobley SHANNON and Margaret ROBINSON (dau. of John Robinson and Lucretia Mobley). Edward Mobley SHANNON (see p. 5-1 of "Shannon Family and Connections") had brother, William, and sister, Mary SHANNON PRICE. They were all the children of Thomas Shannon, Jr. and Cicely Mobley.

I went to a BOYD family reunion in San Angelo, TX last weekend and one who remembers Lucretia Jane Shannon said that she told her that her father, Edward Mobley SHANNON, was killed by Indians, but she didn't know where. Also, I know that Margaret Robinson, Edward Mobley SHANNON's widow, remarried to John C. CROW, as you indicated in the Family Group Sheet on him and which I previously had in the Mobley Data Base.

If you have time to copy the thirty pages or so of BOYD data there you referred to in your files, I will certainly reimburse you for it. James Green III is so busy with the computers, etc. that he sends out very little through the postal system. He mostly communicates through computer.

I have seen a copy of "A Family History of Boyds and Connected Families" by John Wright Boyd and I agree that it has very little on SC which I can relate to at this point.

Just a thought, I wonder if you would have on file any wills on the children of Andrew BOYD. I know Andrew Boyd, Jr. and David Boyd both migrated to MS and died there, so you wouldn't have wills on them. I don't know, however what happened to the other children, who they married etc. I know they inherited land from Andrew BOYD. To recap the data on the Andrew BOYD and Agness CUPIT BOYD family:

Name	birth date according to LDS Files	birth date as est. by Census Records/Wills
Andrew BOYD	b.ca 1775	b. ca 1755 d.ca 1825
Agnes CUPIT BOYD	b. ca 1775	b. bef. 1765,d.ca 1829 (both died in Fairfield Co., SC)

Children:

Hugh BOYD	b.. ca 1804	b. ca 1790, Fairfld Co.SC
Samuel BOYD	b. ca 1800	b. ca 1794 Fairfld Co.SC
Margaret BOYD	b. ca 1808	b. ca 1796 Fairfld Co.SC
Andrew BOYD, Jr.	b. ca 1806 & 1798	b. 1798 Fairfld Co.SC d.1839,Oktibbeha Co., MS m. Mary MCDOWELL, dau. of John MCDOWELL
John BOYD	????	b. ca 1800 Fairfld Co.SC
David BOYD	b. 1802	b. 1802, Fairfld Co., SC d. 1855, Choctaw Co., MS

I believe the birth dates estimated by census and wills of Andrew and Agnes BOYD to be somewhat more accurate than the LDS file except for David BOYD and Andrew BOYD, Jr. (they seem to have had more accurate information for David and Andrew, Jr.).

Mrs, Stevenson, might there be any wills in the Fairfield Co. wills records on a Hugh, Samuel, Margaret, or John BOYD ? I will certainly reimburse you for your research / copy expenses.

As always, I will very much appreciate any help you can give me.

Sincerely,

Sam Boyd



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