

erect a monument in the Churchyard and when the Company gets ready for a record of this graveyard, he and the family would be glad to furnish this record at any time. C. K. Son.

Option No. 529

Owner: Mrs. S. E. Lowman & Fannie Wessinger

Old Indian Graveyard

Letter dated Oct. 18, 1928: The graveyard listed above is found, according to best advise [sic] available, to be an ancient Indian burial place. No living relatives can be found. No objection to flooding.

C. G. Guignard, C. K. Son

Wessinger Graveyard: Memo: While the inventory shows twelve graves, there are really only eight graves.

Mr. Job Wessinger and family of Chapin were seen. The family knows only the names of two buried there. This graveyard is one of the oldest (if not the oldest) in the Saluda basin, it being over 100 years old. Family requested a memorial to be in new Bethel Lutheran Church, White Rock, S. C. Mr. Job Wessinger was agreeable to his brothers...One brother wants a monument erected on the land (originally granted by the King of England to his forebears) not covered by the water. Job Wessinger agreed that he would correspond with his brothers.

With reference to Old Wessinger Graveyard...Family: Wessinger Brothers. Mr. Job and Revs. Ben and Jake Wessinger. Letter of explanation was mailed to Rev. Jake Wessinger, Rincon, Ga. suggesting that their family participate in the memorial in new Bethel Lutheran Church to be erected at White Rock. No reply has been received yet. (Aug. 28, 1928).

Information furnished by J. S. Wessinger with request that their inscription be placed on a bronze tablet to be erected on part of land that will not be covered:

Mathias Wessinger b. March 22, 1746 d. March 26, 1816 and Lydia Anna Wessinger d. Oct. 22, 1807.

Mathias Wessinger, when 6 years old, came with his father, Mathias Wessinger, from Over Sea, and arrived at Charles Town in 1752. On Oct. 2, 1771, he married Lydia Anna Smith, daughter of John Ulrick Smith who came over on the same vessel with Mathias Wessinger, in 1752, and in 1755 obtained Grant for this land, where these bodies repose, and on which the monument stands. There were 12 children, 5 Sons, and 7 Daughters.

Letter Oct. 3, 1928 from J. S. Wessinger. "...your men have called on me re the old Wessinger graves near High Hill Church...I have spoken to a number of the descendants of these old people...want a monument erected on the land that our forefather secured from the King of England. There is 8 graves, but only 2 names are known, that of the old man and his wife, the other 6 are their children."

Letter Oct., 1928 from J. S. Wessinger, K. B. Wessinger, Jacob C. Wessinger, E. A. Wessinger, J. N. Wessinger, Mrs Anna Wessinger Lowman: "...Wessinger Family Graveyard located on the Lowman-Wessinger property...graves of those buried there: Mathias Wessinger b. March 22, 1746 died March 26, 1816, Lydia Anne Schmitt Wessinger wife of Mathias Wessinger d. Oct. 22, 1807. Six unmarked graves of their children...be not disturbed...memorial to be erected."

Called on Mr. Job Wessinger...he knew of 8 graves being 2 parents and 6 children, but he does not know the names.

Option No. 651

Owner: S. A. Mathias

12-1928

Colored Graveyard

Graves marked with inscriptions: 6

Graves marked with rough stones: 72

Graves unmarked: 10

Inscriptions

1. Eunice Meetz - April 12, 1905 - June 24, 1906
2. Matthew Meetz - April 26, 1906 - Dec. 13, 1906
3. Lillie Isobel Meetz - Dec. 13, 1911 - April 18, 1912
- 4. Lottie Mae Meetz - Jan. 9, 1905 - Feb. 9, 1907
5. Billie Chapman - March 18, 1859 - May 8, 1913
6. L. T. M.

General Description

In woods a few yars [sic] from old Lowman Graveyard and just above creek. Recently used but little cared for.
Witness: C. G. Guignard.

Colored Graveyard

Feb. 6, 1929.

In a graveyard located on Mr. S. A. Mathias' place the following or [sic] our relatives were buried:

- Mother - Pricie Chapman
- Father - John "
- Sister - Lula Rhett
- " - Martha Ellison
- " - Mary Chapman
- Brother - Gary Chapman
- " - Jesse Ray (half brother)

We are advised that the waters of Lake Murray will cover this graveyard.

It is our desire and request that these graves be not disturbed, but left as they are to be covered when the lake is filled.

It is also our desire and request that you, at no expense to us, place the names as given above on a memorial stone or tablet to be erected on our sister, Agnes Lyghts' lot at St. Peters Church, Irmo, S.C.

Please advise us in writing that our request will be carried out.

- John Henry Chapman
- Orrie Chapman
- John Homes Chapman
- J. H. Chapman, 431 Pickens St., Columbia, S. C.
- Carry Swygert, Columbia, S. C. Box 55 R. F. D.
- Agnes Syghts, Irmo, S. C. Rt. 1

Witness: G. W. Guignard.

Option No. 651
4-18-28

Old Lowman Graveyard

Graves unmarked (some with roughs stones): 10 to 12

General Description

Plot 20' x 20'. Ancient - in woods where old settlement once was. Abandoned for generations, very large trees growing over it.

Witness: C. G. Guignard, C. K. Son.

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Mary, 98, 130
Mary Barber, 129
Mary Denley, 130
Mary E., 98, 125, 150
Mary E. A. , 125
Mary M. , 129
Mrs. J. S., 104
Mrs. Simon J., 145
P. H. , 125
Quitman, 130
R. H., 81, 98, 126
Reuben C., 129
Reubin, 130
Roscoe, 125, 130
S. P. , 129
Sallie , 96
Simon, 130
W. D., 130
Walter C., 129, 130
Wesley, 130

Cemetery

Fry, 121
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Harmon-Corley, 135
Kelley-Hayes, 32

Chapman

Billie, 113
Gary, 113
J. H., 113
John, 113
John Henry , 113
John Homes, 113
Mary, 113
Orrie, 113
Pricie, 113

Chatman

Annie May, 116
Rilla, 115

Church

Zion C. M. E., 13

Clark

Mrs. Charlie, 26

Clark

Melissa Lowman, 100
Mrs. R. N. Lowman ,
100

Cloyd

Lottie Guise, 103
Marie Guise, 103
Willie Lee, 103

Comalander

M. E., 100

Conley

F. F., 2

Connelly

P. F, 2

Conner

B. C., 140
Catherine, 140
J. L., 140
Sarah Ella , 140

Connor, 35

J. L., 150

Coogler

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Estelle, 67
Jacob , 66, 67
Jemina , 67
Jimmie, 67
Martha, 67
Martha C., 66
Martha McCartha, 66
Mary, 67
Willie, 67, 149

Cook

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Drucilla Roberts, 138
Henry , 37
P. H. , 131, 137, 150
Sallie L., 37

Cooner

E. E., 1
J. K., 2

Corley

Albert, 135
Carrie Harmon, 137
Emanuel L. , 41
Frank, 133
Infant, 135
J. P. , 139, 150
Job, 135
Job E., 125
John, 131
Juliann, 41
L. L., 128, 134, 135
Leila E., 133, 134
Littleton, 132, 133
Mrs. H. M., 128
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P. H. , 130
Paul, 139
S. F., 127, 134, 135
Sarah, 127, 135
Sarah Harman , 136
Sarah J. , 127, 135

Corly

L. L., 135

Corner, 141

Infant, 141

Counts

Cornelius, 105
Josie, 51
Mamie, 102
Martha , 52
Wilbur, 51

Courtney

Elizabeth M., 82

Courtway

E. , 5
G. T., 5
M. E. , 5

Craps

A. M., 38, 39
T. S. , 38

Cromer

Arie, 46, 48
Arie C., 47, 48
Arie C. , 51

Crooks

Bessie, 52
Marie , 52

Crouch

Mrs. H. D., 118

Crough

Mrs. H. D., 118

Crouse

Rev. Andrew, 41

Crout

Effie C. , 94, 146
John, 146
John C., 94
Ophelia Harmon , 133,
134
Rev. John, 5
Susie Hendrix, 19, 35

Crumpton

Cora, 104

Cumulander

Eliza, 102, 144
Eliza C., 100, 102
Ella C., 100
G. M. , 100
Martha Idessie, 100
Mell, 105
Melvina, 100, 102

Dance

Mattie Frick , 43

Davies

Hassie, 13

Davis

Hannah, 2
Thos, 2

Dean